




SARNET (Pakistan) – 3rd INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE **CONSERVING BLUE DIAMONDS**

Creating Climate Resilience through Rainwater Conservation & Management

-  **Venue:** Expo Center, Lahore, Pakistan
-  **Date:** 23–24 September 2025
-  **Hybrid Format:** Physical & Virtual Participation

WHY THIS CONFERENCE?

By 2025, 1.8 billion people are expected to face absolute water scarcity, with Pakistan among the most water-stressed nations as well. This international gathering promotes Rainwater Harvesting (RWH) as a critical solution for climate resilience.

WHO IS ATTENDING / SHOULD ATTEND?

- Climate & Water Resource Experts from South Asia & Abroad
- Government Officials & Policymakers from Pakistan & South Asia
- University Researchers & Students
- Water Sector UN Agencies, INGOs, NGOs
- WASH, DRR & Environmental Practitioners
- Journalists & Sustainability Advocates

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- Plenary Sessions with global experts from South Asia, Africa, Europe
- Technical Papers & Best Practices on Rooftop & Surface RWH, Groundwater Recharge
- Policy Dialogues on National and Regional RWH Strategies
- Registration through weblink or direct invitation for best practices to be showcased
- RWH Demonstrations, Water Sector Expo Booths

REGISTRATION FEE





Category	Fee
Selected Speakers	Free
Students (Pakistan)	PKR 2,000
Students (International)	USD 10
Participants (Pakistan)	PKR 4,000
Participants (International – Virtual)	USD 30
Participants (International – In-person)	USD 100

 ***Fee Includes access to sessions, digital materials, certificates, and refreshments (on-site only).***

EXPECTED OUTCOMES


- ✓ Regional RWH Knowledge Exchange
- ✓ Recommendations for National RWH Policy
- ✓ Repository of Best Practices from Pakistan & Beyond
- ✓ Drafting of the “Pakistan National Rainwater Harvesting Report”

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

-  **Diamond Partner** – USD 10,000
-  **Gold Partner** – USD 8,000
-  **Silver Partner** – USD 5,000
-  **Bronze Partner** – USD 3,000

Visibility Includes: Logo placement on banners, brochures, media, digital platforms & conference kits.


CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

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