

2017 WISCONSIN AFS MEETING SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 28, 2017

1:00 – 5:00 PM	Telemetry and Tagging Workshop, School of Freshwater Sciences, UW-Milwaukee
2:00 – 4:00 PM	Excom Meeting, Wright Ballroom A, 4 th floor
4:00 – 6:00 PM	Resume Speed Dating, Wright Ballroom A, 4 th Floor
6:00 – 10:00 PM	Welcome Social, Poster Session, Silent Auction, Crystal Ballroom, 5 th Floor

WEDNESDAY MARCH 1, 2017

7:45 – 8:00 AM	Morning coffee
8:00 – 8:10 AM	Opening Remarks- Greg Sass (WIAFS) and Jason Riddle (WTWS), Crystal Ballroom, 5 th Floor
8:10 – 9:30 AM	Plenary Session: Managing Riparian Zones for fish and Wildlife, Crystal Ballroom, 5 th Floor
8:10 – 8:50 AM	The Wisconsin Lakeshore Restoration Project, <i>Michael Meyers</i>
8:50 – 9:30 AM	Fish sticks littoral zone habitat: a fish manager' experience, <i>Scott Toshner, WDNR</i>
9:30 – 10:00 AM	Break and Poster Session, Crystal Ballroom Foyer, 5 th Floor
10:00 – 12:00 PM	WIAFS Presentations, Wright Ballroom, 4th Floor
10:00	Lake whitefish survival following surgical implantation of acoustic transmitters, <i>Daniel Dembkowski, Wisconsin Coop. Fish Unit</i>
10:10	Genetic evaluation of Wisconsin's feral walleye brood stocks, <i>Michael Vaske, UW-Stevens Point</i>
10:20	Post-release survival and movement of lake trout stocked at four historical spawning sites in Lake Michigan, <i>Matthew Kornis, USFWS</i>
10:35	Use of pop-off satellite archival tags (PSAT) on Lake Trout in Lake Superior, <i>Michael Seider, USFWS</i>
10:45	Using coded-wire tags to understand growth and condition of Lake Michigan Chinook Salmon, <i>Allen Lane, USFWS</i>
11:00	Wild age-0 salmonid abundance and outmigration in Wisconsin tributaries to Lake Michigan, <i>Eric Wegleitner, Wisconsin Coop. Fish Unit</i>
11:10	Evaluation of alternative sampling designs for estimating abundance of salmonid runs from video recordings at Bois Brule fishway, <i>Iyob Tsehaye, WDNR</i>
11:25	Lake Michigan: a rocky bathtub (ouch!), <i>John Janssen, UW-Milwaukee</i>

11:35	Assessment and mapping of the Milwaukee Estuary habitat, <i>Brennan Dow, UW-Milwaukee</i>
11:50	A novel ecosystem at a modified boulder breakwall, <i>Eric Geisthardt, UW-Milwaukee</i>
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch, Crystal Ballroom, 5 th Floor.
1:00 – 3:00 PM	WIAFS Presentations, Wright Ballroom, 4th Floor
1:00	Using GIS to predict nearshore habitat composition in lakes, <i>Douglas Zentner, UW-Stevens Point</i>
1:15	What are those Feds up to now? <i>Jake Richter, USFWS</i>
1:30	Environmental factors associated with distribution of ichthyoplankton in Lower Green Bay, <i>Marian Shaffer, USFWS</i>
1:45	Influence of river plumes on distribution of near-shore Lake Michigan fishes and associated ichthyofauna, <i>Bradley Smith, USFWS</i>
2:00	Larval studies at the Madgett and Genoa power plants, <i>Greg Seegert, EA Engineering, Science and Technology</i>
2:15	Updates on Ontonagon River streamside rearing trailer, <i>Glen Miller, USFWS</i>
2:25	Downstream passage survival of lake sturgeon at two dams on the Wolf River, Wisconsin, <i>Ryan Koenigs, WDNR</i>
2:40	Effects of diet on gut bacteria of lake sturgeon fingerlings, <i>Julia Zimmer, UW-Milwaukee</i>
2:50	Enhancement of lake sturgeon conservation through feeding management, <i>Dong-Fang Deng, UW-Milwaukee</i>
3:00 – 3:20 PM	Break and Poster Session, Ballroom Foyer
3:20 – 5:00 PM	WIAFS Business Meeting, Wright Ballroom, 4 th Floor
6:00 – 10:00 PM	Banquet, raffle, silent auction, Crystal Ballroom, 5 th Floor

THURSDAY MARCH 2, 2017

7:45 – 8:00 AM	Morning coffee
8:00 – 10:00 AM	WIAFS Presentations, Wright Ballroom, 4th Floor
8:00	Application of C and N stable isotopes to track movement of brown trout in the White River, <i>Kirk Olson, WDNR</i>
8:10	McGee lake Brook trout fishery: 10 years after hitting the reset button, <i>David Seibel, WDNR</i>

8:25	Beaver control: an effective method to maintain trout populations in low gradient streams, <i>Max Wolter, WDNR</i>
8:40	Diel and seasonal movements of brook trout in the Little Plover River, Wisconsin, <i>T. J. Hein, UW-Stevens Point</i>
8:50	Brook trout movements in the West Branch of the Wolf River, Wisconsin, <i>Emma Easterly, Wisconsin Coop. Fish Unit</i>
9:00	Archival tags to measure thermal habitat use by brown trout during summer: a case study on the Namekagon River, <i>Matthew Mitro, WDNR</i>
9:10	Regional Regression Curves for Bankfull Stream Geometry to Assist with Stream Assessment and Restoration in Eastern Wisconsin, <i>Neal O'Reilly, UW-Milwaukee</i>
9:20	Long term trends in production, biomass, and P/B for Cisco in Trout Lake, Wisconsin, <i>Timothy Parks, WDNR</i>
9:35	Population Trends of Northern Sunfish in the Lower Mukwonago River Wisconsin, from 2003-2015, <i>Derek Sallman, Wisconsin Lutheran College</i>
9:50	Genetic assessment of seven fish species above and below Prairie du Sac Dam, <i>Jenna Ruzich, Wisconsin Coop. Fish Unit</i>
10:00 – 10:20 AM	Break and Poster Session, Crystal Ballroom Foyer, 5 th Floor
10:20 – 12:00 PM	WIAFS Presentations, Wright Ballroom, 4th Floor
10:20	Healthy Lakes: where (applied) science meets the shore, <i>Pam Toshner, WDNR</i>
10:30	Effects of 2, 4-D herbicide treatments used to control Eurasian watermilfoil on fish and zooplankton, <i>Nick Rydell, Wisconsin Coop. Fish Unit</i>
10:45	Growth, condition, health, costs, and survival of muskellunge reared using two methods, <i>Justin VanDeHey, UW-Stevens Point</i>
11:00	Parentage analysis to investigate spawning and recruitment dynamics of walleye, <i>Wes Larson, Wisconsin Coop. Fish Unit</i>
11:10	Female walleye size structure and recruitment on Escanaba Lake, Wisconsin, 1957-2015, <i>Stephanie Shaw, WDNR</i>
11:25	An ice fishing guide reporting system for Green Bay, <i>Scott Hansen, WDNR</i>
11:35	Characterizing Joint Spearing and Angling Fisheries in the Ceded Territory, <i>Joseph Mrnak, WDNR</i>
11:50	Expanded assessment of recruitment bottlenecks for age-0 walleye in northern Wisconsin, <i>Jason Gostiaux, Wisconsin Coop. Fish Unit</i>

Meeting is over! Lunch on your own. Safe travels