

THE FIRST STATEWIDE CONFERENCE ON AMPHIBIANS OF ALASKA

<http://www.stikine.org/akherps2004>

CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Location: Juneau, Centennial Hall
Dates: March 30th - April 1st, 2004



Conference Goal: Information exchange and networking through presentations, featured speakers, discussion panels, informal dialogue, and posters, for professionals working with, and managing, Alaska's wild amphibians

Topics: Amphibian physiology, genetics, population dynamics, biogeography, malformations & contaminants, habitat protection & species at risk, and information gaps, among others



Abstract Titles Due: January 30, 2004
Abstract Format: 250 words or less
Abstracts Due: February 10, 2004

SEND ABSTRACT TITLES TO TRACEY GOTTHARDT VIA E-MAIL BY 1/30/04.
Please note whether you are giving a presentation or submitting a poster.



Presentation Format: 10-30 minutes including questions. Specific guidelines will be sent separately to Presenters upon abstract acceptance.

Posters Due: The first day of the conference. Posters will be posted at the event and presented during the conference.

Poster Session Format: Informal



Agenda:

Tuesday, March 30

Morning: Introductory Remarks and Featured Speaker
Mid-morning: Poster Session and Informal Discussion with Presenters
Afternoon: Presentations

Wednesday, March 31

Morning: Presentations
Mid-afternoon: Informal Updates from Participants
Afternoon: Panel Discussion and/or Final Featured Speaker

Thursday, April 1

All Day: Workshop / Field Trip Combination, Focused Discussions or Workgroups



Registration information: Registration fees are yet to be determined and depend on funding availability. **Please send Helen Clough an e-mail if you are planning to attend the Conference.** Helen.Clough@fws.gov

Please pass this announcement to anyone you know that may be interested in attending, presenting, or helping to plan this event.

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