



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The 4th IWA International Conference on Rainwater Harvesting and Management (RWHM 2026)

 **Theme:** *Rainwater for Tomorrow: Water, Climate and Culture*

 Phnom Penh & Siem Reap, Cambodia

 1–6 September 2026

 <https://www.rwhm2026.org>

1. Program Overview

The RWHM 2026 Program is designed to provide a balanced integration of science, practice, policy, and community engagement, reflecting the conference vision of connecting **Water – Climate – Culture**.

The program combines:

- Scientific exchange and academic sessions
- Practice-oriented learning and case sharing
- Policy dialogue and international collaboration
- Field-based experience and cultural understanding

This structure ensures that participants engage not only with research, but also with real-world applications and local contexts, particularly from Monsoon-influenced regions.

2. Overall Structure

The conference is organized into two main components:

Days 1–4: Conference & Knowledge Exchange (Phnom Penh)

- Plenary sessions and keynote speeches
- Parallel technical and thematic sessions
- Panel discussions and policy dialogues

- Workshops and special sessions
- Poster presentations and exhibitions
- Networking events and collaboration activities


Days 5–6: Technical & Cultural Tour (Siem Reap – Angkor Region)

- Field visits to water systems and community practices
- Demonstration of rainwater harvesting applications
- Cultural and heritage learning experiences
- Informal knowledge exchange and networking

This structure reflects the conference’s commitment to linking theory with practice, and global knowledge with local experience.

For detailed day-to-day program information, please refer to our website.

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