**HJ Andrews Experimental Forest Long-Term Ecological Research (LTER)**

**2016 Symposium: "Stories Only Time Can Tell"**

**9 AM - 2:30 PM, Friday, May 13th, 2016**  
Memorial Union, Oregon State University Campus

Hosted by the Andrews Forest Long-Term Ecological Research Program. The event is free and open to the public.

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**AGENDA:**

**9AM - Noon: Morning Talks - Horizon Room, Memorial Union Room**

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<td>9:00 - 9:10 AM</td>
<td>Welcome and introductory remarks. Chris Still, Associate Professor, Department of Forest Ecosystems and Society, OSU</td>
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<td>9:10 - 9:30</td>
<td>&quot;The new abnormal: Lessons from long-term observations of vegetation.&quot; Mark Harmon, Richardson Chair and Professor, Forest Ecosystems and Society</td>
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<td>9:30 - 9:50</td>
<td>&quot;Eight centuries of environmental variability and synchrony in western Oregon forests&quot; Bryan Black, Associate Professor, Department of Marine Science, University of Texas at Austin</td>
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<td>9:50 - 10:10</td>
<td>&quot;The leaking forest: a story about streams and nutrients.&quot; Alba Argerich, Assistant Professor, Senior Researcher, Department of Forest Engineering, Resources &amp; Management, OSU</td>
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<td>&quot;Long-Term Ecological Reflections: Stories for the Long Haul.&quot; Charles Goodrich, Director, The Spring Creek Project for Ideas, Nature and the Written Word, OSU</td>
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<td>10:30 - 10:40</td>
<td>Break</td>
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<td>10:40 - 11:00</td>
<td>&quot;Once upon a time, a scientist met a manager and a magical relationship was born!&quot; Cheryl Ann Friesen, Science Liaison, Willamette National Forest</td>
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<td>&quot;Decoding watershed history from environmental records.&quot; Francisco Guerrero-Bolano, PhD student, Sustainable Forest Management, College of Forestry, OSU</td>
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11:20 - 11:40

"Can forest structure buffer biodiversity against climate change?"
Matthew Betts, Associate Professor of Landscape Ecology, IWFL
Professor of Forest Biodiversity Research, Dept. of Forest
Ecosystems and Society, OSU

11:40 - Noon

"Long-Term Ecological Research meets Traditional Ecological
Knowledge: from Metaphysics to Ethics." Michael Paul Nelson,
Andrews Forest LTER Lead PI, Ruth H. Spaniol Chair of Renewable
Resources, Forest Ecosystems and Society

Noon - 2:30 PM: Poster session and Lunch - OSU
Memorial Union Multipurpose Room (east end of
basement floor, just below where talks are held)

2:00 PM: Tour of “Heartwood: Inquiry and
Engagement with Pacific Northwest Forests,” a forest
exhibit in the OSU Libraries and Press Special
Collections and Archives Research Center.