

# FSM6 Highlights

31st SuSanA meeting 2.00-3.30 pm CEST - Wednesday, 18th August

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### Speaker and Participant Snapshot



of speakers were from Lowand Middle-Income Countries (LMICs)



78%

of abstracts were from LMICs



of presenters in the track sessions were female

### Participant Breakdown



50 out of the 61 countries in attendance were from LMICs

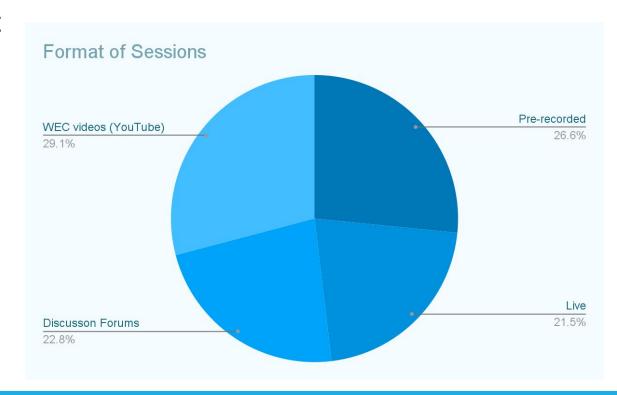
#### Attendee Top 5 Countries





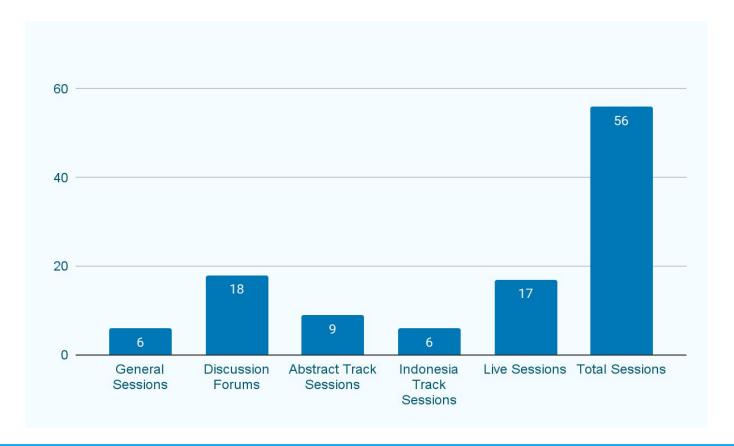
### Unique event format

- Provide live sessions for almost every time zone
- Give people flexibility on when they could watch sessions
- Convert World Emptying
   Challenge to a virtual challenge
- Virtual Exhibition
- Provide opportunities for discussion
- Create virtual platform to work in low bandwidth settings





Program
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sessions



### **FSM** Program Themes

Strong call for more diversity in the FSM sector

Importance of co-treatment in urban sanitation

Need for standards and regulatory frameworks

Need for unique financing and affordable systems

Importance of building effective partnerships



"Often we become in systems and outdated paradigms that meaningful change starts to feel out of

– Mei Yee Chan

"Good service is valuable to all residents wherever they live or whatever their

"We need to start methods to improve students, and teachers."

– Linda Strande

"It is good to remember that most sanitation systems in the world are

- Dr. Caroline Delaire

strategically prioritising necessary changes at the organisation leader and

peer level."

- Euphresia Luseka





### WORLD EMPTYING CHALLENGE

All videos can <u>still be</u>
<u>seen on FSMA's</u>
<u>YouTube</u> channel to
learn more about how
emptying varies!

### Objectives:

- Provide emptiers a platform to showcase their work (without travel)
- Recognition of the vital role of emptiers in city-wide inclusive sanitation (CWIS)
- Recognition of the benefits of small capital investments to build better businesses.

#### Video submission guidelines:

- Length: 3 minutes or less
- PPE
- Emptying of pit or septic tank
- Cleaning up at end of job
- Disposal/reuse
- Teamwork

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### World Emptying Challenge Winners



Popular Vote Winner	Technical Challenge Winner	
Team 8 - India	Brilliant Sanitation (Uganda)	
Team 23 - Gresik, Indonesia	Luapula Water (Zambia)	
Team 22 - Bekasi Utility, Indonesia	Southern Water & Sanitation Company (Zambia)	













Hear from some of the World Emptying Challenge competitors from Uganda and Zambia





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## **Session Stats**

- Spotlight Workshop
- 90 minutes
- 60 full participants
- 95 high attendees
- Organizers Eawag and ISF- UTS

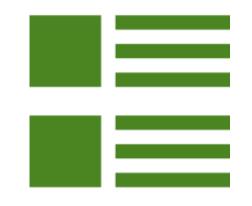




## Session Outline

Introduction to CWIS and its principles

- Breakout Groups
  - Asia Case SNV & Municipality on Kushtia, (Bangladesh)
  - Africa Case World Bank & Utility on Lusaka, (Zambia)





Plenary Reporting

# Key results - 1

### Zambia Case

- Mix of Technologies
- Lusaka was ahead of the curve
- FSM included in the utility's mandate
- Sewer interventions at scale
- Human centred design in onsite sanitation
- Innovative Financing
- Performance Based contracts for the utility
- Strong regulation





## Key results - 2

### Bangladesh Case

- Enforcement Mechanism
- Various sanitation laws, policies and strategies introduced
- FSM regulation framework 2017 introduced
- National Action Plan 2020
- Kushtia Bye Laws and Operational Health and Safety Guidelines



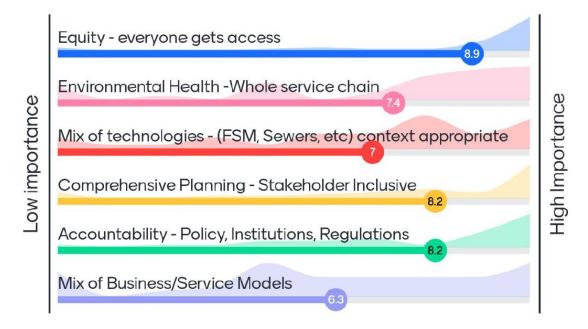




# What does CWIS mean to you? Weigh in importance

Mentimeter







How much capacity building / exposure is required for each of the CWIS principles?

Mentimeter

needed

Much Capacity Building

Equity - everyone gets access No Capacity Building needed Environmental Health - Whole service chain Mix of technologies - (FSM, Sewers, etc) context appropriate Comprehensive Planning - Stakeholder Inclusive Accountability - Policy, Institutions, Regulations Mix of Business/Service Models



# Do you plan to use the CWIS approach in your work?







0 No

# What was your key learning from this session?

Lusaka "discount" mechanism for incentivizing formal FSM emptying

involving all stakeholders from the start to make the outcome of the process as context-appropriate and accepted as possible

Subsidies (discount) to the poor, and how engage pit emptiers (not excluding) Wide array of institutional arrangements and incentives needed.

urban sanitation is complecated

CWIS is a new approach but replicable

Service delivery

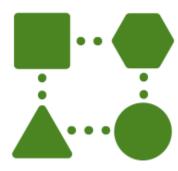
Equitable payment of services

How CWIS is slowly but surely being operationalized...



# From an organizer's point of view

- 45 mins discussion for breakout groups is necessary.
- First 5-10 mins is the hesitance period so prepare teaser questions
- Miro board was not so actively used
- Menti meter is useful engagement
- Give speakers enough info on what's expected
- Give participants enough space for their voice
- Logistics on online conference is always more complicated than you think!
- Would like to have the sessions made open access soon.



# If you missed CWIS @ FSM-6,





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# **CWIS - HOW FAR** HAVE WE COME?

Friday, 27 August, 13:00-14:30 Stockholm time

### Convened by:



















# FSM6: Track 3 The Role of Sanitation and FSM Actors

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### **Recommendations and Implications**

		Public Sector	Private Sector
Enhance existing processes	Inspections and monitoring activities added / strengthened to meet latest standards	Institutionalise new FSM processes across the State Amend officers' roles and responsibilities Implement monitoring systems and regulations Build capacity and train officers	Build capacity and enhance FSM knowledge to provide safe construction, and O&M services     Develop enterprises to respond to business opportunities in sanitation service delivery     Align with FSM regulations
Modify existing processes	Additional activities added or existing processes expanded / more clearly defined (e.g. provision of ULB-run desludging services to CT/PT facilities)		
Add new processes	New processes, particularly those related to FSM included		

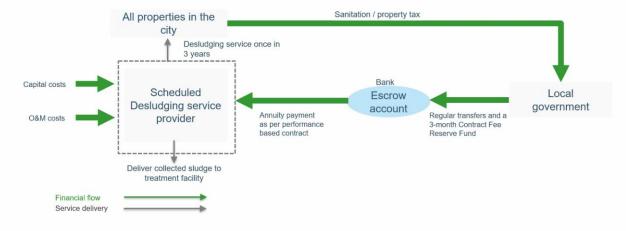
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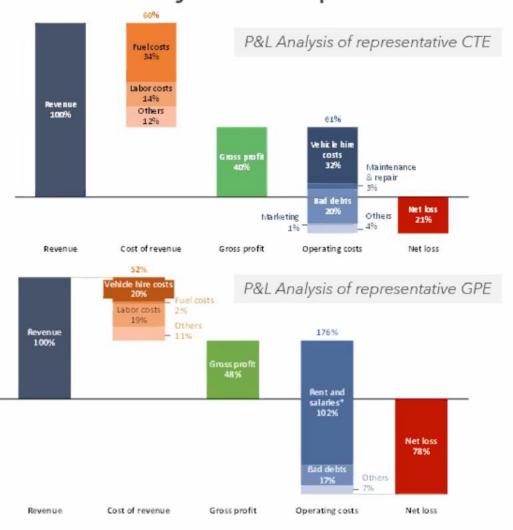


## Performance Linked Annuity Model (PLAM) for Scheduled Desludging is adopted in these two cities





### P&L Analysis – Representative CTE and GPE



### Key challenges faced by FSMEs

#### I. Low utilization

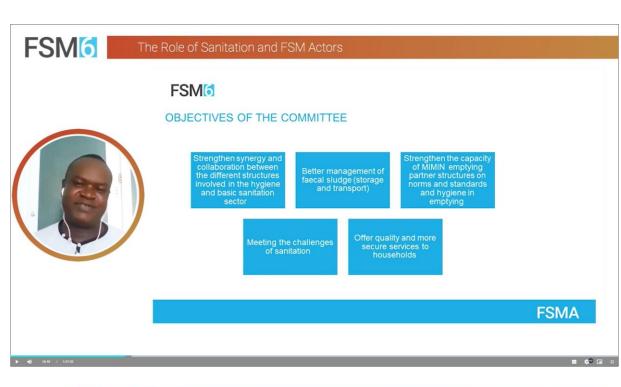
- Limited demand
- Insufficient demand activation
- Inability to meet existing demand

#### 2. High vehicle operating costs

- High fuel costs
- High vehicle hire/ purchase costs
- High maintenance/ repair costs

### 3. High customer defaults

- Disputes between FSMEs and customers
- Customer inability/ unwillingness to pay



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- ✓ Good organization and management
- Qualified multidisciplinary team
- Necessary logistical means, appropriate techniques
- FSTPs's operation based on the circular economy strategy,



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### Introduction:

#### East Meets West and FSM pilot in Vietnam

East Meets West(EMW) known as Thrive Networks is an NGO based in the US (Oakland, CA), used an outpubtased aid (OBA) approach which is a combination of a traditional community approach with a strong focus on results to encourage over 200,000 latrines built in Vietnam by 2020.

Building on the success of sanitation OBA program, EMW partnered with the City of Ben Tre in Vietnamto develop and implement a city -wide, sustainable FSM model covering the full sanitation service chain.

- · Technical expertise was provided by Stantec, an international firm.
- · The pilot project was financed through OBA grants from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundationand the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade(DFAT).







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# THANK YOU!



# Faecal Sludge Management (FSM6) Conference

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# Session specific experiences...

### 1. Opening Ceremony (May 31st)

- Set the right tone for rest of the conference.
- FSM Heroes section was a great way to honour and showcase folks who really make a difference in this sector.
- Appropriate length.

# 2. Co-treatment of FS / Septage in Sewage Treatment Facilities (June 1st)

- Take-home messages were clear: Co-treatment is an option for FS treatment that can be applied in larger, newer facilities where the tendency for failure is lower.
- Opportunity for more elaborate and diverse examples of where tool had been applied.

### 3. Women in WASH (June 3<sup>rd</sup>)

- Great facilitation
- Encouraging to also see men participating.



# Take-home messages...

- Online format executed well.
- Encouraging to see how the conference and participation in all aspects of FSM has grown since it's beginning.
- Missed networking opportunities that an in-person conference would provide.
- Opportunities for increased diversity in presentation topics, specifically case-study examples.