



Responsible Recreation: Pathways, Practices & Possibilities

May 9 – 10, 2023. Revelstoke BC

PRESENTER LIST

The following presenters are confirmed participants at this conference and will be delivering/participating a combination of facilitated discussions, workshops, and traditional style talks. A full schedule will be posted by the week of March 27th on the [event webpage](#).

* Indicates this content will be available to online attendees (the workshops, conversation café, exhibitors fair and posters are for in-person attendees only.)

***Jeremy Ayotte**, Phyla Biological Consulting & Shuswap Trail Alliance, *Backcountry recreation management planning for wildlife: What tools do we have, where can we improve?* *

Lindsay Barnett, Invasive Species Council of BC, *Observe and report! Collecting valuable biodiversity data while recreating*

***Marcia Bennett & Trevor Hann**, Recreation Sites and Trails BC, *Opportunities for Responsible Recreation (panel discussion)*

***Jess Booth**, Columbia Shuswap Invasive Species Society, *Leave no trace ... of invasive species!*

***Shelly Boyd**, Sinixt Confederacy, *Opening address*

***Jen Bellhouse**, Shuswap Trail Alliance, *Participatory decision making and adaptive management used to implement and maintain recreation management plans*

Clara-Jane Blye, RCS & U of A, *Loving our Parks to Death? Exploring proactive and systematic approaches to visitor management*

***Talia Vilalta Capdevila**, Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative, *Comparing traditional and user-generated tools for measuring outdoor recreation intensity*

***Ross Cloutier**, Helicat Canada, *HeliCat Canada's Vision 2040 and the Wildlife and Environmental Research Fund*

Robyn Goldsmith, Destination and Sustainability Manager (Revelstoke Tourism), *Destination management alongside destination promotion & regenerative tourism opportunities*

Megan Goudie, Parks Canada (LLYK), *Addressing the risk of non-motorized watercraft as a vector for spread of aquatic invasive species in the mountain national parks*

***Ryan Gill**, UBC & Wildlife Science Centre, *Movement ecology of southern mountain caribou in response to COVID-19 lockdowns*

***Doris Hauselietner**, Seepanee Ecological Consulting & Selkirk College, *Guidelines for recreation near wolverine dens and in denning habitat in the montane regions of western North America*

***Nikki Heim**, Ktunaxa Nation Council, *Simulating current and future impacts on ?a-kxamis qapi qapsin (All Living Things): the role of recreation*

***Kim Heinemeyer**, Round River Studies, *Wolverine responses to backcountry winter recreation differ based on behavioral state and recreation exposure*

Mandy Kellner, BC Ministry of Water, Land and Resource Stewardship, *Caving, climbing and Chiroptera*

Natalie Knowles, University of Waterloo & Protect Our Winters, *Adventures in a Warmer World: Responding and Decarbonizing the Outdoor Industry*

***Annie Loosen**, University of Northern BC & Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative, *Recreation ecology in a multi-use, large landscape: implications and applications for monitoring*

***Ximena Diaz Lopez**, Outdoor Recreation Council of BC, *Responsible Recreation in Small BC Communities and Its Challenges*

Moe Nadeau & Gwen Bridge, Gwen Bridge Consulting, *Responsible recreation through Ethical Space: key insights and recommendations for the Upper Columbia region*

***Robin Naidoo**, Wildlife Conservation at WWF-US & University of British Columbia, *Weekend worriers? Causal impacts of human recreation on grizzly bear activity*

Megan MacPhee, East Kootenay Invasive Species Society, *Clean, Drain, Dry - Invasive species vs. the tourism industry*

Randy Moody, Whitebark Pine Ecosystem Foundation of Canada, *Skiing in the Trees: Collaborative Whitebark Pine Recovery in Ski Tenures*

***Michael Proctor**, TransBorder Grizzly Bear Project, Kootenay Connect & IUCN Species Survival Commission, *Roads, recreation, grizzlies, and other wildlife!*

***Aaron Reid**, BC Ministry of Lands Water and Resource Stewardship, *The Roaming Closure – using GPS collared caribou to manage snowmobiling across the Central Selkirk mountain caribou herd*

***Maggie Scallion**, McElhanney, *Best Practices for Minimizing Wildlife Disturbance with Trail Planning, Design and Management*

Kirsten Silfvenius, Headwaters Marketing, *Communication Tools That Keep Recreationists & Land Managers Happy*

Brynn McLellan, Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative, *Recreation in bear country: towards understanding spatio-temporal overlap of recreation and grizzly bear habitat*

***Alexandra Taylor**, Parks Canada, *Management Planning and Strategic Environmental Assessment as a tool to achieve recreation and conservation objectives in national parks*

Dale Tomma, City of Revelstoke Economic Development, *Revelstoke area state of the backcountry report*

Yann Troutet, Association Eaux-Vives Minganie, *On the Positive Side: Outdoor Recreation as a Source of Commitment Toward Conservation – a Compelling Real-World Example*

***Amanda Weber-Roy**, BC Parks, *Efforts to balance species habitat needs with recreational pressures in BC Parks in the Kootenays*

***Shelley Witzky**, Adams Lake Band Councillor, *Secwepemc Landmarks Project*

***Jeff Zukiwsky**, Zumundo Community and Environmental Planning, *Managing public recreation in the Kootenay area*