

2019 Patuxent River Conference Agenda

Climate Change and the Patuxent River: Local Implications of Global Issues

Wednesday, March 27th 2019 | National Wildlife Visitor Center, Laurel, MD

	Aldo Leopold Auditorium	Rachel Carson Room A	Rachel Carson Room B
9:00 am - 9:30 am	Registration & Networking		
9:30am - 10:00am	Conference Welcome Aldo Leopold Auditorium Opening Speaker: Diane Benedetti, 2019 PAXCON Conference Planning Committee Chair Introduction to Patuxent Research Refuge: Brad Knudsen, USFWS		
10:00am - 10:45am	Keynote Presentation Aldo Leopold Auditorium Dr. Melissa A. Kenney Associate Research Professor, University of Maryland		
10:45am - 11:00am	Break		
11:00 am - 11:50 am	Session 1 Dr. Jordan Fischbach & Dr. Krista Grocholski Learn about NOAA's MARISA Program	Catherine McCall Maryland's Strategies for Addressing Climate Change	Dr. Patricia Delgado Uncovering Signs of Climate Change at the Jug Bay Patuxent River Estuary
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch Rachel Carson Room A Student Poster Presentations Hallway		
1:00 pm - 1:40pm	Local Perspectives Panel Aldo Leopold Auditorium		
1:50 pm - 2:40 pm	Session 2 Megan Anderson & Gillian Reily Climate Change Communication at the National Aquarium	Mark Symborski Road Salt-Related Issues in the Patuxent Reservoirs Watershed	Stephanie Sperling Disappearing History: Patuxent River Archaeological Sites Threatened by Climate Change
2:50 pm - 3:40 pm	Session 3 Coreen Weilminster Learning to Talk with Confidence about Climate Change: Lessons Learned	Sarah Lane WIP-ing Climate Change: WIP it, WIP it Real Good	Sandy Spencer Patuxent Research Refuge Hiking Tour
3:45 pm - 4:00 pm	Closing Remarks Aldo Leopold Auditorium		