



Bridging Global Water Challenges with German Solutions

Meet German Water Partnership at IFAT Munich 2026



We are your Gateway to the German water sector

German Water Partnership (GWP) acts as a bridge to one of the world's most advanced and integrated water sectors. Our network brings together around 300 companies, utilities, research institutions and experts across the entire water value chain. We do not offer solutions ourselves—we connect you with those who do.

GWP supports international partners in identifying the right expertise, technologies and cooperation partners for their specific challenges.

We facilitate access, enable dialogue and help initiate sustainable partnerships.

KEY BENEFITS

~300

German water experts via one entry point

Access

to integrated solutions across the entire water cycle

Strong

network of industry, utilities and research

Trusted

platform for international cooperation

What we offer to international partners

We connect you to the German water sector and support you in building the right partnerships for your projects.

Partner Matchmaking



We identify and build bridges to the most suitable German companies, utilities and experts for your specific needs.

Access to the German Water Network



Gain direct access to a unique network covering the entire water value chain—from technology providers to utilities and research institutions.

International Exchange & Dialogue Formats



We create platforms for exchange between international decision-makers and German experts—online, on-site and through tailored formats.

Market Access & Business Development



We support international partners and German companies in exploring new markets, identifying opportunities and initiating cooperation.

Project Initiation & Partnership Building



We facilitate the development of partnerships between public and private actors—from initial contact to concrete collaboration.

Access to Proven Solutions



Through our members, we provide access to tested technologies, expertise and integrated solutions for global water challenges.

Access solutions through our network

At the GWP Joint Booth, you can connect with German partners offering practical, proven solutions across the entire water value chain—from infrastructure and utilities to advanced technologies and system integration.



Challenge #1
Cities and regions require reliable, efficient and future-proof water and wastewater systems

Water & Wastewater Infrastructure and Utilities

How GWP supports you

We connect you with experienced utilities, engineering firms and system integrators.

Solutions through our network

- › Planning, design and operation of water and wastewater systems
- › Sewer network management and rehabilitation
- › Integrated urban and regional water management

Selected expertise at the GWP Joint Booth

- › **HAMBURG WASSER:** large-scale utility with operational expertise
- › **Stadtentwässerung Dresden:** wastewater infrastructure and operation
- › **GKW Consult:** full project cycle consulting
- › **Tilia:** integrated infrastructure and sustainability solutions
- › **Roediger Vacuum:** flexible wastewater transport systems



Challenge #2 Industrial facilities need efficient, compliant and cost-effective water management

Industrial Water & Process Water Solutions

How GWP supports you We connect you with technology providers and engineers specialised in industrial applications.

Solutions through our network

- › Industrial wastewater treatment and reuse
- › Process water optimisation and system design
- › Cooling water and membrane systems

Selected expertise at the GWP Joint Booth

- › **DAS Environmental Experts:** industrial wastewater treatment systems
- › **MolAquaTech:** optimisation of industrial water processes
- › **Steinecker:** process solutions for industrial applications
- › **ARIS:** large-scale system solutions for industry
- › **decon international:** disinfection and water hygiene solutions

Smart Monitoring, Digitalisation & Efficiency

How GWP supports you We connect you with companies providing advanced monitoring, automation and optimisation technologies.

Solutions through our network

- › Measurement and automation technology
- › Water quality monitoring and analytics
- › Digital optimisation and predictive maintenance

Selected expertise at the GWP Joint Booth

- › **Endress+Hauser:** measurement and automation systems
- › **Water-i.d.:** water quality monitoring solutions
- › **AERZEN:** energy-efficient systems with digital optimisation
- › **SEWERIN:** leak detection and network monitoring

Challenge #3 Utilities and operators need better data, transparency and efficiency





Challenge #4
Projects often require strong coordination, funding and institutional support

Advisory, Project Facilitation & Funding

How GWP supports you

We connect you with organisations supporting project development, financing and cooperation.

Solutions through our network

- › Project structuring and advisory
- › Access to funding programmes
- › Support for international cooperation

Selected expertise at the GWP Joint Booth

- › **AWE:** development cooperation and investment support
- › **ZUG:** project management and funding programmes
- › **Export Initiative Environmental Protection (EXI):** international project support
- › **Deutsche Wasser International:** international water project consulting and partnerships
- › **Irriport:** irrigation planning and agricultural water solutions



Challenge #5

Emerging pollutants, climate change and new regulatory requirements demand innovation

Innovation, Research & Future Technologies

How GWP supports you We connect you with leading research institutions and innovation partners.

Solutions through our network

- › Advanced treatment technologies
- › Plasma-based water treatment
- › Applied research and testing

Selected expertise at the GWP Joint Booth

- › **INP Greifswald:** plasma-based water treatment
- › **TH OWL:** applied research in water management
- › **WASA:** international research collaboration

Decentralised & Modular Solutions

How GWP supports you We connect you with providers of modular, mobile and decentralised systems.

Solutions through our network

- › Containerised wastewater treatment plants
- › Modular and mobile systems
- › Flexible deployment concepts

Selected expertise at the GWP Joint Booth

- › **PPU Umwelttechnik:** modular wastewater treatment (ClearFox®)



Challenge #6

Remote areas and fast-growing regions need flexible and scalable solutions



Challenge #7
Aging infrastructure leads to water losses, inefficiencies and high maintenance costs

Networks, Pipes & Infrastructure Maintenance

How GWP supports you We connect you with specialised companies in inspection, rehabilitation and cleaning.

- Solutions through our network**
- › Leak detection and loss reduction
 - › Trenchless rehabilitation technologies
 - › Pipe cleaning and maintenance

Selected expertise at the GWP Joint Booth

- › **Reline Europe:** trenchless pipe rehabilitation
- › **Hammann | Complex®:** pipe cleaning technologies
- › **LIPP:** tank solutions for water storage infrastructure
- › **IKT:** independent testing and research on sewer systems

Meet selected partners from our network

German Water Partnership connects you with leading organisations from across the German water sector. At the GWP Joint Booth, you can meet a curated selection of partners representing utilities, engineering, technology and research.

UTILITIES & PUBLIC OPERATORS



HAMBURG WASSER

One of Germany's largest public utilities, providing water and wastewater services to over 2 million people. Offers extensive experience in utility operations, international projects, consulting and international partnerships.



Stadtentwässerung Dresden

Operator of a large wastewater network and treatment infrastructure, with expertise in planning, operation, international projects, and environmental services for urban regions.

ENGINEERING & CONSULTING



GKW Consult

International engineering consultancy covering the full project cycle—from feasibility studies to implementation and operation in water and wastewater projects.



Tilia

Develops integrated solutions across water, energy and infrastructure using a systemic and multidisciplinary approach.



MolAquaTech

Specialised in optimising industrial and municipal water systems, focusing on efficiency, sustainability and cost reduction.



Agentur für Wirtschaft und Entwicklung (AWE)

Supports international investments and cooperation projects, particularly in emerging and developing markets.



Export Initiative Environmental Protection (EXI) / Zukunft-Umwelt – Gesellschaft (ZUG) gGmbH

Project management agency supporting environmental, climate and Green- & CleanTech-related programmes and funding initiatives.



Irriport

Providing consulting and master planning for agricultural irrigation, and regulatory expertise to increase irrigation efficiency and sustainable water management for water associations and governments.



Deutsche Wasser International

International consultancy supporting water and wastewater projects across the full cycle, with a focus on utility partnerships and sustainable infrastructure.



decon international

International engineering, consulting and advisory supporting energy, water and smart city projects for governments, utilities and private investors worldwide.

INFRASTRUCTURE & NETWORK SOLUTIONS



RELINE
UV TECHNOLOGY

Reline Europe

Global leader in trenchless pipeline rehabilitation technologies, offering efficient and sustainable solutions for infrastructure renewal.



comprex
Powered by Hammann

Hammann | Comprex®

Innovative pipe cleaning technology using air-water pulses, significantly reducing water consumption and downtime.



SEWERIN
Protecting Water, Gas and Life.

SEWERIN

Provides advanced leak detection systems and technologies for reducing water losses in distribution networks.

MODULAR & DECENTRALISED SOLUTIONS



PPU
water systems

PPU Umwelttechnik (ClearFox®)

Provides modular and containerised wastewater treatment systems for decentralised and flexible applications worldwide.

TECHNOLOGY PROVIDERS



AERZEN

Leading provider of high-efficiency blower technologies for wastewater treatment, including digital optimisation and energy efficiency solutions.



Environmental Experts.

DAS Environmental Experts

Offers turnkey solutions for industrial wastewater treatment, from planning to operation and optimisation.



Endress+Hauser

Endress+Hauser

Global leader in measurement and automation technology, enabling reliable monitoring and control of water processes.



Water-i.d.

Specialist in water quality monitoring technologies, combining modern digital tools with established testing methods.



ARIS

Provides tailor-made system solutions for water management, including storage, pumping and control technologies.



LIPP

Provides high-quality and resource-efficient tank solutions for water storage, with fast on-site installation for municipal and industrial applications.



Steinecker

Delivers process technology and engineering solutions for industrial applications, with strong expertise in water-intensive production processes.



Roediger Vacuum

Offers innovative vacuum systems for efficient and flexible wastewater transport in complex environments.

RESEARCH & INNOVATION



INP Greifswald

Leading research institute developing plasma-based technologies for advanced water treatment.



TH OWL – University of Applied Sciences

Applied research in sustainable water management, combining engineering, environmental science and digital technologies.



WASA Water Security in Africa

Joint research programme on sustainable water solutions and climate-focused collaboration in Southern Africa.



IKT – Institute for Underground Infrastructure

Independent, not-for-profit engineering research institute specialising in sewerage and urban drainage networks.



Explore the full GWP network
Scan the QR code to discover all member organisations and their solutions.

MORE
ABOUT US



How to connect with us at IFAT

Visit the GWP Joint Booth to meet partners, explore solutions and start new collaborations.

What you can do:

- › Meet German companies, utilities and experts
- › Join discussions on global water challenges in our Speakers Corner
- › Explore cooperation opportunities
- › Connect with international stakeholders

For international delegations:

We organise guided booth tours and facilitate targeted meetings with relevant partners.

- ▶ Contact us to arrange your individual programme.



Impressions IFAT 2024





Start at the GWP INFO DESK, we will connect you with the right partners.

Start the conversation

Looking for the right partners or solutions? We help you connect.

Visit us GWP Joint Booth, Hall B2, Booth 227, IFAT Munich

Talk to our team Get matched with relevant partners on site

Contact us Scan the QR code to get in touch



From first contact to collaboration

GWP supports you beyond IFAT in building partnerships with the German water sector. We facilitate:

- › Follow-up meetings with relevant partners
- › Delegation visits and exchange formats
- › Dialogue between public and private stakeholders
- › Initiation of cooperation and joint activities
- ▶ Let's turn contacts into collaboration.



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