

W3185 Annual Meeting, 2016

Glenwood Springs, CO, October 5-7

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October 5th

Registration will be in the Roosevelt Ballroom from 5-7 pm. Credit cards, checks and cash all accepted. Registration fees expected to be about \$60

Dinner-Individual arrangements (see list of local restaurants that we provided)

October 6th

Breakfast: Individual Arrangements

Registration: 8am-5pm, Roosevelt Ballroom

Speakers please download presentations prior to the start of your session

Time	Speaker	Title
08:00		Welcome to Glenwood Springs, introductions
08:15		W-3185 updates from Dave Thompson and Lynn LeBeck
8:40-9:00	Robert Nowierski –USDA NIFA	NIFA funding opportunities
9:00-9:20	Lincoln Smith- USDA ARS-EBCL	EBCL project updates
9:20-9:40	Hariet Hinz- CABI	CABI project updates
9:40-10:00	Massimo Cristofaro- BBKA	BBKA overview, 2016 projects
10:00-10:15	Break	
10:15-10:35	René Sforza-USDA-ARS, EBCL	The story of <i>Lepidapion argentatum</i> and French Broom: Episode III
10:35-10:45	Paul Brusven- Nez Perce Biocontrol	Nez Perce Biocontrol Center update
10:45-10:55	Ross Miller- University of Guam	Biocontrol updates: Guam
10:55-11:10	Mike Pitcairn- California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA)	Weed biocontrol updates: California
11:10-11:20	Peter McEvoy and Fritz Grevstad Oregon State University	A risk index to predict non target use in biocontrol
11:20-11:35	Aaron Anderson, Paul Ode, Andrew Norton- CSU Fort Collins	Trends in insect biocontrol releases: 1980 – present
11:35-11:55	Bob Tichenor- USDA APHIS	Updates on permitting and the regulation of biological control

12:00-1:15 Lunch Individual arrangements		
1:15-1:30	Jeff Littlefield- Montana State University	The clonal biology of Russian knapweed and its biological control in Montana
1:30-1:40	Tim Collier- University of Wyoming	Monitoring the impact of <i>Jaapiella ivannikovi</i> on Russian knapweed
1:40-1:50	Joel Price- Colorado Dept. Agriculture	Russian knapweed biocontrol in Colorado
1:50-2:05	Theresa Barosh- CSU Ft. Collins	Two agent interaction in Russian knapweed biocontrol
2:05-2:20	Dhaval Vyas- CSU Ft. Collins	Biological control of imported cabageworm
2:20-2:35	Karen Rosen and Joel Price- Colorado Dept. Agriculture	Biological control of Canada thistle using the rust <i>Puccinia punctiformis</i>
2:35-2:50	Ted Evans- Utah State University	Biological control of squarrose knapweed
2:50-3:10	Gadi V.P. Reddy- Montana State University	Biological control updates in the Golden Triangle areas of Montana
3:10-3:25 Break with coffee, tea, cookies		
3:25-3:40	Mark Hoddle University of California Riverside, David Morgan CDFA	Biological Control of Asian citrus psyllid
3:40-3:55	John Kaltenbach- Colorado Dept. of Agriculture	Biocontrol for Emerald Ash Borer (EAB) in Urban Environments
3:55-4:10	Mark Hoddle- UCR	South American palm weevil : an emerging threat to California's palms
4:10-4:25	Andrew Norton- CSU Ft Collins	Patterns of overwintering in <i>Mecinus</i>
4:25-4:35	Mike Racette- Colorado Dept. Ag.	Successful biocontrol of Dalmatian toadflax following the 2012 Hewlett/High Park fires
4:35-4:50	Alec McClay (McClay Ecoscience) and Rosemarie DeClerck-Floate (Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada)	Recent progress in biological control of yellow toadflax in Alberta
4:50-5:30 Discussion of new targets and new agents		

Dinner: Individual Arrangements. There are a number of restaurants in Glenwood Springs including some within walking distance of the hotel. We will assist in coordinating groups that wish to carpool to various restaurants.

Evening discussion groups and consortia may use the Roosevelt ballroom room for meetings.

Janet Hardin (CSU Ft. Collins), Alec McClay and Dan Bean will lead a toadflax biocontrol discussion to begin at 7:30 pm in the Roosevelt Ballroom, please contact Dan Bean for more information

At 9 pm there will be a contest for best insect-themed tattoo

October 7th

Breakfast: Individual arrangements

Time	Speaker	Title
8:00-8:30	W-3185 Business Meeting	
8:30-8:45	David Morgan (CDFA)	Updates on the 2017 meeting
8:50-9:00	Nina Louden- Colorado Dept. Ag.	An update on tamarisk biocontrol in Colorado
9:00-9:15	Alex Gaffke Montana State Univ.	Semiochemicals in tamarisk biocontrol
9:15-9:30	Ellyn Bitume-CSU Ft. Collins	The effect of hybridization on life-history traits and host specificity in <i>Diorhabda spp</i> : implications for biocontrol
9:30-9:45	Amanda Stahlke-University of Idaho	Advances in DNA sequencing and bioinformatics give biocontrol practitioners powerful new tools
9:45-10:00	Tom Dudley-University of California Santa Barbara	Tamarisk biological control from an ecological perspective
10:00-10:15	Break with coffee, tea and cookies	
10:15-10:30	Mark Schwarzländer, University of Idaho	Emphasizing insect behavior in safety assessments of biological weed control candidates
10:30-10:50	Bill Bruckart, USDA ARS, Ft. Detrick, MD	The future of pathogens in weed biocontrol
10:50-11:10	Peter McEvoy- Oregon State University	Theoretical contributions to biological control success
11:10-11:35	E. Del Delfosse- Michigan State University	Past lessons future opportunities: a career perspective on biocontrol
11:35-11:55	Jim Nechols- Kansas State University	Complex trophic interactions and abiotic stress
11:55-12:30	Discussion, concluding remarks and announcements	