

Water Resources Management Summer Workshops

Year	Title	Location	Purpose	Sponsor(s)
2001	Improving the Water Quality of Park Lake	Pardeeville WI		Park Lake Management District
2002	Effective Stormwater Planning and Management in the Rowan Creek Watershed	Columbia County WI		Columbia County Land and Water Conservation Department
2003	UW-Madison Stormwater Runoff Management Project	Madison WI	To develop a nonpoint pollution source management plan to identify land use activities on campus producing pollution that is impacting Lake Mendota and Lake Monona water quality.	State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
http://www.nelson.wisc.edu/wrm/workshops/2003/				
2004	A Watershed Approach to Wetland Services: Prioritizing Wetland Restoration in the Upper Rock River Basin	Southeast Wisconsin	To develop a watershed-based strategy for wetland restoration considering ecological services (hydrologic support, water-quality improvement, and biodiversity enhancement) as well as investigating a means to implement such a strategy for the Upper Rock River Basin.	Environmental Defense through the Center for Conservation Incentives
http://www.nelson.wisc.edu/wrm/workshops/2004/				
2005	Starkweather Creek Report of 2005 Current Conditions and Improvement Strategies for an Urban Watershed.	Madison, Burke, and Blooming Grove WI	To identify enhancement opportunities within the Starkweather Creek Watershed for wetland restoration, infiltration and baseflow improvements to the creek, riparian and stream bank rehabilitation or stabilization, stream water quality enhancements, and community outreach and education programs that increase awareness of the inter-connectedness of the ecosystems within the watershed, as well as between watersheds in the Madison area.	Friends of Starkweather Creek and the City of Madison, Engineering Division
http://www.nelson.wisc.edu/wrm/workshops/2005/				
2006	Enhancing an Urban Resource: Watershed Assessment and Management Plan for Monona Bay, Madison, WI	Madison, WI	WRM students collected and analyzed new data and historic information on water and sediment quality, management of aquatic plants and stormwater, and public opinion of Monona Bay to develop a management plan and public outreach program for the Bay and watershed.	Friends of Monona Bay, Dane County Lakes and Watershed Commission/Office of Lakes and Watersheds, Wisconsin DNR Lake Management Planning Grant
http://www.nelson.wisc.edu/wrm/workshops/2006/				
2007	Restoration of the Eastern Arboretum Marshes	Madison, WI	The 2007 WRM practicum addressed the eastern Arboretum wetlands, asking how can the Arboretum best cope with too much inflowing stormwater of too low quality. Their comprehensive approach includes opportunities to reduce watershed inflows, restoration that could occur within the Arboretum, and impacts on downstream waters.	UW-Madison Arboretum
2007	Assessing the feasibility of cypress swamp restoration as part of community-based recovery in New Orleans, LA	New Orleans, LA	The New Orleans practicum objectives were to characterize Bayou Bienvenue site conditions, identify possibilities and limitations for restoration options, evaluate proposals regarding the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board use of the wetland for tertiary treatment of effluent through wetland assimilation, and define options for future use of the area.	Holy Cross Neighborhood Association, of the Lower Ninth Ward in New Orleans