12th Annual Susquehanna River Symposium November 10-11, 2017 - Bucknell University

THE SPIR

TWO GREAT RIVERS

The Susquehanna and Delaware

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Friday, November 10, 2017

All events held in the Elaine Langone Center, 701 Moore Avenue, Bucknell University

THE FORUM (RM. 272)

7:00 - 7:05 PM **Welcome**

Jessica Newlin

Interim Executive Director Bucknell Center for Sustainability and the Environment

7:05 - 7:15 PM

Opening Remarks

John Bravman

President Bucknell University

7:15 - 7:30 PM

Collaborative Partnerships for Watershed Research and Conservation

H.W. "Skip" Wieder Executive Director, Susquehanna River Heartland Coalition for Environmental Studies 7:30 - 8:00 PM

Keynote Address

"The Spirit of Two Great Rivers: The Susquehanna and Delaware"

Sakokwenionkwas (Thomas Porter)

Elder, Educator, and Spiritual Leader Bear Clan of the Mohawk Nation

THE TERRACE ROOM (ROOM 276)

8:00 - 10:00 PM

Research Posters and Evening Social

Poster displays from students and faculty from universities and colleges throughout the Susquehanna and Delaware watersheds, as well as state and federal environmental agencies, consulting firms, watershed groups, and other organizations.

Photo: Delaware River by Jim Pinnucci [used with permission].

Saturday, November 11, 2017

All events held in the Elaine Langone Center, 701 Moore Avenue, Bucknell University

LIGHT BREAKFAST

8:00 - 8:50 AM The Terrace Room (Room 276)

Exhibitors set up in the Center Room (Room 256)

PLENARY PRESENTATIONS

The Forum (Room 272)

9:00 - 9:05 AM **Welcome and Announcements** Benjamin R. Hayes, Symposium Chairman

9:05 - 9:10 AM **Opening Comments** Barbara K. Altmann, Provost, Bucknell University



9:15 - 9:45 AM

"Nutrient Pollution in the Susquehanna and Delaware Watersheds, from the Headwaters to the Bays"

Dr. ELIZABETH W. BOYER Director, Pennsylvania Water Resources Research Center, Penn State University



9:45 - 10:15 AM "What is a River Worth?"

Dr. DAVID L. STRAYER

Distinguished Senior Scientist Emeritus at the Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies and Visiting Scholar at the Graham Sustainability Institute at the University of Michigan



10:15 - 10:45 AM

"The Spirit of Water" **Sakokwenionkwas** (Dr. Thomas Porter)

Elder , Educator, and Spiritual Leader Bear Clan of the Mohawk Nation

INTERMISSION 10:45 - 11:00 AM

Exhibits on display in the Center Room (Room 256)

BREAKOUT DISCUSSIONS

11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Watershed Pollution and Landscape-River-Bay Connections

Aquatic Ecology and Ecosystem Services Elizabeth Boyer, leader Arches Lounge (Room 304) David Strayer, leader Terrace Room (Room 276)

The Spirit of Water and Native American Perspectives Thomas Porter, leader The Forum (Room 272)

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12:30 - 1:30 PM Walls Lounge (RM. 231)

Exhibits on display in the Center Room (Room 256)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

1:45 - 2:30 PM

Water Quality of Streams in Agricultural Areas The Forum (Room 272)

Aquatic and Terrestrial Ecology 1 Rooms 241, A and B

Watershed Stewardship, Sustainability, and Education 1 Rooms 241, C and D

Stream Restoration Gallery Theater (Room 301)

EXHIBITS

2:30 - 3:15 PM Center Room (Room 256)

Connect with representatives from state and federal environmental agencies, environmental consultants, and conservancies and watershed groups. Light refreshments will be served.

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

3:15 - 4:00 PM

Watershed Mapping and Modeling The Forum (Room 272)

Aquatic and Terrestrial Ecology 2 Rooms 241, A and B

Watershed Stewardship, Sustainability, and Education 2 Rooms 241, C and D

Flood Hydrology and Policy Gallery Theater (Room 301)

REFLECTION AND LOOKING AHEAD

4:00 - 4:30 PM The Forum (Room 272)

Reflect upon important issues and problems that emerged from the symposium presentations, exhibits, and discussions. Share your suggestions and ideas for moving forward.

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