

2011 Program at a Glance

Wednesday, November 16, 2011

8:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Registration
10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Welcome and Introductions Jennifer Howley, Symposium Chair and Master of Ceremonies Honourable Michael Gravelle, Minister of Natural Resources (<i>Invited</i>) Dick Hibma, Chair of Conservation Ontario
10:30 AM – 12 NOON	Opening Plenary Session <i>Keynote Speakers</i> Charles Fishman, Journalist and Author, <i>The Big Thirst</i> Rob de Loë, Research Chair, Water Policy & Governance, University of Waterloo
12 NOON - 1:45 PM	Luncheon <i>Luncheon Guest Speaker</i> Doug McKenzie-Mohr, Pioneer & Leader in Social Marketing
2:00 PM – 3:30 PM	Concurrent Sessions W1A: Making the Case for Wetland Conservation & Restoration in Watersheds W1B: Sources at Risk? W1C: Water as Biodiversity W1D: Special Workshop (Part 1): Fostering Sustainable Behaviour W1E: Food and Stewardship W1F: The Future of Ontario's Forests W1G: "Reaching New Target Audiences" - New Approaches to Environmental Stewardship
3:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Refreshment Break
4:00 PM – 5:30 PM	Concurrent Sessions W2A: A Watershed Model for Climate Change Adaptation Planning - Lake Simcoe Case Study W2B: Water as a Commodity W2C: Where Should We Focus our Restoration Efforts? W2D: Special Workshop (Part 2): Fostering Sustainable Behaviour W2E: Drainage and Stewardship W2F: Protecting the Source through Forest Stewardship W2G: Flowing in the Right Direction
5:30 PM – 7:00 PM	Exhibitor Galleries Wine & Cheese / Birds of Prey
7:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Harvest Banquet Dinner Soil and Water Conservation Society, A.D. Latonnell Award of Merit
8:00 PM – 11:00PM	Chart Your Own Course & Desserts Desserts – Exhibit Hall Hockey Summit – for details see page 13 Mini Putt Tournament – for details see page 13 Astronomy Presentation – for details see page 13
10:30 PM – 11:30 PM	Hospitality Suite in Room 41

Thursday, November 17, 2011

8:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Registration
8:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Concurrent Sessions T1A: Building Capacity for Adaptation to Climate Change for Watershed and Shoreline Managers T1B: Water and Finance T1C: How Much Habitat is Enough? - Exploring the Philosophy of Thresholds & Targets T1D: Sustainability and Well-Being T1E: Stewardship and Social Marketing T1F: Aquatic Species at Risk Update: What's New in 2011? T1G: Water Cooler Talk
10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Refreshment Break

The following events take place in the Conservation Dome:

Welcome and Introductions, all Plenary Sessions and Keynote presentations, all meals, Pioneer Award Ceremony, Student Poster Display, Dream Auction, Gala Banquet, Early Bird Conservation Breakfast and Young Conservation Professionals Graduation



A.D. LATORNELL CONSERVATION SYMPOSIUM

November 16 – 18, 2011
Nottawasaga Inn, Alliston, ON

10:30 AM – 12 NOON	Concurrent Sessions T2A: Stormwater Management for Sustainable Watersheds T2B: Looking Towards Source Water Protection Implementation T2C: How Much Habitat is Enough? Revisiting Forest and Open Country Guidelines T2D: Fostering Sustainability in Municipalities T2E: Collaborative Governance T2F: Changes in Aquatic Communities with Urbanization T2G: Social Media, Session One: Achieving Social Media Success
12 NOON – 1:45 PM	A.D. Latornell Pioneer Award Luncheon Honourable Jim Bradley , Minister of Environment (<i>Invited</i>) Tree Planting Presentation Trees Ontario, Nottawasaga Foundation, and Nottawasaga Valley Conservation
	Pioneer Award Ceremony Pioneer Awards Host: Bill Campbell
2:00 PM – 3:30 PM	Concurrent Sessions T3A: Environmental and Economic Considerations for Agricultural BMPs T3B: On-the-ground Drinking Water Source Protection Activities T3C: What's the Plan? Natural Heritage Planning T3D: Responsible Rock: Building Cities with Sustainable Resources T3E: Community Lake Stewardship T3F: One Fish, Two Fish - Evaluating Fish Habitat T3G: Social Media, Session Two: Mapping Out Your Online Presence
3:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Refreshment Break
4:00 PM – 7:00 PM	Student Poster Display and Competition Dream Auction
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Gala Banquet Haim Goldenberg, Mentalist
9:00 PM – 11:30 PM	Hospitality Suite in Room 41

Friday, November 18, 2011

7:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Registration
7:00 AM – 7:30 AM	Early Bird Conservation Breakfast
7:30 AM – 8:15 AM	Keynote Speaker Josh Fox , Filmmaker, <i>Gasland</i>
8:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Concurrent Sessions F1A: Towards Connecting Watersheds with the Nearshore (Coastal) Zone of the Great Lakes F1B: Corporate Water Stewardship: Water Sustainability and Businesses F1C: Beyond the Plan: Lessons Learned from Implementing Natural Heritage Systems F1D: Making the Case for Green Infrastructure F1E: Community Science F1F: Bridging the Gap F1G: Get Your Voice Heard
10:00 AM – 10:30 PM	Refreshment Break
10:30 AM – 12 NOON	Concurrent Sessions F2A: Current Ideas on Improving the Nearshore (Coastal) Zone of the Great Lakes F2B: Water Policy F2C: Telling the Story - Natural Heritage Reporting F2D: Bringing Green Infrastructure to Ground - Essential Steps F2E: Community Stream Stewardship F2F: Common Ground F2G: The Next Wave: Youth and Water Issues
12 NOON – 1:00 PM	Young Conservation Professionals Luncheon & Graduation
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	Keynote Speakers Alexandra Cousteau and Jonathan Smith , <i>Blue Legacy</i>
2:00 PM – 2:15 PM	Wrap Up