



Salmonid Restoration Federation

39th Annual Salmonid Restoration Conference April 19-22, 2022 Santa Cruz, CA

[Presenter Abstracts deadline is November 18, 2021](#)

[Session / Workshop Coordinator Final Abstracts with a list of final presenters are due on November 30, 2021](#)

In 2022, Salmonid Restoration Federation intends to produce the 39th Annual Salmonid Restoration Conference in Santa Cruz, California. The first two days of the conference include technical workshops and field tours. Thursday 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, and land-use planners.

Proposed Workshops:

- Low-Tech Process-based Restoration with Beaver and Wood: Jump-Starting Structurally Starved Streams Workshop
- Restoration Approaches to Instream Large Wood Augmentation
- The Three Legs of the Coho Recovery Stool in Action: Ecological Restoration, Monitoring, and Hatchery Operations
- California Environmental Flows Framework (half-day workshop, instructor led)*
- Fish Passage Workshop and Corralitos tour (instructor led)*

*Note: SRF is not accepting abstracts for instructor led workshops

Proposed Sessions:

- How Can Artificial Intelligence Benefit Salmon Recovery?
- Seascape Ecology: Growth, Survival, and Foraging in the California Current
- Approaches for Management and Restoration of Coastal Central Lagoons
- The Technical and Ecological Considerations to Expedite Large-scale Dam Removal
- Lightning Tales Where Wisdom Sails
- Managing Non-native Predatory Fish in California's Salmon Bearing Streams
- Hydrologic Management for the Anthropocene
- Mountain Meadows: Restoring Functions in Headwater Catchments under Changing Climate and Wildfire Regimes
- Creating Opportunities for Community Involvement to Address Common Urban Streams Management Issues
- Opportunities for Collaboration: Tools and Initiatives for Increasing Our Collective Impact
- Considering Life-History Variation in Salmonid Restoration
- Drought Response: Identifying the Science, Policies and Projects Needed to Protect Fisheries and Water Resources in a Drying Climate
- Beyond Physical Habitat: The Importance of Prey Availability and Productivity in Recovering Imperiled Salmonid Populations

Each concurrent session includes six speakers except the lightning talks session which will have 20+ five-minute presentations. All other sessions will have approximately 25-minute presentations including brief Q&A. The Agenda Coordinator will work with each Session Coordinator to confirm presentations by November 30, 2022.

Please note: at this time, we are not soliciting virtual presentations at the in-person conference so please only submit an abstract at this time if you intend to present in-person.

Submitting Session and Presentation Abstracts or Posters

Submitting an abstract for the 2022 Salmonid Restoration Conference is a two-step process.

- **Step 1: Complete the online abstract submission form, which can be found at the following address: <https://forms.gle/LFwShvDrPqBUNwN97>**
- **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.
- Title of your abstract
- 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 including professional credentials.
- Indicate if the presenter is a student.
- Indicate what concurrent [session](#) or [workshop](#) you would like to contribute to, or indicate “Poster.”
- Include preference of presentation type (i.e., PowerPoint LCD projector).
- An abstract of 500 words or less.

Example:

Title: Sample Title

Author: Maria Gonzales, 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

Presentation Type: PowerPoint

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 info@calsalmon.org.