Fish and Wildlife Habitat in Managed Forests Research Program Progress Report Meeting

Friday, November 18, 2022; 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Virtual: [zoom link]
Passcode: 708233

Meeting Goals
1. Review progress and future plans with researchers from ongoing projects.
2. Discuss and select concept papers for development into full proposals. Provide feedback/review comments for all submitted concept papers. Full proposals will be reviewed at the February meeting with recommendations for funding forwarded to the Dean.

Agenda

9:00 Welcome; Plan for the day – Katy Kavanagh and Nick Palazzotto, Chair

9:10 Biodiversity in natural and managed early seral forests of Southern Oregon – Meg Krawchuk, Matthew Betts, James Rivers, A.J. Kroll, Jake Verschuyl, Mark Swanson, Graham Frank presenting

9:30 Responses of Fish to Forest Management: Evaluating How Different Riparian Reserve Configurations Affect Fish and Food Webs in Headwater Streams – Dana Warren, Ashley Coble

9:50 Assessing the response of aquatic biota to alternative riparian management practices – Dana Warren, Ashley Coble

10:10 Black-Backed Woodpecker Vital Rates in Unburned and Burned Forest within a Fire-Prone Landscape – Jim Rivers, Jake Verschuyl

10:30 Development of native bee identification keys for the Pacific Northwest – Jim Rivers, Lincoln Best

10:50 Break

11:10 Multi-scale habitat value of slash piles for conserving rare carnivores – John Bailey, Katie Moriarty, Jordan Ellison presenting

11:30 Red tree voles in working forests – John Bailey, Katie Moriarty, Jason Piasecki presenting

11:50 Quantifying the Effects of Wildfire on Water Quantity, Water Quality, and Fish: The Hinkle Creek Watershed Study Revisited – Kevin Bladon, Dana Warren, David Roon

12:10 Post-wildfire Resurvey of Terrestrial Salamanders on Managed Forests – Tiffany Garcia, Jessica Homyack, Claudine Reynolds, Meg Krawchuk, Andrew Kroll
12:30 Where is it the most effective to restore streams? Salmon habitat restoration using large wood: linking stream geomorphic change and restoration effectiveness – Catalina Segura, Erik Suring, Christopher Lorion, Madelyn Maffia presenting

12:50 Lunch - on your own

1:30 Review and select concept papers for full proposal development (TAC advisory committee and technical advisors only - closed door meeting) -- TAC Chair

4:30 Tentative adjournment

Reminder: The next meeting is scheduled for February 1, 2023. Please mark your calendars.

Technical Advisory Committee:

Nick Palazzotto  Oregon Department of Forestry
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