

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY NPDES PERMIT WRITERS' COURSE



December 10 - 13, 2012
Arlington, Virginia



Course Location

Hilton Garden Inn
1333 North Courthouse Road
Arlington, Virginia

(Located near the Courthouse Metro stop on the Orange line)

Directions and list of amenities for the Hilton Garden Inn are available online at:

<http://hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/virginia/hilton-garden-inn-arlington-courthouse-plaza-DCAARGI/index.html>

Course Description

The objective of this course is to provide the basic regulatory framework and technical considerations that support the development of wastewater discharge permits required under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) program. The course was designed for permit writers with about six months to two years of experience in the NPDES program, but experienced permit writers wanting a refresher course and other water program staff wanting to learn more about the NPDES program also are welcome.



A course description and registration information are available at:

http://cfpub.epa.gov/npdes/outreach.cfm?program_id=0&otype=1

If you have any questions regarding the course, please contact Betty Peterson at:

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Course Schedule and Logistics

On-site check-in for confirmed registrants begins on **Monday, December 10, 2012, at 8:30 a.m.**, with the course beginning at **9:00 a.m.** The course concludes on **Thursday, December 13, 2012, at approximately 5:00 p.m.**

You will need a calculator for the practical exercises during the course.
Course materials will be distributed on the first day of the course.



Hotel Information

The Hilton Garden Inn is offering overnight rooms at the Federal government per diem rate. Currently this rate is \$183.00 plus 10% sales and occupancy taxes, but this rate will change on October 1. The cut-off date for the special rate is **November 19, 2012**. You may make reservations by calling the Hilton Garden Inn Central Reservations line at (877) 782-9444 (toll free) or (703) 807-4856 (direct) or booking online and referencing the "**USEPA NPDES Permit Writers' Course**" in order to receive the special rate. Maps and directions can be found at:
<http://hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/virginia/hilton-garden-inn-arlington-courthouse-plaza-DCAARGI/maps-directions/index.html>

PLEASE NOTE: Do not make non-refundable travel arrangements until you receive confirmation that your registration has been accepted. Final confirmation of accepted registrations will be sent by e-mail approximately six (6) weeks prior to the start of the course.