

68th Annual North West Fish Culture Concepts Workshop

Conservation, Mitigation, & Recreation



December 5-7, 2017
Red Lion Hotel,
Redding, California



The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) cordially invites you to attend the 68th Annual North West Fish Culture Concepts (NWFCC) workshop on December 5-7, 2017 in Redding, California. This year's theme is Conservation, Mitigation, and Recreation. Invited plenary speakers include CDFW Director Charles H. Bonham, Deputy Director Stafford Lehr and Fisheries Branch Chief Kevin Shaffer. Potential topics at this year's event include Fish Health and Nutrition, Engineering and Technology, Innovative Husbandry, Fish Genetics and Breeding, Warm Water and Marine Aquaculture, Climate Change and Hatcheries, and Hatchery contributions to Restoration and Conservation. Presentations, vendor exhibits, poster session, workshops, socials, a fantastic raffle, and the opportunity to meet your colleagues make this an excellent event.

Registration is open! [Click Here](https://www.123signup.com/register?id=npztk) to register for the 2017 NWFCC.

Alternatively, enter the following as a web address: <https://www.123signup.com/register?id=npztk>
We recommend registering early as the NWFCC is a popular annual event. Workshop registration is \$110 for three days and includes admittance to the workshop, the Tuesday evening social, and a great gift bag. Students and retirees can register for \$55 without a gift bag. **Registration deadline is November 21, 2017. We do not anticipate having on-site registration.** Guests of registered participants are welcome to attend the Tuesday night social event with \$30 admission fee (each) paid at the time of registration.

Hotel Registration: Red Lion Hotel is providing a discounted rate of \$90 per night and includes a buffet breakfast. [Click Here](#) to register at the Red Lion Hotel, or call the hotel and use the NWFCC code (20171204) to receive the discounted rate.

Red Lion Hotel: 1830 Hilltop Drive, Redding, CA 96002, Tel: (530) 221-8700. Use Code: 20171204.

After the Red Lion Hotel is full, here are additional hotels with the NWFCC discounted rate:

Holiday Inn: 1900 Hilltop Drive, Redding, CA 96002 (530) 221-7500. Use Code: FCC

Oxford Suites: 1967 Hilltop Drive, Redding, CA 96002 (800) 762-0133. Use Code: NWFCC

THE FIRST CALL FOR PAPERS IS INCLUDED AT THE END OF THIS INVITATION

For more information on the 68th Annual NWFCC, visit the website hosted by the American Fisheries Society, Fish Culture Section:

<http://fishculture.fisheries.org/northwest-fish-culture-concepts/upcoming-nwfcc-workshop/>

Workshop Contact Information:

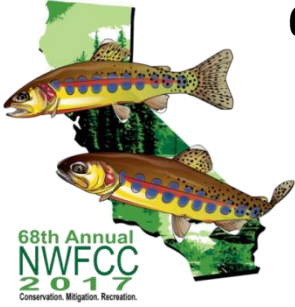
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Annual Meeting

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The deadline for submitting abstracts for the 68th Annual NWFCC is **September 25th, 2017**.

Submissions consistent with the 2017 theme (Conservation, Mitigation, and Recreation) will have preference; however, all topics relevant to fish culture in the Northwest will be considered. Session topics may include:

- Fish Health and Nutrition
- Engineering and Technology
- Innovative Husbandry
- Fish Genetics and Breeding
- Warm Water and Marine Aquaculture
- Policy and Management
- Climate Change and Fish Hatcheries
- Fish Hatcheries in Restoration and Conservation

Guidelines for abstract submissions:

- 1) **Title**—Bold title in Arial, 12 point font, at top of abstract
- 2) **Presenter**— List authors and designate presenter by a “ * ” , employer or affiliation, mailing address, city, state, zip, phone, and email should be included
- 3) **Oral Presentation or Poster** – Please indicate presentation type before the abstract
- 4) **Abstract**— (500 word limit) – Use Arial Font / Size 12 in MS Word
- 5) **Tables** – A table or figure can be included with the abstract, but the entire “expanded” abstract (Abstract plus table or Figure) is restricted to one page total.
- 6) **Submission** – Please submit by **September 25th, 2017** to NWFCC2017@wildlife.ca.gov

If you have any questions, please contact (email is preferred):

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