

2026 INAWWA Poster Competition – Call for Abstracts

Who? **Students** (*Undergraduate, Graduate*) & **Young Professionals**

What? Poster Competition! Posters should describe and showcase research or projects relevant to the drinking water industry and should include graphs, tables, photos, illustrations, and/or text to demonstrate research and/or results.

Participants must be in-person and should be able to present and summarize their posters to attendees in 5-10 minutes or less and be prepared to answer audience questions.

A judge/panel of judges will score the posters based on technical content, benefit to the drinking water industry, oral presentation and Q&A, and appearance/organization.

Top scoring poster(s) will be announced and honored during the INAWWA Annual Conference Awards Luncheon. Conference registration for the day will be covered for all participants. Mileage reimbursement is available on a limited basis for those who submit abstracts first.

Where? **INAWWA Annual Conference** (*Marriott Downtown, Indianapolis*) in the **Exhibit Hall**.

When? **Tuesday, March 24, 2026**, from **10:00-11:45am**.

Why? This is a unique opportunity to **showcase research, thesis, project work, network with hundreds of Industry professionals**, and **win cash prizes**. The 1st place winner will have the opportunity to compete at AWWA's national competition at ACE26 in Washington, DC from June 21-24. Hotel and transportation will be reimbursed up to \$1,000 or a reasonable amount.

How? **Submit an abstract** via this [Microsoft Forms Survey](#) on your project or research topic. The **deadline** to submit is **Friday, February 27, 2026**.

Questions? Reach out at indianaawwaiweapp@gmail.com