

2011 Driftless Area Symposium

Tuesday March 15th

Morning:

9:00-10:00	On-site Registration
10:00-10:30	Welcome and announcements

Assessments

	Moderator: John (Duke) Welter
10:30-10:50	Assessment of Stream Fragmentation by Roads in the Driftless Area—Mike Miller
10:50-11:10	Distribution and genetic structure of southeastern Minnesota brook trout populations—Loren Miller
11:10-11:30	The role of forensic and watershed based geomorphic assessment in river restoration—Marty Melchior
11:30-11:50	Discussion

Noon-1:00:

1:00-1:30	Buffet - Sandwich and Soup Keynote Speaker: Kevin Koch – Knowing the Driftless: Large & Small
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Underpinning Regulations with science: Moderator Doug Dieterman

1:30-1:50	Exploring Statewide Patterns in Stream Electrofishing Catch per Unit Effort under the Category Regulation System—Marty Engel
1:50-2:10	Current Review of Wisconsin Trout Regulations—Scott Stewart
2:10-2:30	The SE Minnesota Experience setting and evaluating trout regulations—Steve Klotz
2:30-2:50	Discussion
2:50-3:10	Break

Sediment and Nutrient transport: Moderator: Mark Ebbers

3:10-3:30	Upper Pecatonica River Floodplain Restoration: Update, monitoring results and some thoughts on climate change adaptation—Bob Hansis
3:30-3:50	Sediment and Nutrient transport—Dr. Toby Dogwiler
3:50-4:10	Research in the Upper Fever River Watershed in Southwestern Wisconsin—Gretchen Kamps
4:10-4:30	Discussion
4:30 - 6:00	Social at Freighthouse
Dinner	On Your Own

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7:30-8:30	Coffee, pastries, juice
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Managed Grazing & Native vegetation establishment/management: Moderator: Jeff Hastings

8:30-8:50	Relationships among Rotational and Conventional Grazing Systems, Stream Channels, and Macroinvertebrates—Bruce Vondracek
8:50-9:10	Managing Grazing in Stream Corridors—Howard Moechnig
9:10-9:30	Working with natural stream processes in habitat rehabilitation—Brian Nerbonne
9:30-9:50	Discussion
9:50-10:10	Break

Climate Change & Seasonal impacts: Moderator: Jason Freund

10:10-10:30	Predicted Effects of Climate Change on the Distribution of Brook Trout and Brown Trout in Wisconsin Streams—Matt Mitro
10:30-10:50	Climate Impacts to the Upper Midwest and Principles for Responding—Zach Cockrum
10:50-11:10	Managing Trout Streams in Minnesota: Why Winter Dynamics Matter to invertebrates and how climate change might affect them – Jennifer Biederman
11:10-11:30	Predicting & Mitigating Vulnerability of Trout Streams to Climate Change—Leonard Ferrington
11:30- noon	General discussion and wrap-up