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March 26 - 29, 2018 - Denver Colorado
April 23 - April 26, 2019 - Las Vegas, Nevada

Annual Leadership Conference:
September 12 - 14, 2017 - Rancho Bernardo, California
September 10 - 12, 2018 - Hilton Head Island, South Carolina

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- Jim Steele, Jr., MWS, CI
S&G Water Conditioning Inc.

Professional Certification
As a result of WQA’s Professional Certification Program, thousands of certified professionals work every day in homes and businesses throughout the nation. We are dedicated to upholding high standards of performance so that consumers have confidence in the people providing and servicing their treatment solutions.

To become a WQA certified professional, the candidate must pass a comprehensive examination and accept WQA’s Code of Ethics for the Water Quality Improvement Industry. The following logos represent the different certifications offered:

Business Excellence
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Product Certification - Sustainability
WQA’s Sustainability Certification Program is the first of its kind in the drinking water treatment industry. Only products that have been manufactured according to industry standards for recognized best practices in environmental sustainability and corporate social responsibility can bear the WQA Sustainability Certification Mark. This mark helps identify products as safe for both people and the planet.

Career Center
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