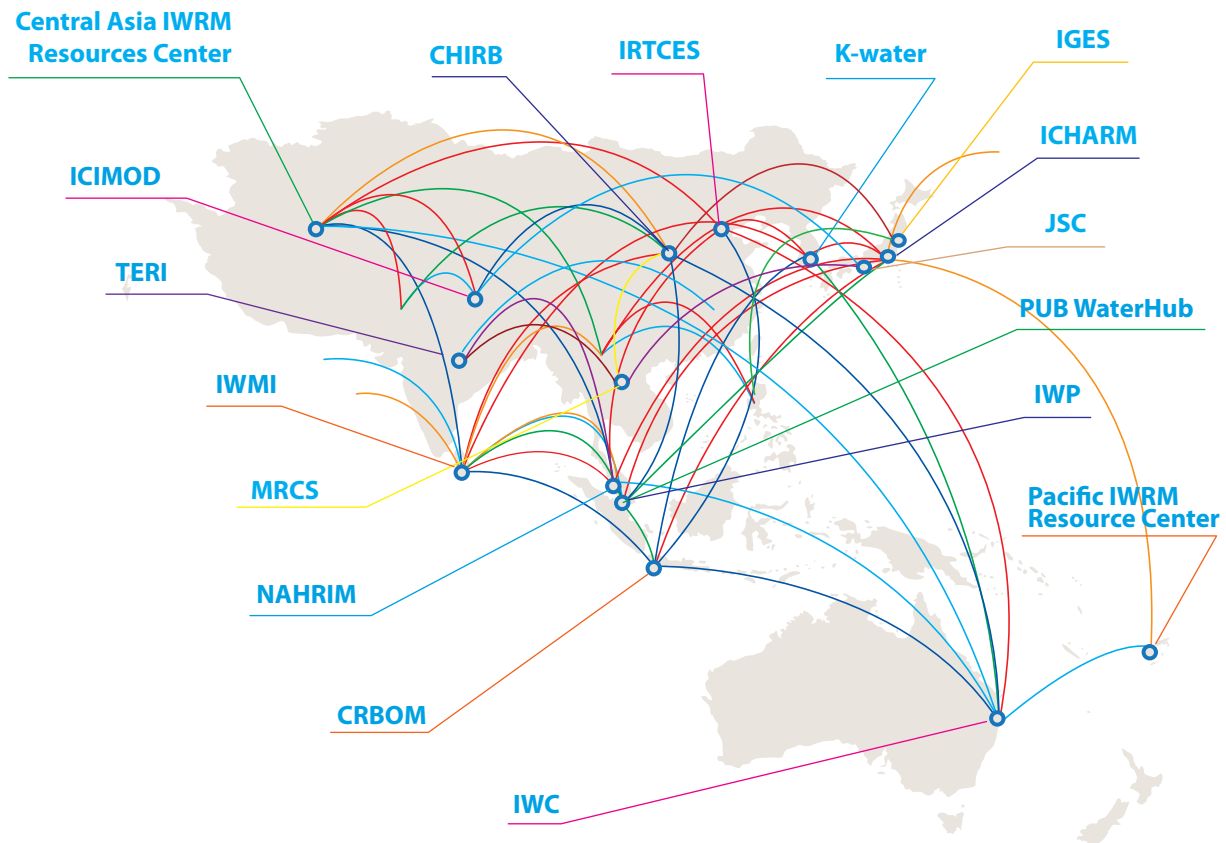


Overview of Regional Water Knowledge Hubs as of July 2009



Confirmed Hubs

- **Urban Water Management:** PUB WaterHub, Singapore www.pub.gov.sg
- **Disaster Risk Reduction and Flood Management:** International Centre for Water Hazard and Risk Management (ICHARM), Japan www.icharm.pwri.go.jp
- **Water and Climate Change Adaptation in Southeast Asia:** National Hydraulic Research Institute of Malaysia (NAHRIM), Malaysia www.nahrim.gov.my
- **River Basin Organizations and Management:** Center for River Basin Organizations and Management (CRBOM), Indonesia www.crbom.go.id
- **Water Quality Management in River Basins:** K-water, Republic of Korea <http://english.kwater.or.kr>
- **Decision Support Systems for River Basin Management (Hydroinformatics):** Center for Hydroinformatics in River Basins (CHIRB), People's Republic of China www.yellowriver.gov.cn/eng
- **Water Governance:** Institute of Water Policy (IWP), Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy (LKYSPP), Singapore www.spp.nus.edu.sg
- **Irrigation Service Reform:** International Water Management Institute (IWMI), Sri Lanka www.iwmi.org

- **Integrated Water Resources Management in Central Asia:** Central Asia IWRM Resource Center, Uzbekistan <http://sic.icwc-aral.uz>
- **Integrated Water Resources Management in the Pacific:** Pacific IWRM Resource Centre, Fiji Islands www.pacificwater.org
- **Erosion and Sedimentation in River Basins:** International Research and Training Center on Erosion and Sedimentation (IRTCES), People's Republic of China www.irtces.org
- **Healthy Rivers and Aquatic Ecosystems:** International WaterCentre (IWC), Australia www.watercentre.org
- **Water Resources Management in Mountainous Areas:** International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD), Nepal www.icimod.org
- **Groundwater Management:** Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES), Japan www.iges.or.jp/en
- **Transboundary Water Resources Management:** Mekong River Commission Secretariat (MRC), Lao People's Democratic Republic www.mrcmekong.org
- **Water and Climate Change Adaptation in South Asia:** The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI), India www.teriin.org
- **Sanitation:** Japan Sanitation Consortium being formed by the Japan Environmental Sanitation Center, the Japan Sewage Works Association, the Sewerage Business Management Center, and the Japan Educational Center of Environmental Sanitation www.sbm.or.jp/english

Candidate Hubs

APWF *KnowledgeHubs* facilitates regional knowledge networking among the hubs and their clients and partners. All water organizations in the region are encouraged to join the hubs' knowledge networks as partners and clients, and thereby benefit from better knowledge and contribute their own experience to initiatives around the region. Organizations can become hubs through a peer-review process that considers the relevance of their proposed topic, their expertise, and their leadership and capacity in their knowledge domain. Candidate hubs are presently being considered for the following important topics:

- **Water Supply for Rural Areas and Small Towns:** Candidate hub to be identified
- **Water and Energy:** Candidate hub to be identified
- **Watershed Management:** Candidate hub to be identified
- **Coastal Zone Management:** Candidate hub to be identified

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