

Schedule at a Glance

We will attempt to keep the sessions and speakers in the order in which they are presented in the program. However, some adjustments may be necessary during the conference.

| Monday March 27 | | | | | |
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| 8 :00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. | TRAINING SESSIONS (Additional Cost) | | | | |
| | | Air Quality – Regulations Overview Junior Ballroom C | Methods for Incorporating Ecosystem Services into Decision-Making Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | | |
| 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. | NEPA: Basic NEPA Training Junior Ballroom B | Air Quality– Best Practices for Managing Greenhouse Gas (GHG) and Energy Challenges Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | Incorporating Wildlife Habitat Conservation in Local Government Land Use Planning and Ordinances: Reducing Environmental Impacts Ahead of Permitting Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | | |
| 5 :00 -7:00 p.m. | Welcome and Networking Reception – Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| Tuesday, March 28 | | | | | |
| 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. | Continental Breakfast – Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| 8:00 -9:30 a.m. | Welcome & Planning (Tom Earnhardt & Tim Profeta) – Grand Ballroom III | | | | |
| 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. | Coffee Break – Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| 10:00 -11:30 a.m. | 1- NEPA: Incorporating Ecosystem Services into NEPA Junior Ballroom B | 2- Mountains to Sea: Strategic Planning & North Carolina Case Studies Junior Ballroom C | 3- Transportation: Environmental Compliance in Roadway Projects: Navigating the Process Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 4-Climate Change: Implementing Climate Change into Environmental Assessments Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |
| 11:30 a.m.– 1:00 p.m. | Lunch – Ted Boling CEQ, NEPA – Grand Ballroom III | | | | |
| 1:15 – 2:45 p.m. | 5- NEPA: NEPA Case Law Update Junior Ballroom B | 6-Mountains to Sea: Case Study Using Species Data and Distribution Models Junior Ballroom C | 7- Transportation: Emerging Issues in Transportation Projects Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 8- Brownfields and Remediation: Success Stories Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | ECOSYSTEM RESTORATION TOUR (1:00 -5:00 p.m.) |
| 3:15 – 4:45 p.m. | 9- NEPA: Making NEPA practice better: Progress and perspectives from the Cohen NEPA Summit panels | 10-Air Quality: Weighing the Impacts and Mitigation Measures Junior Ballroom C | 11-Climate Change: Effective Education and Communication Techniques Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 12-Water Resources: Stormwater Strategies Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |

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| | Junior Ballroom B | | | | |
| 6:00 -10:00 p.m. | President's Dinner – Grand Ballroom III | | | | |
| Wednesday, March 29 | | | | | |
| 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. | Continental Breakfast – Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| 8:00 -9:30 a.m. | 13-NEPA: Tips & Tricks for Third Party EISs Junior Ballroom B | 14-Ecological Restoration: Aquatic Habitat Restoration Design: Key to Functional Uplift Junior Ballroom C | 15-NEPA: NEPA Best Practices Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 16- Public Involvement: Guidance Manuals: Technical Requirements, Content Development and Process Challenges Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |
| 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. | Coffee Break and Poster Session – Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| 10:00 -11:30 a.m. | 17-NEPA: Environmental Language Barriers Junior Ballroom B | 18-Ecological Restoration: The Road to Maximizing Functions of Transportation- Induced Mitigation Junior Ballroom C | 19-Transportation: Case Studies in Transportation Projects Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 20 - Public Involvement: Preparing for the Next Generations Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |
| 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | Lunch – Awards – Grand Ballroom III | | | | |
| 1:15 p.m. -2:45 p.m. | 21-NEPA: Beans, Bullets, and Bunnies: Navigating the Complex World of DoD NEPA Junior Ballroom B | 22-Water Resources: Assessment of Water Resource Strategies and Practices Junior Ballroom C | 23- Transportation: Evaluating Impacts of Transportation Projects Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 24-NEPA: Current NEPA Issues Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | TOUR OF THE DUKE UNIVERSITY'S STREAM AND WETLAND ASSESSMENT PARK (SWAMP) (1:00-5:00 p.m.) |
| 2:45 – 3:15 p.m. | Coffee Break and Poster Session – Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| 3:15 – 4:45 p.m. | 25-NEPA: NEPA Compliance at the U.S. Food and Drug Administration Junior Ballroom B | 26- Cultural Resources: Recent Technological Applications in Cultural Resource Management Junior Ballroom C | 27-Endangered Species: Sentinel Landscapes Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 28-Remediation Techniques Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |
| 6:00 -10:00 p.m. | Dine Around Durham – Sign up for your choice before 2:00 p.m.! Sign-ups by Registration. | | | | |
| Thursday, March 30 | | | | | |
| 8:00 -9:30 a.m. | Membership Meeting/Awards – Grand Ballroom III | | | | |
| 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. | Coffee Break - Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| 10:00 -11:30 a.m. | 29-NEPA: Adaptive management under NEPA? | 30-Ecological Restoration: Wetland Conditions: | 31-Energy: Harnessing Energy from the Environment | 32-Endangered Species: Saving Our Native Plants | Duke Forest Tour (10:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m.) |

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| | Current Practice and Future Direction Junior Ballroom B | Where they have Come and Implications for the Future Junior Ballroom C | Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |
| 11:45-1:00 p.m. | 33-NEPA Hot Topic Lunch: In Dreams Begins Responsibility: Applying Environmental Assessment to Outer Space Development Junior Ballroom B | 34-Water Quality – Hot Topic Lunch: It Takes Two to Tango: When and Where Dual Nutrient (N&P) Reductions are Needed to Protect Lakes and Downstream Ecosystems Junior Ballroom C | 35-Public Involvement – Hot Topic Lunch: The Environment from a Faith-based Perspective Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 36-NC - SEPA/Local Regulations – Hot Topic Lunch: North Carolina Environmental Legislation and Policy Updates Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |
| 1:00 – 1:30 p.m. | Coffee Break – Grand Ballroom I/II | | | | |
| 1:30-3:00 p.m. | 37-NEPA: Emerging NEPA Issues Junior Ballroom B | 38-Environmental Technology: Applying Electronic Tools to Make Data Collection Easier Junior Ballroom C | 39-Cultural Resources: Case Studies and Lessons Learned from Parks and Preservation Junior Ballroom A 1/2 | 40-Mountains to Sea: Protecting Coastal Floral and Fauna Communities Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | |
| 3:15-4:45 p.m. | 41-NEPA: NEPA Case Studies Junior Ballroom B | | 43-Cultural Resources: Roundtable: Dealing with Cultural Resources, Questions you Might be "Afraid to Ask" Junior Ballroom D 1/2 | | |