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# 2022 DREDGING SUMMIT & EXPO

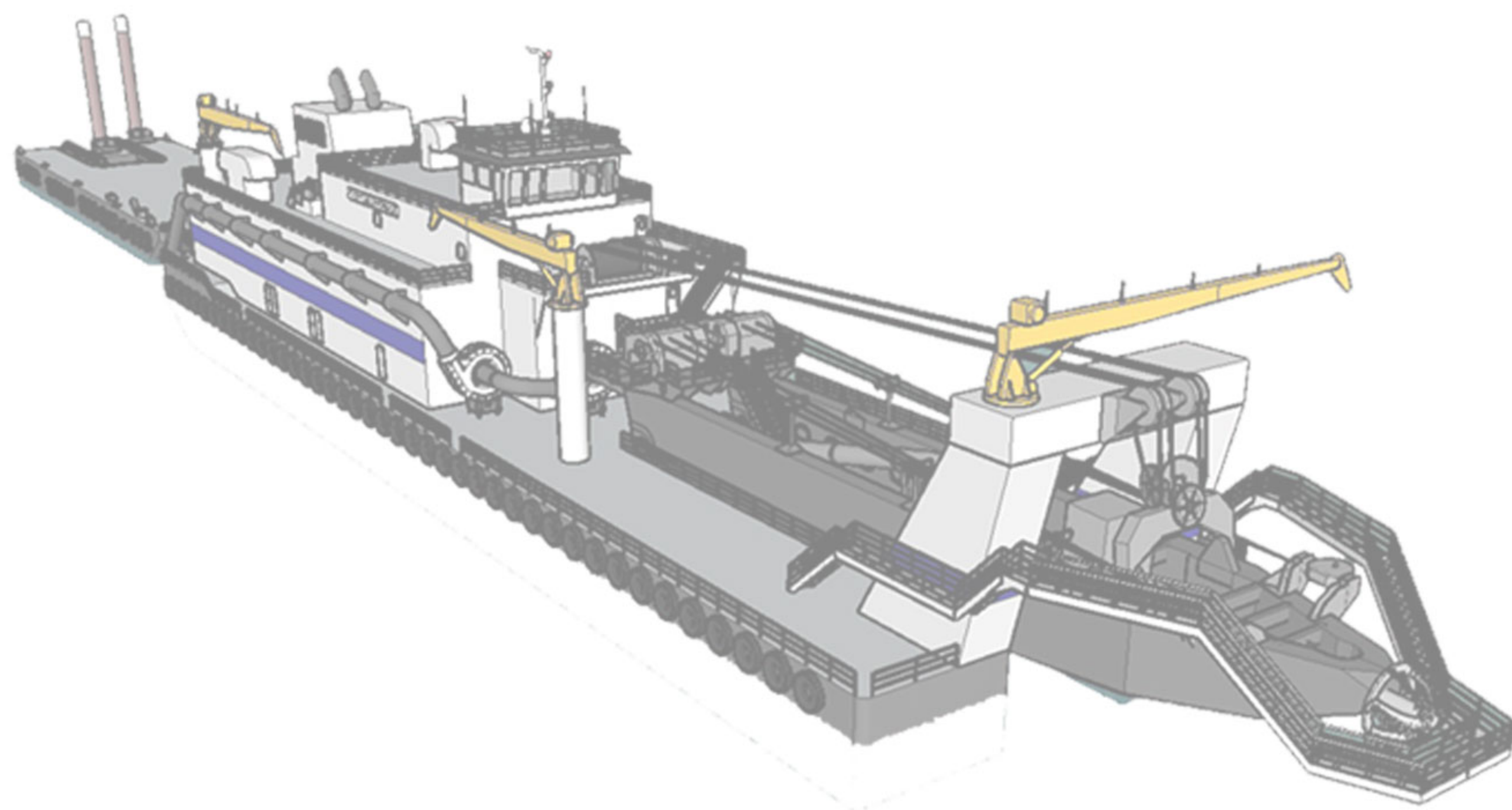
*Building the Future of Dredging*

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## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Abstracts are due by February 11. 2022

JULY 25-28, 2022 | HOUSTON, TX, USA



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## ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Western Dredging Association (WEDA) will host its 2022 Dredging Summit and Expo at the new Marriott Marquis in downtown Houston, TX, from July 25-28, 2022. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us for the largest and most valued dredging conference in the Western Hemisphere.

The Dredging Summit & Expo is a technical conference and exposition organized by WEDA to promote the exchange of knowledge in fields related to dredging, navigation, marine engineering, and construction. The meeting provides a forum for improving communications, technology transfer, and cooperation among associations & societies while emphasizing the importance of understanding and developing solutions for problems related to the protection and enhancement of the marine environment.

## WHO WILL ATTEND?

The Dredging Summit & Expo '22 will bring together expert representatives of manufacturers, universities, research institutes, consultants, public authorities, and contractors working in the dredging, navigation, coastal and inland flood protection, deep-sea mining, offshore wind energy, oil and gas production fields, and providers of a broad range of services such as brokers, insurers, financiers, lawyers, and many more.

## SPONSORSHIPS

Sponsoring WEDA's Dredging Summit & Expo will position your organization to maximize its exposure and increase your name recognition and credibility among WEDA members and conference attendees. Early sponsorships will maximize your company's exposure, receiving recognition in emails, magazine ads, the Dredging Summit & Expo website and WEDA's mobile application. Early sponsors will have first selection of expo booth locations. For sponsorship packages, contact WEDA's Executive Director, Tom Cappellino at [info@WesternDredging.org](mailto:info@WesternDredging.org).

## EXHIBITORS

Exhibitor information is being updated on WEDA's Dredging Summit & Expo website. [www.Dredging-Expo.com](http://www.Dredging-Expo.com) For early sponsorship / exhibitor packages, contact Tom Cappellino at [info@WesternDredging.org](mailto:info@WesternDredging.org) | 949.422.8231

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## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

We are pleased to make the First Call for Abstracts Papers for the 2022 Dredging Summit & Expo. The technical sessions at WEDA's annual Dredging Summit and Expo are the premier venue to discuss the science and practice of dredging. WEDA publishes the meeting's proceedings and presentations for the membership to share and to further knowledge exchange in our industry. Interested authors and presenters are invited to submit abstracts online at [www.WEDA2022.exordo.com](http://www.WEDA2022.exordo.com).

The theme for this year's conference is "*Building the Future of Dredging*". The presentations featured at this conference are technical papers to be shared for the advancement of the science and profession of dredging, navigation and marine engineering. The plenary sessions are not meant to provide a forum for promoting commercialized information.

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### Papers - (oral presentations)

Peer-review papers will be included in the Conference Proceedings. Preference is given to full paper submissions. Draft manuscripts are due March 28, 2022. For full consideration, abstracts must include information on the study/project background, objectives, conclusions and implications.

### Extended Abstracts - (oral presentation)

The conference will accept a limited number of presentations based on peer-review of an extended abstract and presentation materials. The extended abstract and the presentation are due March 28, 2022. Abstracts must include information on the study/project background, objectives, conclusions and implications.

### Panels

Panel sessions are 100 minutes in length with at least 4 panelists contributing to the session theme. Each panel member will contribute to an interactive discussion during the last 20 minutes. Proposed panels are required to submit and abstract that identifies the panelists, specific topics to be discussed, and a summary of the overall topic and important discussion points. Panelists will also submit either a full papers or extended abstract by March 28, 2022.

## IMPORTANT DEADLINES

### Abstracts Deadline

Notification of Acceptance

Draft papers or ext. abstracts with presentations are due

Reviewer Comments to Authors

Final papers and ext. abstracts are to be submitted

**February 11, 2022**

February 25, 2022

March 28, 2022

April 29, 2022

May 27, 2022

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