

NAFEW 2017: PROGRAM AT-A-GLANCE

Sun. June 18

15h00 - 21h00
18h00 - 21h00
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Registration
Poster set-up
OPENING MIXER

Lister Centre upstairs foyer
Wild Rose room
Maple Leaf Room

Mon. June 19	Maple Leaf	Aurora	Prairie	Glacier	Wild Rose
08h30 - 19h00					Posters
07h00 - 08h30	BREAKFAST				
08h30 - 08h45	Conference opening, welcome				
08h45 - 09h15	John Stadt: Alberta's forests				
09h15 - 10h00	Plenary: Stephen Murphy. Anticipation Ecology: Determining when and how to initiate forest restoration and reclamation				
10h00 - 10h15	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
10h15 - 12h00	Special Session: Linear disturbances in boreal forests and peatlands	Special Session: Adapting forest management to climate change: the state of the science and applications	Contributed Talks: Natural disturbance	Contributed Talks: Wildlife	
12h00 - 13h00	LUNCH BREAK				
13h00 - 15h00	Special Session: Post-harvest resilience, ecosystem memory and management of biological legacies				
14h00 - 15h00		Contributed Talks: Soils and vegetation	Contributed Talks: Dendrochronology	Contributed Talks: Wildlife	
15h00 - 15h15	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
15h15 - 16h15	IGNITE Talks				

16h15 - 19h00 **Poster viewing & Reception** Wild Rose room

19h00 - 21h00 Poplar & Willow Council of Canada AGM Aurora room

Tues. June 20	Maple Leaf	Aurora	Prairie	Glacier	Wild Rose
08h30 - 17h00					Posters
07h30 - 09h00	BREAKFAST				
09h00 - 09h45	Plenary: Anthony D'Amato. Silviculture in the face of future uncertainty: is the past still relevant?				
09h45 - 10h00	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
10h00 - 12h00	Special Session: North American Aspen Transect: applied functional ecology north to south	Special Session: The changing face of the northern forest: The ongoing legacy of beech bark disease	Contributed Talks: Carbon and nutrients	Contributed Talks: Reclamation and restoration	
12h00 - 13h00	LUNCH BREAK				
13h00 - 15h00	Special Session: Quantifying forest complexity and integrating data into management	Special Session: Establishing ecological impacts and thresholds for harvesting of woody bioenergy	Contributed Talks: Silviculture	Contributed Talks: Reclamation and restoration	
15h00 - 15h15	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
15h15 - 17h00	Special Session: Beyond twitter and blogs: Communicating science to your core audience	Special Session: Managing riparian areas and wetlands in an integrated approach to forest ecosystem management	Contributed Talks: Silviculture	Contributed talks: Natural disturbance	
17h30 - 23h00	Reception, Banquet & Entertainment: Faculty Club				

Wed. June 21	Field Trips	Depart from and return to Lister Centre	Coffee (to go): Lister Centre; Breakfast (to go): at the buses
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Thurs. June 22	Maple Leaf	Aurora	Prairie	Glacier
07h30 - 09h00	BREAKFAST			
09h00 - 09h45	Plenary: Sally Aitken. If we plant, what should we plant? Matching seed sources to new climates.			
09h45 - 10h00	REFRESHMENT BREAK			
10h00 - 12h00	Special Session: Assisted migration in practice: Ecological risks and benefits	Special Session: Seeing the forest through the understory: promoting and maintaining diversity in contemporary hardwood forests	Contributed Talks: Plant community ecology	Contributed Talks: Forest conservation
12h00 - 13h00	LUNCH BREAK			
13h00 - 15h00	Special Session: Effects of reclamation practices on ecosystem succession after oil-sands mining in boreal Alberta	Contributed Talks: Invasive species	Contributed Talks: Climate change	Contributed Talks: Forest conservation
15h00 - 15h15	REFRESHMENT BREAK			
15h15 - 16h00	Plenary: Lena Gustafsson. Research and practice in forest conservation and restoration in northern Europe.			
16h00 - 16h30	Closing comments, announcement of NAFEW 2019.			