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Members' Info 15/2021 – Review Annual Congress, new representative

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

the 25th DCA Annual Congress last October in Bonn/Königswinter with more than 160 participants could be carried out successfully despite Corona restrictions. A first mood picture showed that many of you enjoyed the personal exchange on site among like-minded people and followed the interesting lectures as well as the workshops with great interest. In addition to the lectures on "Shaping the future - paradoxes of decision-making", the core of the event were the workshops on "Subsoil parameters" and "Drilling fluids and cuttings - disposal and recycling", which in the opinion of many participants produced good approaches for a lively discussion among the participants.

We would like to take this opportunity to once again express our sincere thanks to all speakers and workshop leaders for their commitment to our association's goals!

The "digital handout" of the congress documents, which was made available to all participants at the congress via link or Q-R code, is now also available to all members on the homepage in the members' area. In addition, the paper presentations and the slides presented in the workshops are also available as pdf's in the members' area.

François Gandard, Optimum, Representative for France

The Annual Congress also brought a new representative to the DCA. François Gandard from Optimum will represent the interests of the DCA in France and support Vice-President Atef Khemiri in his work. After Renzo Chirulli for Italy, Brian Jorgensen for Spain and Scott Stone for the UK, François Gandard is now the fourth representative of the DCA in Europe. The association would be pleased to welcome further persons in the circle of representatives, among others for the area of Eastern Europe, in the near future. If you are interested, please contact us!



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26th DCA Annual Congress 2022 will take place in the UK

The DCA Board has decided to hold the next annual congress in October 2022 in the British Isles, not least because of the large increase in membership in the UK. Currently, various alternatives are still being examined. As soon as a decision has been made, we will inform you immediately.

Sponsorship program

As mentioned previously DCA wants to reactivate the sponsorship award as sponsorship program both to connect universities throughout Europe and to encourage innovation in the HDD technique. In the meantime, one project has already been submitted, and another student is considering submitting a proposal as well. We would like to have more proposals in order to make a selection of the prospects. If you have contacts to a university, we would be pleased if you could draw their attention to our sponsorship program.

DCA Newsletter November 2021 issue

The editorial deadline for the next issue of the newsletter is November 15, 2021. We would be pleased if you would actively participate in the design of the next issue with contributions. You are also welcome to introduce your company.

Further training event according to GW329 on 09.12.2021 in Kassel

Last but not least, we would like to draw your attention to the further training event in accordance with GW329 on 09.12.2021 in Kassel, which will be held in cooperation with the brbv and the DVGW. The event will be held in the usual manner by DCA Vice President Marco Reinhard, from Leonhard Weiss GmbH & Co. KG. Please register at www.br bv.de.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Best regards

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