



## NJ Section American Water Resources Association

### Excellence in Water Resources

The [New Jersey Section of the American Water Resources Association \(NJAWRA\)](#) is sponsoring a student poster contest for undergraduate students in New Jersey who are pursuing studies related to water resources. This contest provides students an opportunity to showcase their work in a professional setting, and to network with water resources professionals in a variety of sectors and career focuses, including planning, engineering, policy, and science.

Students who wish to enter must submit an abstract of their poster presentation to NJAWRA (see attached application) by October 16th. Eight students will be selected to give a 5-minute presentation about their poster to the contest judges at 10:00am on December 7th, 2017 at Duke Farms, before the Annual Meeting. Poster and presentation will be judged on:

- general interest to water professionals,
- originality,
- educational value,
- and overall presentation.

The winning poster will be awarded \$500, which will be presented at the Annual Meeting, immediately following the poster contest December 7th, 2017. The first place winner must be in attendance to receive the award. Posters will be displayed at the Annual Meeting; all presenters are invited to stay and attend the annual meeting to meet with section members and water resource professionals. All students who present at the competition will receive a complimentary student membership to NJ-AWRA for 2018.

#### **General Guidelines**

- Students must be currently enrolled in an undergraduate program in New Jersey to be eligible for the student poster contest.
- Poster topic must be related to water resources.
- If selected, students must attend the presentation session on December 7th, at Duke Farms.
- Presentations shall not exceed 5 minutes.
- Students shall attend the presentation in appropriate business attire.

The application form is attached and can also be found on the NJAWRA website. **APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED BY OCTOBER 16th, 2017 FOR CONSIDERATION.**

Eight finalists will be selected to present their posters for judging. Notifications will be sent by November 1st, 2017. Questions should be sent to [njawra@gmail.com](mailto:njawra@gmail.com).



**Student Poster Competition Application Form**

Name of Presenter(s):  
Name of Academic Institution:  
Name of Faculty(s)/Professor(s):

Presenter's Email:  
Mailing Address:

Phone Number:

Poster Title:

Abstract (200 words maximum)

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