## **Invited Speakers**



## **Christopher E. Williams**

Senior Vice President for Conservation American Rivers

Chris leads a team of 50 professionals dedicated to conserving the nation's rivers and the clean water, economic benefits, recreational, cultural, esthetic and fish and wildlife resources that they provide.

Prior to joining American Rivers in 2012, Chris was Director of Freshwater Conservation at World Wildlife Fund, where he managed river conservation programs world-wide.

He holds a juris doctorate and masters in environmental policy from the Vermont Law School and a bachelor's degree from the University of Washington.

Mr. Williams will deliver the keynote address entitled "The Importance of Rivers: Water Security in an Insecure World" at 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. on Friday, October 26, 2018 in the Forum, Elaine Langone Center, Bucknell University.

Mr. Williams will also deliver a plenary address entitled "River Conservation in the U.S.: The State of the Art" at 9:45 - 10:15 a.m. on Saturday, October 27, 2018 in the Forum, Elaine Langone Center, Bucknell University

