

WASHINGTON FOREST PRACTICES ADAPTIVE MANAGEMENT ANNUAL SCIENCE CONFERENCE

**TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 2010
8:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.
Olympia, Washington**

The Cooperative Monitoring, Evaluation and Research Committee (CMER) of the Timber, Fish and Wildlife Program announces the seventh annual Forest Practices Adaptive Management Science Conference. CMER is responsible for conducting applied research in support of adaptive management of the Forests and Fish Agreement, which governs forestry practices on most private and state lands in Washington state. The Forests and Fish Agreement, which was signed into law in 1999, was designed to meet the requirements of the Clean Water Act and the Endangered Species Act for fish and seven stream-associated amphibians.

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Time	Presentation	Presenter
8:35 to 8:50 a.m.	Conference Introduction	Lenny Young, Department Supervisor Washington Dept. of Natural Resources
8:50 to 8:55 a.m.	SESSION 1 INTRODUCTION	Chris Mendoza, CMER Co-Chair
8:55 to 9:20 a.m.	A Test of Forest Practices Unstable Slope Rule Effectiveness in SW WA	Greg Stewart Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission
9:20 to 9:45 a.m.	Post-Mortem Study Data: Triggers, Insights & Possible Next Steps Effectiveness Monitoring	Julie Dieu Rayonier Timberlands Corporation
9:45 to 10:00 a.m.	Questions and Answers	
10:00 to 10:05 a.m.	SESSION 2 INTRODUCTION	Chris Mendoza, CMER Co-Chair
10:05 to 10:30 a.m.	Results of Road Sub-Basin Monitoring Effectiveness Project	Kathy Dube' Watershed Professionals Network
10:30 to 10:45 a.m.	BREAK	
10:45 to 10:50 a.m.	SESSION 3 INTRODUCTION	Chris Mendoza, CMER Co-Chair
10:50 to 11:15 a.m.	Wetlands Mitigation Effectiveness Pilot Study	Jill Silver 10,000 Years Institute
11:15 to 11:20 a.m.	SESSION 4 INTRODUCTION	Terry Jackson, CMER Co-Chair
11:20 to 11:45 a.m.	Type N Buffer Characteristics, Integrity Function (BCIF)	Dave Schuett-Hames Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission

11:45 a.m. to 12:15	Extensive Riparian Temperature	Matthew Peter Washington Dept. of Ecology
12:15 to 1:15 p.m.	LUNCH	On Your Own
1:15 to 1:20 p.m.	SESSION 5 INTRODUCTION	Terry Jackson, CMER Co-Chair
1:20 to 1:45 p.m.	Type N Experimental Amphibian Response	Aimee McIntyre Washington Dept. of Fish & Wildlife
1:45 to 2:10 p.m.	Type 5 REMS Study Temperature	Jack Janisch Washington Dept. of Ecology
2:10 to 2:15 p.m.	SESSION 6 INTRODUCTION	Terry Jackson, CMER Co-Chair
2:15 to 2:40 p.m.	Hardwood Conversion Study	Ash Roorbach Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission
2:40 to 3:05 p.m.	Evaluation of the Effectiveness of the Current TFW Shade Methodology for Measuring Attenuation of Solar Radiation to the Stream	John Gravelle Pine Orchard
3:05 to 3:20 p.m.	BREAK	
3:20 to 3:25 p.m.	SESSION 7 INTRODUCTION	Terry Jackson, CMER Co-Chair
3:25 to 4:00 p.m.	CMER Information Management System Project	Bruce Jones Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission
4:00 p.m.	ADJOURN	

There is no fee for this conference, however registration is required. To register, please email your name & affiliation to Dawn Hitchens at: dawn.hitchens@dnr.wa.gov .

Lunch is not provided, but several options are within a short distance of the conference site.

The conference will held on the Washington State Capitol Campus at the DSHS Office Building 2 Auditorium in Olympia. Driving directions & parking information for DSHS OB2 can be found at:

<http://www.dshs.wa.gov/pdf/drivingdirections.pdf> .

For more information on CMER, please visit the web site:

http://www.dnr.wa.gov/BusinessPermits/Topics/FPAdaptiveManagementProgram/Pages/fp_am_program.aspx .

