



## **Salmonid Restoration Federation**

**34<sup>th</sup> Annual Salmonid Restoration Conference April 6-9, 2016 in Fortuna, CA**

*Salmonid Restoration in Working Watersheds*

**Final Call for Presenter Abstracts**

Session, Field Tour, or Workshop Abstracts are due September 7, 2015

Presenter Abstracts are due on November 9, 2015

Session Coordinator Abstracts with a list of final presenters are due on November 13, 2015

In 2016, Salmonid Restoration Federation will produce the 34<sup>th</sup> 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.

### **Field Tours**

Voyage of the Argonauts: Returning Habitat, Economic Prosperity and Navigability to the Eel River Delta  
Lower Mattole River and Estuary: Heliwood Placement, Riparian Planting, & Off-channel Slough Restoration  
Lower Klamath and Strawberry Creek, National Park Service Restoration Projects  
Headwaters Forest Reserve Upland Restoration to Tidewaters of Salmon Creek  
Headwaters to Bay: Tour of Arcata's Community-based Urban/Wildland Restoration Program  
Fish Passage and Tidegates Restoration in Humboldt Bay and the Mad River Watershed

### **Workshops**

Evolving Science and Policy to Restore Streams Using Instream Obstructions and Beaver Dam Analogs  
Design and Engineering of Off-Channel Habitat and Large Wood Projects  
Instream Flow Enhancement and Groundwater Recharge Planning and Implementation  
Let's Get Connected – Tools for Getting Meaningful Public Input and Participation

### **Concurrent Sessions**

Upper Klamath-Trinity River Spring-Run Chinook: Biology, Genetics and Recovery  
Life-cycle Modeling to Inform Conservation, Restoration, and Recovery Planning  
Gold Country — Legacy Impacts and Restoration Strategies  
Incised Stream Channels: Causes and Environmental Impacts, and Practical Restoration Solutions  
Salmonid Physiology, Diseases and Fish Health  
The Impacts of Cannabis Cultivation on Fisheries Recovery  
Eel River Biology: Salmonids, Sturgeon, Lamprey, and Multi-species Planning  
Shelter in the Slow Lane: Off-Channel Ponds and Beaver Influenced Habitats  
Climate Change: Effective Restoration for a Warming World

**Deadline for presenter abstracts is November 9 and the deadline for session abstracts with a list of confirmed presenters is November 13, 2015.**

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 7 and finalizing speaker abstracts.

### **Submitting Session and Presentation Abstracts or Posters**

Please know that the SRF Call for Abstracts has become very competitive, and presentations that have not previously been made at the SRF Conference are given priority. Refer to the workshop or session descriptions to ensure that your abstract submission aligns with the proposed focus.

*Please e-mail your abstract in a Word Document to [abstracts@calsalmon.org](mailto:abstracts@calsalmon.org).*

The Word Document must adhere to the following guidelines:

12 point, Times New Roman font, and left justified only

Document Format:

1. Title of your abstract
2. A list of all the authors, their affiliation, and e-mail address. Presenters must be clearly identified. Please write out this information exactly as you would want it listed in the Presenter Directory. Please note that co-authors will not be listed in the conference agenda packet but they will be acknowledged in the Proceedings.
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

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**Concurrent Session:** Upper Klamath-Trinity River Spring-Run Chinook: Biology, Genetics and Recovery

**Abstract:** Write your abstract here.

All contributions, including Session and Presentation Abstracts, should be submitted electronically by email to [abstracts@calsalmon.org](mailto: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. If your abstract is not placed, please consider presenting in the poster session, which is open to all conference participants. For any additional information, please contact SRF at (707) 923-7501 or at [info@calsalmon.org](mailto:info@calsalmon.org).