



WASH SYSTEMS academy

Building strong WASH systems together

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Introducing the WASH Systems Academy

- What is it?
- Join us. Opportunities for you



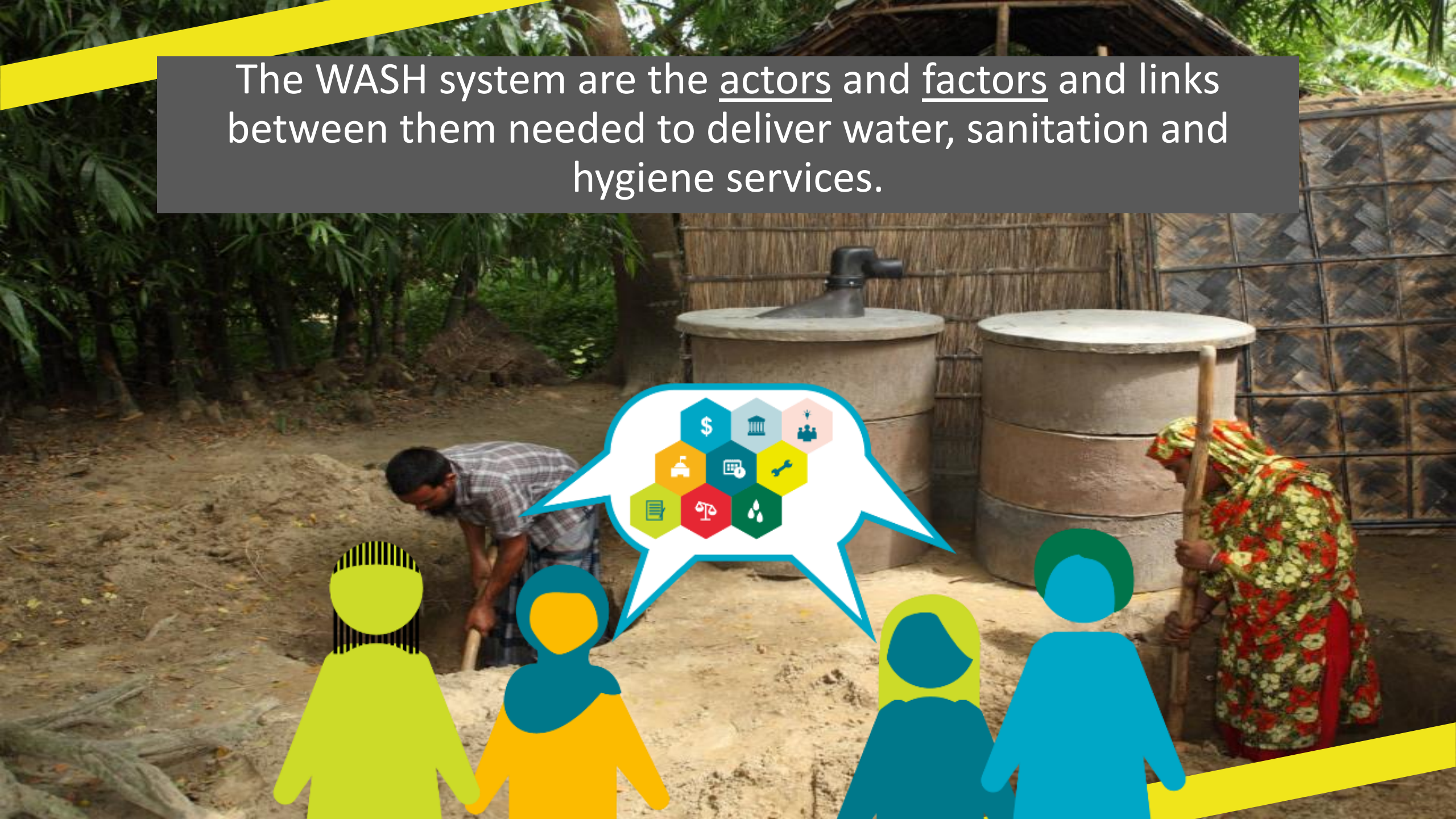
The image features a central text overlay on a background of overlapping, semi-transparent geometric shapes. The shapes include a large teal shape on the left, a yellow shape at the top, a light green shape at the top right, a light pink shape on the right, and a yellow shape at the bottom. The text is centered and reads "Building strong systems together" in a white, sans-serif font.

**Building strong
systems together**



**What made it possible for you to use
the toilet today?**

The WASH system are the actors and factors and links between them needed to deliver water, sanitation and hygiene services.





WASH SYSTEMS
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What is it?



The learning platform for water, sanitation and hygiene systems strengthening

Launched in September 2019

7000+

total
registered
users

From

125

countries

95%

of users
recommend our
courses



85%

of users found opportunities to use course
content in their work within 6 months



8 or 16 hour
basic course



Location of WASH Systems Academy users, February 2022

Key features



Connect with others



Available on your phone, laptop even offline



Listen to podcast & animations




Learn from 50+ global contexts



Use it as part of workshop & on the job support



Earn a certificate



**Opportunities
for you**

Free courses available

Basic and specialist courses

- WASH system strengthening (Eng, Fr)
- The building blocks of sustainable WASH systems
- Finance for sustainable WASH systems
- Costing sustainable water services (Eng, Fr)
- Advocating for universal WASH services
- Fundraising for NGOs and CSOs
- Market-Based Sanitation (Eng, Fr)
- District planning for sustainable water and sanitation services
- Social art for behaviour change (Eng, Fr, Sp)

Custom-made courses

- Regions: Ethiopia, Rwanda, Uganda, Ghana
- Contexts: Fragile States, West-Africa

In development

- Driving change for universal water, sanitation and hygiene services
- WASH system strengthening in Spanish, Afan Oromo, and Amharic
- WASH system strengthening for Asia and the Pacific (English, Russian)
- The building blocks of sustainable WASH systems in French
- Finance for sustainable WASH systems in French

Offering multiple modalities to suit different needs

MASSIVE OPEN ONLINE COURSE (MOOC)

- Open access
- 4-16 hour MOOC
- Free
- Self-paced
- Self-guided
- Support via email



MOOC WITH STRUCTURED SUPPORT

- Closed group
- 4-16 hour MOOC
- Live webinars/
virtual workshops
- Adapted content
- Group work
- WhatsApp group



BLENDED LEARNING

- Closed group
- 4-16 hour MOOC
- 1-5-day face-to-face
training workshop
- Adapted content
- Group work
- WhatsApp group



Be a part of
the solution
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2. Create your own account. Please confirm your account with the confirmation e-mail that is sent to the e-mail address with which you registered.
3. Select any of our free courses. Start anytime, anywhere.



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