

First Call for Papers

Society for Northwestern Vertebrate Biology

2010 Annual Meeting

February 23-26, 2010
Red Lion Inn, Medford, Oregon

*CHANGES IN ATTITUDES, AND LATITUDES: THE CHANGING CLIMATE OF SCIENCE
AND POLICY*

Symposia and Meeting At-A-Glance

23 February	Pre-meeting symposium: Transportation & Wildlife Issues
24-26 February	Plenary and concurrent sessions, and poster presentations
26-27 February	Field Trips

Session topics will include: Climate Change, State of the Northwest Forest Plan, Emerging Infectious Diseases of Regional Fauna, Invasive Species, Reptiles, Birds, Amphibians, Carnivores, Mammal Management, Animal Relocation, Western Pond Turtles and more.

Please submit abstracts for presentations and posters to Doug DeGross at ddegross@comcast.net. Abstracts must be submitted electronically as Microsoft Word documents by 18 January 2009. Please follow the Abstract preparation instructions below.

**For more information or to volunteer contact Planning Committee Chair:
Doug DeGross (ddegross@comcast.net), SNVB**

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

A photography contest will be held which will include fish and wildlife in the following photographic categories: ***Portrait, Telling a Story, Abstract Art, Capturing an Unusual Moment***. Prizes will be awarded for the Best Photo in each category, as well as Best in Show. Photos should be mounted, but not framed. Photos will be displayed for viewing during socials and poster sessions. The winning photos will be announced at the banquet. For questions, contact Doug DeGross (see email above)

SYMPOSIUM OVERVIEW

Transportation and Wildlife Issues: The symposium will speak to transportation and wildlife issues with perspectives from Washington DC, Forest Service Region 6, and Oregon State University, with a focus on landscape linkages, techniques for mitigating for wildlife, and real world successes with regard to transportation projects.

ABSTRACT GUIDELINES

Abstract Deadline: January 18, 2010.

Please specify on the first line either “oral presentation” or “poster presentation”.
Please limit abstracts to 250 words.

Let us know if you are a student and would like to be judged for ***Best Student Paper*** or ***Poster***

Use Times New Roman, 12-point font.

Title.—Center; type in all capitals.

Author name(s).—Center, type in upper and lower case, then convert to small capitals (do not manufacture small capitals by changing font size).

Author address(es).—Center and *italicize*. If there are several authors with different addresses, follow each author name with the appropriate address; spell out street addresses, do not use state acronyms, no comma between state and zip code, include the name of the country if other than the United States or Canada; separate street address and email address with a semi-colon.

Abstract.—Indent. Type in upper and lowercase. The abstract should summarize the paper with an emphasis on results and their meaning. Only small capitals and *italics* are retained, so please do not use bold face or any other non-standard type face. Leave only 1 space between a period and the start of the next sentence. Single space and justify text. Scientific names should be *italicized* and should accompany the 1st use of the English common name. English common names should be capitalized. See example below

MONITORING AMERICAN MARTEN ON THE EAST-SIDE OF THE NORTH CASCADES OF WASHINGTON

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We used track plates to monitor American Marten (*Martes americana*) over 2 field seasons in 2003 and 2004 to test the efficacy of applying this technique to Late-Successional Reserves on the east side of the North Cascades. We stratified our sample area into wet and dry...

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REGISTRATION FORM
(Please print clearly; 1 form per person)

Name of participant (as seen on name tag): _____

Affiliation (as seen on name tag): _____

Mailing address: _____

E-mail address: _____

Phone number: day _____ evening: _____

REGISTRATION FEES:

(Includes pre-meeting symposium, plenary & concurrent sessions, coffee breaks, lunches, and banquet)

Early Registration
(before Jan 10, 2010)

Late Registration
(after Jan 10, 2010)

Regular Member

\$150.00US _____ \$180.00US _____

Student Member

\$40.00 US _____ \$50.00 US _____

Non-Member

\$180.00 US _____ \$210.00 US _____

Single Day Symposium / Meeting Registration

(does not include banquet)

\$50.00 US _____ \$70.00 US _____

Extra Banquet Ticket(s)

(for guests or those not paying regular registration)

\$40.00 US _____ \$40.00 US _____

Annual Membership Dues SNVB (enter appropriate membership rate, see form below): _____

TOTAL _____

Symposium (included in registration; please check one)

- I **do not plan** on attending the pre-meeting symposium _____
- I **plan** on attending the pre-meeting symposium _____

Banquet: Please check box if attending banquet (included in registration fee)

Name of payee on check (if other than above): _____

Please send your registration form and payment (check, money order or P.O. only) to:

Dr. Tiffany Garcia
104 Nash Hall
Oregon State University
Corvallis, OR 97331

Please make payment payable to: SNVB

Please email me a receipt (circle one)

Yes

No

ACCOMMODATIONS

Arrangements have been made for accommodations at the Red Lion Hotel in Medford, OR at the 2010 per diem rate (\$77US/night). In order to receive this rate, reservations **MUST BE MADE BY February 1, 2010. After this date rooms are no longer guaranteed and the reduced rate will no longer be available.**

Directions: Medford lies along Interstate 5 just north of the California state line (27 miles). Medford is approximately 274 miles south of Portland, OR. If traveling to Medford via I-5, use exit 27 (Barnett Rd. Medford). Turn right on Barnett Rd for on .2 miles to S Riverside Rd. (your first right turn), and proceed 1.1 miles to the Red Lion Hotel on S. Riverside Rd. The Rogue-Valley International-Medford Airport (MFR) is only 3.5 miles away from the Hotel, and the Red Lion has its own airport shuttle (free to hotel guests). There are a variety of fine dining establishments in the downtown area as well as many great bars, clubs, and pubs available for socializing within a few blocks of the Red Lion Hotel. Bear Creek and Hawthorne Park are immediately adjacent to the meeting site, and two shopping centers are within walking distance from the hotel in case you get an unexpected urge to go shopping (tax free!).

Address: **Red Lion Hotel Medford**
200 N. Riverside Avenue
Medford, OR 97501
Tel: 541-779-5811

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Phone Reservations (only): call (800) Red Lion or (541) 779 5811. **Make sure to mention that you would like to be put in the Society's block of rooms for the meeting in order to receive the reduced rate, and a credit card is required for reserving rooms.**

