



INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WILDLAND FIRE
**3RD HUMAN DIMENSIONS
OF WILDLAND FIRE CONFERENCE**

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THIRD HUMAN DIMENSIONS OF WILDLAND FIRE CONFERENCE CALL FOR PAPERS

Over the past decade fire researchers and practitioners have developed a significant body of knowledge about the social aspects of fire management. Each group brings key competencies, perspectives and experiences to the table. This conference will provide participants with an opportunity to present, discuss, and learn about the latest research findings, management innovations, and best practices from around the world. The conference is open to anyone who has a vested interest in the study and application of human dimensions in emergency management.

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

Provide a forum for sharing what has been learned about the diverse social elements of wildland fire management

Discuss how this knowledge can be used and expanded upon by land managers, fire managers and public leaders to effectively achieve their assignments and goals

Identify knowledge gaps and opportunities for innovation and development

Explore ways for fire scientists and fire science users to expand collaborations and develop and test new knowledge

To achieve these objectives the conference will use a variety of means to share information including individual oral and poster presentations, panel discussions, special sessions and plenty of networking opportunities.

SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS

Visit http://www.iawfonline.org/HD_Seattle_2012/ to submit your abstract for consideration.

The deadline for abstract submission is December 15, 2011

All abstracts will be reviewed, and notification of acceptance will be made by January 23, 2012

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Abstracts should be limited to 350 words or less (25 to 30 typed lines; font size 12pt) – abstracts over the limit will not be reviewed. Abstracts should be written in non-technical language and with an emphasis on management implications of the work. Contributors will be asked to list keywords that most closely identify the topic of their proposed presentation.

For more information about the conference visit http://www.iawfonline.org/HD_Seattle_2012/

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