



Towards a water secure Caribbean

CARIBBEAN SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM ON WATER

• March 23, 24 & 25, 2021 •

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Atlantic Standard Time

“Building Resilience in the Regional Water Sector to Address
Climatological and Hydrological Risks and Threats”

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EVENT AGENDA

• DAY 1 • MARCH 23, 2021 •

09:00 AM – 09:30 AM

Opening Ceremony

Welcome Remarks
Ms. Simone Lewis
Regional Coordinator GWP-C

Opening Remarks
Mr. Trevor Thompson
Chair of Regional Chairs & Chair of GWP-C

Brief Remarks
Dr. Kevon Rhiney
Chair of GWP-C Technical Committee

Feature Address
Senator the Honorable Simon Stiel
Minister responsible for Climate Resilience and the Environment - Grenada

09:30 AM – 09:45 AM

Keynote Presentation

Professor Michael Taylor
Dean of the Faculty of Science and Technology
The University of the West Indies (UWI) Mona Campus

09:45 AM – 09:50 AM

Icebreaker Session

09:50 AM – 10:55 AM

Paper Session 1

Water Security & Climate Change I

10:55 AM – 11:05 AM

Coffee Break

11:05 AM – 12:25 PM

Session

Bridging the science/policy divide

12:25 PM – 12:30 PM

Closing of Day 1

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EVENT AGENDA

• DAY 2 • MARCH 24, 2021 •

09:00 AM – 09:20 AM	Greetings & Overview Welcome Remarks Mr. Dario Soto-Abril <i>Executive Secretary, Global Water Partnership (GWP)</i>
09:20 AM – 09:35 AM	Keynote Presentation Ms. Rianna Gonzales <i>Youth Engagement Specialist at GWP</i>
09:35 AM – 09:40 AM	Icebreaker Session
09:40 AM – 10:40 AM	Young Caribbean Water Entrepreneurs Shark Tank Session & Round Table Discussion Youth & Gender
10:40 AM – 11:45 AM	Coffee Break
10:45 AM – 11:45 AM	Paper Session 2 Water Security & Climate Change II
11:45 PM – 12:25 PM	Paper Session 3 Resilience
12:25 PM – 12:30 PM	Closing of Day 2

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EVENT AGENDA

• DAY 3 • MARCH 25, 2021 •

09:00 AM – 09:10 AM

Greetings and Overview

Icebreaker session

09:10 AM – 10:10 AM

Paper Session 4
Public Health & Water Quality

10:10 AM – 10:20 AM

Coffee Break

10:20 AM – 11:00 AM

Presentations and Round Table Discussion
Wastewater Management

11:00 AM – 12:15 PM

Moderated Session
Time to take a regional approach to Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM)

12:15 AM – 12:30 PM

Wrap up Session
Closing Remarks and next steps GWP-C

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