5<sup>th</sup> Summer School Model-based Design and Operation of Wastewater Treatment Plants

18<sup>th</sup> June – 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2012



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#### DESCRIPTION

This course immerses the participants in the most advanced modelling and simulation tools for the wastewater treatment plants management.

The course combines theoretical sessions in the mornings with practical computer sessions during the afternoons. The last day a visit to Bilbao-Galindo WWTP is scheduled.

This course is addressed to:

- Engineering and consultancy companies
- Water authorities
- PhD or master students

# REGISTRATION

- Fill in the registration form at www.novedar.com
- Fees: 1500€ for companies; 500€ for PhD students, including course stuff, lunches and the whole social programme
- Registration Deadline: June 6<sup>th</sup>

# SOCIAL PROGRAM

Farewell dinner (Thursday evening)

# ORGANISATION

- Scientific Coordinators
  Prof. Eduardo Ayesa and Dr. Paloma Grau
- Technical Coordinator Tamara Fernandez

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# MODEL BASED DESIGN AND OPERATION OF WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS

		Monday (18 <sup>th</sup> June)	Tuesday (19 <sup>th</sup> June)	Wednesday (20 <sup>th</sup> June)	Thursday (21 <sup>th</sup> June)	Friday (22 <sup>th</sup> June)
		Fundamentals and mathematical modelling of the DN process	Model-based design and operation of the DN process	Influent characterization, model calibration and Automatic Control	Design and operation of sludge treatments and Integrated modelling	Technical Tour to Galindo (Bilbao) WWTP
Theoretical Sessions	09:00 - 09:15	Welcome/Introduction <sup>(1)</sup> Fundamentals on organic matter and nitrogen removal in wastewaters <sup>(2)</sup>	Model-based design of WWTPs for carbon and nitrogen removal <sup>(3)</sup>	Influent characterization and models calibration in WWTPs <sup>(4)</sup>	Fundamentals on sludge digestion <sup>(6)</sup>	The Galindo facilities will be visited. During this visit, the usefulness of dynamic simulators and automatic controllers will be visualized in a full- scale plant.
	09:15 - 10:00					
	10:00 - 11:00				Mathematical modelling of sludge digestion <sup>(7)</sup>	
	11:00 - 11:30	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	
	11:30 - 13:30	Mathematical modelling on activated sludge processes <sup>(1)</sup>	Optimum operation of WWTPs for carbon and nitrogen removal <sup>(1)</sup>	Introduction to automatic control strategies for secondary treatment processes <sup>(5)</sup>	Plant-Wide-Modelling approaches & Energy modelling <sup>(8)</sup>	
	13:30 - 15:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
Practical Sessions	15:00 - 18:00	Introduction to the WEST 2011 platform.	Description of DN Plant layout (Denitrification – Nitrification) Simulation study: Model- based design of the DN process	Introduction to automatic controllers Description of DN Plant layout with controllers Simulation study: Model- based tuning of DN controllers	Simulation of a <i>water/sludge WWTP:</i> Optimum design and operation.	

#### PROGRAMME OF THE COURSE

(1) Prof. Eduardo Ayesa (Tecnun-CEIT)

(2) Dr. Luis Sancho (Tecnun-CEIT)

(3) Dr. Luis Larrea (Tecnun-CEIT)





(4) Sergio Beltrán (Tecnun-CEIT)

(6) Dr. Enrique Aymerich (Tecnun-CEIT)

(5) Dr. Ion Irizar (Tecnun-CEIT)





(7) Dr. Jaime Luis García de las Heras (Tecnun-CEIT)(8) Dr. Paloma Grau (Tecnun-CEIT)