



7th International Fire Ecology and Management Congress

FireVision 20/20: A 20 Year Reflection and Look into the Future

November 28 – December 2, 2017 Orlando, Florida



2017 Congress Schedule (Subject to Change)

Tuesday, November 28	Welcome Opening Plenary: A 20 Year Reflection on Fire Ecology and Management - Nate Benson, National Park Service - Reed Noss, University of Central Florida - Stephen Pyne, Arizona State University - Neil Sugihara, Northern Arizona University and Jan van Wagtenonk, National Park Service Emeritus											
	Morning Session 1 8am to 10:30am											
	Morning Session 2 11am to 12:20pm	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Special Sessions				Workshops, Trainings, and Courses				
				Fire and Climate Change	Biodiversity in Fire Management	Engaging the Fire Before It Starts	Southern Appalachian Wildfires of 2016	Fuel & Fire Tools (FFT)	Sexual Harassment in the Workplace			
	Lunch	On Your Own SAFE Lunch Meeting										
	Afternoon Session 1 1:40pm to 3:40pm	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Fire and Climate Change	Biodiversity in Fire Management	Engaging the Fire Before It Starts	Southern Appalachian Wildfires of 2016	Fuel & Fire Tools (FFT)	Rx 310 - Introduction to Fire Effects			
Afternoon Session 2 3:50 to 5:30pm	Poster Session										Rx 310 - Introduction to Fire Effects	
Evening Activities	Opening Reception with Poster Session continuing											
Wednesday, November 29	Morning Sessions 1 8am to 9:40am Plenary: Fire AFEx Talks											
	Morning Session 2 10:10am to 11:50am Plenary: Fire AFEx Talks											
	Lunch On Your Own											
	Afternoon Session 1 1:20pm to 3pm	Rapid Fire Talks	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles/ Round Tables	Special Sessions				Workshops, Trainings, and Courses			
					Fire and Climate Change	Integrated Rangeland Fire Mgt Strategy	Restoring Fire Integrity: A New Paradigm	Bark Beetle Fire Interactions Western NA	Prescribed Burn Associations	FFI Ecological Monitoring Application	TBD	Rx 310
	Afternoon Session 2 3:30pm to 5:10pm	Rapid Fire Talks	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles/ Round Tables	Fire and Climate Change	Integrated Rangeland Fire Mgt Strategy	Restoring Fire Integrity: A New Paradigm	Bark Beetle Fire Interactions Western NA	Coop Extension Service in Fire Education	FFI Ecological Monitoring Application	STANDFIRE Modeling System	Rx 310
Evening Activities	Free Night! Enjoy Orlando SAFE Social at Disney Wilderness Preserve											

Thursday, November 30, 2017	Morning Session 1 8am to 9:40am	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Special Sessions							Workshops, Trainings, and Courses			
				Fire's Role in Restoration of Wildlife & Ecosystems	Toward an Inclusive Fire Culture	GRIN: Next Generation of Fire Scientists	Integrated Rangeland Fire Mgt Strategy	Bark Beetle Fire Interactions Western NA	Providing Science Support on Wildland Fires	IFTDSS 1	Wildfire Analyst	Smoke & Roadway Visibility		
	Morning Session 2 10:10am to 11:50am	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Fire's Role in Restoration of Wildlife & Ecosystems	Toward an Inclusive Fire Culture	GRIN: Next Generation of Fire Scientists	Integrated Rangeland Fire Mgt Strategy	Prescribed Fire Science: Interdisciplinary Focus	Providing Science Support on Wildland Fires	Monitoring Vegetation Recovery in Western Ecosystems	IFTDSS 1	Wildfire Analyst	Smoke & Roadway Visibility	
	Lunch	Awards Luncheon (All Invited)												
	Afternoon Session 1 1:20pm to 3pm	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Fire's Role in Restoration of Wildlife & Ecosystems	Toward an Inclusive Fire Culture	GRIN: Next Generation of Fire Scientists	Moving Toward Resource Benefits in SW	Prescribed Fire Science: Interdisciplinary Focus	Monitoring Vegetation Recovery in Western Ecosystems		IFTDSS 1	Wildfire Analyst	Smoke & Roadway Visibility	Rx 310
	Afternoon Session 2 3:30pm to 5:10pm	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Fire's Role in Restoration of Wildlife & Ecosystems	Toward an Inclusive Fire Culture		Moving Toward Resource Benefits in SW		Prescribed Fire Science: Interdisciplinary Focus		Scientific Integrity in Govt	Wildfire Analyst	Smoke & Roadway Visibility	Rx 310
Evening Activities	Movie Night: 'Less Than Masterpiece Theater' featuring Hollywood in Flames with Stephen Pyne													
Friday, December 1	Morning Session 1 8am to 10:20am	Closing Plenary: A Look into the Future of Fire Ecology and Management - David Bengston, U.S. Forest Service - Marc Castellnou, University of Lleida - Kevin Hiers, Tall Timbers Research Station and Land Conservancy - Leda Kobziar, University of Idaho and AFE President												
	Morning Session 2 10:50am to 12:30pm	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Special Sessions			Workshops, Trainings, and Courses							
				America's Longleaf Restoration Initiative	Soil Heating and Fire Effects	Quantifying Responder Exposure	Photoload Sampling Technique	FireWorks Educational Program	IFTDSS 2	Managing At-Risk Species on SE Public Wetlands	Firefighter Perspectives on Leadership Excellence			
	Lunch	On Your Own												
	Afternoon Session 1 1:40pm to 3:20pm	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Fire Trek: The Next Generation			Soil Heating and Fire Effects		Photoload Sampling Technique	FireWorks Educational Program	IFTDSS 2		Rx 310	
	Afternoon Session 2 3:50pm to 5:30pm	Concurrent Sessions	Fire Circles / Round Tables	Fire Trek: The Next Generation			Soil Heating and Fire Effects		TBD	TBD	IFTDSS 2		Rx 310	
Evening Activities	Free Night! Enjoy Orlando													
Saturday, December 2	Times Vary by Trip, Lunch Included	Optional Field Trips, \$60 each - St. Sebastian River Preserve State Park Burnover Staff Ride - St Johns River Water Management Hal Scott Property - Archbold Biological Station - TNC Tiger Creek Preserve - Kissimmee Prairie Preserve State Park - Merritt Island National Wildlife Refuge/NASA - Big Cypress National Preserve Overnight Trip												