

Drought and Water Scarcity: addressing current and future challenges

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They are costly natural hazards, feature on global risk registers, and are expected to become more severe due to the influence of climate change and pressure on water resources from economic and demographic changes.

This conference will take an international perspective on droughts affecting our world, covering themes of climatology, hydrology, risks and impacts of drought, planning and impacts on communities.

Invited Speakers

Massimiliano Pasqui, CNR

A customizable drought monitoring and seasonal forecasting service to support different users' needs

Kerstin Stahl, University of Freiburg

Linking drought indices to a range of sectorial impacts

Henny van Lanen, Wageningen University
The 2018 drought in NW Europe

Anne van Loon, Birmingham University
Feedbacks between drought and society

Mike Morecroft, Natural England
Impacts on the natural environment and lessons for climate change adaptation

Rob Wilby, Loughborough University
Challenging the mantra of wetter-winters and drier summers

Ian Holman, Cranfield University
Taking lessons from the 2018 drought forward into increased drought resilience in the agricultural sector



About Drought

Maximising the impact of UK research on drought & water scarcity

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