



Our MISSION

To meaningfully and significantly participate in the creation, definition, promotion, and implementation of the Georgia Environmental Conference's diverse slate of Topics and featured Speakers - focusing on providing Fresh, New, High Value, Well-balanced, Diverse, and Relevant educational content with a **positive impact** on **current and future** practitioners and the environment of Georgia and the Southeast region, while embracing a strong commitment to fostering significant

connections among Attendees, Speakers, Sponsors and Exhibitors.



Current Conference Portfolio





Georgia Environmental Conference Jekyll Island, GA August 20-22, 2025 & August 19-21, 2026 Tennessee Environmental Network
Show of the South
Chattanooga, TN
May 14-16, 2025 & May 13-15, 2026

Is there another State that could use one of these inclusive and diverse conferences...?

North Carolina, maybe... an existing organization's?

2024 STATS

Environmental Priorities (Top 3 per Attendee, 2,328 Responses)

Brownfields/Remediation	9.0%	Environmental Justice	2.5%
Contamination/Emerging Contaminants	8.2%	Endangered Species	2.2%
Regulations/Permitting	7.7%	Land Use/Preservation	2.1%
Water-Groundwater	5.5%	Transportation	2.1%
Sustainability	4.8%	Waste-Solid	1.9%
Waste-Hazardous	4.2%	Agriculture	1.5%
Water-Quality	4.1%	Water-Conservation/Management	1.5%
Wetlands	4.1%	Wildlife	1.5%
Air Quality	4.0%	Recycling	1.5%
Climate Change	4.0%	Buildings	1.4%
Energy-Renewable	3.8%	Energy-Conservation and Efficiency	1.3%
Waste-Management	3.8%	Cultural Resources	1.2%
Development/Site Selection	3.7%	Energy-Alternative	1.1%
Water-Wastewater	3.4%	Water-Quantity	1.1%
Water-Storm water	3.2%	Forestry	0.6%
Coastal	2.6%	Alternative Transportation/Fuels	0.4%

Student Scholarship / Golf

Student Scholarship Program – Sponsored by Georgia Brownfield Association

- Provides an opportunity to Present Research, Network w/ environmental professionals, and Seek a JOB
- Two Finalists per level Undergraduate, Graduate, and Doctoral
- Student finalists present in an Early Session and display their "posters" in the Exhibit Hall during Conference
- \$1,500 scholarships awarded to Winners and \$250 to Runners Up, per level during Thursday Lunch
- Student finalists receive complimentary full conference registration and hotel accommodations
- Funded in part by the Golf Tournament, Attendee and SC Contributions
- Scholarship Committee forming now Pre-conference scoring, during conference scoring – email Scott Anderson with your interest
- College/university faculty contacts are needed for outreach to promote applications

Student Scholarship Golf Tournament

+ Putt Putt Tournament

Tuesday, August 19, 2025, at Jekyll Island Golf Courses

- Provides supplemental funding for scholarship program and awards
- Sponsorships, raffle prizes, and volunteers are needed email Jill with your interest



2024 Champion Rich Glaze

2025 "Organizational Partnerships"

GOAL: 10 Additional GEC "Regular" Attendees each

IGEL via Dan Grogan?

Evening Reception

Georgia Brownfield Association via Len Diprima & Andrea Rimer Brogdon?

Silver Sponsor

Sponsor of Student Scholarship Program / Member of Scholarship Committee

Sponsor of Brownfield Track

Energy Matters via PSC Tim Echols

Podcast Interview Station (16 segments)
Putting Contest at Golf Tournament

Georgia Association of Environmental Professionals via Lauren Schramm

Organization meeting / Speed Networking during Early Session

Georgia Tech via Nicole Stuhr

Technology Breakouts, Hands-on Demonstrations



