Call for Abstracts

Symposium on Climate Change in Maine’s Mountains

May 14-15, 2020

(Field trips and evening speaker on May 14, Symposium sessions May 15)

Rangeley, Maine

Hosted by the Maine Mountain Collaborative and Rangeley Lakes Heritage Trust

The Maine Mountain Collaborative is now accepting abstracts for poster presentations on topics addressing the ecological impacts and management responses related to climate change in the Maine Mountain Region. Presenters will likely have the opportunity to submit articles for peer review and publication in a special edition of a regional publication.

We are seeking topics highlighting research, management options, and case studies that address one or more of the following sessions:

- Forest ecosystems and management
- Aquatic connectivity
- Alpine habitat and management
- Snow and ice cover and extreme weather events
- Species range shift and refugia

For each submission (multiple submissions considered) please include:

- 400 word or less abstract
- Contact information: name, address, phone number, email, personal website (if any), affiliation(s)
- Posters should be available for view electronically by Symposium participants by May 1.

Posters will be chosen by the planning committee, and selected poster submitters will be asked to present 10-minute oral summaries of the poster in breakout sessions.

All submissions should be submitted by Google Doc:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdhMU5TwvQSWzA5zShgahthGhj02wbBsruduZGHkfFn9xrcTw/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1
For more information contact Stephanie Dykema at stephanie.dykema@maine.edu

Deadline: March 18, 2020 (until spaces are full)

Submitters will be notified by March 31

More about the Symposium:
https://mainemountaincollaborative.org/symposium-on-climate-change-in-maine-s-mountains/

Symposium Planning Committee:

- Dr. Jay Wason, Assistant Professor of Forest Ecosystem Physiology, University of Maine
- Dr. Caitlin Mackenzie, David H. Smith Postdoc Fellow, University of Maine
- Dr. Rachel Hovel, Assistant Professor of Biology, University of Maine Farmington
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