

## James Mihelcic named WEF Fellow

James Mihelcic was recently named a WEF Fellow by the Water Environment Federation (WEF) Board of Trustees. WEF is a not-for-profit technical and educational organization of 33,000 individual members and 75 affiliated Member Associations representing water quality professionals around the world. The WEF Fellows Program recognizes the professional achievement, stature and contributions of WEF members to the preservation and enhancement of the global water environment. Dr. Mihelcic is the Samuel L. and Julia M. Flom Endowed Professor in the Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering at the University of South Florida. He is a Board Certified Environmental Engineer and directs an EPA-funded National Research Center for Reinventing Aging Infrastructure for Nutrient Management. He is a member of the EPA Chartered Science Advisory Board, a past president of the Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors (AEESP), and past Board Trustee with the American Academy of Environmental Engineers and Scientists (AAEES). Dr. Mihelcic is internationally recognized for leading efforts to integrate concepts of sustainability and global awareness into engineering education, engineering practice, and management of water and wastewater. He has authored over 160 technical papers and is the lead author of four widely adopted engineering textbooks that include *Field Guide in Environmental Engineering for Development Workers: Water, Sanitation, Indoor Air* (ASCE Press, 2009); and, *Environmental Engineering: Fundamentals, Sustainability, Design* (John Wiley & Sons, 2nd Edition, 2014).



James Mihelcic (right) presented WEF Fellow plaque from WEF President Paul Bowen at the WEF Awards and Presidential Awards Rehearsal at WEFTEC (photo courtesy of the Water Environment Federation).