

NCER 2018

National Conference on Ecosystem Restoration

Building connections from the local to the landscape scale

August 26-30, 2018
New Orleans, Louisiana, USA

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NCER is an interdisciplinary conference on large-scale ecosystem restoration presenting state-of-the art science and engineering, planning and policy in a partnership environment. As the preeminent conference on ecosystem restoration in the US, this conference brings together scientists and engineers, policy makers, planners and partners who are actively involved in or affected by all aspects of ecosystem restoration regardless of project or program size.

Participants will summarize and review cutting edge science to create and maintain effective partnerships and leverage resources.

Make plans to join us!



Session Proposals
Due by October 1, 2017

We invite you to assist with program development by proposing and organizing sessions related to your expertise. Proposals will be evaluated for content, structure, and overall relevance to the overarching theme of the conference. Preference will be given to sessions that are integrative, cross-system, and/or promote the transfer of regional-based knowledge to a broad audience. Additional criteria for evaluation include the session's potential for generating useful results/dialogue among conference attendees, and expected level of interest in the topic. *Due to space limitations, individuals may organize no more than one session. All sessions are 90-minute blocks of time.*

For more information on how to submit a session proposal, along with a **preformatted template**, please visit:

www.conferences.ifas.ufl.edu/ncer2018

Agenda-at-a-Glance

Sunday | 8-26-18

- 3:00pm - 7:00pm Conference Registration Opens
(Open all week)
- 3:00pm - 7:00pm Attendee Arrival – Poster Presenters
& Sponsors Move-In Displays

Monday | 8-27-18

- 7:30am - 9:00am Early Morning Refreshments in Poster
& Sponsor Display Area
- 9:00am - 5:00pm **Plenary Session:** Gulf of Mexico
- *Defining Restoration Success from
the Local to National Level*
- 12noon - 1:30pm **Lunch on Own**
- 5:00pm - 6:00pm Welcome Social

Tuesday | 8-28-18

- 8:00am - 9:00am Early Morning Refreshments
- 9:00am - 10:00am **Plenary Session**
- 10:30am - 5:00pm **Concurrent Sessions**
- 12noon - 1:30pm **Lunch on Own**
- 5:00pm - 7:00pm **Evening On Own**

Wednesday | 8-29-18

- 8:00am - 9:00am Early Morning Refreshments
- 9:00am - 10:00am Plenary Session
- 10:30am - 5:00pm Concurrent Sessions
- 12noon - 1:30pm Lunch on Own
- 5:00pm - 8:00pm Poster Session & Networking Reception

Thursday | 8-30-18

- 8:00am - 9:00am Early Morning Refreshments
- 9:00am - 10:00am **Plenary Session**
- 10:30am - 5:00pm **Concurrent Sessions**
- 12noon - 1:30pm **Lunch on Own**
- 3:00pm - 3:30pm Refreshment Break
(Poster/Sponsor Display Removal)
- 5:00pm - 6:00pm **Closing Awards & Networking Social**
- 6:00pm NCER 2018 Concludes

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