



Salmonid Restoration Federation

36th Annual Salmonid Restoration Conference April 11-14, 2018 in Fortuna, CA
2nd Call for Presenter Abstracts

Presenter Abstracts are due on November 7, 2017

Session / Workshop Coordinator Final Abstracts with a list of final presenters are due on November 14, 2017

In 2018, Salmonid Restoration Federation will produce the 36th Annual Salmonid Restoration Conference in Fortuna, California. The first two days of the conference include full-day workshops and field tours. Friday begins with a half-day plenary session followed by 1.5 days of technical, biological, and policy-related concurrent sessions. This conference will focus on a broad range of salmonid and watershed restoration topics of concern to restoration practitioners, watershed scientists, fisheries biologists, resource agency personnel, land-use planners, and landowners.

Potential Field Tours

- Lower Eel River Restoration, Flood Reduction, and Habitat Connectivity Tour
- Instream, Off-Channel, and **Upslope** Erosion Reduction Restoration Projects in Humboldt Bay
- Instream Restoration and Groundwater Recharge Planning in the Mattole Headwaters
- Large Wood Augmentation Projects in Small, Low-Risk Streams
- Restoring Tidal Wetlands: Inclusive, Process-based Restoration in Working Landscapes
- 15 Years of Salmonid Habitat Restoration in Lower Klamath Tributaries

Potential Workshops

- Instream Flow Workshop
- Speaking of Science—Public Speaking Tips for Improved Science Communication
- Effectiveness Monitoring of Instream Restoration Projects in California
- Using an Optimization Model to Select Fish Passage Barriers for Remediation
- Identifying Appropriate Site-Specific Methods and Target Criteria for Instream Large Wood Restoration Efforts

Potential Concurrent Sessions

- Cool Matters: Emerging Stream Temperature Science
- Streamlined Permitting for Restoration Projects — Existing Programs and Potential Reforms
- Klamath River Dam Removals —Overview of Planning and Process
- North Coast Innovative Flow Enhancement Programs
- Adapting Aging Infrastructure to Sustain Listed Salmonids
- Risky Landscapes and Nomadic Salmon; Salmon Ecology and Life-History Strategies
- Alluvial Fans and Salmonid Habitat: The Forgotten and Challenging Landscape In-Between
- Restoring to Stage Zero, Recent Innovations in Restoration Science: Reports from the Field
- Modeling Salmonid Habitat for Restoration
- Eel River Ecology, Restoration Challenges, and Opportunities

Note: The Call for Abstracts evolves based on interest and Open Call submissions so please consider submitting your abstract early. Please understand that the Final Call for Abstracts may be slightly different than this second call.

Each concurrent session includes six speakers. Speaker presentations are 25 minutes including questions. SRF encourages presentations on completed projects that have a monitoring and assessment component. The Agenda Coordinator will work with each Session Coordinator (SC) towards confirming presenters by November 14, 2017 and finalizing speaker abstracts.

Submitting Session and Presentation Abstracts or Posters

Submitting an abstract for the 2018 Salmonid Restoration Conference is a two-step process.

- **Step 1: Complete the online abstract submission form, which can be found on our website at the following address: <https://goo.gl/forms/6Gxx1pWMhEg5XEvt2>**
- **Step 2: E-mail your abstract in a Word Document to abstracts@calsalmon.org.**

The formatting requirements for the Word Document are as follows:

- 12 point, Times New Roman font, and left justified only.
1. Title of your abstract
 2. A list of all the authors, their affiliations and credentials, and e-mail addresses. Presenters must be clearly identified. Please write out this information exactly as you would want it listed in the Presenter Directory
 3. Indicate if the presenter is a student.
 4. An indication of what concurrent session or workshop you would like to contribute to, or indicate "Poster." Include preference of presentation type (ie- Powerpoint LCD projector).
 5. An abstract of 500 words or less.

Example:

Title: Sample Title

Author: Maria Gonzales Smith, PhD, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, maria.gonzales@wildlife.ca.gov (Presenter), and
Co-author: Martin Jones, PE, NOAA Fisheries, martin.jones@noaa.gov

Concurrent Session: Reintroduction of Salmon into their Historic Habitats

Abstract: Write your abstract here.

All contributions, including Session and Presentation Abstracts, should be submitted electronically by email to abstracts@calsalmon.org with abstract attached as an MS Word file. Receipt of your submission will be acknowledged by email and forwarded to the correct session chair. For any additional information, please contact SRF at (707) 923-7501 or at info@calsalmon.org.