

# SIWI AT THE 6TH WORLD WATER FORUM

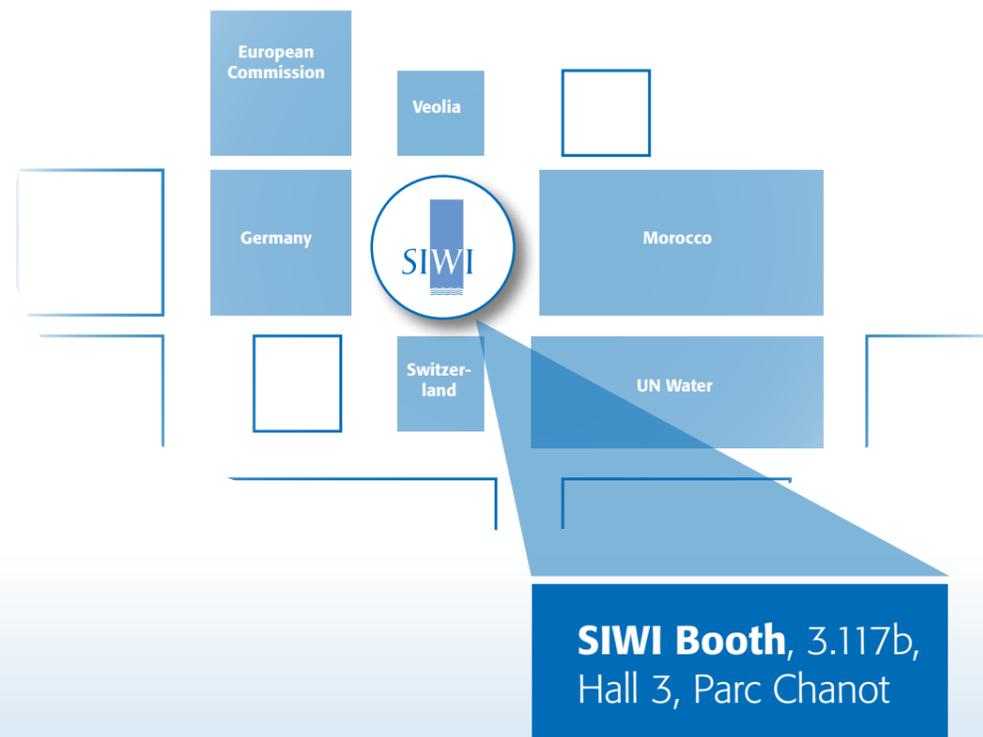
## Report launch: "Land Acquisitions: How Will They Impact Transboundary Waters?"

A new report by SIWI warns that political tensions over transboundary water resources could potentially follow the recent surge in large scale investments in foreign land. The report "Land Acquisitions: How Will They Impact Transboundary Waters?" will be launched in the SIWI booth, **Wednesday March 14, 16.00**. The authors will be present.



## Meet SIWI – come and visit us in our booth!

You will find us in **Hall 3, Parc Chanot, booth number 3.117b**. Here you will be able to meet with SIWI representatives, learn more about our work, and find publications on a wide range of water related issues. Welcome!



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## Press Kit



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## Press contacts

If you want to arrange an interview with a SIWI expert, need help finding water related facts or want to find out more about SIWI, let us know – we are happy to assist!



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# Press resources to help report on water issues

## High resolution photos

Access photos on different water related topics, free to republish with credit given to SIWI.

► SIWI flickr account: [www.flickr.com/photos/51218237@N08/sets/](http://www.flickr.com/photos/51218237@N08/sets/)

## Story ideas

Water is culture, science, politics and big business. Whatever journalistic beat you are covering, there is an aspect of water that fits. Browse our story ideas for inspiration!

► [www.siwi.org/storyideas](http://www.siwi.org/storyideas)

## Facts and statistics

Access statistics and facts on water, browse our thematic and regional backgrounders, and download maps and graphics.

► [www.worldwaterweek.org/facts](http://www.worldwaterweek.org/facts)

## Stay updated with SIWI

Make sure you get our press releases, the latest news on water research, and updates on SIWI and World Water Week activities. Join our mailing list or follow us on *Facebook* or *Twitter*.

► [www.siwi.org/sns](http://www.siwi.org/sns)



## About Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI)

The Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI) is a policy institute that seeks sustainable solutions to the world's escalating water crisis. SIWI manages projects, synthesises research and publishes findings and recommendations on current and future water, environment, governance and human development issues.

SIWI serves as a platform for knowledge sharing and networking between the scientific, business, policy and civil society communities. SIWI builds professional capacity and understanding of the links between water-society-environment-economy. [www.siwi.org](http://www.siwi.org)

## About the World Water Week in Stockholm

The World Water Week in Stockholm is the annual meeting place for the planet's most urgent water-related issues. Organised by the Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI), it brings together 2,500 experts, practitioners, decision makers and business innovators from around the globe to exchange ideas, foster new thinking and develop solutions.

Each year 200 collaborating organisations and over 100 media representatives gather in Stockholm for the World Water Week. Join us – press registration opens in May.

[www.worldwaterweek.org](http://www.worldwaterweek.org)

## SIWI EXPERTS AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEWS



### Mr. Per Bertilsson, Acting Executive Director

Mr. Bertilsson, a civil engineer by training, has worked within environmental project management for more than 25 years. He is available to talk about natural resources, environmental and infrastructure management, as well as institutional development, capacity building and policy formulation.

► Speaks Swedish and English



### Mr. Jens Berggren, Director, World Water Week and Prizes

Mr. Berggren is a water resources and sanitation generalist with background in international development cooperation. He has worked extensively with both policy and implementation within the fields of environment and climate change in Africa, Asia and Latin America. He is available to talk on the World Water Week in Stockholm, water and urbanisation, sanitation, governance, gender, climate change and energy issues.

► Speaks Swedish, English and Spanish



### Dr. Bogachan Benli, Programme Manager, Every Drop Matters

Dr Benli is the Global Programme Manager of the Every Drop Matters programme, a partnership between The Coca Cola Company and UNDP. He has a research background in irrigation and scarcity management, and has worked throughout Central Europe and the Middle East. He is available to talk on knowledge management, programme implementation, agriculture and irrigation.

► Speaks Turkish and English



### Dr. Ana Cascão, Programme Manager, Capacity Building

Dr. Cascão is political scientist with an expertise in hydro-politics, with a focus on the Nile basin and the Middle East and North Africa region. She is available to talk about transboundary cooperation, international negotiations and institutional capacity building.

► Speaks Portuguese, Spanish and English



### Dr. Anders Jägerskog, Director, Knowledge Services

Dr. Jägerskog is an expert in cooperation over shared water and related topics such as water-related security and development in the Middle East and Africa. He is available to discuss water, security, conflict resolution and basin issues.

► Speaks Swedish and English



### Ms. Karin Lexén, Director, Swedish Water House

Ms. Karin Lexén has been working with global environmental issues both in Sweden and internationally for more than 20 years. She is available to talk on climate change and Swedish stakeholder perspectives.

► Speaks Swedish and English



### Prof. Jan Lundqvist, Senior Scientific Advisor and Chair of the Scientific Programme Committee

Prof. Lundqvist is a globally renowned academic researcher and water expert. Prof. Lundqvist has studied the close links between society and natural resources, focusing on the food, water, land-use and policy nexus. He is available to discuss water and food issues, biofuels and other ecosystem trade-offs.

► Speaks Swedish and English



### Ms. Birgitta Liss Lymer, Programme Manager, EUWI-AWG

Ms. Liss Lymer manages the UNDP/SIWI support to the European Water Initiative - Africa Working Group. She has experience in the field of water management from both Africa and Asia, ranging from water and sanitation to coastal management and fisheries. She is available to speak on aid effectiveness in an Africa context.

► Speaks Swedish, English and French



### Mr. Alastair Morrison, Programme Manager, UNDP Water Governance Facility at SIWI

Mr. Morrison has extensive expertise in working with water management, infrastructure planning, disaster, flood and coastal zone management throughout Africa, Asia and Europe. He is available to discuss water, sanitation and health issues, humanitarian and disaster recovery operation and climate adaptation.

► Speaks English and French



### Dr. Håkan Tropp, Director, UNDP Water Governance Facility at SIWI

Dr. Tropp's areas of expertise are water governance, reform, implementation, financing and NGO involvement in urban environmental issues. He is available to discuss water, economics, governance and gender issues.

► Speaks Swedish and English



### Ms. Katarina Veem, Programme Manager, Swedish Water House

Ms. Veem has extensive experience in environmental policy and management. Prior to joining SIWI, Ms Veem worked for the Swedish Ministry of Environment, WWF Sweden and Baltic Sea 2020. She is available to talk on marine and coastal issues, and the Baltic Sea.

► Speaks Swedish, English and Estonian

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