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INDUSTRY NEWS

Layfield USA Completes the Two CSPE Lined Reservoirs with 550 Million Litres of Potable Water Capacity

<https://www.layfieldgroup.com/Geosynthetics/Project-Profiles/Layfield-USA-completes-the-two-CSPE-reservoirs-with-146-million-gallons-of-drinking-water-capacity.aspx>

EPA Releases New Interim Guidance on Interim Storage, Destroying and Disposing of Certain PFAS-Containing Materials (for Public Comment)

Comments must be received on or February 22, 2021.

<https://beta.regulations.gov/document/EPA-HQ-OLEM-2020-0527-0003>

<https://downloads.regulations.gov/EPA-HQ-OLEM-2020-0527-0003/content.pdf>

Professor at UTS says Geotextiles Can Protect Buildings from Large Fault Ruptures

<https://phys.org/news/2021-02-polymers-large-fault-ruptures.html>

Tensor Unveils Next Generation of the Leading Geosynthetic Design Software

<http://metroatlantaceo.com/news/2021/02/tensor-unveils-next-generation-leading-geosynthetic-design-software/>

- **Geosynthetics Virtual Conference 2021 features engaging Featured Sessions that you won't want to miss:**
- Ethics for Professionals–The Process and What to Expect, David Williams Ph.D., PE
- Being an Expert Witness–The Process and What to Expect, David Williams Ph.D., PE

<https://geosyntheticsconference.com/>

The Influence of Damage to the Geomembrane Layer on the Seepage Pattern and Discharge at the Homogeneous Embankment Dam

<https://civense.ub.ac.id/index.php/civense/article/view/92>

Impact of Bottom Ash Co-disposed with Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) on Geotextile Clogging in Landfills

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0048969721008111#!>

Experimental Study on Interface Friction Between GCL and Geomembrane Under Different Hydration Conditions

https://www.e3s-conferences.org/articles/e3sconf/pdf/2021/13/e3sconf_arfee2021_03030.pdf

GEOTEXTILE DEWATERING

City of London Relies on Strength and Durability of Geotube® Containers for Award-Winning Ash Dewatering Solution

<https://bishopwater.ca/city-of-london-relies-on-strength-and-durability-of-geotube-containers-for-award-winning-ash-dewatering-solution/>

Ocean City Plans More Geo-tubes to Protect Beaches

<https://ocnjdaily.com/ocean-city-plans-geotubes-protect-beaches/>

Geofabrics Targets Tailings and Mine Waste With Geosynthetic Solutions

<https://geofabrics.test.symphony3.com/mining-solutions/tailings-and-waste>

Maldives-Based Company Using Geotextile Containers for Beach and Reef Restoration

<https://reefscapers.com/projects/>

UPCOMING EVENTS

Filtration and Drainage Performance of Geosynthetics in Changing Climate Conditions (Feb. 25, 2021)

Moderators: Eric Blond, Eric Blond Consultant and Pietro Rimoldi, Consultant, on behalf of the Technical Committee on Hydraulics of the IGS

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- To enhance the knowledge and awareness of contemporary geosynthetic technologies amongst specifiers, users and installers.

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