



Developer and Owner – AIM Network

Online Course - Instructor Led

The Role of Operations and Maintenance in Asset Management for Water & Wastewater Systems

(This virtual course is offered jointly by ACWWA & AIM Network)

May 12, 2021 New Date - May 26, 2021

Target Audience: Water and Wastewater Operators, Maintenance Technicians and Managers

Purpose: Recognize the important role that Operations and Maintenance plays in an organization's asset management program

Objective: Attendees will gain an understanding of:

- How O&M fits into asset management programs.
- Why input from O&M staff is critical to an asset management program to support sustainable service delivery under the asset management program.
- How to start incorporating O&M into an asset management plan.
- Challenges and opportunities.
- How adequate O&M resources can create net benefits and influence planning.

Coures Facilitators:

<u>Matt Delorme, P.Eng.</u> – Matt is a municipal engineer with over 20 years' experience in engineering design and management. As a consultant he managed projects developing the asset management framework for the provinces of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland and Labrador and has assisted dozens of municipalities in Atlantic Canada get started on their asset management journey in partnership with AIM Network. Matt currently serves as AIM Network's technical program manager for a variety of programs in Atlantic Canada.

<u>Martha Myers, P.Eng.</u> – Martha is a mechanical engineer with over 30 years' experience in the petrochemical, chemical and energy industries. She has focused on Maintenance and Reliability to improve the value of physical assets using strategies for excellence in maintenance management. She is a graduate of the Asset Management Professional Program offered by PEMAC. She spearheads the Nova Scotia PEMAC Chapter, where she serves as the president and is the owner of Martha Myers Consulting Services.

| TIME | Торіс | Content |
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| 9:00 – 9:15 | Introduction | |
| 9:15 – 10:00 | What is Asset Management? | The asset management process and role of operations and maintenance. Intro to risk and level of service and impact of O&M on reliable service delivery. |
| 10:00 - 11:00 | Why is O&M Important? | Proactive versus reactive maintenance – benefits & impacts. |
| 11:00 – 11:15 | BREAK | |
| 11:15 – 12:00 | Getting started | Incorporating O&M into asset management planning. |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | Discussion - (Breakout Rooms) | Checkup and group discussion |
| 12:30 – 1:30 | LUNCH | |
| 1:30 – 2:00 | Discussion - (Breakout Rooms) | Fundamental challenges |
| 2:00 – 2:30 | O&M Resourcing | Making the case for O&M resourcing |
| | | Overcoming typical roadblocks |
| 2:30 – 3:00 | Discussion - (Breakout Rooms) | Checkup and group discussion |
| 3:00 – 3:20 | Next steps and closeout | |

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