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## Welcome Conference Exhibitors

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<http://www.aecl.ca>

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Stony Brook, New York 11790-5001  
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[www.riverinstitute.ca](http://www.riverinstitute.ca)

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## Special Events Information

**Sunday May 13** 7:00 pm - Welcome Reception (Theatre)

**Monday May 14** - Early morning tours

6:45 a.m. - Nature Walk at Cooper Marsh Conservation Authority. Dr. Brian Hickey, Senior Biologist with the St. Lawrence River Institute of Environmental Sciences, will bring you on a guided tour of the Cooper Marsh Conservation Area. The bus will leave the Nav Centre main entrance at 6:45 a.m. and return by approximately 9 a.m. (20 min bus ride)

8:00 a.m. - Tour RAP Restoration Projects - Join Chris Critoph, Environmental Manager with the Raisin Region Conservation Authority, for a tour of local restoration projects accomplished under the Remedial Action Program for the St. Lawrence (Cornwall) AOC. Bus will leave the Nav Centre main entrance at 8 a.m. and return by 9:30 a.m. (10 min bus ride)

10:00 a.m. - Opening Ceremonies

Traditional Native Prayer—Mohawk Council of Akwesasne

Native North American Travelling College Dance Travel Troupe: The Travel Troupe consists of cultural technicians with knowledge of the Haudenosaunee lifeways. The cultural interpreters travel year round educating and performing in schools, communities and events throughout the United State and Canada.

**Tuesday May 15**

12:10 p.m. IAGLR Business Lunch (Campbell Hall)

Community Evening Events

- River Institute Fundraiser—Local Tastings— 7:00—9:00 p.m. (\$25 extra)
- Ontario Power Visitor Centre Tour—RAP Displays/IJC Water Levels 7:00—9:00 p.m.
- Defy Cup Canada vs. U.S.A. Hockey Challenge (Benson Centre) 7:30 p.m.

Shuttle buses to events leave at 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. from NavCentre

Separate shuttle to downtown establishments provided by Cornwall Chamber of Commerce

## Special Events Information

**Wednesday, May 16, 2012**

IAGLR Banquet and Awards Ceremony and Scholarships. (Campbell Hall)

Lifetime Achievement Award

Jack Vallentyne Award for Outreach and Education

Chandler-Misener Award

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Editor's Award

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**Notes**

# IAGLR 2012 SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

## Sunday, May 13, 2012

- 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. IAGLR Board of Directors meeting (Room F236)
- 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Registration open (Upper lounge)
- 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Presentation loading (Registration area)
- 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Exhibitor set up
- 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Welcome mixer (Nav Theatre Lounge)

Native North American Travelling College



## Monday, May 14

- 7:00 am - 6:00 p.m. Registration (Upper lounge)
- 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Presentation loading (Registration area)
- 6:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Early morning tour Cooper Marsh (For delegates who have pre-registered)
- 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Tour – RAP Restoration Projects (For delegates who have pre-registered)
- 9:00 p.m. – 9:30 a.m. Student volunteer training
- 10:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m. Opening Ceremonies (Campbell Hall)
- 11:00 am – 12:00 p.m. Plenary Speaker: Stuart Bunn (Campbell Hall)
- 1:40 pm – 5:20 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Poster Session and exhibitor reception (Marc Garneau and Robert Thirsk rooms)

## Tuesday, May 15

- 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Registration (Upper Lounge)
- 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Presentation loading (Registration area)
- 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Coffee and tea available all day (Marc Garneau and A section)
- 8:00 a.m. – 10:20 a.m. Concurrent sessions (see schedule)
- 11:10 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. Plenary speaker: Kelly Munkittrick (Campbell Hall)
- 12:10 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. IAGLR Business lunch (Campbell Hall)
- 1:40 p.m. – 5:20 p.m. Concurrent sessions

Early morning tour at Cooper Marsh



## Evening Events—Enjoy Your Night in Our Community

Each event will have a dedicated shuttle to and from the event.

Event shuttles leave the front entrance of NavCentre at 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Not signed up for an event? A special shuttle will be available to take you to downtown establishments, courtesy of Cornwall Chamber of Commerce

OPG Visitors Centre



**7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

**Water Levels Session**

**7:00 pm** Take a tour of the Ontario Visitors Centre, view RAP displays and meet our Jr. Scientists (local Science Fair Winners)

**7:30 p.m.** A presentation by IJC on the proposed St. Lawrence - Lake Ontario water levels regulation plan

River Institute—Tastings



**7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

**Local Tasting**

**(St. Lawrence River Institute) \$25 per person**

Enjoy an evening tour of the St. Lawrence River Institute labs, nestled by the St. Lawrence River

Enjoy tastings of local food, wine and beer

Defy Cup —Canada vs US



**7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

**Defy Cup**

**(Benson Centre)**

**Team Canada vs. Team USA**

The Mayor of the City of Cornwall (and former NHL referee, Bob Kilger) will drop the puck at 7:30 pm!

Don't miss this exciting action!

**TUESDAY, MAY 15, 2012 LOCAL TOURS AND DEFY CUP HOCKEY GAME**



**Wednesday, May 16**

- 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Registration (Upper Lounge)
- 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Presentation loading (Registration area)
- 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Coffee and tea available all day (Marc Garneau and A section)
- 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Concurrent sessions
- 11:10 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. Plenary speaker: Gail Krantzberg (Campbell Hall)
- 12:10 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch NavCentre Cafeteria
- 1:40 p.m. – 5:20 p.m. Concurrent sessions
- 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Cocktails (Marc Garneau)
- 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Banquet (Campbell Hall)

**Thursday, May 17**

- 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Registration (Upper Lounge)
- 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Presentation loading (Registration area)
- 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Coffee and tea available all day (Marc Garneau and A section)
- 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Concurrent sessions
- 11:10 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Plenary Speaker: Sarah Bailey (Campbell Hall)
- 12:20 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch NavCentre Cafeteria
- 1:20 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Concurrent sessions
- 5:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. Closing ceremony - Traditional Native Prayer (Theatre)

## Welcome Stuart Bunn, Plenary Speaker

MONDAY, MAY 14 11:00 AM—12:00 (NOON)  
CAMPBELL HALL

### *Rivers as Connected Ecosystems*



**Stuart Bunn**, *Director, Australian Rivers Institute, Griffith University Brisbane, Australia*

Professor Bunn is the Director of the Australian Rivers Institute at Griffith University in Brisbane. His major research interests are in the ecology of river and wetland systems with a particular focus on the science to underpin river management, and he has published widely on this topic.

Professor Bunn has extensive experience working with international and Australian government agencies on water resource management issues. He is a member of the Scientific Steering Committee for the Global Water System Project, the Chair of the Scientific Expert Panel for the Southeast Queensland Healthy Waterways Partnership and has previously served as Chair of the Scientific Advisory Panel for the Lake Eyre Basin Ministerial Council and as a Director of Land and Water Australia. He also leads the Australian Climate Change Adaptation Research Network for Water Resources and Freshwater Biodiversity and, in 2008, was appointed as an Australian National Water Commissioner.

In 2007, Professor Bunn was awarded the Australian Society for Limnology Medal in recognition of his outstanding contribution to research and management of Australia's inland waters.



## Welcome Kelly Munkittrick, Plenary Speaker

TUESDAY, MAY 15  
11:10 AM—12:10 PM  
CAMPBELL HALL

### ***A New Paradigm for Monitoring the Cumulative Effects of Stressors in the Great Lakes***



**Kelly Munkittrick**, *Scientific Director, Canada Research Chair in Ecosystem Health Assessment, Canadian Rivers Institute; Professor, Department of Biology, University of New Brunswick*

Dr. Munkittrick was appointed Scientific Director of the Canadian Water Network in March 2011, a position where he leads the development of an innovative network focused on providing clean, safe and sustainable water across Canada and internationally.

Dr. Munkittrick is also the Canada Research Chair in Ecosystem Health Assessment in the Canadian Rivers Institute at the University of New Brunswick, where he assesses the environmental impacts of industrial and agricultural activities and develops methods for environmental effects monitoring and cumulative effects assessment of multiple stressors on aquatic environments.

## Welcome Gail Krantzberg, Plenary Speaker

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16  
11:10 AM—12:10 PM  
CAMPBELL HALL

### Complex Science is No Match for Impaired Governance

#### An IAGLR plenary featuring :

**Gail Krantzberg**, *Professor and Director of the Centre for Engineering and Public Policy in the School of Engineering Practice McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario*

Dr. Krantzberg is actively engaged in research at the interface between science and public policy with extensive expertise on disciplines that could advance Great Lakes sustainability. She worked for the Ontario Ministry of Environment from 1988 to 2001, as the Coordinator and Senior Policy Advisor for the Great Lakes Program. She is a past president of IAGLR and sits on the Board of Directors for several Great Lakes and policy-related non-profit organizations.

Dr. Krantzberg was the Director of the Great Lakes Regional Office of the International Joint Commission from 2001 to 2005. She is currently Professor and founding Director of the ArcelorMittal Dofasco Centre for Engineering and Public Policy at McMaster University offering Canada's first Master's Degree in Engineering and Public Policy. She also serves as Adjunct Professor at UNU-INWEH, working on lake management research.

Dr. Krantzberg received her Ph.D. from the University of Toronto in the field of ecotoxicology and a B.Sc. from McGill University . She has authored more than 100 scientific and policy articles on issues pertaining to ecosystem quality and sustainable public policy.



## Welcome Sarah Bailey, Plenary Speaker

THURSDAY, MAY 17  
11:10 AM -- 12:00 (NOON)  
CAMPBELL HALL

### ***Current State of Ballast Water as a Vector of Introduction and Spread of Aquatic Invasive Species in the Great Lakes***

**Sarah Bailey**, *Research Scientist, Fisheries and Oceans Canada; Principal Investigator with the NSERC Canadian Aquatic Invasive Species Network; Adjunct Professor, Great Lakes Institute for Environmental Research (University of Windsor) and the University of Toronto (Scarborough)*



Dr. Bailey has conducted research on ship-mediated invasions since 2000, and leads federal ballast water research and monitoring activities in the Great Lakes and Arctic regions of Canada. Her research has been instrumental to the development of effective ballast water policies in Canada and the U.S. She also advises on development of international regulations through working groups at the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea and the International Maritime Organization.

Her primary research interests include quantification of propagule pressure associated with different invasion vectors, risk assessment, and development and evaluation of management strategies.

# General Conference Information

## Internet Access

The Nav Centre maintains open wireless access for delegates in the meeting rooms and academic areas. Internet access in the residences is wired.

## Uploading Presentations

A dedicated station for uploading presentations will be located in the Registration Area and will be available during the same periods of time the Registration desk is open: Sunday between 4:00-7:00 p.m.; Monday between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.; Tuesday and Weds between 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 pm; and Thursday between 7:00 and 1:00 p.m.

Bring your presentation on a USB flash drive or CD for uploading at the registration desk a minimum 4 hours prior to the start of your session (Mon afternoon for those of you speaking Tuesday morning). You will be able to verify that your presentation works properly on the conference computer system. For those speakers wishing to have access to a room to practice their talks, please see the registration desk.

Name your presentation file in the format "Sess#\_PresenterLastName\_DayTime". For example, presenter Jane Doe, speaking in Session 18. Lake Ontario Ecosystem: Status and Future Directions on Tuesday at 9:40 AM would name her talk "Sess18\_Doe\_Tue940". Use 12-hr rather than 24-hr time and omit the colon between hours and minutes. Verify your session number and presentation time. Session numbers may be found on the Sessions page. Presentation times may be found by visiting the Schedule of Scientific Presentations.

Presentations should be in PowerPoint format. Conference computers will be running MS Office 2010 in a Windows operating system, and will be able to handle any version of PowerPoint back to 1997. If you have concerns about compatibility (e.g., coming from a Mac operating system), bring a PDF-file version of your talk as a backup. Computers will have wireless Internet access. If your talk involves an internet demonstration, incorporate screen shots into your PowerPoint rather than relying on a live Internet session.

## Oral Presentations

Each speaker has 20 minutes (15 min for the presentation, followed by 5 min for Q & A and transition to next speaker). Time limits will be enforced. An LCD projector and dedicated computer will be available in each room. Presenters may not use their own laptop. Bring a USB flashdrive back up of your presentation with you.

## Poster Presentations

The poster social will be Monday, May 14, from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Authors should stand by their poster for discussion during the poster session. The poster session is scheduled in two connected room (Marc Garneau and Robert Thirsk) and we invite presenters to mount the posters between Sunday night and Monday before 5:00 PM (the rooms will be open for the duration of the conference, so you will be able to hang your poster as soon as you arrive). Posters must be removed after the poster session. To find your poster location, cross-reference the poster board ID number with the number listed by your presentation in the conference program book.

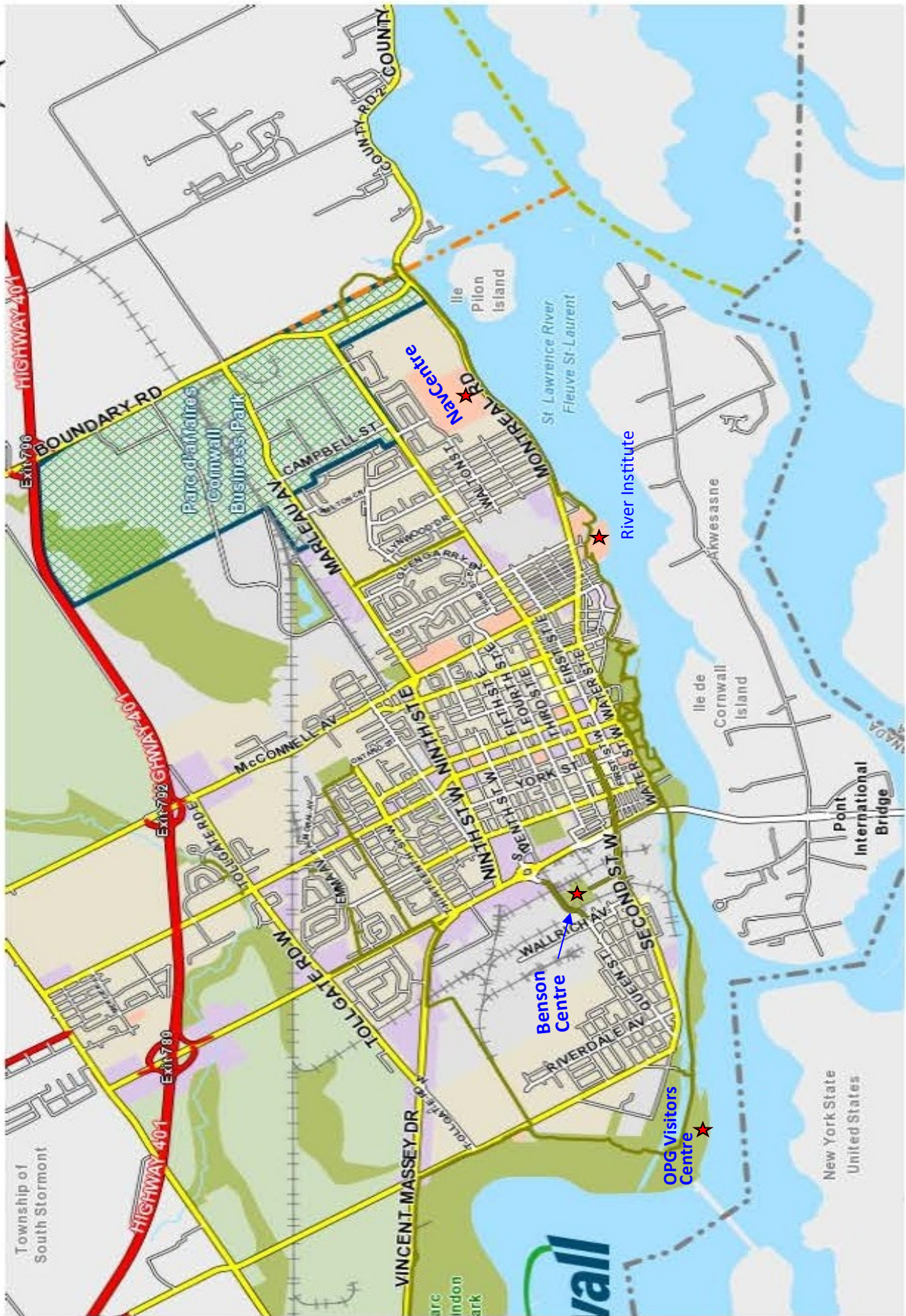
Boards will be available in the Marc Garneau room for further viewing of posters during the week, we invite authors to re-display their posters on the same day as your session. Please ensure your poster is removed at the end of that day.

**Presentations and posters are the property of the presenters. Audio recording, copying , videotaping or photographing of a presentation or poster without the permission of the presenter is prohibited.**





# Map of Cornwall





## Hours of Operation



### Main Dinning Room

#### Breakfast

##### Monday to Friday

6:45 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

##### Saturday and Sunday

8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

#### Lunch

##### Monday to Friday

11:15 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

##### Saturday and Sunday

12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

#### Dinner

##### Monday to Friday

5:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

##### Saturday

5:15 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

##### Sunday

5:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.



### Lift Off Tuck Shop

##### Monday to Friday

7:00 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.

##### Saturday and Sunday

10:00 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.

### Jet Set Pub

##### Monday to Thursday

4:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

##### Friday

4:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.

##### Saturday and Sunday

5:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.

### Wellness Centre

#### Swimming Pool

##### Monday to Thursday

5:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
4:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

##### Friday

5:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

##### Saturday and Sunday

12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

#### Gymnasium

##### Monday to Thursday

5:00 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.

##### Friday

5:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

##### Saturday

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

##### Sunday

9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

#### Fitness Centre

##### Monday to Thursday

5:00 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.

##### Friday

5:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

##### Saturday

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

##### Sunday

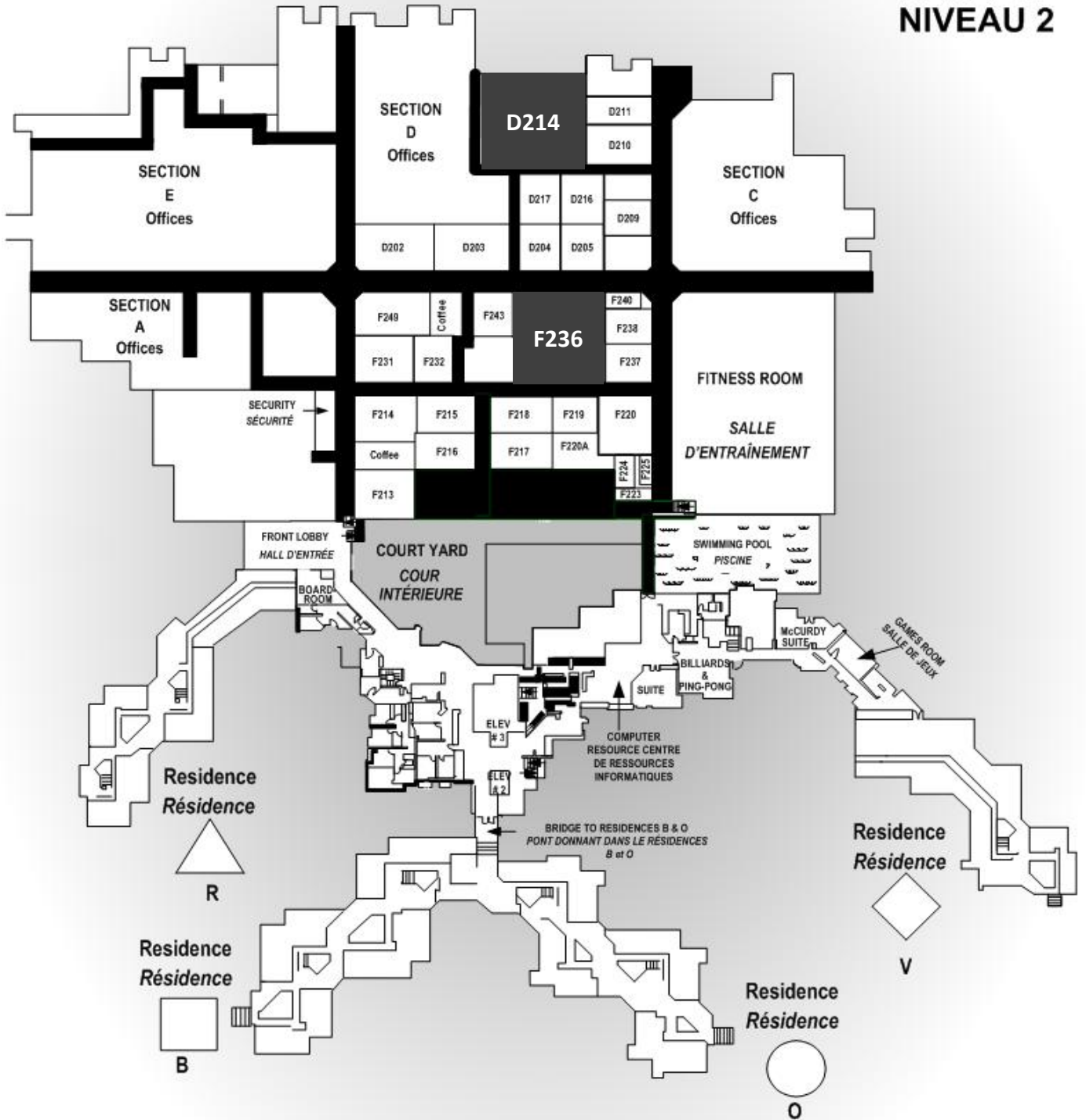
9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.







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# **Program Overview**

## Program Overview

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### Monday, May 14

- 1:40 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.    **8. Hypoxia in the Great Lakes: Detection and Prediction**  
*Room Theatre*
- 1:40 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.    **14. Multi-media Assessment of Toxics in the Great Lakes 2012**  
*Room F236*
- 1:40 p.m. - 3:20 p.m.    **24. The Past, Present and Future of the Ottawa River**  
*Room C119*
- 1:40 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.    **2. Physical Processes in Lakes**  
*Room D214*
- 1:40 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.    **19. Chip Weseloh Tribute Session - 35 Years of Great Lakes Wildlife Research**  
*Room D101*
- 1:40 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.    **43. Large Vessel Research Capability and Program History on the Laurentian Great Lakes**  
*Room D117*
- 1:40 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.    **29. Atlantic Salmon Restoration - Tools and Techniques, Challenges and Solutions, Partnerships and Progress**  
*Room A119*
- 3:40 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.    **9. Quantifying Cumulative Effects to Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Tributaries Through Regional Monitoring**  
*Room C119*

**Tuesday, May 15**

- 8:00 a.m. - 9:20 a.m. **16. The History of Water Pollution Issues in the St. Lawrence River**  
*Room Theatre*
- 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. **28. Native and Non-native Invertebrates: Biology, Ecology and Role in Food Webs**  
*Room F236*
- 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. **18. Lake Ontario Ecosystem: Status and Future Directions**  
*Room C119*
- 8:00 a.m. - 9:20 a.m. **3. Nearshore Physical Limnology and Coastal Processes**  
*Room D214*
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- 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. **17. Mercury Sources, Cycling and Bioaccumulation in the Great Lakes**  
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- 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. **51. Managing Flows and Levels in the Great Lakes/St. Lawrence River System for Today and Tomorrow**  
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- 1:40 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. **34. Risk Assessment and Response to Aquatic Invasive Species**  
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- 3:20 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. **4. Reservoir Capacity and Sediment Loading Investigations: Implications for Dam Removal**  
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***55th International Association for Great Lakes  
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10:00 a.m. **Opening Ceremonies**

Traditional Native Opening Prayer—Mohawk Council of Akwesasne

North American Traveling College Dance Troupe

Mayor Bob Kilger, City of Cornwall

Robert Letcher, IAGLR president

Hendrik Saaltink, Chair, St. Lawrence River Institute of Environmental Sciences

Peter Hodson / Jeff Ridal Conference Co-chairs

11:00 am **Stuart Bunn**, *Director, Australian Rivers Institute, Griffith University  
Brisbane, Australia*

12:00 pm— Lunch NavCentre Cafeteria



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| Time | Presented by / Title  | Presented by / Title  | Presented by / Title  | Presented by / Title   |
| 1:40 | <u>V. Klump et al.</u><br>Hypoxia and Biogeochemical Cycling in Green Bay, Lake Michigan  | <u>R.G. Vannier et al.</u><br>Historical Distribution and Recovery of DDT as Interpreted from Michigan Inland Lake Sediments  | <u>M. Brown</u><br>Ottawa River Health: Who is Paying Attention?  | <u>L. Boegman et al.</u><br>Instability of Poincare Waves in Lake Erie   |
| 2:00 | <u>T.J. Valenta et al.</u><br>Thermal Stratification and Oxygen Depletion in the Hypolimnion of the Deep Waters of Green Bay                                    | <u>P. Helm et al.</u><br>Perfluoroalkyl Sulfonic Acids, Carboxylic Acids, and Phosphinic Acids, and Polyfluoroalkyl Phosphoric Acid Diesters in Remote and Impacted Sediments from the Great Lakes Region | <u>T.D. Redpath</u><br>The City of Ottawa's Water Quality Monitoring Initiatives for the Ottawa River   | <u>M.B. Goral and N.D. Yan</u><br>Can the Prediction of Long-Term Zooplankton Abundance be Improved Using the Wind Field over Harp Lake? |
| 2:20 | <u>B. Biddanda et al.</u><br>Time-series Observations Reveal Seasonal Basin-wide Bottom Water Hypoxia in Muskegon Lake AOC                                      | <u>J.A. Banda et al.</u><br>Changes in Dissolved Phase PCB and Hexachlorobenzene (HCB) Concentrations in the Ashtabula River Pre- and Post-Environmental Dredging   | <u>D.W. Rodgers</u><br>The Ottawa River Project and the Development of Bioenergetics Based Modelling of Pollutant Accumulation in Aquatic Biota | <u>F. Dupont et al.</u><br>The Thermocline Problem in a Coupled Atmosphere-Lake-Hydrology Modelling System                               |
| 2:40 | <u>C.A. Stow et al.</u><br>Rapid Summertime Oxygen Depletion in Saginaw Bay   | <u>R. Lohmann et al.</u><br>Spatial, Temporal Trends and Air-Water Exchange of PAHs Across Lake Superior  | <u>J. Leblanc et al.</u><br>Monitoring of Chalk River Laboratories Effluents to the Ottawa River  | <u>S. Ahmed and C.D. Troy</u><br>Spatial Structure of Poincare Waves in Lake Michigan  |
| 3:00 | <u>D.D. Kane et al.</u><br>Morphometry, Meteorology, and Metalimnetic Oxygen Maxima: Monitoring Dissolved Oxygen Dynamics in the Sandusky Subbasin of Lake Erie | <u>R.A. Yucuis et al.</u><br>Organosiloxane Compounds in Urban and Rural Air  | <u>R. Silke et al.</u><br>Nuclear Legacy Liabilities on the Ottawa River: Risk Assessment and Remediation Strategy for Ottawa River Sediment    | <u>A. Cortes et al.</u><br>Mixing of Density Currents Inflowing a Mediterranean Stratified Reservoir (Spain)                             |
| 3:20 | <b>BREAK (Marc Garneau and A-Section)</b>   |   |   |  |

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| <p><u>C. Pekarik et al.</u><br/>Legacy Contaminants in Great Lakes Herring Gulls, 1987-2010</p>   | <p><u>R. O'Gorman</u> and C.P. Madenjian<br/>Research Vessels of the Great Lakes Science Center: A Recent History</p>   | <p><u>W. Ardren et al.</u><br/>Landlocked Atlantic Salmon Restoration and Management in Lake Champlain</p>   | 1:40 |
| <p><u>S.R. de Solla et al.</u><br/>Reconcilable Differences: Methodological Changes and Long Term Monitoring of Contaminants in Herring Gulls</p>   | <p><u>M.J. Burrows</u><br/>The Great Lakes Association of Science Ships - A Grass Roots Effort to Foster Collaboration between Operators of U.S. and Canadian Science Ships</p> | <p><u>J.H. Johnson</u><br/>New York's Lake Ontario Atlantic Salmon Program: A Review of Opportunities, Constraints, and Management Actions</p>                                       | 2:00 |
| <p><u>R.J. Letcher et al.</u><br/>The Great Lakes Herring Gull Monitoring Program (GLHGMP): The Complex Cocktail of Emerging Contaminants and Comparative Spatiotemporal Changes, Sources and Fate Across the Great Lakes</p> | <p><u>T. Lewchanin et al.</u><br/>Research Vessels and Their Capabilities in the Lower Great Lakes</p>  | <p><u>D.R. Rosborough et al.</u><br/>Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources - Fish Culture in Support of the Lake Ontario Atlantic Salmon Restoration Program.</p>                    | 2:20 |
| <p><u>C.E. Hebert</u> and D.V.C. Weseloh<br/>Multiple Stressor Impacts on Top Avian Predators in the Laurentian Great Lakes</p>   | <p><u>T.P. O'Brien et al.</u><br/>Research Capabilities and Program Overview of USGS Large Vessels in Lakes Michigan and Huron</p>  | <p><u>C.C. Wilson</u> and A.G. Kidd<br/>Genetic Assessment of Lake Ontario Atlantic Salmon Strain and Lifestage Contributions and Fitness through Pedigree Reconstruction</p>        | 2:40 |
| <p><u>D.J. Moore</u><br/>Long-term Population Studies of Waterbirds on the Canadian Great Lakes, 1976-2011.</p>   | <p><u>R.D. Ricketts</u><br/>The R/V Blue Heron: the University of Minnesota's Laboratory on the Great Lakes</p>   | <p><u>H. Haddrath et al.</u><br/>Restoring Atlantic Salmon to Lake Ontario One Gene at a Time</p> <p><b>CANCELLED</b></p>  | 3:00 |
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| 3:40 | <u>X. Mou et al.</u><br>Microbially Mediated Nitrogen Removal Processes in Hypoxic Water of Lake Erie  | <u>N.T. Petrich et al.</u><br>Quantifying Meteorological Artifacts in Passive Air Sampling: Implications for Urban and Regional POPs Monitoring in the Great Lakes Region | <u>L. Wang et al.</u><br>Delineation and Validation of River Network Spatial Units for Water Resources and Fisheries Management                  | <u>S. Bocaniov et al.</u><br>A 3-Dimensional Modeling of the Rappbode Reservoir: the First Insights into its Hydrodynamics                                 |
| 4:00 | <u>G. Matisoff et al.</u><br>Chironomid Burrows Increase Sediment-Oxygen Demand in Lake Erie Sediments   | <u>A.M. McLeod et al.</u><br>Variability in PCB Concentration Between Generalist and Specialist Species   | <u>J.D. Allan et al.</u><br>Assessing Cumulative Influence of Multiple Stressors at Large Spatial Scale  | <u>C.J. Subich et al.</u><br>Numerical Studies of Near-Boundary Currents in Lake Simcoe  |
| 4:20 | <u>D.K. Rucinski et al.</u><br>A Modeling Analysis of Loading Scenarios and Hypoxia in Lake Erie   | <u>S.M. Mackintosh et al.</u><br>Analysis of Brominated Flame Retardants in the Lake Erie Food Web: Levels, Bioaccumulation, and Trophic Transfer                         | <u>L.W. Stanfield</u><br>Quantifying Assimilative Capacity of all Tributaries to Lake Simcoe Based on Cumulative Impacts to Biological Integrity | <u>P.C. Liu</u><br>On Three Cases of Entering Freaque Waves in Lake Michigan in 2011 and what we do or do not know about Freaque Waves<br><b>CANCELLED</b> |
| 4:40 | <u>T.M. Sesterhenn et al.</u><br>Individual-based Modeling to Forecast Population-level Effects of Increasing Hypoxia and Temperature on Fish Species in Lake Erie's Central Basin | <u>M.S. Milligan et al.</u><br>Identification of Emerging Contaminants in Great Lakes fish using GCxGC-TOF Mass Spectrometry  | <u>T. Iacobelli et al.</u><br>Can Municipal Planners Realistically Consider Cumulative Effects in Land Use Decisions?                            | <u>R.R. Yerubandi et al.</u><br>Hydrodynamics And Water Quality In A Spatially Complex Lake (Lake Of The Woods)  |
| 5:00 |  | <u>D. Gefell et al.</u><br>Survey of Emerging Contaminants Associated with Areas of Concern in the Great Lakes Basin  |  | <u>S. MacIntyre</u><br>Mixing Dynamics in Lake Victoria, East Africa - Will Changes in Climate alter Contemporary Patterns?                                |
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| <u>L.R. Wires</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Monitoring Double-crested Cormorants in the Great Lakes: Forty Years of Coordination between the U.S. and Canada.           | <u>R.T. Kraus</u> and M.W. Rogers<br>Role of Large Vessels in Lake Erie Fisheries Research   | C. Halewood and <u>A.J. Cousineau</u><br>Natural Curiosity: A Resource for Teachers - Building Children's Understanding of the World through Environmental Inquiry                                      | 3:40 |
| <u>M.S. Ridgway</u> and T.A. Middel<br>Distribution of Double-Crested Cormorants Before, During and After a Regime Shift in the Coastal Food Web of Lake Huron | <u>B.F. Lantry</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Planning, Construction and Science Programs for the New US Geological Survey (USGS) Research Vessels on Lakes Erie and Ontario | <u>A.L.S. Houde</u> <i>et al.</i><br>The Effect of Non-Native Salmonids on the Performance of Atlantic Salmon During the Juvenile Life Stage  | 4:00 |
| <u>S.B. Elbin</u> and E.C. Craig<br>Population Dynamics of Double-crested Cormorants Breeding in the New York Harbor   | <u>T.J. Stewart</u> and B.F. Lantry<br>Lake Ontario Ecosystem Surveillance Using Large Vessels: Challenges and Opportunities                                       | <u>R.J. Bobrowski</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Survival, Condition, and Out-migration Timing of Reintroduced Atlantic Salmon in Cobourg Brook, Ontario  | 4:20 |
| K. McDonald and <u>R. Toner</u><br>Wildlife Research and Management in Canada's Largest City? A Retrospective of Tommy Thompson Park                           | <u>M. Walsh</u> <i>et al.</i><br>A Synopsis of the 2011 Great Lakes Trawling Workshop  | <u>T.E. Pitcher</u> and C. Black<br>Effects of Hybridization on the Reintroduction of Atlantic Salmon to Lake Ontario   | 4:40 |
| <u>D.V.C. Weseloh</u> and D.J. Moore<br>Roosting Habits, Post-Fledging Dispersal and Wintering Areas of Great Egrets from Southern Ontario                     |  | <u>R. Toner</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Strategic Restoration of Atlantic Salmon ( <i>Salmo salar</i> ) Habitat - A Case Study of a Partnered Approach to Restoring a Subwatershed in the Greater Toronto Area | 5:00 |
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| 8:00 | <u>R.B. Hill</u> and P. Klawunn<br>Long-term Monitoring at Wolfe Island: 18 Years of Water Quality Data on the Upper St. Lawrence River  | <u>D.R. Branson</u> and A.S. McNaught<br>Feeding Preferences of an Invasive Mysid, <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> , in Lake Michigan  | <u>E.T. Howell</u> and J.C. Makarewicz<br>Features of Water Quality in the Nearshore of Lake Ontario in 2008                           | <u>T. Sakai</u> and L.G. Redekopp<br>Lagrangian Particle Transport Driven by Basin-scale Internal Waves in a Circular Lake         |
| 8:20 | <u>J. Robinson</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Long-Term Assessment of Mercury in Sport Fish from the St. Lawrence River, Canada  | <u>B.T. Boscarino</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Effect of Light, Prey Density, and Prey Type on the Feeding Rates of the Invasive Mysid Shrimp, <i>Hemimysis anomala</i>           | <u>A. Dove</u> and B. Hill<br>Updated Long-term Trends of Nutrients and Major Ions in Lake Ontario                                     | <u>M.P. McCombs</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Validation of a Hydrodynamic and Wave Model of Eastern Lake Ontario                           |
| 8:40 | <u>L. Champoux</u><br>Trends in Contaminants in the Great Blue Heron Along the St. Lawrence River  | <u>J.T. Ives</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Spatial Variability in Food Sources of the Invasive Shrimp, <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> , Within Lentic and Lotic Systems                  | <u>S.M. Short</u> <i>et al.</i><br>The Molecular Ecology of Algal Viruses in and Around Lake Ontario                                   | <u>A. Oveysy</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Three-Dimensional Hydrodynamics and Nutrient Transport in the Bay of Quinte                      |
| 9:00 | <u>C. deBarros</u> and J. Anderson<br>Historic Contaminant Releases to the St. Lawrence River - Their Impact and Current Environmental Signature   | <u>S. Avlijas</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Patterns of Distribution and Abundance of <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> in the St. Lawrence River in Relation to Physico-Chemical Variables | <u>M. Munawar</u> <i>et al.</i><br>A Structural and Functional Assessment of the Microbial - Planktonic Food Web of Lake Ontario       | <u>A. Jabbari Sahebari</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Oscillating Boundary Layers in Lakes and Coastal Oceans                                |
| 9:20 | <b>BREAK</b>   |   |  |  |



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| <p><u>D. Puric-Mladenovic</u> and K. Gee<br/>           A Vision for Terrestrial Vegetation Inventory and Monitoring for the Lake Simcoe Watershed</p>  | <p><u>G. Meadows</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Motion Compensated Buoy, Laser Wind Sensor Measurements of the Turbulent Marine Boundary Layer Over Lake Michigan</p>  | <p><u>S.R. Stein</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Habitat Characterization of Southern Lake Michigan River Plumes: Implications for Fish Recruitment</p>  | 8:00 |
| <p><u>E.P. Thuss</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Soil Resource Information Renewal for Five Southwestern Lake Simcoe Watersheds</p>  | <p><u>G. Leshkevich</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           NOAA SAR-Derived High-Resolution Winds for the Great Lakes</p>  | <p><u>A.S. McNaught</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Assessment of Nursery Habitat Use by Larval Fishes in the St. Clair River Delta, MI</p>  | 8:20 |
| <p><u>J.A. Thompson</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Comparing the Particle Size Distribution of Parent and Eroded Soil at Construction Sites in the Grand River and Lake Simcoe Watersheds</p>   | <p><u>D.M. O'Donnell</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Lake Champlain: Optical Characterization, Historic Comparisons, and Tests of Closure</p>   | <p><u>L.B. Johnson</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           A Comparison of 4 Analytical Methods to Derive a Composite Bioindicator of Fish Condition Relative to Anthropogenic Stress at Great Lakes Coastal Margins</p> | 8:40 |
| <p><u>K.A. Baranowska</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Drivers of the Spatial and Temporal Variation in <math>\delta^{15}\text{N}</math> and <math>\delta^{13}\text{C}</math> Signatures of Particulate Organic Matter in Lake Simcoe</p> | <p><u>R.A. Shuchman</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Generation of an Operational Algorithm to Retrieve Chlorophyll, Dissolved Organic Carbon, and Suspended Minerals from Satellite Data of the Great lakes</p> | <p><u>K.E. Kovalenko</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Invertebrate, Fish, Diatom and Bird Community Responses to Anthropogenic Stress in the Laurentian Great Lakes Coastal Wetlands: Threshold Analysis</p>      | 9:00 |
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| 9:40  | <u>S. Yacoob</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Investigation Of Toxicity Source At Ross Lake Flin Flon, Ma.  | <u>Y. de Lafontaine</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Seasonal Variability in Potential Risk of <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> Transfer by Shipping in Montreal Harbour.   | <u>H.J. Kling</u> and M. Munawar<br>A Detailed Taxonomic Assessment of Potentially Toxic Cyanobacteria in the Bay of Quinte, Lake Ontario, 2010                 | <u>R. Valipour</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Evidence of Sediment Resuspension in Central Lake Erie  |
| 10:00 | <u>C. O'Sullivan</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Abundance of Black Carbon and Polychlorinated Biphenyl Congeners in Highly Impacted Sediment from Indiana Harbor and Ship Canal                               | <u>T.B. Johnson</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Resolving Fish Predation on <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> : Gut Contents, Digestion Rate, and Species Specific Molecular Primers  | <u>B. Weidel</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Deep Green: Dynamics and Implications of a Deep Chlorophyll Layer in Lake Ontario   | <u>J.D. Ackerman</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Impact of Physical Processes on the Oxygen Depletion in Central Lake Erie                               |
| 10:20 | <u>K.C. Hornbuckle</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Measurement and Estimation of PCB Pore Water Concentrations and their Effect in the Release of PCBs from Sediment to Water in Indiana Harbor and Ship Canal | <u>M.J. Yuille</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Energetic Effects of <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> on Yellow Perch ( <i>Perca flavescens</i> ) in Lake Ontario   | <u>K.T. Holeck</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Lake Ontario's Nearshore Zooplankton Community: Response to Invasion by Non-native Species and Changes in Lake Productivity | <u>M.G. Wells</u> and M.A. Coman<br>Turbulence and Temperature Variability in the Near Shore Benthic Region of Lake Opeongo, Canada.          |
| 10:40 | <u>J.M. Roche</u> and D.R. Lee<br>Discharge of a Groundwater Plume to a Major River   | <u>J. Marty</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Comparison of the Ecology of the Native <i>Mysis diluviana</i> and the Exotic <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> from Lake Ontario Based on Stable Isotopes and Fatty Acid Analyses. | <u>K.L. Bowen</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Consumption of <i>Bythotrephes longimanus</i> by <i>Mysis diluviana</i> and <i>Hemimysis anomala</i> in Lake Ontario         | <u>B. Hlevca</u> and M.G. Wells<br>Man-made Influences upon the Water Exchange Driven by Lake Seiches in a Coastal Wetland of the Great Lakes |
| 11:00 | <b>Plenary—Kelly Munkittrick—A New Paradigm for Monitoring the Cumulative Effects of Stressors in the Great Lakes (Campbell Hall)</b>   |   |   |   |
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| <u>D. Danesh et al.</u><br>Non-Pollen Palynomorphs as Indicators of Long-Term Anthropogenic Impacts on Cooks Bay, Lake Simcoe, Ontario. | <u>R.A. Shuchman et al.</u><br>Satellite Derived Primary Productivity Estimates for Lake Michigan  | <u>W.B. Richardson et al.</u><br>Variation in Fatty Acid Content of Seston from Tributaries, Rivermouths and Nearshore Lake Michigan                                  | 9:40  |
| <u>M. Dittrich et al.</u><br>Phosphorus Diagenesis in Lake Simcoe Sediments: Modeling and Experimental Study                            | <u>M.J. Sayers et al.</u><br>Mapping Harmful Algae Blooms (HABs) in the Great Lakes Using MODIS and MERIS Satellite Data                               | <u>J.H. Larson et al.</u><br>Relationships Between Elemental Composition and Watershed Characteristics in Caddisflies and Dreissenid Mussels                          | 10:00 |
| <u>G.K. Nurnberg et al.</u><br>Evidence of Internal Phosphorus Load in Lake Simcoe  | <u>C.E. Binding et al.</u><br>The MERIS Maximum Chlorophyll Index; Its Merits and Limitations for Algal Bloom Monitoring Over Inland Waters            | <u>J.S. Schaeffer et al.</u><br>Characterizing and Classifying Great Lakes Rivermouths  | 10:20 |
| <u>R. Cossu and M.G. Wells</u><br>Observations of Large Amplitude Internal Seiches Interacting with the Lake Bed in Lake Simcoe         | <u>M.J. Sayers et al.</u><br>A Satellite Algorithm for River Plume Mapping within the Great Lakes Basin  | <u>M.L. Carlson Mazur et al.</u><br>Understanding Hydrogeomorphic Influences on Rivermouth Ecosystem Structure  | 10:40 |
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| 1:40 | <u>P.V. Hodson et al.</u><br>Spatial and Temporal Patterns of Embryotoxicity of Contaminants Extracted from American Eel ( <i>Anguilla rostrata</i> )      | <u>J. Iacarella et al.</u><br>Functional Responses of Invasive Mysids at Different Temperatures  | <u>R.M. Dermott and R.G. Bonnell</u><br>Good Bye Diporeia, and Thanks for all the Fish.   | <u>R.E.H. Smith et al.</u><br>Modeling Hydrodynamic Contributions to Inter-Annual Variation of Recruitment Success in Walleye of West Basin Lake Erie                  |
| 2:00 | <u>J.L. Newsted</u><br>Application of the Tissue Residue Approach (TRA) to Assess Potential Risks of Perfluorinated Compounds to Aquatic Organisms         | <u>S.F. Figary et al.</u><br>Unexpected Effects of an Invasive Zooplankton, <i>Cerropagis pengoi</i> , on the trophic Position of Planktivorous Fish, <i>Alosa pseudoharengus</i> , in New York's Finger Lakes | <u>S.J. Lozano et al.</u><br>The Expansion of <i>Dreissena</i> and Long-Term Shifts in Benthic Macroinvertebrate Community Structure in Lake Ontario, 1998-2008 | <u>P. Pernica et al.</u><br>Is There a Relationship Between Variance in Horizontal Plankton Distribution and Internal Waves in the Epilimnion of Lake Opeongo, Canada? |
| 2:20 | <u>M. Ryder et al.</u><br>Non Steady State Bioaccumulation of PCBs in Lake Trout ( <i>Salvelinus Namaycush</i> )   | <u>R. Castaneda et al.</u><br>Distribution, Abundance and Condition of the Asian Clam ( <i>Corbicula fluminea</i> ) Along a Thermal Gradient in the St-Lawrence River  | <u>J. Watkins et al.</u><br>High Frequency Acoustics Reveal Patchiness Structure in Zooplankton Distribution in Lake Ontario                                    | <u>D.J. Schwab et al.</u><br>The Role of Lake Circulation in the Development of the 2011 Algal Bloom in Western Lake Erie  |
| 2:40 | <u>P.C. Baumann et al.</u><br>Assessment of the Fish Tumor BUI for Canadian Areas of Concern in the Lower Great Lakes                                      | <u>C.V. Florence et al.</u><br>Impacts of Water discharge from a Coal-Fired Power Plant on Native Unionids in Western Lake Erie  | <u>J.A. Hoyle</u><br>Fish Community Status in North Eastern Lake Ontario--Indicator of an Ecosystem in Change   | <u>Y. Sun et al.</u><br>The Influences of Physical Flushing Timescales on the Spatial Distribution of Plankton in Lake St. Clair                                       |
| 3:00 | <u>J.M. Daley et al.</u><br>Bioamplification as a Non-Steady State Bioaccumulation Mechanism for Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in Fish and Wildlife | <u>T.V. McDaniel et al.</u><br>The CABIN Program; Monitoring the Benthic Macroinvertebrate Community as a Bio-Indicator for Lake of the Woods.   | <u>B.W. Metcalfe and T.B. Johnson</u><br>Assessing Fish Health in Lake Ontario Using Biochemical and Nutritional Metrics  | <u>N.R. Urban and G.A. McKinley</u><br>CO <sub>2</sub> -driven Acidification of the Great Lakes: Equilibrium and Kinetic Bounds on the Magnitude                       |
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| <u>D. Bouffard et al.</u><br>Spatial and Temporal Variability of Phosphorus in Lake Simcoe as a Result of Hydrodynamic Circulation                            | <u>J. Tan et al.</u><br>Application of Satellite Remote Sensing to Monitor Episodic River Inflow Plumes in Southern Lake Michigan                            | <u>N.D. Amaral</u><br>Ecological and Geomorphic Impacts of a Severe Storm Event on Watersheds in the Toronto Region  | 1:40 |
| <u>H. Bolkhari and L. Boegman</u><br>Potential Effects of Climate Change on Aquatic Ecosystem of Lake Simcoe  | <u>S.V. Nghiem and G. Leshkevich</u><br>Toward an Operational Satellite Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) Ice Type Classification Algorithm for the Great Lakes | <u>T.M. Redder et al.</u><br>Development of Integrated Tools for Assessing Current and Future Sedimentation in Great Lakes River Mouth Systems                         | 2:00 |
| <u>T.Y. Kim et al.</u><br>Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of Phytoplankton Production and Size Distribution in a Large Mesotrophic Lake (Lake Simcoe)           | <u>M.K. Reif et al.</u><br>U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Airborne Coastal Mapping in the Great Lakes  | <u>P.W. Seelbach and J.H. Larson</u><br>Cafe Session: Great Lakes Rivermouth Ecosystems: Understanding Connections Between Ecosystem Structure, Function and Services. | 2:20 |
| <u>T.A. Tennant et al.</u><br>Seasonal and Long-Term Trends in Diatom Composition in Lake Simcoe  | <u>S.D. Mackey et al.</u><br>ROVER - A Remotely Operated Vessel for Environmental Research   | Previous Presentation Continued  | 2:40 |
| <u>A. Gudimov et al.</u><br>A Bayesian Network for Studying the Causal Links Between Phosphorus Loading and Plankton Patterns in Lake Simcoe, Ontario, Canada | <u>C.N. Brooks et al.</u><br>Mapping Cladophora and Other Submerged Aquatic Vegetation in the Great lakes Using Satellite Imagery                            | Previous Presentation Continued  | 3:00 |
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| 3:40 | <p><u>J. Verreault et al.</u><br/>           GPS-Based Biotelemetry and Stable Isotope Profiling Meets Ecotoxicology: a Novel Approach for Understanding the Exposure of Avian Species to Organohalogen Contaminants</p>    | <p><u>R.P. Boudreau</u><br/>           Lake Superior National Marine Conservation Area</p>  | <p><u>C. Chu et al.</u><br/>           An Ecological Classification for the Nearshore Zone of Lake Ontario</p>                                      | <p><u>G.A. McKinley et al.</u><br/>           Physical Drivers of Biogeochemical and Carbon Cycling in Lake Superior</p>   |
| 4:00 | <p><u>T. Schulz et al.</u><br/>           Comparison of PCBs in East Chicago, IN and Columbus Junction, IA in Indoor and Outdoor Air</p>  | <p><u>C.C. Drake and C. Vis</u><br/>           Monitoring of Water Quality and Quantity in 3rd and 4th Order Streams in Pukaskwa National Park: Defining and Maintaining Ecological Integrity</p> | <p><u>B.J. Morrison and T.J. Stewart</u><br/>           A Conceptual Model of Lake Ontario Nearshore and Off-shore Trophic Flows</p>                | <p><u>D. Planas and S. Paquet</u><br/>           Extreme Storm Events and Harmful Algae Blooms Occurrences, in a Lake with Low External Nutrient Loads</p>               |
| 4:20 | <p><u>L.E. King et al.</u><br/>           Microsatellite DNA Mutations Associated with PAH Exposure in Double-Crested Cormorants, <i>Phalacrocorax auritus</i></p>  | <p><u>S.R. Parker et al.</u><br/>           Managing for Resilience in a Freshwater Protected Area: Fathom Five National Marine Park, Lake Huron</p>  | <p><u>W. Zhang et al.</u><br/>           Examination of the Capacity of the Bay of Quinte Phosphorus Model to Guide Future Management Decisions</p> | <p><u>S.K. Oliver et al.</u><br/>           Nutrient Regeneration by <i>Mysis Diluviana</i> and the Copepod Community in the Deep Chlorophyll Layer of Lake Superior</p> |
| 4:40 | <p><u>D.H. Miller et al.</u><br/>           Application of Biochemical Markers for Population Level Assessment of a White Sucker (<i>Catostomus commersoni</i>) Population Exposed to Bleached Kraft Pulp Mill Effluent</p> | <p><u>J. Hall</u><br/>           The Cootes to Escarpment Park System: Protecting Natural and Cultural Heritage at the Head of Lake Ontario</p>   | <p><u>M. Hossain et al.</u><br/>           Towards the Development of an Ecosystem Model for the Hamilton Harbour, Ontario, Canada</p>              | <p><u>S. Quazi et al.</u><br/>           Geochemistry of Iron and Phosphorous In Lake Superior Sediments: Comparison of Two East Basin Sites</p>                         |
| 5:00 | <p><u>K.J. Jobst et al.</u><br/>           Non-targeted Screening of (Unknown) Environmental Contaminants using Ultrahigh Resolution Mass Spectrometry</p>  | <p><u>J.F. Van Wieren</u><br/>           Conserving the Complex Thousand Islands Ecosystem: St. Lawrence Islands National Park</p>  | <p><u>M. Koops et al.</u><br/>           Emerging Issues, Challenges and Future Directions for Research and Monitoring on Lake Ontario</p>          | <p><u>M. Colton</u><br/>           Integration of Measurements, Models, and Missions in Great Lakes Ecosystem Science</p>  |
| 6:30 | <p>Evening Community Events—First City of Cornwall Shuttle leaves at 6:30 pm and then at 7:00 pm<br/>           Or Free shuttle bus provided by Cornwall Chamber of Commerce—to local restaurants downtown</p>              |   |   |  |

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| <u>T. Ozersky et al.</u><br>Effects of Dreissenid Mussels on Nutrient Dynamics in Lake Simcoe, Ontario   | <u>C.N. Brooks et al.</u><br>Mapping Coastal Great Lakes Wetlands and Adjacent Land use Through Hybrid Optical-Infrared and Radar Image Classification Techniques | <u>D.C. Tozer and D.S. Badzinski</u><br>Population Trends of Wetland Birds in Great Lakes Connecting Channels   | 3:40 |
| <u>R.E.H. Smith et al.</u><br>Variation in Phytoplankton Distribution in Lake Simcoe - The Effect of Benthic Communities and Hydrodynamics   | <u>K.A. Scarbrough et al.</u><br>Mapping Invasive <i>Phragmites Australis</i> in the Coastal Great Lakes with ALOS PALSAR Satellite Imagery for Decision Support  | <u>F.J. Cuthbert et al.</u><br>Colonial Waterbirds in the St. Marys River   | 4:00 |
| <u>B.K. Ginn</u><br>Science-Based Monitoring of Environmental Changes to the Nearshore Zone of Lake Simcoe (Ontario, Canada) with a Focus on Aquatic Plants, Sediment Nutrients, and Benthic Communities | <u>G.A. Meadows et al.</u><br>A Comparison of Remotely Sensed Lake Superior Upwellings with Buoy and Operational Forecasting                                      | <u>D.J. Moore et al.</u><br>Colonial Waterbirds Nesting on the Connecting Channels of the Great Lakes, 1976-2011.   | 4:20 |
| <u>M. Thiebert et al.</u><br>Assessing Temporal Changes in Lake Simcoe Yellow Perch Growth and Contaminant Bioaccumulation   | <u>T.R. Hahn</u><br>Acoustic Remote Sensing of Fish Schools   | <u>C.J. Baird et al.</u><br>Mercury in Common Terns ( <i>Sterna hirundo</i> ) breeding Along the St. Lawrence River: A Comparison between Summer and Winter Habitat   | 4:40 |
| <u>R. Dolson et al.</u><br>Long-Term Trends in the Fish Communities of Lake Simcoe   | <u>C.M. Riseng et al.</u><br>The Great Lakes Aquatic Habitat Framework (GLAHF)  | <u>L.H. Harper et al.</u><br>Common Tern Nesting Habitat Improvement Projects on Lake St. Lawrence and in Buffalo Harbor (New York) Successfully Increase the Number of Breeding Pairs of this Threatened Species | 5:00 |
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|      | <b>6. Effects of Land Use on Nutrient Transport Through Aquatic Systems</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: Rebecca North, Mohamed Mohamed, Krista Chomicki, and Peter Dillon</i>                                 | <b>33. Aquatic Invasive Species in the Great Lakes: Spread, Population Dynamics and Ecological Impact</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: Alexander Karatajev and Lyubov Burlakova</i> | <b>49. Aquatic Habitat Restoration and Management in the Great Lakes</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: John Farrell and Kevin Kapuscinski</i>   | <b>41. Ecological Tracers in Great Lakes/St. Lawrence River Food Webs</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: Tim Johnson, Aaron Fisk, and Gilbert Cabana</i>  |
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| 8:00 | <u>K.M. Chomicki et al</u><br>Soluble Reactive Phosphorus and Conductivity as Measures of Land-Based Influences to the Nearshore Environment   | <u>H. Pettitt-Wade et al.</u><br>Investigating The Link Between Diet, Ecological Niche And Environmental Fitness in Aquatic Invasive Species                            | <u>D.G. Uzarski et al.</u><br>Changes in Lake Huron Coastal Wetland Health Measured Over a Ten Year Period During Exotic Species Invasion  | <u>J.F. Bratton and M. Baskaran</u><br>Recent Advances in Understanding of Biogeochemical and Hydrological Processes in the Great Lakes Basin Using Natural and Anthropogenic Tracers |
| 8:20 | <u>H. Carrick et al.</u><br>Evidence for Ecological Thresholds: Abrupt Changes in Stream Diatoms Along Both Experiment and Environmental Gradients   | <u>L.A. Jones and A. Ricciardi</u><br>Exotic Species Replacement in Relation to Small-Scale Environmental Heterogeneity   | <u>J. Keitel and C. Vis</u><br>Restoring the Ecological Integrity of a Large Coastal Wetland in Point Pelee National Park; use of Remote Sensing and Modeling Tools to Measure Cattail Encroachment and Guide Restoration. | <u>M. Baskaran et al.</u><br>Tracer Studies in the Exchange of Water and Material between Sub-reservoirs in Great Lakes System  |
| 8:40 | <u>D.B. Baker et al.</u><br>Watershed-Scale Observations of Direct Runoff of Broadcast Phosphorus Fertilizer Applications in Northwestern Ohio   | <u>D.T. Zanatta et al.</u><br>Survey and Reassessment of Unionidae in Lake Erie and Lake St. Clair, 25 Years After the Dreissenid Invasion                              | <u>M.S. Riedel et al.</u><br>Impacts of Beaver Dam Management Scenarios on Stability and Connectivity of a Lake Superior Tributary for Fish Migration  | <u>R. Hladyniuk and F.J. Longstaffe</u><br>The Paleoproductivity of Lake Ontario Since >12.3 ka BP  |
| 9:00 | <u>J.L.A. Hood et al.</u><br>Long-term, Seasonal and Spatial Changes in N and P in the Grand River: Implications for Assimilative Capacity and Downstream Transport of Watershed-derived Nutrients | <u>L.E. Burlakova et al.</u><br>Dreissena Impacts on Unionidae: Recent Trends in Lake Erie  | <u>B.L. Brown and J.M. Farrell</u><br>Restoring Connectivity in Coastal Wetland Habitats via Channel Creation in the Upper St. Lawrence River  | <u>C.T. Boehler et al.</u><br>Extent of Straying by Spawning Adult Lake Erie Steelhead Trout  |
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| <u>W.T. Dickinson et al.</u><br>How Rising Temperatures Are Changing Winter Hydrology Across Ontario   | <u>M. Carson et al.</u><br>Suspended Sediment Sources, Resuspension and Nutrient Depositional Fluxes in Lake Erie                             | <u>J.A. Tyler et al.</u><br>Effects of Changes in Climate and Land Use on Steelhead Production in the Muskegon River: A Multi-Modelling Analysis.    | 8:00 |
| <u>F. Seglenieks and M. MacKay</u><br>Future Great Lakes Water Levels Simulated With Dynamically Downscaled GCM Data Using the Canadian Regional Climate Model | <u>C.M. Pennuto et al.</u><br>Benthos and Water Column Correlations in Nearshore Lake Erie.   | <u>A. Sandström et al.</u><br>Are Trends and Dynamics in Recruitment of Pelagic Fish Species in L. Vänern and Mälaren Driven by Climate Variability? | 8:20 |
| <u>M. Garraway et al.</u><br>Climate Change and Source Water Protection  | <u>N.B. Benoit and E.T. Howell</u><br>A Synopsis of Conditions at Nearshore Monitoring Sites in the Eastern Basin of Lake Erie from 1998-2010 | <u>K. Reid et al.</u><br>Stock Assessment and Management in Data-poor Commercial Fisheries: Lake Nipigon Lake Whitefish                              | 8:40 |
| <u>E.A. Stainsby and S. MacRitchie</u><br>Lake Simcoe Watershed Climate Change Vulnerability Assessment: Water Quantity and Quality                            | <u>M.R. Twiss et al.</u><br>Saint Lawrence River Water Quality and Phytoplankton Across Environmental Gradients                               | <u>E. Funnell</u><br>Lake Simcoe Fish Community Objectives   | 9:00 |
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| 9:40  | <u>S.M. Raney</u> and M.C. Eimers<br>The Influence of Land Use Change on Stream Water Phosphorus Levels across Southern Ontario  | <u>M.T. Rowe</u> and D.T. Zanatta<br>Genetic Structure of the Fatmucket Mussel ( <i>Lampsilis siliquoidea</i> ) in the St. Clair River Delta and Tributaries: Effects of the <i>Dreissena</i> Invasion? | <u>B.A. Murry et al.</u><br>Effects of Restored Fish Passage on Food Web Properties: an Evaluation of New Rock Ramp Structures within the Saginaw River, MI Drainage | <u>K.T. Alben et al.</u><br>Use of Algal Pigments to Trace Food-Web Relationships Between Invertebrates and Fish in the Great Lakes          |
| 10:00 | <u>K.L. Stammer et al.</u><br>Linking Long Term Trends in Stream Nutrient Concentrations and Changing Agricultural Practices in Southern Ontario                             | <u>A.Y. Karatayev et al.</u><br>Predicting the Zebra Mussels Spread: What Can We Learn From 200 Years of Continuous Invasion  | <u>D.H. Bennion et al.</u><br>Future Directions of Fish Habitat Modeling in the Huron-Erie Corridor  | <u>D.J. Rowan</u><br>A Dynamic Approach to Modelling Stable Carbon and Nitrogen Isotopes in Aquatic Foodwebs                                 |
| 10:20 | <u>T.L. Labencki</u> and D. Boyd<br>Intensive Event-Based Monitoring of Tributaries in the Hamilton Harbour Watersheds to Improve Nonpoint Source Nutrient Loading Estimates | <u>W.C. Webster</u> and D.G. Uzarski<br>Impacts of Anthropogenic Disturbance on Coastal Wetland Vegetation  | <u>K.L. Kapuscinski</u> and J.M. Farrell<br>Selective Feeding Among Species of Submerged Aquatic Vegetation by a Non-native Cyprinid, the Rudd                       | <u>G. Cabana et al.</u><br>Measuring Trophic Linkages and Duration of Exposure of Large Mobile Fish to Municipal Effluents using N isotopes. |
| 10:40 | <u>C. Wellen</u> and G. Arhonditsis<br>Quantifying the Effects of Land use on Non-Point Source Phosphorus Delivery to Hamilton Harbour: a Bayesian Modelling Approach        | <u>C.R. Blass et al.</u><br>Fair or Fowl? Mute Swan Impacts on Great Lakes Coastal Wetlands   | <u>A. Secord et al.</u><br>The St. Lawrence Natural Resource Damage Assessment Process and Potential Restoration Opportunities for the St. Lawrence River Ecosystem  | <u>J.M. Brush et al.</u><br>Food Web Responses to Variable Flow Regimes in Boreal Rivers   |
| 12:10 | <b>LUNCH—NAVCENTRE CAFETERIA</b>   |   |  |  |

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| <u>M. Ramin</u> and G.B. Arhonditsis<br>The Effects of Recycling Rates on Lake Ecosystem Dynamics   | <u>D.S. Francy et al.</u><br>Developing and Implementing the Use of Predictive Models for Recreational Water Quality Throughout the Great Lakes  | <u>K.A. Tremblay</u><br>The Anishinabek/Ontario Fisheries Resource Centre (A/OFRC) is Building Capacity Amongst First Nations Through Incorporating Scientific Method and Traditional Fishing Knowledge. | 9:40  |
| <u>C.L. Tu et al.</u><br>Developing a Tool to Assess the Risk of Climate Change to Natural System Elements in the Greater Toronto Area                    | <u>A. Henry et al.</u><br>Bathing Water Quality Monitoring: "Which Method for what Application?"   | <u>X. Zhu et al.</u><br>Using Length-Weight Relation to Delineate Fish Population Status Synergized with Cumulative Anthropogenic Activities   | 10:00 |
| <u>S.M. MacRitchie et al.</u><br>Implementation Frameworks for Climate Change Vulnerability Assessment  | <u>J.L. Kinzelman et al.</u><br>Success in Employing New Analytical Methods, Without Site-Specific Epidemiological Studies, for the Regulation of Great Lakes Beach Water Quality - A Case Study from Racine, WI | <u>M.R. Neff et al.</u><br>Spatial and Temporal Trends of Total Lipid Content in Great Lakes Fish  | 10:20 |
| <u>A.G. Douglas et al.</u><br>A Practitioner's Guide to Climate Change Adaptation in Ontario's Ecosystems   | <u>R.S. Brown et al.</u><br>A New Technology for Rapid On-site Detection of <i>E. coli</i> for Beach Monitoring  | <u>T.A. Clement et al.</u><br>Size Structure of Small Lake Fish Assemblages: The Role of Lake Size, Biodiversity, and Disturbance  | 10:40 |
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| 1:40 | <u>R.B. Confesor</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Modeling Sediment and Nutrient Exports From Lake Erie Watersheds   | <u>D. Mason</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Modeling Larval Fish Feeding, Growth and Potential Recruitment in the Newly Illuminated, Spatially Complex Food Web of Lake Michigan   | <u>R.P. Richards</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Maumee River Hydrology and Nutrient Loading in Relation to a Major Cyanobacteria Bloom in the Western Basin of Lake Erie, 2011   | <u>S.A. Fera</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Using Stable Isotopes to Analyze Dreissenid-Induced Changes in the Feeding Habits of Lake Whitefish in the Great Lakes   |
| 2:00 | <u>A.M. Flynn</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Representing Ephemeral Gully Erosion in SWAT: Implications for Modeling Agricultural Management Practices in the Maumee River Watershed | <u>J.L. Withers</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Examining Spatiotemporal Overlap and Potential Consumptive Demand of First-Feeding Larval Yellow Perch, Larval Alewife, and Predatory Zooplankton Within Near-shore Lake Michigan                        | <u>J.D. Chaffin</u> and T.B. Bridgeman<br>The Re-eutrophication of Lake Erie: Should We Target Nitrogen?   | <u>D.O. Evans</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Stable Isotopes Reveal Shifts in Energy Flow to Benthic Invertebrates and Inshore Fishes Following Invasion of Dreissenid Mussels in a Large Lake Ecosystem.      |
| 2:20 | <u>L.F. Leon</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Watershed & Lake Water Quality Modeling in Lake Winnipeg   | <u>S.A.C. Marklevitz</u> and Y.E. Morbey<br>Niche Overlap Between Hatchery and Wild Origin Adult Chinook Salmon in Lake Huron   | <u>A.M. Michalak</u> <i>et al.</i><br>The 2011 Algal Bloom in Lake Erie: A Conceptual Model of an Extreme Event  | <u>B.A. Turschak</u> and H.A. Bootsma<br>Food Web Changes in Lake Michigan as Revealed by Stable C and N Isotopes  |
| 2:40 | <u>R.R. Essig</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Temporal and Spatial Variations of Nutrient Loading from Southern Lake Michigan   | <u>K. Pagnucco</u> and A. Ricciardi<br>In the Driver's Seat? Distinguishing the Influence of Abiotic Factors and Round Gobies ( <i>Neogobius melanostomus</i> ) on the Composition of Macroinvertebrate Communities in the St. Lawrence River | <u>A.S. Chiandet</u> and R.K. Sherman<br>Long Term Changes in the Phytoplankton Community of Severn Sound in Response to Environmental Change  | <u>J.B. Brush</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Stable Isotopes, Consumer Trophic Position and Food Chain Length in Eastern Lake Ontario: Implications for Ecosystem Management Within the Laurentian Great Lakes |
| 3:00 | <u>L. Weiss</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Using the Wind Erosion Prediction System (WEPS) to Model Atmospheric Sources of PM10 within the Lake Simcoe Airshed                       |   | <u>B.J. Althouse</u> <i>et al.</i><br>The Contribution of Benthic and Pelagic Autotrophy to Whole Ecosystem Primary Production Along a Gradient of Light, Nutrients and Zebra Mussel ( <i>Dreissena polymorpha</i> ) Density in Green Bay, Lake Michigan | <u>S.A. Rush</u> <i>et al.</i><br>Stable Isotopes Reveal Short-Term Retention of Hatchery-Derived Diet in Lake Ontario Lake Trout  |
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| <u>J. Wang</u> and X. Bai<br>Atmospheric Teleconnection Patterns Associated with Severe and Least Ice Cover in the Great Lakes, 1963-2011                            | <u>J. Haley et al.</u><br>Bacterial Monitoring at St. Lawrence River Public Swimming Beaches   | <u>V.K.S. Breidenbach et al.</u><br>Developing an Implementation Framework for Delisting the St. Louis River AOC - And Beyond | <u>L.N. Ivan et al.</u><br>Potential Influence of Body Size, Stock, and Overwinter Prey Consumption on Egg Size and Fecundity of Yellow Perch   | 1:40 |
| <u>A. Fujisaki et al.</u><br>Interannual Variability of Ice-Circulation Coupled System in Lake Erie  | <u>N.L. Booth et al.</u><br>EnDDaT: Enabling New Sophistication and Efficient Data Access for Beach Water-Quality Forecasts  | <u>G. Krantzberg</u> and C. McLaughlin<br>From Remedial Action Plans to a Nearshore Governance Framework                      | <u>Z.S. Feiner et al.</u><br>Temporal and Spatial Trends in Reproductive Life History Traits of Yellow Perch in the Great Lakes   | 2:00 |
| X. Bai and <u>J. Wang</u><br>Modeling Thermal Structure and General Circulation in the Great Lakes with FVCOM  | <u>A.D. Gronewold</u> and R.L. Wolpert<br>Moving Beyond the MPN and CFU: Novel Applications of Statistical Models to Improve Beach Water Quality Monitoring and Modeling | Previous Presentation Continued   | <u>J.D. Dub et al.</u><br>Spatiotemporal Variation in Size-At-Age of Juvenile Yellow Perch and Effects of Size-Selective Mortality on Year-Class Strength in Lake Michigan                        | 2:20 |
| <u>J.C. Phillips</u> and G.A. McKinley<br>Learning from the Global Oceans: The Ecological Impact of CO <sub>2</sub> Acidification of Lake Superior and Lake Michigan | <u>A.A. Ritzenthaler et al.</u><br>Developing Bacterial Watershed Fate and Transport Models in "Data-Limited" Tributaries  | Previous Presentation Continued   | <u>P. Brodeur et al.</u><br>Status of the Yellow Perch Stock and Fishery in Lake Saint-Pierre in 2012: Where do we go from here?  | 2:40 |
| <u>K.D. Holman et al.</u><br>Influence of the Laurentian Great Lakes on Regional Climate   | <u>K.D. Barnswell et al.</u><br>Increased Accuracy in Predicting Water Quality at Swimming Beaches Using a Time Adjusted Environmental Model                             | Previous Presentation Continued   | <u>P.A. Spear et al.</u><br>Investigations into Oxidative Stress, Antioxidants and Retinoids in Brown Bullheads, Yellow Perch, and American Bullfrogs in the Yamaska River and Lake Saint-Pierre. | 3:00 |
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| 3:40 | <u>M.M. Gordon</u> and A.S. McNaught<br>Effects of Best Management Practices and Agricultural Land Use on Water Quality of the North Branch Chippewa River, Isabella County, Michigan               | <u>S.Y. Jasim et al.</u><br>Assessing the Effectiveness of Wastewater Treatment for the Removal of Chemicals of Emerging Concern  | <u>D.H. Schuberg et al.</u><br>Algal Community Composition in Response to Spatial and Temporal Physico-Chemical Gradients Within an Emergent Great Lakes Coastal Wetland of Northern Lake Michigan | <u>G.D. Haffner et al.</u><br>Quality of Quantity: Energetic Condition of Great Lakes Rainbow Smelt From 1989 to 2009 and Considerations for Top Predator Bioenergetics                |
| 4:00 | <u>B.L. Upsdell et al.</u><br>Evaluating Rural Best Management Practices in Huron County  | <u>R.S. Bejankiwar et al.</u><br>Risks and Benefits of Fish Consumption   | <u>J.V. DePinto et al.</u><br>Modeling Analysis of the Response of Microcystis and Cladophora Growth in Saginaw Bay to Phosphorus Loading and Dreissenid Density                                   | <u>P.R. McKenna et al.</u><br>Exploring Spatial Variability in Lake Trout Diets Throughout the Upper Laurentian Great Lakes - Stomach Content vs. Fatty Acid Signatures.               |
| 4:20 | <u>S.J. Sweeney et al.</u><br>Healthy Great Lakes Supported by Healthy Watersheds: Monitoring Agricultural Activity Field-by-Field in Rural Ontario   | <u>M.J. Burrows</u><br>Binational Aquatic Invasive Species Detection and Response - Assessment of Monitoring, Response and Planning Efforts                                       | <u>A.I. Dayton et al.</u><br>Phosphorus Accumulation over Dreissenid Beds: Impact on <i>Cladophora</i>   | <u>G. Paterson et al.</u><br>Fatty Acids as Indicators of Resource Quality and Habitat Partitioning in Lake Ontario Forage Fish Species  |
| 4:40 | <u>A. Singh et al.</u><br>Background On-Near-Offshore Water Quality of Lake Ontario under Credit Valley Conservation Authority's Jurisdiction   | <u>J.E. Wilson</u><br>Nuisance and Harmful Algae  | <u>K.H. Wyatt et al.</u><br>Effects of Nutrients on the Release and Utilization of DOC from <i>Cladophora glomerata</i> in Lake Michigan   | <u>A.S. Happel et al.</u><br>Exploring Spatiotemporal Trends in Juvenile Yellow Perch Diets Through Fatty Acid Signatures and Stomach Contents   |
| 5:00 | <u>M. Mohamed</u> and K.L. Stammer<br>Loadings and Concentrations of Nutrients, Suspended Solids, and E. coli in Agricultural Watersheds of Southwestern Ontario and their Relationship to Land Use | <u>R.S. Bejankiwar et al.</u><br>Microbiological Quality of Great Lakes Beaches and Recreational Waters   | <u>B. Raouf et al.</u><br>The Effects of Nutrient and Light Availability on Phototrophic Organisms from Lake Superior.   | <u>J.M. Sawyer et al.</u><br>Evaluating the Transfer and Accumulation of Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) and Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids (PUFAs) through the Bay of Quinte's Food Web |
| 6:00 | Cocktail (Marc Garneau room)  |   |  |  |
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| <u>J.D. Lenters et al.</u><br>Rapid Warming of the World's Largest Lake: Do the Offshore Buoys Provide a "Whole-lake" Perspective?          | <u>D.C. Rockwell et al.</u><br>Beach Water Quality Management Decision Support Systems for Forecasting Probability of Exceeding <i>E. coli</i> Levels | <u>P.R. Johnson</u><br>Assessing Cumulative Water Use Impacts for the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River Basin.   | 3:40 |
| <u>B. Music et al.</u><br>Future Great Lakes/St-Lawrence Hydrological Conditions as Projected by an Ensemble of RCM Simulations             | <u>Z. Ge et al.</u><br>Validation of Empirical Models for Beach Water Quality across Years: A Case Study at Ogden Dunes                               | <u>C. Anderson et al.</u><br>Sustainable use of Quebec's Water Sources Within the Context of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River Basin Sustainable Water Resources Agreement   | 4:00 |
| <u>V. Bennington et al.</u><br>How Will the Laurentian Great Lake Water Levels Respond to Climate Change? A Regional Climate Modeling Study | <u>Y.F. Stokes et al.</u><br>The Impact of Summer Gull Management Programs on <i>Escherichia coli</i> Levels at Two Chicago Beaches                   | <u>J.F. Cyr et al.</u><br>Assessing the Hydrological Impact of Climate Change on the Quebec Part of the St. Lawrence River Subwatersheds  | 4:20 |
| <u>M. Xu et al.</u><br>Comparison of Two Lake Models Implemented in CWRP  | <u>S. Weicksel et al.</u><br>The Preferences for and Values of Changes in Water Quality at Great Lakes Beaches in Michigan                            | <u>A.C. Parent et al.</u><br>Climate Analogues as Guides for a Water Conservation Adaptation Study to Climate Change  | 4:40 |
| <u>B.M. Lofgren</u><br>Seasonal Characteristics of Climate Change Projections in the Great Lakes Basin Using CHARM                          | <u>F. Lupi et al.</u><br>Great Lakes Beaches: Who Goes and How Often?   | <u>D.K. Phenicie et al.</u><br>Water Footprint Pilots at Four Great Lakes Industrial Facilities   | 5:00 |
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| 8:00 | <u>M.S. Poos et al.</u><br>Incorporating Risks of Catastrophic Events into Models of Population Viability for Species at Risk of Extinction<br>CANCELLED | <u>R.J. Snyder et al.</u><br>Evaluating Ponto-Caspian Fishes for Risk of Great Lakes Invasion   | <u>A.L.M. Ethier et al.</u><br>Overview and Application (Lake Ontario) of a Hg Lake Model (HERMES).  | <u>E.A. Blukacz-Richards et al.</u><br>Coastal Wetland Vegetation Considerations for Lake Ontario Water Level Regulation Adaptive Management   |
| 8:20 | <u>D.A. Woolnough and J.L. Bergner</u><br>Imperiled Species: Declines Can Be Masked by Community Changes   | <u>A.J. Fusaro et al.</u><br>Assessment of High Risk Potential Great Lakes Invaders Using GLANSIS   | Previous Presentation Continued  | <u>J.J. Sherman et al.</u><br>A Comparison of Abiotic and Biotic Parameters of Diked and Adjacent Open Wetland Complexes of the Erie Marsh Preserve  |
| 8:40 | <u>D.T. Zanatta et al.</u><br>Patterns of Post-Glacial Colonization for Freshwater Mussels (Unionidae) in the Great Lakes                                | <u>F. Chan et al.</u><br>Risk Assessment for Ship-Mediated Introductions of Aquatic Nonindigenous Species to the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence River Region                    | <u>C.R. Lessard et al.</u><br>Predicting and Hindcasting Mercury Dynamics in the St. Lawrence River, Cornwall, Ontario.                        | <u>J.P. Gathman and T.M. Burton</u><br>Comparing the Influences of Water-level Change and Plant-community Composition on the Fish and Invertebrate Community of a Lake Huron Coastal Wetland |
| 9:00 | <u>A.M. Smart et al.</u><br>Ecological Requirements of Wild Rice ( <i>Zizania spp.</i> ) in Michigan   | <u>R.P. Keller et al.</u><br>Linking Environmental Conditions and Ship Transport to Estimate Invasive Species Transport to the Great Lakes Across the Global Shipping Network | <u>R.A. Abma and G.D. Haffner</u><br>Mercury Bioaccumulation in Lake Trout Reflects Non-Steady State Dynamics                                  | <u>S.D. Mackey et al.</u><br>Shallow Water Bathymetry and SAV Distribution in Penetang Bay, Lake Huron, ON: Demonstration of a Remotely Operated Vessel for Environmental Research (ROVER)   |
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| <p><b>38. Interactions Between Climate and the Energy and Water Balance of Lakes and Their Watersheds</b><br/> <i>Co-Chairs: John Lenters, Peter Blanken, Andrew Gronewold, and Christopher Spence</i></p> | <p><b>51. Managing Flows and Levels in the Great Lakes/St. Lawrence River System for Today and Tomorrow</b><br/> <i>Co-Chairs: Cindy Warwick, Wendy Legler, and David Fay</i></p> | <p><b>45. Education and Outreach</b><br/> <i>Chair: Rochelle Sturtevant</i></p>   |      |
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| <p><u>J.L. Ryder</u> and T.A. Dahl<br/>                     Non-Stationarity in Key Hydrologic Components of Michigan's Lower Peninsula</p>  | <p><u>T.A. Dahl</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Regulating Lake Superior - Past and Future</p>   | <p><u>R. Hyde</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     State of the Great Lakes in Ten Minutes</p>  | 8:00 |
| <p><u>J.F. Walker</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Estimating Climate Change Impacts on Streamflow in the Lake Michigan Basin Using the USGS PRMS Watershed Model</p>                            | <p><u>D.M. Fay</u> and W. Werick<br/>                     Dealing with Climate Variability and Change in Lake Superior Regulation Plan Selection</p>                              | <p><u>S.L. Cherwaty-Pergentile</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     The Success of SOLEC and State of the Great Lakes Reporting</p>                             | 8:20 |
| <p><u>A.D. Gronewold</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Accommodating Precipitation Estimate Bias and Uncertainty in Large Lake-Dominated Basins</p>   | <p><u>M. Asadzadeh</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     A New Rule Curve Based Regulation Plan for Lake Superior</p>  | <p><u>S.A. Hawkins</u><br/>                     Mid-Life Crisis: How the Toronto and Region RAP got its Communications Groove Back</p>                                | 8:40 |
| <p><u>L.M. Fry</u> and A.D. Gronewold<br/>                     Development of a Regional Parameter Estimation Model for a Basin-Wide Recalibration of the Large Basin Runoff Model</p>                     | <p><u>P.M. Moody</u> and C.M. Brown<br/>                     Evaluation of Lake Superior Outflow Regulation Plans Using Robustness and Climate Informed Risk</p>                  | <p><u>A. Sandström</u> and J. Norrgård<br/>                     Participatory Research: Bridging the Gap Between Scientists and Stakeholders in Inland Fisheries?</p> | 9:00 |
| <p><b>BREAK</b> (Marc Garneau and A-section)</p>   |   |   | 9:20 |

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**Thursday, May 17, 2012 (Morning)**

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|       | <b>20. Native Species Protection and Restoration in the Great Lakes: Progress and Issues</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: Tom Stewart and Chris Wilson</i>   | <b>34. Risk Assessment and Response to Aquatic Invasive Species</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: Jeff Brinsmead and Brenda Koenig</i>                       | <b>17. Mercury Sources, Cycling and Bioaccumulation in the Great Lakes</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: David Lean, David Krabbenhoft, and Reed Harris</i>                         | <b>23. Coastal Zone Ecology</b><br><i>Co-Chairs: Jon Midwood, Amanda Fracz, Maja Cvetkovic, and Agnes Richards</i>   |
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| 9:40  | M. Connerton and <u>T.J. Stewart</u><br>A Strategic Plan For The Reestablishment Of Native Deepwater Ciscoes In Lake Ontario   | <u>E. Rutherford et al.</u><br>Assessing Risk of Asian Carp Invasion and Impacts on Great Lakes Food Webs and Fisheries                         | <u>J. Li et al.</u><br>Mercury in the Sediments and Food Web of the Detroit River  | <u>J.D. Midwood</u> and P. Chow-Fraser<br>Movement of Northern Pike ( <i>Esox lucius</i> ) among Coastal Marshes of Eastern Georgian Bay, Lake Huron   |
| 10:00 | <u>C.J. Robinson</u><br>Benefits and Challenges of Partnerships in Native Species Restoration Programs - Ontario's Lake Ontario Atlantic Salmon Example  | <u>J.K. Brinsmead et al.</u><br>One of These Things is not Like the Others - Prevalence of Non-target Species in Commercial Baitfish in Ontario | <u>S. Hamelin et al.</u><br>Methylmercury Production in the Littoral Zone of the St. Lawrence River: Who is Responsible?   | <u>J.P.M. Leblanc</u> and P. Chow-Fraser<br>Muskellunge ( <i>Esox masquinongy</i> ) Spawning and Nursery Habitat Use in Spatially Distinct Regions of Georgian Bay with Emphasis on Water Level Declines |
| 10:20 | <u>J. Gobin</u> and E.S. Dunlop<br>The Effects of Gear Selectivity from the Lake Huron Commercial Fishery on the Evolution of Lake Whitefish Maturation Schedules  | <u>E. Weisz</u> and E. Stanley<br>Responding to the Threat of Aquatic Invasive Species in Lake Simcoe - a Pathway-Based Approach                | <u>M. Mahmood et al.</u><br>Temporal Mercury Trends in Lake Erie Fish Communities: A Dynamic Linear Modelling Analysis   | <u>R.J. Christensen et al.</u><br>Comparing the Movement Characteristics of Blanding's Turtles ( <i>Emydoidea blandingii</i> ) in two Coastal Eco-Regions of Ontario with Contrasting Habitat Features   |
| 10:40 | <u>A.E. Ecclestone</u><br>From Extirpation to Detection and Research; Examining the Distribution and Movement Patterns of Lake Sturgeon ( <i>Acipenser fulvescens</i> ) in the White River, a Northeastern Lake Superior Tributary in Pukaskwa National Park | <u>C.R. Middaugh et al.</u><br>Effects of Lampricides on Target and Non-Target Species: from Metabolite Changes to Ecological Consequences      | <u>J.J. Ridal et al.</u><br>Fish Mercury Contamination in Lake St. Francis, St. Lawrence River (Ontario and Quebec) Canada: Trends, Patterns and the Source Conundrum. | <u>C. Markle et al.</u><br>Changes in Habitat Use by the Blanding's Turtle ( <i>Emydoidea blandingii</i> ) over an Active Season on Beausoleil Island, Georgian Bay Islands National Park.               |
| 12:00 | <b>LUNCH—NavCentre Cafeteria</b>   |   |  |  |

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| <p><b>38. Interactions Between Climate and the Energy and Water Balance of Lakes and Their Watersheds</b><br/> <i>Co-Chairs: John Lenters, Peter Blanken, Andrew Gronewold, and Christopher Spence</i></p> | <p><b>51. Managing Flows and Levels in the Great Lakes/St. Lawrence River System for Today and Tomorrow</b><br/> <i>Co-Chairs: Cindy Warwick, Wendy Leger, and David Fay</i></p> | <p><b>45. Education and Outreach</b><br/> <i>Chair: Rochelle Sturtevant</i></p>   |       |
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| <p><u>K. Van Cleave et al.</u><br/>           Seasonal Variability in Sensible and Latent Heat Fluxes Over Lake Superior: Direct Observations From a Nearshore Eddy Covariance Station</p>                 | <p><u>R.J. Caldwell</u> and D.M. Fay<br/>           Simulation of Recent Lake Ontario Outflow Regulation Using Plan Bv7</p>  | <p><u>K.K. Mulvaney et al.</u><br/>           Information Needs and the Organizational Network of Great Lakes Fisheries Management</p>  | 9:40  |
| <p><u>P.D. Blanken et al.</u><br/>           A Comparison of Simultaneous Measurements of the Surface Energy Balance on Lakes Superior and Huron</p>   | <p><u>C.A. Warwick</u><br/>           The International Joint Commission: Managing Flows and Levels in the 21st Century</p>  | <p><u>L.A. Cartwright et al.</u><br/>           The Importance of Volunteer Training and Avian Identification Ability on the Results of Great Lakes Marsh Monitoring Program Bird Surveys</p> | 10:00 |
| <p><u>C. Spence et al.</u><br/>           Changes in Autumn and Spring Climate Led to Increases in Lake Superior Evaporation</p>   | <p><u>J.G. Trowbridge</u><br/>           Experts, Stakeholders, and Decision Makers: Who Owns the Process and Outcome?<br/> <b>CANCELLED</b></p>                                 | <p><u>L.J. Blume et al.</u><br/>           GLRI Quality Program - Empowering GLRI Collaborators</p>   | 10:20 |
| <p><u>J.D. Lenters et al.</u><br/>           Sensitivity of Arctic Thaw Lakes to Climate Change: An Energy Balance Case Study of Emaiksoun Lake (Barrow, Alaska)</p>                                       | <p><u>W.P. Leger</u> and J. Read<br/>           An Adaptive Management Approach for Addressing Future Extreme Water Levels and Flows for the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River</p>  |   | 10:40 |
| <b>LUNCH</b> – NavCentre Cafeteria   |  |   | 12:00 |

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| 1:20 p.m. | <p><u>N. Vachon</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           25 Years of Research, Management and Protection of an Endangered Freshwater Fish: the Copper Redhorse</p>     | <p>Open Session</p>  | <p><u>R.P. Stumpf</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           10 Years of Variation in Cyanobacteria Blooms in Lake Erie</p>                               | <p><u>R.L. Wheeler</u> and D.G. Uzarski<br/>           Spatial Variation of Macroinvertebrate Communities Within Two Emergent Plant Zones of Great Lakes Coastal Wetlands</p>   |
| 1:40      | <p><u>M.B.C. Hickey</u><br/>           Distribution and Breeding Biology of the Threatened Cutlip Minnow</p>   | <p><u>D.M. Modley</u><br/>           Asian Clam (<i>Corbicula fluminea</i>) Rapid Response and Ongoing Management in Lake George, NY</p>   | <p><u>G.L. Boyer</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Toxic Cyanobacteria Blooms in Lake Ontario, NY: History and Current Status</p>                | <p><u>A.A. Bozimowski</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Invertebrate Co-occurrence Patterns in the Wetlands of Northern and Eastern Lake Michigan: the Interaction of the Harsh-Benign Hypothesis and Community Assembly Rules</p> |
| 2:00      | <p><u>B.A. Manny</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Occurrence of the Endangered Northern Madtom in the Detroit River</p>  | <p><u>D.D. White</u> and J.A. Jung<br/>           Controlling an Alien Species at Voyageur Provincial Park: The Invasive Water Chestnut</p>  | <p><u>D. Levesque</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Factors Controlling <i>Lyngbya wollei</i> Biomass in Lake St. Louis (St. Lawrence River)</p> | <p><u>D.P. Coulter</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Fish Habitat Suitability and Growth Response in Dynamic Environments of Near-shore Lake Michigan</p>  |
| 2:20      | <p><u>C.C. Wilson</u> and K.M. Wozney<br/>           Genetic Assessment of Muskellunge Restoration Efforts in Georgian Bay (Spanish River) and Lake Simcoe</p> | <p><u>J.M. Gilbert</u><br/> <i>Phragmites australis</i>: A Significant Threat to Laurentian Great Lakes Wetlands</p>   | <p><u>K.A. Perri</u> and G.L. Boyer<br/>           Cyanobacterial Presence, Water Quality, and Toxicity in Sodus Bay, New York</p>              | <p><u>B.F. Henning</u> and J.M. Farrell<br/>           Does Physical Habitat Influence Fish Assemblage Structure in Open and Protected Embayments within the Thousand Islands Region of Upper St. Lawrence River?</p>             |
| 2:40      | <p><u>A. Mathers</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           American Eel in the Lake Ontario - Upper St. Lawrence River Ecosystem.</p>                                   | <p><u>J.E. Bronnenhuber</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Testing the Efficacy of Environmental DNA Monitoring for Detecting Aquatic Invasive and Endangered Species in Ontario</p> | <p><u>L.A. Molot</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Can the Lessons of Lake 227 be Applied to the Management of Other Eutrophic Systems?</p>      | <p><u>M. Cvetkovic</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>           Investigating the Factors Influencing Fish Community Composition and Population in Coastal Wetlands of Eastern Georgian Bay</p>   |
| 3:00      | <b>BREAK (Marc Garneau &amp; A-section)</b>  |  |   |   |

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| <p><u>V. Richardson</u> and A. Dove<br/>                     Keeping up with the Times - Year-Round Nutrient Loading Measurements in Canadian Lake Erie Tributaries</p>              | <p><u>S. Martin</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Real-Time and Mid-Term Predictive Application of Habitat Models of the St. Lawrence River</p>                         | <p><u>T.A.D. Slawewski</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Data Management and Communications (DMAC) for Observing Systems</p>                              | 1:20 p.m. |
| <p><u>D.M. Dolan</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Analysis of Interlake Mass Loading Trends of Major Ions and Nutrients Via Great Lakes Interconnecting Channels</p>       | <p><u>M. Manolidis</u> and N. Katopodes<br/>                     Modeling the Release of River Ice Jams and their Impact on Riverbed Scouring</p>                                | <p><u>J. Hamel</u><br/>                     Improving Data Access through Cooperation: A Canadian Inter-jurisdictional Model and Observatory Concept</p>           | 1:40      |
| <p><u>S.C. Chapra</u> and D.M. Dolan<br/>                     GL2K: A Mass-Balance Modeling Framework for Simulating Long-Term Trends of Great Lakes Water Quality</p>               | <p><u>J.K. Bruyer</u><br/>                     Evaluating the Feasibility and Impacts of Restoring Lake Michigan-Huron Water Levels</p>  | <p><u>S.T. Kendall</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Lessons Learned from Management, Quality Control, and Dissemination of Buoy Observatory Data.</p>    | 2:00      |
| <p><u>M.D. Rowe</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Modeling the Sensitivity of Primary Production in Lake Michigan to Nutrient Loads With and Without Dreissenid Mussels</p> | <p><u>S. Razavi</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Evaluation of New Control Structures in the Great Lakes for Better Managing Water Levels in Future</p>                | <p><u>T.J. Dekker</u> and E.M. Verhamme<br/>                     Industry Perspective on Real-Time Buoys: Cook Nuclear Plant</p>                                   | 2:20      |
| <p><u>M.T. Auer</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Feeding the Beast: Temporal Scale, Cladophora and the Nearshore Phosphorus Shunt</p>                                      | <p><u>K. Ponnambalam</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Great Lakes Water Level Regulation Using Risk-Based Optimization Methods</p>                                     | <p><u>D. Boutin</u><br/>                     The National Hydro Network (NHN) a Tool to Manage Water Resources</p>   | 2:40      |
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| 3:20 | <p><u>C.V. Holden</u> and J.M. Casselman<br/>           Otolith Isotopic Analysis of the American Eel (<i>Anguilla rostrata</i>): Investigating the Role of Activity and Otolith Growth in Estimating Otolith <math>\delta^{18}\text{O}</math> Thermal History</p> | <p><u>V.B. Serveiss</u><br/>           Overview of Assessment of Progress Session</p>   | <p><u>A. Zastepa et al.</u><br/>           Degradation of Particulate and Dissolved Microcystin-LA from a Senescing <i>Microcystis</i> bloom <i>in vitro</i> and <i>in situ</i></p>    | <p><u>C. Hudon</u><br/>           Wetlands Services : An Overview of Diversity, Productivity and Aesthetics of Lake Saint-Pierre (St. Lawrence River, Quebec, Canada).</p>                 |
| 3:40 | <p><u>M.H.M. Lloyst et al.</u><br/>           Distribution and habitat associations in stocked American Eels, <i>Anguilla Rostrata</i>, in the Bay of Quinte and Upper Saint Lawrence River</p>  | <p>D.W. Schloesser and <u>V.B. Serveiss</u><br/>           Burrowing Mayfly: A Sentinel Water Quality Indicator for Nearshore Waters of the Great Lakes.</p>  | <p><u>A.G. Stone et al.</u><br/>           From Sensors to Drivers: Understanding Potential Drivers of Algal Blooms Using in-situ Fluorescence Measurements as a Response Variable</p> | <p><u>L. Tall et al.</u><br/>           Multiscale Effects of the Hydrology and Environmental Variables on Macroinvertebrates in Wetlands of the Lake Saint-Pierre, St. Lawrence River</p> |
| 4:00 | <p><u>X. Zhu et al.</u><br/>           Exploration of Bayesian Statistical State-Space Model to Assess American Eel Biomass Dynamics and Precautionary Management Significance in the Upper St. Lawrence River-Lake Ontario System</p>                             | <p><u>G.G. Lauenstein et al.</u><br/>           What Mussels Tell us of the Water Quality in the Great Lakes: Results from Two Decades of Contaminant Monitoring by NOAA's Mussel Watch Program</p> | <p><u>M.J. McCarthy et al.</u><br/>           Water Column and Sediment-Water Interface Nitrogen Transformations in Mis-sisquoi Bay, Lake Champlain: a Preliminary Nitrogen Budget</p> | <p><u>A.H. Bramburger</u> and E.E. Gaiser<br/>           From Everglades to Alvars: Karstic Wetlands as Indicators of Environmental Change</p>   |
| 4:20 | <p><u>R.S. Brown et al.</u><br/>           Spatial and Temporal Trends of Dioxin Like Compounds in American Eels</p>   | <p><u>T. Greenberg et al.</u><br/>           Satellite Monitoring of Great Lakes Water Clarity - Trends Emerging from Three Decades of Aquatic Colour Satellite Data.</p>                           | <p><u>S.B. Watson et al.</u><br/>           Algal Bloom Response and Risk Management: On-Site Response Tools</p>   | <p><u>M.J. Cooper et al.</u><br/>           Nitrogen and Phosphorus Conditions and Nutrient Limitation in Coastal Wetlands of Lakes Michigan and Huron</p>                                 |
| 4:40 | <p><u>J.A. Stacey et al.</u><br/>           Characterization and Comparison of American Eel (<i>Anguilla rostrata</i>) Diets in Two Stocking Locations in Lake Ontario and the Upper St. Lawrence River</p>  | <p><u>C. Masson</u><br/>           "To Restore and Maintain:" A Value Proposition for the 1987 GLWQA</p>  | <p><u>Y. Shimoda et al.</u><br/>           Modelling Cyanobacteria Dominance: How Useful are the Complex Mathematical Models?</p>  | <p><u>B.K. Grunert</u> and E.H. Tyner<br/>           Restoring an Urban Wetland: Lessons on Strategy</p>   |
| 5:00 | NavTheatre—Traditional Native Closing—Thank you IAGLR delegates for attending!   |   |  |  |

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| <p><u>D.M. Blersch</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Assessment of Benthic Algal Cultivation for Phosphorus Recapture in the Lower Great Lakes</p>   | <p><u>C.J. Miller</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Anthropogenic Impacts on Sediment Production in Great Lakes Watersheds</p>  | <p><u>E.J. Anderson</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Upper St. Lawrence River Forecasting System: Real-Time Conditions and Forecasts of Water Levels and Currents</p>                                  | 3:20 |
| <p><u>E.M. Verhamme</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Long Term Phosphorus Management in Missisquoi Bay, Lake Champlain</p>  | <p><u>A. Kumar</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Sediment Dynamics in Three Dams in Michigan and Indiana Using excess <sup>210</sup>Pb and <sup>137</sup>Cs as Chronometers</p>                           | <p><u>C.N. Brooks</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     A Water Monitoring and Information System for Lake Superior: A Web Portal with Real-Time Buoy and Vessel Data for Climate and Ecosystem Studies</p> | 3:40 |
| <p><u>R.P. Barbiero</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Convergence of the Lower Food Web in Lakes Huron, Michigan and Superior</p>  | <p><u>M.S. Riedel</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Managing Legacy Sediment Deposits for Removal of Three Dams on the Boardman River, Tributary to Lake Michigan</p>                                     | <p><u>M.S. Islam</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Use of an Environmental Observatory to Characterize Contaminant Transport in a Riverine Superfund Site</p>   | 4:00 |
| <p><u>G.B. Arhonditsis</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Towards the Development of an Integrated Modelling Framework in the Hamilton Harbour: A Bayesian Synthesis of Empirical Knowledge and Model Predictions</p> | <p><u>M. Baskaran</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Reconstruction of Landuse Changes Using Carbon and Nitrogen Isotopes in Sediment Cores from Dams in Michigan</p>                                      | <p><u>M.E. Palmer</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Temporal Coherence of Great Lakes Water Quality</p>   | 4:20 |
| <p><u>N.T. Schock</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Stream/Drainage Ditch Impacts on Great Lakes Coastal Wetland Macroinvertebrate Community Composition</p>   | <p><u>J. Barkach</u> <i>et al.</i><br/>                     Practical Aspects of Sediment Sampling and Bathymetric Data Collection to Support Sediment Yield and Dam Capacity Studies in Great Lakes Watershed</p> |  | 4:40 |
| <p>NavTheatre Traditional Native Closing—Thank you IAGLR delegates for attending!</p>   |  |  | 5:00 |



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## **Poster Sessions by Day**

Monday, May 14

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| <b>Display Number</b> | <b>Hypoxia in the Great Lakes: Detection and Prediction</b>  |
| <b>50</b>             | <u>SHERMAN, R.K.</u> and <u>CHIANDET, A.S.</u><br>Changes in Hypolimnetic Chemistry with the Onset of Summer Hypoxia in Honey Harbour, Georgian Bay  |
| <b>Display Number</b> | <b>Multi-media Assessment of Toxics in the Great Lakes 2012</b>  |
| <b>1</b>              | <u>CHANG, F.</u> , <u>PAGANO, J.J.</u> , <u>CRIMMINS, B.S.</u> , <u>MILLIGAN, M.S.</u> , <u>XIA, X.</u> , <u>HOPKE, P.K.</u> , and <u>HOLSEN, T.M.</u><br>Temporal Trends of Polychlorinated Biphenyls and Organochlorine Pesticides in Great Lakes Fish, 1999-2009          |
| <b>2</b>              | <u>KHAIRY, M.</u> , <u>LOHMANN, R.</u> , <u>ADELMAN, D.</u> , and <u>MUIR, D.</u><br>Trends of PBTs in Air and Water Across Lakes Erie and Ontario   |
| <b>3</b>              | <u>OMARA, M.</u> , <u>HOLSEN, T.M.</u> , <u>XIA, X.</u> , <u>CRIMMINS, B.S.</u> , and <u>HOPKE, P.K.</u><br>An Improved Sampling Methodology for the Measurement of Dissolved Hydrophobic Organic Contaminants using PoraPak Rxn RP Resin and Accelerated Solvent Extraction |
| <b>4</b>              | <u>VET, R.</u> , <u>BLUKACZ-RICHARDS, E.A.</u> , <u>SUKLOFF, B.</u> , and <u>BLANCHARD, P.</u><br>Statistical Analysis of PM2.5 Instrument Comparison  |
| <b>Display Number</b> | <b>The Past, Present and Future of the Ottawa River</b>  |
| <b>75</b>             | <u>MILLER, A.</u> , <u>CHAPUT, T.</u> , <u>WILLS, A.</u> , and <u>LEE, D.R.</u><br>Chalk River Laboratories has little effect on concentrations of cesium-137, strontium-90 and mercury in game fish   |

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