

2026 Continuing Education Opportunities Available for Utah Licensed Drillers & Pump Installers*							
Event Name	Education Topics	Place	Date	Possible Credits	Contact Person	Telephone	Education Info on Web
Utah Division of Water Rights SLC Seminar	Utah Well Drilling Regulations as well as other topics TBA	Salt Lake City Water Rights Office	June 17, 2026	At least 6	Jim Goddard	801-538-7314	<a href="http://www.waterrights.utah.gov/wellinfo">www.waterrights.utah.gov/wellinfo</a>
Utah Ground Water Association (UGWA) Annual Convention	Various topics TBA by UGWA	Mesquite, NV	January 7-9, 2026	At least 6	Colette Read	801-541-7259	<a href="http://www.utahgroundwater.org">www.utahgroundwater.org</a>
UGWA Moab Seminar	Agenda to be determined	Moab	June 5, 2026	At least 6	Colette Read	801-541-7259	<a href="http://www.utahgroundwater.org">www.utahgroundwater.org</a>
American Ground Water Trust Utah Groundwater Conf. & Water Well Workshop	Various topics	Salt Lake City, UT	TBD	At least 6	Sarah Chudnoff	303-228-5444	<a href="http://www.agwt.org">www.agwt.org</a>
Mountain States Groundwater Expo	Various topics	Laughlin, NV	February 12-13, 2026	At least 6	MSGWA	480-609-3999	<a href="http://www.mountainstatesgroundwater.com">www.mountainstatesgroundwater.com</a>
National Ground Water Association (NGWA) Annual Convention	Check NGWA.org	Las Vegas, NV	December 8-10, 2026	At least 6	NGWA	800-551-7379	<a href="http://www.ngwa.org">www.ngwa.org</a>
National Ground Water Association (NGWA) Continuing Education Program	Check NGWA.org	Check NGWA.org	Various	At least 6	NGWA	800-551-7379	<a href="http://www.ngwa.org">www.ngwa.org</a>
National Ground Water Association (NGWA) Webinars/Online Offerings	Various Topics online	Online	Various	At least 6	NGWA	800-551-7379	<a href="http://www.ngwa.org">www.ngwa.org</a>
National Drilling Association Convention	Check nda4u.com	Nashville, KY	Sept 17-20, 2026	At least 6	NDA	877-632-4748	<a href="https://www.nda4u.net/">https://www.nda4u.net/</a>
Utah Division of Drinking Water	Numerous Topics Listed - See Division Training Calendar on Web	Various - See Calendar	Various	Various		801-536-4200	<a href="https://deq.utah.gov/drinking-water/continuing-education">https://deq.utah.gov/drinking-water/continuing-education</a>
American Water Works Association (AWWA)	Various including conferences, seminars, workshops, and online courses	See Calendar of Events on Website	Various	Various	AWWA	303-794-7711	<a href="http://www.awwa.org">www.awwa.org</a>
Rural Water Users Association (RWUA) Annual Convention and Local Seminars	Contact RWUA for details	Convention in St. George and local training at various locations	Various	Unknown	RWUA	801-756-5123	<a href="http://www.rwau.net">www.rwau.net</a>
Utah Water User's Workshop	Various Topics	St. George	March 16-18, 2026	At least 6	USU Extension	435-797-2802	<a href="http://www.utahwaterusers.com/">http://www.utahwaterusers.com/</a>
Delco-Western	Pump and Well Topics	Contact Delco Western for details	Unknown	Unknown		801-972-0900	<a href="http://www.delcowestern.com/">http://www.delcowestern.com/</a>
Steve Regan Co. Pump Seminar	Pump and Well Topics	Contact Steve Regan Co. for details	Unknown	Unknown		801-268-4494	<a href="https://www.steveregan.com/">https://www.steveregan.com/</a>
Mitchell Lewis & Staver	Pump and Well Topics	Contact Mitchell Lewis & Staver for details	Unknown	Unknown		801-561-5011	<a href="https://www.mitchellewis.com/">https://www.mitchellewis.com/</a>
Mountainland Supply Co.	Pump and Well Topics	Contact Mountain Land Supply for details	Unknown	Unknown		435-610-5977	<a href="https://www.mountainlandsupply.com/">https://www.mountainlandsupply.com/</a>
Western Hydro Corporation	Pump and Well Topics	Contact Western Hydro Corp. for details	Unknown	Unknown		801-886-3434	<a href="https://westernhydro.com/">https://westernhydro.com/</a>
2M Company	Pump and Well Topics	Contact 2M Company for details	Unknown	Unknown		406-245-1490	<a href="https://2mco.com/">https://2mco.com/</a>
Blue Stakes Seminars	Excavation and Drilling Safety with respect to underground utilities	Check web site for places and dates	Check web site for places and dates	1 to 2	Blue Stakes	801-530-0873	<a href="http://www.bluestakes.org">www.bluestakes.org</a>
Wyo-Ben	Drilling Fluids-Their Purpose and Make-Up Common Drilling Conditions and Problems Polymer Additions and alternatives Solids Control Grouting and Hole Abandonment	Contact Wyo-Ben for details	Contact Wyo-Ben	Various	Wyo-Ben	800-548-7055	<a href="http://www.wyoben.com">www.wyoben.com</a>
Baroid	Drilling fluids, grouts and sealants and well rehab	Contact Baroid for details	Contact Baroid	Various	<a href="http://www.baroid.com">www.baroid.com</a>		<a href="http://www.baroid.com">www.baroid.com</a>
CETCO	Drilling fluids, grouts and sealants and well rehab	Contact CETCO for details	Contact CETCO	Various		480-951-8060	<a href="http://www.cetco.com">www.cetco.com</a>
Universities, Colleges, Trade Schools	Various - Contact institution to determine available options	-	-	-	-	-	
Utah Valley State College - Center for Environmental Technology Services	Various including OSHA training, hazardous materials training groundwater and soil sampling, confined space, water math, disinfection, general water chemistry, well/spring rehab, etc.	Orem	Call for dates and times	Various	Lasca Wood	801-222-8117	
Nelson Environmental Field School	Various topics inc. groundwater monitoring, groundwater sampling, pumping tests, monitoring well design and construction	Various - See Calendar	Call for dates and times	Various	NA	888-965-5026	<a href="http://www.envirofieldschool.com">www.envirofieldschool.com</a>
GEFCO Resource Drilling Fundamentals Training Seminar	Various Drilling Topics	Enid, OK	Call for dates and times	At least 6	NA	580-234-4141	

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Utah Geological Association	Various geological and hydrogeological topics with monthly lectures and periodic conferences & seminars	Contact UGA for details	-	-			<a href="http://www.utahgeology.org">www.utahgeology.org</a>
Association of Engineering Geologists	Various geological and hydrogeological topics with monthly lectures and periodic conferences & seminars	Contact AEG for details	-	-	-	-	<a href="http://www.aegweb.org">www.aegweb.org</a>
OSHA, First Aid/CPR, & other safety-related classes	40-hr/8-hr HAZWOPER First Aid/CPR Fall Safety Confined Space Entry MSHA Electrical Safety etc.	Contact your local vendors	-	-	-	-	
Idaho Ground Water Association Annual Convention	Contact IGWA for details	Boise, ID	Janaury 29-30, 2026	8+	Cassidey Plum	208-899-3753	<a href="http://www.igwa.info">www.igwa.info</a>
Colorado Water Well Contractors Association Annual Conference	Contact Association for details	Westminster, CO	January 7-9, 2026	Unknown	Sherry Engleberg	303-759-2294	<a href="http://www.cwwca.org">www.cwwca.org</a>
Montana Water Well Drillers Association Convention	Contact Association for details	Missoula, MT	Feb 4-6, 2026	Unknown		(406) 686-3168	<a href="http://www.mwwda.org">www.mwwda.org</a>
New Mexico Ground Water Association Convention	Contact Association for details	Albuquerque, NM	January 31, 2026	Unknown		505-867-9500	<a href="http://www.nmgwa.org">www.nmgwa.org</a>
Nevada Water Resources Assoc. Conference	Contact Association for details	Las Vegas, NV	February 2-5, 2026	Unknown			<a href="http://www.nvwra.org">www.nvwra.org</a>
Wyoming Water Well Association Convention	Contact Association for details	Casper, WY	January 13-15, 2026	Unknown	Marti Hubbs	307-788-1530	<a href="https://www.wygroundwater.org/">https://www.wygroundwater.org/</a>
Oregon Water Well Association Convention	Contact Association for details	Various	February 19-21, 2026	Unknown	OGWA	503-390-7080	<a href="https://www.ogwa.org/">https://www.ogwa.org/</a>
Pacific Northwest Groundwater Expo	Contact Association for details	Portland OR	March 24-25, 2026	Unknown	PNWGWA		<a href="https://pnwgwa.org/">https://pnwgwa.org/</a>
Washington State Ground Water Association	Various Topics	Various - See Calendar	Various	Unknown	Linda Hill	360-757-1551	<a href="http://www.wsgwa.org">www.wsgwa.org</a>
International School of Well Drilling	Various	Online	Continuous	Various	-	863 648 1565	<a href="http://www.welldrillingschool.com">www.welldrillingschool.com</a>
Red Deer Community College (Red Deer, Alberta Canada)	Various	Online	Continuous	Various	-	(403) 342-3456	<a href="http://rdc.ab.ca/programs/water-well-driller-apprenticeship">http://rdc.ab.ca/programs/water-well-driller-apprenticeship</a>
Goulds Water Technology e-Learning	Basic Water Systems, Variable Frequency Drives, & Vertical Turbine Pumps	Online	Various	6			<a href="http://www.goulds.com/e-learning">www.goulds.com/e-learning</a>
Franklin Electric Online Pump Training	Various pump related topics	Online	Various	Various			<a href="https://franklintech.exceedlms.com/student/catalog">https://franklintech.exceedlms.com/student/catalog</a>
National Drilling Association	Drilling Safety, Groundwater Knowledge, Monitor Well Construction	Online	Various	13	NDA	877-623-4748	<a href="http://www.nda4u.com/training/">http://www.nda4u.com/training/</a>
All Star Training Inc.	Business Management, Marketing, Groundwater, Water Law, Rigs, Pumps, Boring, Water Treatment, Sinkholes, & Hydrology	Online	Continuous	12	John Mason	817-385-1136	<a href="http://www.allstarce.com">www.allstarce.com</a>
Vector Solutions	Various topics including drilling safety, basic groundwater, monitor well construction, welding and cutting, PVC pipe, GPS, etc.	Online	NA	Various		800-506-7537	<a href="http://www.vectorsolutions.com">www.vectorsolutions.com</a>
Utah Division of Water Rights	Various topics on Division YouTube Channel	Online-YouTube	NA	Up to 20	Jim Goddard	801-538-7314	Contact Jim Goddard directly for details
*This list provides a selection of continuing education opportunities that are known to Water Rights and approved for CE credit. It does not provide a list of every opportunity available to a licensee. It is acceptable to obtain CE from sources not on this list as long as it pertains to well drilling/pump installation and is approved by Water Rights either before or after the class is taken. This list will be updated regularly on our web site at <a href="http://www.waterrights.utah.gov/wellinfo">www.waterrights.utah.gov/wellinfo</a> .							
**A class on Utah Well Drilling Rules is required at least once every four years. A take-home worksheet is also available that will satisfy this requirement. State-sponsored seminars will always offer this required class, however UGWA seminars may or may not offer this class. Check with UGWA specifically regarding their classes.							
<b>Notes:</b> Twelve CE credits are required each 2-year cycle to renew a driller or pump installer license. Generally, one hour of training is equivalent to one credit. At least two separate class (topics) must be taken each cycle to obtain the required credits. The required rules class must be taken at least once every four years. CE credit cannot carry over from one licensing cycle to another. It is the responsibility of the licensee to maintain documentation of education and keep track of credits. Proper documentation can include the completed documentation form provided by the state for each class, diplomas, certificates, rosters, transcripts, etc. Licensees must provide copies of this documentation with their renewal application. For more information or questions, contact Jim Goddard at Water Rights at 801-538-7314.							