

Managing Visual Quality & Operational Considerations for Harvesting in the Doug-fir Region



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Workshop Agenda

8:30

The Theory and Design of Managing for Visual Quality in PNW Working Forests
– **Gordon Bradley**, University of Washington, (emeritus)

1. *Why concern ourselves with visual resources?*
 - Focus group findings and public concern
2. *The Basics of Visual Resources Management*
 - Sources of visual resource management information
 - Sustainable Forestry Initiative: Objectives, Measures and indicators
 - Principles of visual resource management
 - Landscape design techniques
 - Applications to various landscape situations

10:00

Break

10:30

3. *Visual Preference Research Findings*
 - Clearcutting and visual quality
 - Partial cutting and visual quality
 - Green-up and visual quality
 - Visual preference for alternative harvest practices
4. *Case Study Examples and Review of Visual Resource Management Concepts*

Noon

Lunch

1:00

Safety Regulations, Unit Layout Considerations, Logging Systems and Working With Loggers
– **Loren Kellogg**, Oregon State University, (emeritus)

2:15

Break

2:30

Oregon Public Perceptions of Forestry
– **Mike Cloughesy**, Oregon Forest Resource Institute, Portland, OR

3:00

Case History: Managing Visual Quality on Hancock Timber Resource Group Washington Timberlands (4/19 session)
– **Robert Bass**, Hancock Timber Resource Group, Orting, WA

Oregon Casehistory (4/15 session) – **Speaker TBA**

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Blending Silvicultural Systems with Visual Management
– **Doug Maguire**, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

4:30 Adjourn



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Workshop Locations

- 1** The **April 13th Session** will be held at the Holiday Inn Springfield-Eugene, Springfield, OR located at 919 Kruse Way, Springfield, OR.
- 2** The **April 19th Session** will be held at the Great Wolf Lodge in Grand Mound, WA on I-5 at Exit 88 and the lodge is located at 20500 Old Highway 99, SW, Grand Mound, WA.

Lodging Information

- 1** **Session 1:** Reduced rate lodging is available at the Holiday Inn by calling 541-284-0707 and by mentioning Western Forestry and Conservation. The rate for a single room is \$99 plus tax. After March 28, reduced rates will be subject to availability.
- 2** **Session 2:** No reduced rate lodging has been set aside at the Great Wolf Lodge. Reservations can be made by calling 800-640-9653 or online at: <http://www.greatwolf.com/grandmound/waterpark>

Registration

The registration fee for either session is \$95 if received by April 5, 2016 or \$125 if received after April 5, 2016. The registration fee includes a book of speaker materials, lunch and refreshments. Checks should be made payable to Western Forestry and Conservation Association. Purchase orders, VISA/MasterCard, and American Express are accepted. Tax id # 930-331-712. No refunds for cancellations within one week of either session, but substitutions are always welcome. Registration is available at www.westernforestry.org

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