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"The IJC's Science Advisory Board Review of Current Priorities and Projects" (Friday 8:40 am - 3:00 pm)



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- State of Lake Conferences

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# Congratulations to all recipients!

Awards and scholarships will be given out throughout the conference. Note times indicated for each. Thanks to all who served on our selection committees<sup>\*</sup> as well as those who nominated candidates for the awards.



#### LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

For important and continued contributions to Great Lakes research

**William D. Taylor** University of Waterloo

Awarded at Tuesday's plenary



**JOHN R. (JACK) VALLENTYNE AWARD** For important and sustained efforts to inform and educate the public and policymakers on large lakes issues

Helen M. Domske New York Sea Grant

Awarded at Wednesday's plenary



**ANDERSON-EVERETT AWARD** For outstanding contributions to the association

**Timothy Johnson** Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry

Awarded at Friday's plenary

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The following IAGLR Appreciation Awards will be presented at the business lunch on Wednesday.

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**George Arhonditsis** University of Toronto Scarborough

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#### IAGLR BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPRECIATION AWARD



**Susan Daniel** SUNY Buffalo State Great Lakes Center

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**Elizabeth Hinchey Malloy** U.S. EPA, Great Lakes National Program Office

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#### JGLR OUTGOING ASSOCIATE EDITORS APPRECIATION AWARD



**George Leshkevich** NOAA Great Lakes Environmental Research Laboratory



Michael Sierszen U.S. EPA, Office of Research and Development



#### **BEST ASSOCIATE EDITOR 2017 AWARD**

For outstanding support of the review process for the Journal of Great Lakes Research

Lee Grapentine Environment and Climate Change Canada

Awarded at Thursday's plenary



**BEST REVIEWER 2017 AWARD** For outstanding support of the review process for the Journal of Great Lakes Research

Mark Rowe University of Michigan, Cooperative Institute for Great Lakes Research Awarded at Thursday's plenary



#### ELSEVIER EARLY CAREER SCIENTIST AWARD

Jeremiah Davis U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

For article titled *Effects of tow transit on the efficacy of the Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal Electric Dispersal Barrier System*, Journal of Great Lakes Research 43, 1119-1131. Co-authors include Jessica LeRoy, Matthew Shanks, Ryan Jackson, Frank Engel, Elizabeth Murphy, Carey Baxter, Jonathan Trovillion, Michael McInerney, Nicholas Barkowski

Awarded at Thursday's banquet



#### ELSEVIER STUDENT AUTHOR AWARD

#### Larry Bowman Jr.

East Tennessee State University

For article titled *A capital breeder in a heterogeneous environment: Lipid reserves and RNA:DNA ratio in Lake Baikal's endemic Epischura*, Journal of Great Lakes Research 43, 280-288. Co-authors include Elizaveta Kondrateva, Eugene Silow, Paul Wilburn, and Lev Yampolsky

Awarded at Thursday's banquet

#### CHANDLER-MISENER AWARD

For outstanding article in the Journal of Great Lakes Research

#### Anne Scofield, James Watkins, Brian Weidel, Frederick Luckey, and Lars Rudstam

For their paper titled *The deep chlorophyll layer in Lake Ontario: extent, mechanisms of formation, and abiotic predictors*, published in Journal of Great Lakes Research 43, 782-794.

Awarded at Thursday's plenary





Anne Scofield Cornell University James Watkins Cornell University



**Brian Weidel** USGS, Great Lakes Science Center



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The following student awards will be presented at the banquet on Thursday evening.



#### IAGLR BEST STUDENT PAPER AWARD (2017)

**Timothy Malinich** Purdue University

For paper titled *Factors Leading to Plastic Expression of Morphological variation of* Perca flavescens presented at the IAGLR 2017 Conference on Great Lakes Research



#### **IAGLR BEST STUDENT PAPER AWARD (2017)**

**Joshua Stough** University of Tennessee

For paper titled Discrimination of temperate vs lytic phage activity in Microcystis blooms using systems biology presented at the IAGLR 2017 Conference on Great Lakes Research



#### **IAGLR BEST STUDENT POSTER AWARD (2017)**

**Eva Kramer** University of Toledo

For poster titled Avoiding HABs at Toledo's Drinking Water Intake by Observing Vertical Distribution and Migration presented at the IAGLR 2017 Conference on Great Lakes Research



#### **IAGLR BEST STUDENT POSTER AWARD (2017)**

Xuewen Jiang Ohio State University

For paper titled *Characterization of cyanophages from Lake Erie that suppress* Microcystis *growth* presented at the IAGLR 2017 Conference on Great Lakes Research



#### INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AWARD

#### **Kevin Obiero**

University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna, Austria; Centre Director, Kenya Marine Fisheries Research Institute

For research on Aquaculture, innovation and rural development: examining the role of extension systems in facilitating technology adoption for improved livelihoods in Kenya, Eastern Africa

The following student scholarships will be presented at the banquet on Thursday evening.

#### IAGLR SCHOLARSHIP

Sarah Larocque University of Windsor

For research on Spatial and trophic niches through ontogeny and the influence on restoration of a native species in Lake Ontario

#### IAGLR SCHOLARSHIP

Nathaniel Marshal University of Toledo

For research on Environmental DNA High-Throughput Assays for Invasive Invertebrate Species Detection and Habitat Quality Assessment in the Great Lakes

#### DAVID M. DOLAN SCHOLARSHIP

**Kaitlin Reinl** University of Minnesota

For research on Assessing future risk of cyanobacteria blooms in western Lake Superior: a modeling approach

#### NORMAN S. BALDWIN SCHOLARSHIP

**Corey Krabbenhoft** Wayne State University For research on *Round Goby Invasion and the Impact on Native Michigan Fishes* 

#### NORMAN S. BALDWIN SCHOLARSHIP

Hannah Lachance University of Vermont For research on *Climate Change, Cisco* (Coregonus artedi) & *Gene Expression* 













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#### MONDAY

8:15 a.m.–5:30 p.m. IAGLR Board Meeting ECSB Building, Rm. EV140

4–7 p.m. Registration UTSC Meeting Place

5–7:30 p.m. Welcome Reception ECSB Building

#### TUESDAY

7:30 a.m.–5 p.m. **Registration** UTSC Meeting Place

8:40–11:40 a.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC

11:40 a.m.–1 p.m. Welcome & Plenary: Howard Wheater AC223 (AA112 for overflow)

1:40–5:20 p.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC

5:20–6:30 p.m. Elsevier Editors' Reception AC227

6–8 p.m. **Poster Session & Social** Science Wing

8–11 p.m. **Student Social** The Rex's Den

#### WEDNESDAY

7:30 a.m.–5 p.m. **Registration** UTSC Meeting Place

8:40–11:40 a.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC

11:40 a.m.–1 p.m. **Plenary: Dianne Saxe** AC223 (AA112 for overflow)

1–2:20 p.m. **Business Lunch** Toronto Pan Am Sports Centre

2:20–5:20 p.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC

6–8 p.m. BBQ Patio between HW & MW buildings

8:15–9:45 p.m. IAGLR Defy Cup Hockey Canlan Ice Sport Complex 3552 Victoria Park Ave., Toronto

#### THURSDAY

7:30 a.m.–5 p.m. **Registration** UTSC Meeting Place

8:40–11:40 a.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC

11:40 a.m.–1 p.m. **Plenary: Robert Costanza** AC223 (AA112 for overflow)

### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

1:40–5:20 p.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC

6:30–9:30 p.m. **Banquet** The Guild Inn Estate

#### FRIDAY

8 a.m.–3 p.m. **Registration** UTSC Meeting Place

8:40–11:40 a.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC

11:40 a.m.–1 p.m. **Plenary: Yves Praire** AC223 (AA112 for overflow)

1:40–3:40 p.m. Concurrent Sessions Across UTSC



#### IAGLR Defy Cup Challenge

The hockey tradition lives on! Team Canada and Team USA will face off in the IAGLR Defy Cup Challenge to raise funds for the IAGLR Scholarship. Game time is 8:15-9:45 p.m. Wednesday at the Canlan Ice Sport Complex. Root for your favorite team while supporting young scientists and the future of Great Lakes research!

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Banquet The Guild Inn Estate 6:30–9:30		

# TUESDAY PLENARY

11:40 a.m.–1 p.m. Academic Resource Centre, AC223 Arts & Administration, AA112 for overflow



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# Water Security and the Science Agenda Featuring Howard Wheater

Global Institute for Water Security, University of Saskatchewan

The freshwater environment is facing unprecedented pressures in Canada and globally. Unsustainable use of surface and groundwater is widespread, nutrient pollution is a global threat, and there are increasing concerns for emerging contaminants, including endocrine disruptors. Extreme events such as flood and drought have severe local consequences, but social and economic effects can be global and risks to life and infrastructure are increasing with increasing development in vulnerable areas. Current pressures are set in the context of rapid environmental change, and will likely increase in the face of socioeconomic development and population growth. In the face of these critical societal challenges, what can the water science community contribute? Clearly there is an increasing need for deep understanding of aquatic and terrestrial environments and their interactions with the climate system, and further, analysis of their vulnerabilities to environmental and societal change. But for science to provide information relevant to societal challenges, there is also a need for effective engagement with users to ensure that research is salient, credible, and usable. And in the face of the evident non-stationarity of the earth system, new approaches to the management of risk are required. There are however, unique opportunities to harness new sensor technologies and platforms, and the power of Big Data, to inform new science, support improved modeling and forecasting systems, and provide new ways to engage users and the public. This plenary reports on Canada's Global Water Futures program, a \$143 million federal/university partnership, which integrates expertise from 18 universities and 8 federal agencies. Designed with diverse user communities to meet their needs, GWF aims to build on the opportunities offered in an era of Big Data to provide the science, models and decision support tools needed to address the challenges of Canada and other rapidly changing cold regions.

ABOUT HOWARD WHEATER is Canada Excellence

Research Chair in Water Security, founding director of the Global Institute for Water Security at the University of Saskatchewan, and distinguished research fellow and emeritus professor of hydrology at Imperial College London. An expert in hydrological science and modeling, he has published more than 200 refereed articles and 6 books. He is a fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering and the American Geophysical Union and winner of the LAHS-UNESCO-WMO International Hydrology Prize and the Prince Sultan bin Abdulaziz International Prize for Water. He has initiated and led national and international research programs in the UK and Canada, and has advised states, provinces, and national governments on flood, water resource, and water quality issues. He represented Hungary and Argentina at the International Court of Justice, and

recently sat on an International Court of Arbitration concerning the Indus Waters Treaty. He was vice-chair of the World Climate Research Programme's Global Energy and Water Cycle Exchange project and leads UNESCO's GWADI arid zone water program. He led the Changing Cold Regions Network, focused on the analysis and prediction of hydrological change in western Canada, and initiated the Global Water Futures Programme, focused on managing water futures in Canada and other cold regions. He served as chair of the Council of Canadian Academies Expert Panel on Sustainable Management of Water in the Agricultural Landscapes of Canada. Most recently, he was appointed as a member of the National Academies of Science, Engineering, and Medicine Committee on Future Water Resource Needs for the Nation: Water Science and Research at the U.S. Geological Survey.

# WEDNESDAY PLENARY

11:40 a.m.—1 p.m. Academic Resource Centre, AC223 Arts & Administration, AA112 for overflow

# A Growing Problem: Addressing Algae Blooms in the Great Lakes Featuring Dianne Saxe

Environmental Commissioner of Ontario

The Environmental Commissioner of Ontario is a provincial oversight agency with the advantage of a very broad mandate and a unique perspective on the Great Lakes ecosystem. Dr. Saxe will use the history of algal blooms in the Great Lakes region to illustrate and illuminate some dynamics of the science/policy interface. She will share her observations on chronic challenges faced by the research and policy communities, and will offer her perspectives on opportunities for Great Lakes science.

**DIANNE SAXE** is the Environmental Commissioner of Ontario, a tough but fair watchdog over Ontario's environmental, energy and climate performance, and guardian of the Environmental Bill of Rights, 1993. Prior to her appointment, Dr. Saxe was one of Canada's most respected environmental lanyers. She has 40 years' unparalleled experience writing, interpreting, and litigating Ontario's energy and environmental laws. Her career began with the Ontario Public Service and two major Bay Street law firms. She then established one of Canada's top environmental law boutiques.



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### THURSDAY PLENARY

11:40 a.m.–1 p.m. Academic Resource Centre, AC223 Arts & Administration, AA112 for overflow



# Valuing and Managing Aquatic Ecosystem Services

### Featuring Robert Costanza

#### Australian National University

@Robert\_Costanza

Ecosystems are connected to human well-being in complex ways at multiple time and space scales. These benefits are known as ecosystem services, and aquatic ecosystems are among the most valuable in providing these services to humans. How best to understand and model these connections presents a great challenge for ecosystem services science (ESS). Successfully tackling this challenge can raise awareness and provide information to better manage our natural capital (natural ecosystems and their products that do not require human activity to build or maintain). For ecosystem services to occur, this natural capital must be combined with other forms of capital that do require human intervention to build and maintain. These include built or manufactured capital, human capital (e.g., human labor and knowledge), and social capital (e.g., communities and cultures). Thus ESS is inherently an integrated, transdisciplinary science that is concerned with the way these four forms of capital contribute to human well-being and the synergies and trade-offs among them. The process of valuation of ecosystem services is about quantifying and modeling these synergies and trade-offs to allow better management. It requires a deeper understanding of the interconnections among human psychology and decision processes, ecosystem processes and functions, and economic production and consumption processes at multiple time and space scales. The challenges of ESS are huge and will require a significantly more transdisciplinary approach than our current academic institutions are comfortable with. But the payoffs are also huge. Our future depends on making rapid progress in this area.

#### ABOUT

**ROBERT COSTANZA** is a vice chancellor's chair in public policy at the Crawford School of Public Policy at the Australian National University. He is also currently a senior fellow at the National Council on Science and the Environment in the U.S., a senior research fellow at the Stockholm Resilience Center, an affiliate fellow at the Gund Institute for Ecological Economics, a deTao master of ecological economics at the deTao Masters Academy, China, and a fellow of the Royal Society of Arts (UK). Professor Costanza's transdisciplinary research integrates the study of humans and the rest of nature to address research, policy, and management issues at multiple time and space scales, from small watersheds to the global system. He is co-founder and past-president of the International Society for Ecological Economics, and founding editor of the society's journal, Ecological Economics. He currently serves on the editorial board of ten other international academic journals. He is also founding co-editor in chief of Solutions a unique hybrid academic/popular journal. Professor Costanza is the author or co-author of more than 600 scientific papers and 27 books. His work has been cited more than 75,000 times in Google Scholar with an h-index of 108. More than 300 interviews and reports on his work have appeared in various popular media and he has written more than 70 articles for the popular press.

### **FRIDAY PLENARY**

11:40 a.m.–1 p.m. Academic Resource Centre, AC223 Arts & Administration, AA112 for overflow

# The Carbon Footprint of Lakes: From Transformation Processes to Large-Scale Patterns

### **Featuring Yves Prairie**

Université du Québec à Montréal

Lakes are known to be highly active reactors of carbon. Their collective fluxes to the atmosphere as CO2 and CH4 are large enough that it becomes urgent to be able to predict how inland aquatic systems will react in the face of global change. In this talk, he will argue that while carbocentric limnology has made great progress over the past decade, the links between small-scale processes and large-scale patterns are still elusive and difficult to quantify, and are at the heart of our ability to predict the future role of lakes at local, regional, and global spatial scales. Drawing from experience on small lakes, he will attempt to identify some of the major bottlenecks in achieving a more integrative limnology.

**YVES PRAIRIE** is professor of biology at the Université du Québec à Montréal. A founding member of the GRIL research center (a multi-university research center in limnology since the early 1990s), he was its director for 9 years. His main research focus is on all aspects of carbon cycling. He initiated and co-led the NCEAS working group on the role of lakes and reservoirs in the global carbon budget. He holds a UNESCO Chair in Global Environmental Change and currently is the president of the International Society of Limnology. His research interests combine carbon and nutrient biogeochemistry, statistical modelling of ecosystem processes and, more recently, tries to dabble in physical limnology.



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# **WORKSHOPS & DISCUSSIONS**

#### TUESDAY

#### Using GLOS for your Data Sharing Plan Workshop

1:40-3:40 p.m. / Humanities Wing, Room HW214

This workshop will provide researchers with an overview of the Great Lakes Observing System (GLOS) and the GLOS services available to support data management and sharing activities like those required by government grants and open data policies. The GLOS data management team will present an introduction to GLOS's data management infrastructure, instructions on how to create and publish metadata to the GEO Great Lakes Metadata Catalog and the steps needed to publish and archive data with GLOS for others' access. The workshop will include a hands-on activity in developing metadata. Attendees may bring their own examples to use in the activity or samples will be provided. Chaired by Rebecca Pearson, Great Lakes Observing System; Theodore Slawecki, LimnoTech; Kathy Koch, LimnoTech/GLOS contractor.

#### Elsevier Editors' Reception (Invitation only)

5:20-6:30 p.m. / Academic Resource Centre, Room AC227

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#### WEDNESDAY

#### Town Hall on an International Decade of Great Lakes Exploration and Research

#### 4-5:20 p.m. / Humanities Wing, Room HW214

The Laurentian Great Lakes are valuable, fascinating systems that are undergoing significant change, but challenges to scientific progress are significant. Recent publications argue that support for scientific research on the Great Lakes has not kept pace with the current and future need for fundamental, process-oriented investigation and exploration. Consequently, we too often lack basic information and the understanding required to document and forecast change, mitigate impacts, and restore and preserve the Laurentian Great Lakes ecosystem. New and ongoing pressures are affecting the region, including climate change, novel chemical pollutants, urbanization, rapidly evolving agricultural practices and land uses, eutrophication, HABs, and invasive species. Enhancement of Great Lakes science is needed but what are the highest scientific and social priorities? This town hall session is directed at formulating a coordinated, binational, decadal program of fundamental and strategic science under the concept of an "International Decade of Great Lakes Research and Exploration" to generate new knowledge and understanding to match our commitment to Great Lakes restoration and ensure the greatest return on investment for lasting social and ecological impact. Chaired by J. Val Klump, Robert Sterner, Michael Twiss, and Nancy Langston.



# **WORKSHOPS & DISCUSSIONS**

#### THURSDAY

#### Fostering International Research and Collaboration on African Great Lakes

4-4:40 p.m. / Science Wing, SW319

The session Emerging Partnerships, Research, and Capacity in the African Great Lakes will conclude with a 40-minute facilitated discussion among key participants focusing on how ACARE can facilitate international research and collaborations on the African Great Lakes. Interested parties are strongly encouraged to attend and provide insight. Chaired by Theodore Lawrence, Robert Hecky, and Jessica Ives.

#### FRIDAY

# Looking into the Future: Exploring Opportunities for the IJC's Science Advisory Board 2:20–3 p.m. / AC223

The International Joint Commission's Great Lakes Science Advisory Board (SAB) has been providing advice on research and scientific matters to the Commission and the Great Lakes Water Quality Board since 1978. The rejuvenation of the Board following the 2013 Protocol to the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement has resulted in a substantial and diverse suite of recent and ongoing projects. Building off of the project overviews provided earlier in The IJC's Science Advisory Board Review of Current Priorities and Projects session, this facilitated discussion is intended to identify future science topics for SAB focus, and additional opportunities for SAB collaboration. It is our hope this discussion will generate a list of priority topics and opportunities for the SAB to increase the relevance of its science advice to governments. Chaired by Carol Miller, Jeff Ridal, Deborah Lee, and Gavin Christie.





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9:00	<b>F. Buerkens</b> Semi-automated method for detecting and counting cells of cyanobacterial colonies and filaments	<b>V. Cheng</b> Connecting the long- term water level fluctuations in Great Lakes to large scale climate variability	A. Hashemi Shahraki Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of Microbial Community Composition of Recreational Water	H. Domske A Basin-wide Approach to Great Lakes Education: The Center for GL Literacy	<b><u>E. Dunlop</u></b> Are We Fishing Down the Food Web in Lake Simcoe?			
9:20	<u>J. Westrick</u> Detection & Monitoring of HABs in Theory & Practice	<u>J. Smith</u> Capturing the Great Lakes water balance in a Bayesian Network	<b><u>C. Marshall</u></b> Parasitic Copepods of the Laurentian Great Lakes: Genetic Barcoding of Ergasilidae	<b>J. Chadde</b> Educating Educators and their Students Everywhere to Prevent New Invaders	<u><b>M. Shapiera</b></u> A review of Implementation of the Lake Simcoe Fish Community Objectives			
9:40	M. Bambach Understanding the frequency, distribution, and regulating mechanisms of HABs in Minnesota lakes	<b>L. Fry</b> Advances in Operational Seasonal to Inter-annual Great Lakes Water Level Forecasting	J. Kvistad Network Centrality for Identifying High Priority Ports for Aquatic Invasive Species Management	<b>E. Dreelin</b> Engaging Education: Using Service Learning to Connect Students and Stakeholders	<b><u>C. Chu</u></b> Understanding Habitat and Connectivity in Lake Simcoe Tributaries to Protect Brook Trout			
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<b>P. Collingsworth</b> Spatial variation in environmental conditions for larval fish in Lake Huron	<b>A. Crew</b> Diversity, abundance and distribution of microplastics in the St. Lawrence River	<u><b>M. Wick</b></u> Deep Lake Explorer: Using Citizen Science to Analyze Underwater Video from the Great Lakes	<u>K. Loftus</u> Enhancing Relevance and Conservation Benefits of Ontario's Fish Culture Program	8:40				
J. Cavaletto Spatio-Temporal Organization of the Pelagic Food Web in Northern and Central Lake Huron in 2017	<b>S. Belontz</b> Distribution of Microplastics in Benthic Sediment of the Thames River, Ontario	J. Bright Pushing the Boundaries: Technology-Driven Exploration of Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary	<b>C. Wilson</b> Another Tool in Ontario's Recovery Toolbox: Developing Expertise in the Culture of "At Risk" Mussels	9:00				
<b>P. Armenio</b> Space, Time, and Tiny Animals: Spatial patterns of Lake Huron zooplankton from 2010-2017	<b>S. Debreceni</b> Digging into litter data – From Shoreline Cleanups to Solutions	<b>S. Sethi</b> Characterizing the ecological niche of invasive round goby in inland lakes	<u>J. Shute</u> Thirty Years of Lessons Learned in Recovering Non- Game Native Fishes	9:20				
<u><b>L. Eaton</b></u> Larval fish community dynamics during 2017 Lake Huron CSMI	<b>P. Semcesen</b> Investigating the effects of particle shape and biofilm growth on microplastics settling velocity	L. McCaffrey Preliminary Results of Underwater Video Surveys in the Finger Lakes of New York	<u><b>T. Treska</b></u> Lake Trout Restoration in Lake Michigan	9:40				
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10:40	<b>N. Manning</b> Extending the forecast model: Predicting the spatial distribution of HABs in western Lake Erie	<b><u>Z. Curtis</u></b> Natural and anthropogenic controls of groundwater salinity in Michigan	<b>T. Whillans</b> University curiosity and government strategy: 150 years of creative tension in Canadian Great Lakes	L. Iwanowicz Discovery of novel viruses that infect the white sucker (Catostomus commersonii)	<b>S. Winterton</b> 25 years of shoreline cleanups in Canada, what's next?
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K. Wozney Genetic assessment of historical and contemporary Muskellunge in Lake Simcoe	<b>D. Wells</b> Spatio-temporal variation in Coregonid larvae growth and density in Thunder Bay Lake Huron in 2017	<b>L. Erdle</b> Microfibers in the Great Lakes: a prominent contaminant in fish	K. Mehler Using underwater imagery to monitor invasive species in the Great Lakes	<b><u>I. Hebert</u></b> Effects of Temperature on Physiological Performance of Lake Trout Stocked in the Great Lakes	10:20
<b>T. Gunn</b> The impact of shifting cisco population age- structure on the characteristics of pelagic fish schools	L. Rudstam Why are there so few mysids in Lake Huron?	J. Crossman Quantifying and characterizing microplastics in farmed soils and stream environments	<b>T. Angradi</b> Preliminary Results from a Benthic Video Survey of the Lake Huron Nearshore	J. Rinchard Thiamine Deficiency Complex in Salmonines from Lake Ontario	10:40
<b><u>B. Ginn</u></b> Trends in the Nearshore and Profundal Benthic Invertebrate Communities of Lake Simcoe: 2005-2016	<b>P. Esselman</b> Loose habitat affiliations and divergent winter distributions in round goby population of Thunder Bay, Lake Huron	J. Grbic How land-use and hydrology characteristics effect microplastic contamination in Lake Ontario	<b><u>C. Menza</u></b> Pairing side scan sonar imagery and ground- truth videos to characterize western Lake Michigan	<u>M. Futia</u> Influence of Egg Nutritional Content on Salmonine Offspring Survival in Lake Ontario	11:00
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1:40	<b><u>C. Farrow</u></b> The effect of river- borne phosphorus loading on the phytoplankton community of Nottawasaga Bay	<b>J. Ackerman</b> Mussels blow rings exhalant jet behavior influences mixing	<b>K. Reid</b> Pragmatic "solutions" to wicked fisheries management problems: when clumsy is good	<b>N. Wood</b> #GreatLakesSci: How to be a successful science communicator in the modern age of social media	<b>F. McCarthy</b> "Monitoring" Water Quality in Lake Simcoe Since Deglaciation Using Palynomorphs
2:00	<b>Q. Wang</b> Coupled hydrodynamic and biogeochemical simulation of long- term trends in western Lake Erie HABs	H. Bravo Assimilation of Phosphorus from a Point Source in the Lake Michigan Nearshore Zone	<b>S. Campbell</b> Historical changes in the fish communities of the Great Lakes	<u><b>K. TePas</b></u> Sharing CSMI Field Year Findings with a Broader Audience	<u><b>H. Jarjanazi</b></u> Lake Simcoe Water Quality, 1980-2016
2:20	<b>S. Bocaniov</b> Understanding the Role of Physical Processes in Algal Bloom Formation in Lake St. Clair	<b>R. MacLellan-Hurd</b> Offshore Nutrient Dynamic Change with Profunda Quagga Mussels	<b>O. Gorman</b> Lake Superior Fish Community, 1953- 2017: reflecting a history of change and an uncertain future	J. Ciborowski Relative Importance of Prevailing Research & Management Issues in Lake Erie	<b>M. MacDougall</b> Remote Sensing as a tool for identifying non-point sources of nutrients in the Lake Simcoe Basin
2:40	H. Diz Modeling cyanobacterial blooms in Presque Isle Bay, Erie, PA, using the EPA model AQUATOX	L. Girihagama Dreissenid mussel distribution in Georgian Bay is limited by lateral mixing of chemical gradients	<b><u>E. Holm</u></b> The history of the Atlantic Salmon in Lake Ontario	<u><b>M. Bohling</b></u> Michigan Water School: Essential Resources for Local Officials	<b>S. MacKay</b> Periphyton Response Across a Land-Use Gradient in the Lake Simcoe Watershed
3:00		<b>S. Tuttle-Raycraft</b> The response to increased total suspended solids is plastic in juvenile unionids	<b>N. Mandrak</b> Historical changes in the fish communities of the Credit River watershed	<b>S. Jetoo</b> Governance at the local level: The Turku process	H. Wallace Application of Rn-222 for Identification and Quantification of Groundwater Discharge to Lake Simcoe
3:20		<b>V. Fung</b> The effect of algal flux in surface vs. pore water on the feeding of juvenile unionids	<b>W. Taylor</b> The Future of the Great Lakes Fisheries Ecosystem - Sustainability or Collapse		<b>B. Longstaff</b> Reducing urban phosphorus loads to Lake Simcoe through an innovative new offsetting program
3:40	BREAK				

SW143	SW309	SW319	SY110	
Evaluation of the Current State of Ecological Modeling and Future Perspectives	Plastics in the Great Lakes: Characterizing the Problem and Finding Solutions	Remote Sensing, Visualization, and Spatial Data Applications for the Great Lakes	Restoration of Native Fishes	
<b>A. Kuczynski</b> Phosphorus Provenance and <i>Cladophora</i> in the Northern Lake Ontario Nearshore	<b><u>C. Hellquist</u></b> Microplastic particulates in Lake Ontario spawning salmon compared to prey fish	<b>M. Sayers</b> Seasonal Patterns of Lake Michigan Inherent Optical Properties with Implications for Remote Sensing	<b><u>A. McCarthy</u></b> Restoring Atlantic Salmon to Lake Ontario: genetic tracking of reintroductions and wild performance	1:40
<b>C. McDonald</b> Modeling the Efficacy of Phosphorus Treatment Options for the Control of Cladophora in Lake Ontario	<u><b>K. Munno</b></u> Microplastics in Fish: A comparison of Microplastic Ingestion in Two Great Lakes	<u><b>S. Aden</b></u> Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Based Radiometry for Monitoring Water Quality	<b><u>C. Therrien</u></b> Atlantic salmon reintroduction into Lake Ontario: Strategies for enhancing stocking outcomes	2:00
<b><u>Z. Xu</u></b> Modelling the relationships among nutrient loading, harmful algal blooms, and hypoxia in Lake Erie	<b><u>B. Scales</u></b> Habitat drives gene content of Great Lakes plastic- dwelling microbial communities	<u><b>K. Bosse</b></u> Cyanobacteria Vertical Structure Variability in Western Lake Erie and its Impacts On Remote Sensing	<b>P. Euclide</b> Population genetics of lake whitefish over 100 years after commercial harvest closure	2:20
<b>M. Brady</b> Modelling the impact of dreissenids and internal phosphorus loading in Lake Erie	<b>K. Bucci</b> Investigating the Effects of a Range of Microplastics to Fathead Minnows	<b><u>C. Binding</u></b> Analysis of remote sensing algal bloom indices on three turbid eutrophic lakes	<b>E. George</b> Development of Species Diagnostic RFLP Markers for Cisco and Lake Whitefish	2:40
<b>N. Boucher</b> Investigating the Effects of Climate Change in Lake Michigan Using the Atlantis Ecosystem Model	<b>S. Grigorakis</b> Examining the relative contribution of PCBs assimilated from microplastic beads and food in goldfish	<b><u>G. Leshkevich</u></b> Operational Ice Type Classification and Water Quality Satellite Retrievals for the Great Lakes	J. McKenna More than a decade of Coregonid production in Chaumont Bay, Lake Ontario	3:00
<b>G. Onandia Bieco</b> Understanding the biogeochemical functioning of natural ponds in the agricultural landscape	X. Zhang Analyzing plastics using thermal desorption/pyrolysis-direct analysis in real time mass spectrometry	<u><b>M. Billmire</b></u> Implementing multi-portal sharing of Great Lakes remote sensing data	<u><b>M. Paufve</b></u> Characterizing the Spawning and Incubation Habitat of Cisco (Coregonus artedi) in the Great Lakes	3:20
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	AA112	HW215	HW216	MW170	SW128
	Unrefined Hydrocarbon Transport in the Great Lakes Basin	Physical Ecology in Large Lakes and their Watersheds	Ecosystem Impacts of the Lake Ontario-St. Lawrence River Flood of 2017	Research-Driven Educational Initiatives to Improve Watershed Health	Science for a Healthy Lake Simcoe
4:00	<b>R. Sturtevant</b> Crude Oil Transport in the Great Lakes Region: A Wicked Problem	H. Siersma Effects of Saginaw Bay Sediment Structure on Hexagenia Spp. Nymphal Development	M. Twiss Water Quality Impact of the 2017 St. Lawrence River Flood Compared to Years 2014-2016	D. Balika Bridging the data gap in Conservation Authorities using Citizen Science	M. Bennet Adapting Lake Simcoe Conservation Authority's actions to an emerging climate
4:20	<u><b>M. Malchoff</b></u> Collective Efforts to Understand Oil Transportation Issues in the Great Lakes Region	<u>M. Harvey</u> The Effect of Morphology on Submerged Aquatic Macrophytes	<u><b>M. Windle</b></u> Assessing coastal wetlands of the Upper St. Lawrence River using an unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV)	M. Kubalewski Microplastics and macroinvertebrates: leveraging student ingenuity for research discovery	K. Baird Floristic Quality Assessment for natural areas monitoring in Lake Simcoe watershed
4:40	<b>J. Marty</b> Framework to define most probable oil spills in the Great Lakes basin	<u><b>K. Reinl</b></u> Response of the Deep Chlorophyll Maximum in Lake Superior to Changing Temperatures	<b>E. Brahmstedt</b> Water Levels May Impact Mercury Cycling in Upper St. Lawrence River Riparian Wetlands	<b>J. Peller</b> Educational partnerships to study, protect and embrace the health of a local watershed	<b>D. Puric-</b> Mladenovic Baseline condition of natural cover in the Lake Simcoe Watershed
5:00	J. Daley Assessment of Impacts of Unrefined Liquid Hydrocarbons on Aquatic Ecosystems of the Great Lakes		K. Schwartz Effects of extreme water levels on fish communities of the Upper St. Lawrence River	L. Eberhardt Cooperating to monitor the impacts of terrestrial restoration on associated headwater streams	
6:00	POSTER SESSION, SV	W Wing			

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Evaluation of the Current State of Ecological Modeling and Future Perspectives	Climate Change Impacts on Ecohydrology of Urbanized Watersheds Draining into Large Lakes	Remote Sensing, Visualization, and Spatial Data Applications for the Great Lakes	Restoration of Native Fishes	
T. Brown Who messed up my lake?	<b><u>E. Passeport</u></b> Bioretention cells under cold climate conditions	<u><b>M. Naber</b></u> Digital Shoreline Analysis 4.4 used to evaluate bluff recession rates in Erie, PA, using LiDAR data.	H. Lachance Climate Change Impact on Cisco (Coregonus artedi) Egg + Larva Development at the Molecular Level	4:00
<b>P. Xue</b> Hydrodynamics and Its Impact on Water Quality Management in the Northern Nearshore of Lake Ontario	<b><u>A. Erler</u></b> The Impact of Climate Change on Surface and Groundwater Resources in Southern Ontario	J. Guerrein Shoreline change of Presque Isle State Park from 1937 to 2015	<b><u>C. Audet</u></b> Differences in quality between hatchery-reared and wild-origin bloater (Coregonus hoyi) eggs	4:20
J. Pauer Great Lakes modeling: Are the mathematics outpacing the data and our understanding of the system?	<u>M. Shafii</u> Ecohydrological impacts on receiving waters induced by stormwater management infrastructure	<b>L. Bourgeau-Chavez</b> Developing a Framework for Monitoring Coastal Wetlands with High Resolution Satellite Imagery in 4D	<b>N. Klinard</b> Movement, Habitat Use & Survival of a Re-Introduced Fish: Bloater (Coregonus hoyi) in Lake Ontario	4:40
<u><b>M. Brett</b></u> Useless Arithmetic? Lessons Learned From Aquatic Biogeochemical Modelling		<b>R. Dinehart</b> Spatial and Temporal Effects of Fragmentation on Marsh Bird Communities within Saginaw Bay, Michigan		5:00
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	Nutrient Sources, Transport and Retention in Great Lakes Watersheds: Field Measure- ments, Modeling and Management Implications	Improving Model Predictions through Coupled System and Data Assimilation	Modeling, Detecting, and Managing Rarity	Microbial Dynamics and Human Health Risks in the Beach Sand	The Science-Policy Interface in Great Lakes Research
8:40	O. Al-Dabbagh The Effects of Nitrogen Dynamics on Toxic, Non- Diazotrophic Microcystis spp. in Eutrophic Lakes	L. Fitzpatrick An Annual Comparison of Turbulent Heat Fluxes with Numerical Models across the Great Lakes			<b><u>G. Krantzberg</u></b> If we really aren't sure can we take action?
9:00	<u><b>S. Simoliunas</b></u> Inadequate Sampling and Analysis at Detroit Wastewater Treatment Plant	<b>E. Persaud</b> Integrated modelling of groundwater- surface water interactions in the Great Lakes basin	<b>A. Dextrase</b> Sampling Effort Required to Detect Rare Fishes	<b><u>C. Weiskerger</u></b> Effects of a Changing Earth on Microbial Dynamics and Human Health Risks in the Water/Sand Continuum	K. Browne Is all co-production created equal? Understanding drivers and outcomes
9:20	<b>S. Rakhimbekova</b> Effect of Hot Phenomena on Groundwater Derived Nutrients in the Nearshore Aquifer in the Great Lakes	<b>X. Ye</b> Modeling the Impact of Water Mixing and Ice on Deep, Inland Lake Warming	<b>R. Castaneda</b> A novel detection technique for fishes at risk	A. Shrestha Optimal threshold criteria for E. coli qPCR using ROC analyses	<u>K. Siman</u> Social-Ecological Network Structures of Lake Erie Water Quality Management
9:40	<b>S. Rixon</b> Effects of agricultural practices and climate on nutrient transport through various water pathways	J. Kessler Improving Seasonal Ice Forecasts Using a Coupled Lake-Ice System	<b>D. Tozer</b> Detecting and monitoring elusive marsh breeding birds in the Great Lakes	L. Sassoubre Applying Microbial Community Analysis to Identify Fecal Pollution in Surface and Groundwater Flowing	<u><b>C. Delle Palme</b></u> From Fish Movement to Knowledge Movement
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Science and Policy for Management of Invasive Crayfish	Cities on the Shore: Urbanization as a Growing Threat to Nearshore Ecosystem Health	Restoring Hamilton Harbour: Tilting at Windmills or a Possible Dream?	Climate Interactions with Large Lakes' Physical Systems	Restoration of Native Fishes	
<b><u>G. Kang</u></b> The Controversies Regarding the Native Range and Impact of the Rusty Crayfish	<b>S. Whorley</b> Effects of Multiple Anthropogenic Stressors on Lake Erie and Associate Streams' Algal Assemblages	<b>D. Depew</b> A status update on the eutrophication of Hamilton Harbour: Is recovery within reach?	<b>F. Xie</b> Uncertainty in WRF Regional Model Climate Change Projections For the Great Lakes Basin	<b>D. Stanley</b> Impact of a large-scale translocation program as a way to increase American eel spawners production	8:40
<b><u>R. Keller</u></b> Invasive Crayfishes in the Great Lakes: Current Status and Management Options	<b>E. Hayward</b> Impacts of wastewater discharges on freshwater mussels in a tributary of the Grand River, Ontario	J. Vanden Byllaardt New approaches to tracking sources of contaminant loadings to Hamilton Harbour	<b>B. Lofgren</b> Using 2-Way Embedding of Fine Grids in Global Models to Enhance Regional Climate Projection	<b><u>A. Mathers</u></b> Tracking American Eel Movements in the Bay of Quinte and the St. Lawrence River	9:00
<b><u>A. Tucker</u></b> Control of invasive Rusty Crayfish on Lake Michigan spawning reefs	<b><u>B. Kielstra</u></b> Cumulative Effects of Headwater Degradation on Downstream Ecosystems in Urbanizing Landscapes	J. Milne Today's challenges of urban beach management	<b>K. Channell</b> Annual Climate Trends and Impacts Summary for the Great Lakes Basin	<b>M. Boothroyd</b> Assessment of an adult lake sturgeon reintroduction effort in a fragmented river system	9:20
<b>E. Larson</b> Predicting the potential distribution of the invasive red swamp crayfish in the Great Lakes	<b>A. Parajulee</b> Comparing Herbicide Behaviour and Exports in Contrasting Toronto Watersheds	<u>Z. Parhizgari</u> Keeping urban beaches open- A municipal odyssey	<u><b>G. Milner</b></u> Assessing Climate Science Knowledge Gaps to support the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement	<u>J. Withers</u> Population status of Lake Sturgeon in eastern Lake Erie	9:40
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	Nutrient Sources, Transport and Retention in Great Lakes Watersheds: Field Measure- ments, Modeling and Management Implications	Improving Model Predictions through Coupled System and Data Assimilation	Modeling, Detecting, and Managing Rarity	Food Web Ecology and Dynamics of Lake Ontario: Nearshore Pelagic Linkages	The Science-Policy Interface in Great Lakes Research
10:20	<b>T.</b> <b>Chandrakumaran</b> Spatial and Temporal Trends in Phosphorus and Suspended Solids Yields along an Urban River Reach	<b>R. Kibler</b> Using a Property- carrying Particle Model for Ecosystem Simulation: A Case Study of Sandusky Bay	<b>C. Hayer</b> Aquatic Invasive Species Early Detection and Monitoring Program for Lake Michigan: A Summary	<b>F. Luckey</b> CSMI 2018 - Unravelling Lake Ontario's Nutrient Conundrum	<b>N. Mandrak</b> The science-policy interface in Great Lakes biodiversity research: a researcher's perspective
10:40	<b>C. Wolfanger</b> Nitrogen and Phosphorus Processing in Restored Versus Degraded Riverine Coastal Wetlands	<u>J. Daily</u> Ensemble Kalman Filter Data Assimilation Development for Lake Erie	<b>F. Montgomery</b> Identifying extinction debt in Great Lakes wetland fishes	<b>M. Fitzpatrick</b> Assessing Microbial- Planktonic Food Web Dynamics in Nearshore and Offshore Habitats of Lake Ontario	<b>N. Stratton</b> Science-policy and the influence of stakeholder perceptions on early detection and rapid response
11:00	<u>J. Herrin</u> Identifying Nutrient Pollution Sources with Stable Isotopes to Improve Water Quality	<b>Y. Chao</b> Development of a 3DVAR Data Assimilation System for Lake Erie Operational Forecast System	<b>L. Elliott</b> Hierarchical modeling to identify habitat associations of secretive marsh birds in the Great Lakes	<u><b>M. Munawar</b></u> Ecological Linkages of Nearshore-Pelagic Gradients of Phytoplankton Dynamics in Lake Ontario	<b><u>C. Irvine</u></b> Lessons learned from cumulative effects development monitoring in the Grand River Watershed
11:20	<b>T. Maguire</b> Riverine nutrient concentrations respond to upgradient greenhouse agriculture	Y. Jia Feasibility Studies to Use Contemporary Satellite Geodetic Observations Towards the Improvement of Great Lakes Monitoring and Forecasting via Assimilative Modeling	<u><b>C. Jolls</b></u> Pitcher's Thistle: a Great Lakes Endemic as a Model System	<u><b>H. Niblock</b></u> Seasonal Variation in Phytoplankton Communities of Western and Eastern Lake Ontario	<b>D. VanNijnatten</b> Knowledge Indicators for Great Lakes Environmental Governance
11:40	DIANNE SAXE PLENA	<b>ARY</b> , AC223 (AA112 for	overflow)		
1:00	<b>BUSINESS LUNCH</b>				

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<b><u>B. Roth</u></b> Coordinated response efforts to the red swamp crayfish invasion in Michigan	<b>D. Lembcke</b> Monitoring Winter Salt use in Commercial Parking Lots to Understand the Source and Find Solutions	<b>T. Long</b> Decades of tilting at Hamilton Harbour's PCBs	<b>B. Qin</b> A Record-setting of Cyanobacterial Bloom in 2017 in Lake Taihu, China	<b>S. Diller</b> Functional Assessment of Great Lakes Coastal Wetlands: Insights from Fish Diversity	10:20
V. Prescott Climate Change and Ecological Risk Assessment For Predicting Future Great Lakes Crayfish Invasions	L. Murison Real-Time Chloride in the Credit River and Impacts on Nearshore Lake Ontario	K. Stevack Assessing toxicity and bioaccumulation of Hamilton Harbour sediments	<b><u>B. Hewitt</u></b> Effects of climate change on lake ice freeze up: historical patterns and future predictions	<u>J. Schaeffer</u> Gap Analysis as a Planning Tool to Restore Stream Diversity	10:40
<b><u>A. Allert</u></b> Potential Chemical Control for Invasive Crayfish Infestations	<u>S. Melles</u> Identifying Seasonal Road Salt Hotspots in Three Urban to Urbanizing Tributaries	<b><u>B. Flood</u></b> Anoxic water upwelling potentially limits fish habitat in Hamilton Harbour: 3D hydrodynamic modeling	<b>L. Lopez</b> The effects of climate change on lake ice breakup across the Northern Hemisphere	<b>S. Volkel</b> Slimy sculpin and round goby spatial overlap in the Great Lakes following round goby invasion	11:00
<u><b>G. Hitzroth</b></u> Great Lakes Invasive Crayfish – Results of a Stakeholder Needs Assessment Using the Delphi Method	<b>A. Kayembe</b> The Influence of Channel Complexity on Trace Metal Distribution in Salt Impacted Urban Streams	<b><u>C. Yang</u></b> Predicting the likelihood of a regime shift in Cootes Paradise with statistical & mechanistic models	J. Lenters Decadal variability of Lake Superior ice cover and water temperature: An ecosystem in transition?	<b>M. Kindree</b> Examining the interactive effects of climate change and invasive species on a native fish	11:20
	· 	DIANNE	SAXE PLENARY, AC22	23 (AA112 for overflow)	11:40
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2:20	<b>H. Yao</b> Spatial-Temporal Changes of Nutrients in Muskoka River, an Example of Undeveloped Area		<b>L. Nguyen-Dang</b> Behavioural and Gene Transcriptional Phenotypes of Round Goby During the Invasion Spread	<b>K. Bowen</b> Nearshore-Offshore Planktonic Food Web Dynamics in Lake Ontario	<b>D. Saxe</b> Communicating Your Message to Policy Makers
2:40	<u><b>M. Digaletos</b></u> Characterization of Non-point Source Contamination from Septic Systems in Rural Hamlets, Ontario	<b>S. Cole</b> Understanding Uses of Great Lakes - St. Lawrence Water: Trends and Opportunities	<b>K. Wozney</b> Tracking ghosts: harnessing environmental DNA for detecting elusive aquatic species	<b>G. Doud</b> Invertebrate Predator Effects on Daphnia and Other Zooplankton Species	<b>R. Melzer</b> Beyond the journal article: How scientists can influence policy decisions

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<b>P. Goel</b> Designing an urban stream monitoring network to estimate phosphorus loads from non-point sources	<b>P. Zuzek</b> Application of the Nearshore Framework Assessment to Lake Erie and the Huron- Erie Corridor in Canada	<b>J. Li</b> Seasonal and spatial variability of polyphosphate in the water column of Hamilton Harbour	<u>J. Wang</u> Analysis of Interannual Variability of Great Lakes Ice Cover, 2012-2017	<b><u>C. Higgins</u></b> Evaluating Mate Preference in Adult Female Sea Lampreys	2:20
<b>L. Del Giudice</b> Exploring land to lake connections through new approaches in watershed planning	J. Simard Great Lakes Shoreline Ecosystem (GLSE) Inventory and Monitoring Project	<b>È. Gilroy</b> Status assessment of the BUI "Degradation of Wildlife Populations" for the Hamilton Harbour AOC		<b>H. Dawson</b> Using Management Strategy Evaluation to optimize a trapping strategy to control invasive sea lamprey	2:40

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3:00	<b>J. White</b> Concentration- Discharge Relationship Controls on Phosphous for a River in a Cold Temperate Climate	<b>S. Cole</b> Measuring Progress Towards Desired Outcomes for Great Lakes Water – The Blue Accounting Approach	<b>S. Crookes</b> On Site eDNA Assessment of Species-at-Risk (SAR): Implications for Aquatic Resource Management	<b>T. Holda</b> Metagenomic Analysis of Mysis Gut Contents	<b>N. Diep</b> Farming in the Great Lakes: Science to inform decisions on the management of cage aquaculture
3:20	<b>W. Richardson</b> Land use effects on nutrient cycling and loss from headwaters to Great Lakes in the Fox River Basin	<b>A. Wrobel</b> Using Traditional Ecological Knowledge for Water Management	<b>E. Whitmore</b> How Improving DNA Barcoding Libraries Can Improve Zooplankton Monitoring in the Great Lakes.	M. Hanley Comparing Alewife (Alosa pseudoharengus) Diets to Zooplankton Community Composition in Lake Ontario	<b>P. Sibley</b> Teaching tools to help students understand the reciprocal relationship between science and policy
3:40	BREAK				

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M. Eastman & L. Murison Identifying non-point sediment source areas to prioritize land management and restoration activities	<u><b>M. Nord</b></u> U.S. EPA's National Coastal Condition Assessment in the Great Lakes	<b>L. Cartwright</b> Evaluation of TRCA's Natural Heritage System Strategy and wildlife populations in the Toronto AOC	J. Lenters IAGLR joins the European Large Lakes Symposium in 2018: A preview of the inaugural meeting in France	A. Huddleston The influence of winter severity on the coupling between Lake Erie walleye and their prey	3:00
M. DeBues Agricultural land-use change and nutrient export in Lake Ontario tributaries	<u>M. Hudson</u> Tributary Influences on Nearshore Water Quality in Lake Superior's Chequamegon Bay	<b><u>A. Chreston</u></b> Managing Double- crested Cormorants at Tommy Thompson Park	<b>P. Blanken</b> Vessel-based Observations of Meteorological and Evaporation Gradients on the Laurentian Great Lakes		3:20
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4:00	<u>K. Van Meter</u> Food, Fodder and Phosphorus: A Quantification of Nutrient Legacies in Human-Impacted Watersheds	<b>T. Bruno</b> Water conservation and efficiency training and education under the Great Lakes Compact	<b><u>A. Drake</u></b> Thermal and Physical Reproductive Cues for Spotted Gar in a Lake Erie Coastal Wetland	<b><u>E. Brown</u></b> Migration and Spatial Ecology of Walleye: Linkages Between a Nearshore Predator and Offshore Prey	<b>D. Ruck</b> Communicating science: how the cleate a short villeo about your pesearch in a day
4:20	<b>M. Verschoor</b> Trends in AVS and acid extractable iron in sediment cores from Lake Erie	<u>J. Staples</u> Reporting Ontario's Water Use under the Sustainable Water Resources Agreement	<b>L. Potts</b> Effects of dual stressors on Pugnose shiner, Notropis anogenus	<b>K. Drouillard</b> Ecological tracers reveal resource convergence among Lake Ontario prey fishes	<b>D. Walters</b> The science-policy interface in the context of source water protection: lessons from Callander, ON
4:40	<b>R. Shukla</b> Application of Modelling Approach in Flat Land Watersheds of Canadian Lake Erie Basin			<b>G. Arhonditsis</b> Guiding risk assessment and adaptive management implementation in Lake Ontario	K. Friedman Bridging the Science- Policy Gap: Rethinking the Nexus
5:00	<b>N. Basu</b> Biogeochemical Asynchrony: Ecosystem Drivers of Concentration- Discharge Dynamics Across Scales				J. Winter Science in action: examples from Lake Simcoe and the Great Lakes

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<u><b>R. Sorichetti</b></u> Chloride Trends In Ontario Lakes And Streams	<b>P. McKinney</b> Evaluating Lake Superior nearshore offshore gradients using autonomous gliders	L. Matos Assessing Fish Consumption BUI at Great Lakes Areas of Concern: Toronto case study	<b>T. Wood</b> Change in the frequency of deep ventilation of a caldera lake in a future climate	<u>M. McCabe</u> Scent Enhancement in Juvenile Huron-Erie Corridor Lake Sturgeon	4:00
<b>T. Watson-Leung</b> Changes in the Humber Bay benthic macroinvertebrate community structure: 1990 to 2012	<b>D. Bunnell</b> Spatial variability in energetic condition of Lake Michigan preyfishes	<b><u>R. Rozon</u></b> Zooplankton community, size distribution and production in the Toronto and Region Area of Concern	<u>S. Sharma</u> Losing lake ice: Extreme no-freeze ice events in Northern Hemipshere lakes	L. Tessier Relationship between Water chemistry, the Gill Microenvironment, and TFM toxicity in Non-Target Fish	4:20
<b>B. Laverick</b> Responsible phosphorus limits at the Duffin Creek Plant	<b>B. Leonhardt</b> Diet Complexity of Lake Michigan Salmonids: Contrasting Trophic Indicators	<u>J. Stille</u> Integrated Restoration Prioritization: A Strategic Tool for Improving Toronto Area Natural Systems	<u>M. McCarthy</u> Measuring nitrogen transformation rates in large lakes: challenges, solutions, and future needs	<b>O. Birceanu</b> Investigation of alternative lampricide treatments offers insights into lake sturgeon physiology	4:40
<b>B. Snodgrass</b> Forecasting and monitoring improvements in the Ashbridges Bay Coastal Zone from the ABTP Project	<b><u>C. Foley</u></b> Species identity matters when interpreting trophic markers in nearshore aquatic food webs	<b>G. MacPherson</b> Urban Resiliency through Ecosystem Habitat Restoration	<u>J. Lenters</u> Big Lake - Big Waves: A historical climatology of offshore wave heights on Lake Superior	<b>M. Wilkie</b> Effects of the Lampricide, TFM, on Juvenile Lake Sturgeon: Implications for Sea Lamprey Control	5:00

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8:40	<b>T. Harrow-Lyle</b> Emergence of Algal Blooms in a Large Macrophyte- Dominated Lake	<u>M. Herzog</u> Smart Lake Erie: The Future of Real-Time Water Monitoring	<u><b>M. Mohamed</b></u> The Multi-Watershed Nutrient Study: Background, Context and Session Introduction	M. Wells The influence of thermal stratification upon acoustic propagation: Impacts on fish detection	K. Irons Protecting Our Waters: Multi- jurisdictional Approach to Asian Carp Presence in the Illinois Waterway
9:00	J. Harrison Drivers of Spatiotemporal Patterns in Cyanobacterial Fluorescence in Callander Bay, Lake Nipissing	<b>S. Kshirsagar</b> Lessons Learnt in Hackathons for Lake Monitoring Innovation	<u><b>M. Rosamond</b></u> Representing a Large Region with Few Sites: The Quality Index Approach for Field Studies	<u>K. Lamb</u> Idealized Numerical Simulations of Ontario's Grand River Plume	<b>A. Casper</b> Response of Native Fish and Plankton to the Arrival and Subsequent Reduction of Asian Carp
9:20	<b><u>G. Boyer</u></b> Harmful Algal Blooms in New York's Finger Lakes – A Harbinger of Change to Come?	<b>K. Tountas</b> Software-defined Wireless Networking for Smart Water Monitoring	J. Thomas Enhanced Partnership Development to Expand and Achieve Common Study Goals	<b>S. Davarpanah</b> Jazi Settling-driven convection limits the spatial scale of deposition beneath buoyant flows	<b>L. Galin-Corini</b> Is the common carp (Cyprinus carpio) one of the world's worst invasive species?
9:40	<b><u>E. Crafton</u></b> The Impact of Aqueous and Particulate Phosphorous on Cyanobacteria Associated with HABs	<b>E. Verhamme</b> Development of a Lake-wide Operational Observing System: Lake Erie Case Study	D. Smith Logistical Considerations for the Development and Operation of an Automated Monitoring Network	<u>M. Stastna</u> Convection Near the Temperature-Induced Density Maximum in Water	<b>P. Alsip</b> Habitat Suitability Assessment for Bigheaded Carp using 3D Water Quality Data from Lake Michigan
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<b>R. Shuchman</b> Satellite Observed Water Quality Changes in the Great Lakes Due to Multiple Human-Induced Drivers	J. Ridal Assessing Progress on the Restoration of Fish Consumption Beneficial Use in the Bay of Quinte		<b>K. Obiero</b> Strengthening Capacity in Research and Training through Transboundary Partnership and Collaboration	<b>S. Rafferty</b> Evaluation of hepatic and orocutaneous tumors in fishes in Presque Isle Bay, Pa post-delisting	8:40
<b>A. Karatayev</b> Population Dynamics of Zebra and Quagga Mussels in the Great Lakes: Cross-Lakes Comparison	J. Sherry Improved body burdens and health measures in Brown Bullhead from the Bay of Quinte: 2004 to 2014	<b><u>B. Garmon</u></b> Placemaking, Talent and the Evolving Role of Recreation in Managing Great Lakes Coastal Dunes	<b>P. Doran</b> Building upon the 2017 African Great Lakes Conference - Advancements and Investments	<b>V. Blazer</b> Evidence of Exposure to Estrogenic Compounds in Fishes Collected at Great Lakes Areas of Concern	9:00
<b><u>R. Sturtevant</u></b> An Updated History of Nonindigenous Species in the Great Lakes	J. Meyer Automated Tool for Early Warning of Chlorophyll Blooms in Bay of Quinte	<u>A. Arbogast</u> The Reconstructed Chronology of Coastal Dune Evolution in Michigan	<b>R. Hecky</b> The African Great Lakes Conference and the Future of Great Lakes Science in Africa	<u><b>H. Walsh</b></u> Tumors of White Suckers from Areas of Concern in the Great Lakes	9:20
<b>S. Grelik</b> Comparing wetland field protocols for practical, informative monitoring of invasive species	Y. Shimoda A modelling framework for setting criteria of Microcystin violations in the Bay of Quinte	<b>C. Queen</b> Comprehensive Mapping of Michigan's Coastal Sand Dunes	<u>A. Vodacek</u> Wind Driven Circulation Triggering Whiting Events in Lake Kivu	<b>D. Lapointe</b> Assessing the effects of contaminated sediment on fish of the St. Lawrence River (Cornwall) AOC	9:40
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10:20	<b>S. Mishra</b> Algal Bloom Severity Index for Lake Erie Sub-basins	<b><u>H. King</u></b> Open-source spectrometer for citizen science monitoring of nutrient loading	L. Benakoun Maintaining Consistent Sampling Regimes in Broad- Scale, Multi-Partner Stream Monitoring Projects	<b>D. Cannon</b> Observations of Hypolimnetic Turbulence in Lake Michigan and Implications for Mussel Filtration	<b>C. Hebert</b> Distilling A Career: A Tribute to Doug Haffner's Contributions to Environmental Research on Large Lakes	
10:40	J. Campbell Zooplankton interaction with summer cyanobacteria blooms in Lake Erie's Presque Isle Bay, 2016-17	K. Danielsen Real-time nutrient monitoring system and data analysis offers insight into stream dynamics	<b>G. Arabian</b> Collecting, Maintaining and Sharing Large Environmental Datasets	<b>B. Yang</b> Velocity Measurements from a 5-Beam ADCP Reveals Varying Benthic Turbulence in Hamilton Harbour	<b>K. Drouillard</b> Detroit River Modelling and Management Framework and its use a Decision Support Tool for A Great Lak	
11:00	<b>E. Kramer</b> They Go High, We Pump Low: Can the Diel Vertical Migration of HABs Protect Drinking Water Sources?	J. Hortness Innovative Monitoring and Load Estimation Techniques in Watersheds of the Great Lakes Basin	<u><b>M. Luymes</b></u> Engaging Farmers in Watershed Research: Lessons Learned and Future Perspectives	<b>S. Lin</b> Distribution of Turbulent Kinetic Energy Dissipation in Lake Erie	<b>R. Letcher</b> New Contaminants in Sediment and Biota from Lake Erie & Detroit River: Doug Haffner's Contributions	
11:20	<b>R. Stumpf</b> A Mechanistic Phosphorus-Based Model for the Western Lake Erie Cyanobacteria Bloom	<b>F. Fitzpatrick</b> Experimental Approach for Estimating Daily Water Residence Time in Great Lakes Rivermouths	<b>M. Yousif</b> Nutrient Export from Agricultural Watersheds in Ontario Then and Now - A Comparison Across 40 Years	<b><u>H. Hu</u></b> Wind Wave Modeling in the Lake Erie	<b><u>G. Paterson</u></b> The bioenergetics of persistent organic pollutant bioaccumulation in freshwater fishes	
11:40	ROBERT COSTANZA	PLENARY, AC223 (AA	112 for overflow)			
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M. Battaglia Updating the Map of Invasive Phragmites for the Great Lakes Coast	J. Shore Observations of surface drift in the Bay of Quinte in the summer of 2017	L. Booth Recreational Use Studies: Involving Communities in Determining the Benefits of Recreational Areas	<u>M. Ngochera</u> Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of pCO2 and CO2 Flux in Tropical Lake Malawi	<u>N. Urban</u> Recovery of Lake Superior from historical PCB pollution	10:20
<b>J. Jung</b> Spatial analysis of Phragmites australis at Long Point Peninsula	M. Narini That's a RAP!: Long- term database creation for the Bay of Quinte RAP and its role post de-listing	<b><u>E. Isely</u></b> Engagement of Coastal Dune Stakeholders: Innovative Methods to Improve Outcomes	<u><b>E. Tyner</b></u> Factors Determining E. coli Distribution in Nearshore Lake Malawi	T. Hollenhorst Modeling Biota- Sediment Accumulation Factors in Fish for AOC Habitat Restoration Projects	10:40
A. Scofield Do deep chlorophyll layers have bottom-up effects on zooplankton communities?	<b>F. Ouellet</b> Nutrient loading estimates during extreme rain events in the Bay of Quinte	<b><u>R. Richardson</u></b> Characterizing the Uses and Values of Freshwater Coastal Sand Dunes	<b>S. Guildford</b> Fv/Fm as an Indicator of Phytoplankton Nutrient Status in Lake Malawi	S. Baskaran Model-based explorations of the variability in Lake Trout bioaccumulation factors	11:00
<b><u>G. Parent-Doliner</u></b> Open Data Standard for Recreational Water Quality	<b>A. Richards</b> Nutrient loading comparisons across multiple watersheds in Lake Ontario		<u><b>H. Bootsma</b></u> Internal Controls of Carbon Dynamics in Lake Malawi	<b>J. Li</b> Application of a Spatially Explicit Bioaccumulation Model for Sport Fish in the Detroit River AOC	11:20
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1:40	<b>S. Newell</b> Reduced forms of nitrogen are a driver of non-nitrogen-fixing cyanoHABs and toxicity in Lake Erie	<u><b>H. Roth</b></u> Weather and Waves on Lake Superior: An Intercomparison of Data from Two Buoy Designs	<b>C. Parsons</b> Phosphorus Export from Headwater Streams in the Lake Erie Basin: Storms, Snow-Melt and Speciation	<b>R. Valipour</b> Numerical Modeling of Hydrodynamics, Water quality and Sediment Transport in Lake of the Woods	<b>A. McLeod</b> Making Lemonade from Lemons: The use of contaminants in answering ecological questions
2:00	<u>I. Mrdjen</u> The Role of Microcystins as Liver Cancer Promoters in a Two-Staged Model of Liver Cancer Promotion	<u>W. Currie</u> A New Real-time Ecosystem Buoy for Toronto Region	<b><u>C. Wellen</u></b> Modeling Phosphorus Loading in Agricultural Watersheds Across Southern Ontario	<b>B. Hlevca</b> Field Observations and Hydrodynamic and Water Quality Modelling of Trout Lake, Ontario	<b>A. Bramburger</b> The Rules of Assembly, according to benthic freshwater diatoms
2:20	<b>M. Manubolu</b> Are fish harvested in Lake Erie during the harmful algal bloom season safe to eat?	D. Schwab Simulating Spill Scenarios for Public Health Protection in the Huron to Erie Corridor	<b>K. Zolfaghari</b> A Comparison of Lab- and Field-Based Water Quality Measurements for Agricultural Surface Waters	<u><b>M. Madani</b></u> Developing Three Dimensional Hydrodynamic and Water Quality Model for Lake St. Clair	L. Zhang Microbial Succession and Its Mechanism during an Algal Bloom Event in Three Gorges Reservoir
2:40	<b>T. Bridgeman</b> Comparing western Lake Erie Microcystin Congeners Between Small-HAB and Large- HAB Years.	<u>N. Pasch</u> The Intelligent Utility: Monitoring for Infrastructure Optimization and Ecosystem Health		<b><u>H. Zhou</u></b> Hydrodynamic Modeling of HABs in Western Basin of Lake Erie	<b><u>C. Fasching</u></b> A carbon mass balance for Lake Erie: sources and composition

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<u><b>A. Point</b></u> Perfluoroalkyl Acids: Updating Basin-Wide Temporal Trends and Biomagnification Insights	<b><u>T. Edge</u></b> Opportunities and Challenges for Metagenomics in Management of Great Lakes Ecosystems	<b><u>E. Burbacher</u></b> Lake Erie Area Research Network: The Advancement of LEARN	<b>F. Njaya</b> Collaborative Research for Sustainable Development: Challenges and Opportunities from Lake Malawi	<b>U. Strandberg</b> Risk-benefit of consuming fish from the Canadian waters of the Great Lakes	1:40
<b>C. Winter</b> Trends in total phosphorus and chlorophyll in Lake Erie: insights from two monitoring programs.	J. Podowski Microbial Genomic Diversity across the Laurentian Great Lakes	<b>B. Gilvesy</b> ALUS Canada: Connecting Landowners, Researchers, and Decision-makers to Achieve Results	<b>A. Otieno</b> Harnessing African Capacity for Improved Training on Fisheries and Aquaculture in Africa	<b>A. Visha</b> A Bayesian framework for assessing contamination trends in fish communities in the Great Lakes	2:00
<b>L. Burlakova</b> Trends in Lake Erie benthos: 1930-2014	<u><b>C. Greer</b></u> Genomic Characterization of Toxic Cyanobacterial Community Dynamics in Missisquoi Bay, Quebec	<b>F. Lipschitz</b> Learning from the City: Rethinking Green Infrastructure for Production Agriculture	<b>N. Nagabhatla</b> Water Security Agenda as Research and Capacity Framework for Sustainable Water Futures	<b>G. Tetreault</b> Recovery of fish populations after infrastructure investments at municipal wastewater plants	2:20
<b>L. Grapentine</b> Long-term Monitoring Improves Characterization of Reference Conditions for Assessment and Management	<b>T. Davis</b> Spatiotemporal Survey of the 2016 Lake Okeechobee and St. Lucie River Cyanobacterial Bloom	<u>M. Schollen</u> Cross-Disciplinary Collaboration- Toronto Green Streets Technical Guidelines	<b>I. Nyameke</b> An Account of GAFNET Activities in Ghana and Future Partnerships and Collaborations with ACARE	<b>A. McLean</b> Does proximity to wastewater effluent alter bluegill sunfish behaviour?	2:40

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3:00	<u><b>S. Bartlett</b></u> Cyanobacterial toxins in lower Green Bay, Lake Michigan	<b><u>E. Mimouni</u></b> Multiscale Assessment of Freshwater Water Quality Sensor Data of the St. Lawrence River	<b>L. Amorim</b> Hydrodynamic and Ecological 3D Modeling in Tropical Lakes	<b>C. Heuvel</b> Resource Partitioning Across Ontogeny and Feeding Strategy for Three Lake Erie Fishes
3:20	<b>R. Shahmohamadloo</b> Microcystis aeruginosa adversely impacts Daphnia spp.: Posing risks to food webs of the Great Lakes	<u><b>M. Miller</b></u> Hydrological Connectivity Modeling to Distinguish Coastal and Non-Coastal Wetlands	<b>R. Cossu</b> Drivers for Lagoon Stratification in Manihiki Atoll, Cook Islands	M. Ageli Diatom communities and their patterns in paleocores from ancient Lake Towuti
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<b>N. Olsen</b> Decadal Trends in Lake Michigan Buoy- Measured Wind and Waves	<u><b>C. Weisener</b></u> Unraveling the Microcystis Mystery of Pelee Island "Magic Sand"	<b>B. Davis</b> Healthy Port Futures: Landscape Strategies for Passive Sediment Management	<b>M. Gaden</b> Governance of Great Lakes Fisheries: History, Rationale, and Lessons for the Great Lakes of Africa	J. Watkins Tracking diel foraging behavior of Chinook Salmon in Lake Ontario using pop-off archival tags	3:00
K. Bockwoldt Current and Historical Phytoplankton Productivity in Lake Michigan	M. Sadowsky Use of DNA Sequence Technology to Determine Sources and Sinks of Microbes in Waterways	J. Boehme Data Challenges for Environmental Factors and Gastrointestinal Illness in Great Lakes Cities	<b>T. Lawrence</b> Approaching Africa's Future Fresh Water Challenges through Capacity Building and Collaboration	J. Lepak Communicating Research to Charter Captains: King Salmon Movement and Behavior in Lake Ontario	3:20
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4:00	<b>D. Dionysiou</b> Destruction of Less- studied Microcystin Variants by UV/chlorine process	<b>T. Hansen</b> The feasibility of a subsurface float as a vortex-shedding current meter in open waters	<b>G. Nurnberg</b> Benefits and optimization of hypolimnetic withdrawal as a lake restoration technique	<b><u>E. Hillis</u></b> Spatial Variation of Primary Production and Chlorophyll a in the Three Basins of Lake Erie	<b><u>E. Reavie</u></b> Metagenomic and Isotopic Characterization of Epilimnetic and DCL Phytoplankton in Lake Superior
4:20	<b>D. Schlea</b> Assessment of Fertilizer and Manure Application and Impacts in the Western Lake Erie Basin	<b>S. Daniel</b> Great Lakes DNA Barcode Reference Library: Mollusca, Annelida, and Minor Phyla	N. Sulewski Hypolimnetic Upwelling in Coastal Embayments of Lake Ontario; Implications for Restoration	J. Owen Phytoplankton Dynamics in the western basin of Lake Erie with a focus on Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs)	<b>M. Pawlowski</b> Probability surveys as an approach for assessing zooplankton community and biomass trends in Lake Superior
4:40	<b>L. Johnson</b> Identifying how to reduce phosphorus loads from Lake Erie agricultural tributaries	<b>B. Alipour</b> <b>Parvizan</b> Determining HBCD and TBBPA concentration in fish tissues from great lakes using LC-HRMS	<b><u>A. Arif</u></b> Evaluating the Potential Effects of Benthic Currents in Lake Ontario Upon an Energy Storage Facility	<b>G. Haffner</b> The Elusive Ecosystem Approach: Progress and Challenges	A. Chiandet Long Term Trophic Trends – A Look at 45 Years of Monitoring in Severn Sound
5:00	<b>P. Joosse</b> Distribution and Magnitude of Legacy Agricultural Phosphorus in the Canadian Lake Erie Watershed				<b>E. Alexson</b> Paleolimnology Provides Early Warnings of Nutrient Stress in the St. Louis River Estuary AOC

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<b>E. Eggleston</b> Microbial Community Structure in St. Lawrence River Wetlands and Management of Mercury- Methylation	<b>E. Redding</b> Adaptive Management of Habitat Improvement Projects in the Niagara River	Facilitated discussion	<b>B. Schroeder</b> Engaging Stakeholders in their Fisheries Future: Lessons from Fisheries Workshops in Michigan	4:00
<b>J. Fisher</b> No Data Left Behind: Making the Most of Microbial Metagenomic Data	<b>A. Robinson</b> Lessons from Owens Lake: Examining the Integration of Ecological and Aesthetic Design on a Dry Lake	Facilitated discussion	<u>M. Zischke</u> Engaging Anglers, Managers and Scientists in Southern Lake Michigan	4:20
	<b>J. MacLellan</b> Examining Complex Interactions between Ecological and Socio- economic Processes as a Framing Problem		<b><u>E. Burkett</u></b> Recreational fishing trends in Michigan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin: a demographic analysis	4:40
			<b>S. Bhavsar</b> Fish consumption and advisory awareness in the Province of Ontario, Canada	5:00

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8:40	<u>L. Molot</u> Hierarchy of Point Source Management Approaches to Mitigate Cyanobacteria Blooms	M. Child Whose board? The exciting work of the International Joint Commission's Science Advisory Board	J. Klump Physical and Biogeochemical Controls on Hypoxia in Green Bay	<b>Y. Jiang</b> Assessing the effects of fall vs. spring plowing of red clover on nitrate loss in potato rotations	A. Hannes Beneficial use of dredged material from the Buffalo River to restore coastal wetland habitat
9:00	<b>M. Evans</b> Seasonal phosphorus retention in the Lake Erie western basin	<b>M. Donahue</b> A Look Back and a Look Forward: The International Joint Commission's Science Advisory Board	<b>M. Rowe</b> Development of a Hypoxia Forecast Model for Lake Erie: Retrospective Analysis of the First Season	<b>S. Li</b> Black Brook Watershed: lessons from decades of research and a look into the future	<b>E. Johnson</b> Pragmatically Incorporating Coastal Resiliency in the Design of Ecosystem Restoration Projects
9:20	<b>F. Yuan</b> Increased Bioavailability of Anthropogenic Phosphorus in Lake Erie	<b>S. Sowa</b> Assessing barriers to information flow to decision makers in the Great Lakes	<b>D. Gill</b> Applying Natural and Social Science to Co- produce a Hypoxia Forecast with Public Water Systems	J. Smudde Transition from pilot to full-scale utility led ag based adaptive management watershed program	<b>R. Malburg</b> A Conceptual Framework for Shoreline Management: Balancing Objectives and Risks
9:40	<b><u>C. Stow</u></b> The Spurious Correlation Between Phosphorus Load and Eutrophication	M. Burrows Development of a Cloud-Based Great Lakes Research Inventory Portal	<b>R. Yerubandi</b> Development of Nearshore Hypoxia in Central Lake Erie; Field Observations and 3D Numerical Modelling	<b>R. Wilson</b> Building farmer efficacy to promote voluntary adoption of recommended 4R practices	K. McDonald Using engineered structures to restore coastal wetlands
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<u><b>S. Qian</b></u> What's in a Name? The Case for Discontinuing the Term "Asian Carp"	<b><u>H. Schaefer</u></b> Habitat Suitability Modeling of Coregonines in Lake Erie and Lake Ontario	<u>A. Skoyles</u> Assessing the Microbial Community and Function of BioCord Bioreactors in Lagoon Wastewater Treatment	<b>D. Robertson</b> Modeling Phosphoras and Nitrographoading through but the Entire Great Lakes Basin using SPARROW	<u><b>L. Davis</b></u> Listening in on Lake Sturgeon in eastern Lake Erie	8:40
<b>D. Chapman</b> Status of the Major Aquaculture Carps of China in the Great Lakes Basin	<u>M. Wegher</u> Evaluating Spatial Variation in Lake Superior Food Web Connectivity	<u><b>M. Neudeck</b></u> Metatranscriptomics of Lake Erie Planktothrix blooms	A. Neumann A Bayesian SPARROW modeling framework to support adaptive management in Georgian Bay watershed	<b>S. Colborne</b> Periodicity and Timing of Lake Sturgeon (Acipenser fulvescens) Movement in the Huron-Erie Corridor	9:00
<b><u>E. Monroe</u></b> eDNA Surveillance for Invasive Carps in the Great Lakes – An Overview of Bi- national Efforts	<b><u>G. Peterson</u></b> Improving non-native fish larvae detection based on temporal habitat use	<b>D. VanMensel</b> Metatranscriptomics to assess Great Lakes near shore sediment contribution to human pathogenicity	<b><u>A. Richards</u></b> A comparison of the Red Assiniboine Basin SPARROW with a Bayesian approach	<b>D. Isermann</b> Lake Sturgeon Movements after Upstream Passage of Two Dams on the Menominee River	9:20
<b>D. Marson</b> Asian Carp Early Detection Surveillance in the Canadian Waters of the Great Lakes	<b>N. Taylor</b> Enhancing wetland protection by defining eco-hydrological thresholds of disturbance	<u>A. Witham</u> Using Aptasensors for Point Source Detection of Priority Pollutants	<b>A. Russell</b> Assessing performance of best management practices in the Great Lakes Priority Watersheds using SWAT	L. O'Connor Home Range and Spatial Distribution of Juvenile Lake Sturgeon In Eastern Lake Superior	9:40
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10:20	<b><u>C. Long</u></b> Improving Watershed Model Inputs with Data from Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations	<b>L. Johnson</b> Emerging Great Lakes Threats and Stressors: the Need for an Early Warning System	<b>N. Beigzali</b> Simulation of Dynamic Hypoxic Zone Movement in Lake Erie and Associated Impacts on Walleye Habitat	<b>D. Speranzini</b> Using Agricultural Production Systems to Analyze and Prioritize Agri- Environmental Efforts	J. Selegean Rising Water Levels, Reduced Sand Supplies and Coastal Erosion
10:40	J. Martin Evaluating Options to Reduce Lake Erie HABs with Watershed Models, Stakeholders and Surveys	<u><b>M. Murray</b></u> Potential Ecological Impacts of Unrefined Liquid Hydrocarbons in the Great Lakes	<b>A. Jabbari</b> Episodic Hypoxia in the Western Basin of Lake Erie	<b>S. Bittman</b> Semi-virtual farmlets – new research tool for conserving nutrients on dairy farms	<b>M. Austerman</b> Characterizing the Impacts of the 2017 High Water Event on Lake Ontario
11:00	<b>Y. Liu</b> Watershed Modelling of BMP Effects on Water Quality in Three Southern Ontario Watersheds	<b>S. Eberts</b> Options toward Development of an Integrated Surface- Groundwater Model for the Great Lakes Basin	<b>B. Biddanda</b> Blooms to Hypoxia: Muskegon Lake Observatory Tracks Ecosystem Changes in a Model Great Lakes Estuary	<b>D. Lapen</b> Contaminant fate and transport in soil following direct injection of dewatered biosolids	<b>E. Nordman</b> Phragmites Removal Increases Property Values in Michigan's Lower Grand River Watershed
11:20	<b>M. Veliz</b> What to believe? Understanding approaches to evaluating agricultural best management practices	J. Bratton Understanding Declining Offshore Productivity in the Great Lakes		J. Nshimyimana Regional variations of cow and pig fecal pollution as a function of nutrients & hydrological factors	<b>A. Bechle</b> Building Coastal Resilience in Southeastern Wisconsin through Research, Outreach, and Collaboration
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3:00			<b>A. Huber</b> Hybrid treatment systems for water management in the greenhouse and container nursery sectors	<b>H. Bolkhari</b> SWASH modelling of wave run-up in the Kingston Basin of Lake Ontario
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