



2005 Tri-Society Meeting

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February 3-4, 2005

Holiday Inn Syracuse/Liverpool, New York

Registration Fee \$100.00

[Registration Form](#)

Approved for 11.5 Category 1 CFE credits

Agenda:

Wednesday, February 2nd

5:00 - 8:00 pm Executive Committee Meetings in Board Room 1, 3 and 4 (located on the first floor - use the elevator near the front desk)

8:00 - 9:00 pm Early bird reception in the South Cotillion Ballroom

Thursday, February 3rd

8 am -12:00 pm Meeting Registration in Convention Center Foyer

8 am - 9:00 am Continental Breakfast in Convention Center Foyer

General Session in the Convention Center

8:45 am Welcome and Opening Comments

9:00 am Conservation on a Landscape Scale: Changing Approaches and Roles for Natural Resource Professionals, *Gerald Barnhart & Bruce Williamson, NYSDEC*

10:00 am Experimental Manipulation of Entire Watersheds through BMP's: Nutrient Fluxes, Fate and Transport and Biotic Responses, *Joseph Makarewicz, SUNY-Brockport*

11:00 am Wood Chips: A Potential Best Management Practice to Minimize the Adverse Water Quality Effects of Forest Harvesting, *Doug Burns, US Geological Survey*

11:30 am Restoration of Great Lakes Aquatic Resources-Lake Trout and Lake Sturgeon, *Charles Krueger, Great Lakes Fishery Commission*

12:00 pm Lunch provided in Convention Center - Students and professionals to intermingle

1:00 pm The New York City Watershed Program, *Kevin Brazill, Watershed Agricultural Council*

1:30 pm *Adaptively Managing Aquatic Resources in French Creek, Darran Crabree, The Nature Conservancy*

2:00 pm *The Neversink Dam Removal Project, Speaker, TBA*

2:30 pm *Break*

3:00 pm *The Watershed Forestry Initiative, Albert Todd, US Forest Service*

3:30 pm *Panel Discussion*

4:00 pm *Adjourn General Session*

4:00 pm *Poster Set up in Grand Ballroom Center/West*

4:30 pm *Meetings and Presentations*

SAF Graduate Student Presentations in Grand Ballroom East,

AFS Business Meeting in Convention Center AB,

TWS Business Meeting in Boardroom 2, first floor

6:00 pm *Reception & Poster Session in Grand Ballroom*

7:00 pm *Banquet with Key Note Speaker: Dr. Peter Black, Professor Emeritus, SUNY-ESF: Lessons of the Past and Present to Sustain the Future in Convention Center*

Friday February 4th

8am - 9:00 am *Continental Breakfast*

Concurrent Sessions in Convention Center

The American Fisheries Society

8:00 am *AFS Presentations of submitted research papers, Speakers TBA*

The Wildlife Society

8:00 am *TWS Presentations of submitted research papers, Speakers TBA*

The Society of American Foresters

8:00 am *SAF Business Meeting*

9:15 am *Forestland Ownership Changes and Forest Fragmentation/Parcelization*

Charles Levesque, North East State Foresters Association and Innovative Natural Resource Solutions LLC

Bret Vicary, James W. Sewall Co.

René Germain, SUNY-ESF

Frank Lowenstein, The Nature Conservancy

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Water. It is vitally important as a natural resource. We tend to take it for granted – every time we turn on the faucet, we expect it to be there. As natural resource professionals, however, we try not to take it for granted. We understand that the roles we play are important in the protection and management of the watershed systems that make this resource available for use by human, animal, & aquatic life, on both aquatic and terrestrial interfaces.

As our three organizations come together, we plan to explore the contributions our professions are making towards the preservation, restoration, and management of the components that make up watershed systems. No matter if your work is directed specifically at watersheds or not, this topic relates to you. As a natural resource professional you are on the landscape, you work in a watershed and every action you take will influence these systems. So, whether your interest is in animals, fish, trees, or all three, you will benefit by attending this meeting. Please join us for the 2005 Tri-Society Meeting.

Key Note Speaker:

Dr. Peter Black, Professor Emeritus at SUNY ESF, will address our organizations during the banquet on Thursday February 3rd. He will share with us his Resource Buffer Theory. He theorizes that maintaining a buffer of natural resources is critical to balancing global overpopulation and ensuring species survival. He will look at how conservation has been applied to natural resource management in the past and present, and it's importance for sustaining the future.

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 TWS-Business Meeting

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SAF Certified Forester Credits:
 The 2005 NYS Tri-Society Meeting has been approved for 11.5 Category 1 CFE credits.



Conference Location: Holiday Inn Syracuse/Liverpool, 441 Electronics Parkway, Liverpool, NY 13088, phone: (315)457-1122, fax: (315) 451-0675.

Lodging: A block of rooms has been reserved at \$76 per night single, \$86 double, \$96 triple and \$106 quad. Call the Holiday Inn to reserve a room and be sure to ask for the conference rate.

Registration Fees, payable to *SUNY Research Foundation*, include conference sessions; materials; proceedings; refreshments; lunches, banquet, and reception. Purchase orders are accepted.

To Register: Complete the registration form and mail with full payment to ESF Outreach, 219 Bray Hall, SUNY ESF, Syracuse, NY 13210-2784 or fax: (315) 470-6890.

Call for Presentations

The American Fisheries Society and The Wildlife Society are seeking presenters for the morning sessions scheduled for Friday February 4th. Anyone who would like to share their research or work is welcome. If you are interested in submitting a paper, please contact Daniel Josephson with AFS at (315) 369-6781, dcj3@cornell.edu or Lynn Braband with TWS (315) 787-2408, lab45@nysaes.cornell.edu.

Call for Posters

A poster session will be held concurrently with the reception from 6:00-7:00pm on Thursday February 3rd. Posters are sought from anyone within AFS, TWS, or SAF. Whether you are employed by an academic institution, private industry, a government agency, self employed, or retired, we invite your posters. SUNY ESF will provide boards, easels, etc. to display posters. If you are interested, please contact Chris Nowak (315) 470-6575, canowak@esf.edu.

Foresters Fund Raffle: If you are able to donate items to the Foresters Fund Raffle please bring them with you to the meeting. To make arrangements, contact Dick Schwab at SUNY-ESF (315)470-6627, rischwab@hotmail.com.

Questions? AFS Contact: Bill Gordon (315) 785-2261, whgordon@gw.dec.state.ny.us; TWS Contact: Lynn Braband (315) 787-2408, lab45@nysaes.cornell.edu SAF Contact: Craig Vollmer 315-338-0899 cv@forestryexperts.com. **On the web at www.esf.edu/outreach/pd/conferences.htm.**

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Please print all information clearly. Thank you.

Name _____

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Organization _____

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email _____ Dietary needs: _____

Registration Fees: (circle one)

Postdated by 1/10/05 **\$ 100**

Postdated after 1/10 **\$ 125**

Student Registration Fees: (please circle one)

Student by 1/10 **(with banquet) \$ 65**

Student after 1/10 **(with banquet) \$ 75**

Student by 1/10 **(NO banquet) \$ 40**

Student after 1/10 **(NO banquet) \$ 50**

Method of payment (circle one): check, credit card or purchase order? Please make checks and POs payable to: **SUNY Research Foundation.**

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*Please check off your affiliation below:

____ NY Society of American Foresters ____ SAF Non-member

____ NY Ch., of The Wildlife Society ____ TWS Non-member

____ NY Ch., American Fisheries Society ____ AFS Non-member

We must receive both registration information and payment to confirm a reservation. Registrations received less than 10 days before the scheduled event will not be confirmed. Check your calendar carefully before registering, as we cannot refund cancelled registrations. SUNY ESF reserves the right to cancel a program due to insufficient enrollment and in such cases a full refund will be given.