

2nd CALL FOR CONTRIBUTED POSTER ABSTRACTS WITH AN EXTENTION

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION DEADLINE EXTENDED TO MARCH 1, 2014

FMCS 2014 WORKSHOP
April 24-25 2014
Holiday Inn by the Bay
Portland, Maine

The Freshwater Mollusk Conservation Society will be hosting the 2014 workshop at the Holiday Inn by the Bay in Portland, Maine on 24-25 April 2014.

“MUSSEL STUDIES AND REGULATORY PROCESS ASSOCIATED WITH DAM REMOVALS”

In addition to the invited workshop speakers presenting on the theme of “lessons learned” based on researchers and decision makers involved in dam removals from various parts of the country, the workshop will also host a contributed poster session and social on Thursday evening (4/24) that includes, but is not limited to, topic areas of: Habitat and Conservation, Range-wide Status and Distribution, Life History and Ecology, Evolution and Phylogenetics, Outreach and Education, Propagation and Reproduction, Recovery, Contaminants and Water Quality, or any other mollusk related work.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR AUTHORS – SECOND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Submittal: Abstracts should be submitted as an email attachment in Microsoft Word® or Rich Text format to Alan Christian (alan.christian@umb.edu). **File name should include presenter’s last name and initials (e.g., jonesjm.doc).** Acknowledgment of abstract receipt, if requested, will be provided by e-mail. Limit abstracts to 450 words or less (including title, authors and affiliations). Abstracts with greater than 450 words will be edited.

Submittal format: Font should be Times New Roman 12 pt. The abstract should contain the title in **BOLD, CAPITAL** letters, followed by the author(s), and address(es). Underscore the presenter's name. Skip one line and begin the text (see example below) including a clear summary of presentation including objectives, results, and conclusions.

MICROSATELLITE VARIATION IN POPULATIONS OF *LAMPSILIS CARDIUM* FROM THE UPPER MISSISSIPPI RIVER, Emy Monroe¹, Teresa Newton², and David J. Berg³. ¹Department of Zoology, Miami University, Oxford, OH 45056; ²Upper Midwest Environmental Sciences Center, LaCrosse WI, 54601. ¹Department of Zoology, Miami University, Hamilton, OH 45011

Conservation of imperiled unionids requires maintaining genetic diversity. Microsatellite markers were used . . .

At the bottom of the abstract page, type:

1. The name, address, telephone, fax, and e-mail of the presenting author
2. “Regular” or “Student” attendee

Poster Size requirements: The poster should be readable from 5 feet, titles from 10 feet; and the poster should not exceed a size a **Height of 40 inches and a Width of 45 inches.** Authors must be present at the designated poster session.