

Sustainable Wood Production Initiative:

*Timber Supply, Land Use
and Sustainable*

Forestry Options in the PNW

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Wednesday, November 30, 2005

8:30 *Welcome and Overview of Sustainable Wood Production Initiative* — **Robert Deal**, Focused Science Delivery Program, PNW Research Station, Portland, OR

Timber Supply and Forest Products

8:45 *The Private Timber Supply Outlook in Oregon and Washington: A New Look* — **Darius Adams**, Forest Resources Department, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

9:30 *Washington's Sawmilling Sector Analysis: Capacity Utilization Rates and Timber Supply* — **John Perez-Garcia**, Center for International Trade in Forest Products, College of Forest Resources, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

10:45 *The Changing Competitiveness of PNW Forest Products and Implications for Sustainable Wood Production* — **Richard Haynes**, PNW Research Station, Portland, OR

11:15 *Quality Characteristics of Future Wood Supply and Processing in the PNW* — **Greg Latta**, College of Forest Resources, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

Noon Lunch (included with registration)

Land Use Changes and Forest Fragmentation

1:00 *Sustainable Rural Land Use in the PNW: Implications of Population Increases and Other Socio-Economic Changes* — **Ralph Alig**, PNW Research Station, Corvallis, OR

1:45 *Forest Fragmentation in the Western United States: Examination at Different Spatial Scales* — **Henry Eichman**, Ag. and Resource Economics, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

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2:15 *Visual Preference Research: Linking Science to Practice in Meeting Sustainable Forestry Objectives* — **Gordon Bradley**, College of Forest Resources, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

3:30 *A Working Definition of Sustainable Forestry and Means of Achieving it at Different Spatial Scales* — **Chadwick Oliver**, School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, Yale University, New Haven, CT

4:30 Adjourn

Thursday, December 1, 2005

8:00 *Sustainable Riparian Management: Lessons and Opportunities in the Pacific Northwest* — **Kevin Zobrist**, Rural Technology Initiative, College of Forest Resources, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

8:45 *Managing Red Alder for Sustainable Wood Production* — **David Hibbs**, College of Forest Resources, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

9:30 *The Opportunity Costs of Certification on Private Land in Western Oregon* — **Gwen Busby**, College of Forestry, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

10:15 *Wood Plastic Composite Extrusion Technology: A Value-added Opportunity for the Pacific Northwest* — **Vikram Yadama**, Washington State University, Pullman, WA

11:00 *Panel: The Role of Forest Certification as a Tool for Sustainable Forest Management* — **Speakers TBA**

Noon Adjourn

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WORKSHOP INFORMATION

Workshop location: All workshop events will be held at the Hilton Hotel in Vancouver, Washington located at 301 W. 6th St. The hotel can be reached at 360-993-4500. Parking is available at the Park'n'Go parking ramp on 6th between Washington and Columbia for \$4 per day. The ramp is just NE of the Hilton. Parking at the Hilton is for overnight guests only and is \$5 per day.

Directions to the hotel: If traveling south on I-5: take the City Center (Vancouver) exit #1C. Turn right onto Mill Plain Blvd. (becomes 15th street). Turn left onto Columbia Street. The hotel is on the corner of 6th and Columbia. If traveling north on I-5: take I-5 through Portland and over the Interstate Bridge into Washington. Take the second exit (#1B) after the bridge, following the City Center signs. Turn left, following the signs to 6th Street. The hotel is on the corner of 6th and Columbia.

Lodging: Lodging is available at the Hilton by calling 360-993-4500 and mentioning SWPI Symposium. Single/double rooms are \$93 plus tax. After Nov. 8 these rates will be subject to availability.

Registration: The registration fee is \$75 on or before Nov 25 or \$100 after Nov 25. The fee includes a book of speaker materials, lunch and refreshments. Checks should be made payable to Western Forestry and Conservation Association. Purchase orders, VISA/MasterCard, Discover and AmEx are accepted. Registration is available at www.westernforestry.org. Tax id # 93-331-712.

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