CALL FOR PAPERS and POSTERS

28th Meeting of the Arizona Riparian Council Tools and Techniques for Assessing and Restoring Riparian Habitat



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Meeting Date: Thursday-Friday, October 15-16, 2015

Location: 1899 Ballroom at the High Country Conference Center,

Flagstaff Deadline for Abstracts: Friday August 28, 2015

We invite the submission of abbreviated abstracts for the Thursday afternoon Technical and Poster Sessions at the 2015 Arizona Riparian Council Annual Meeting. The meeting theme is *Tools and Techniques for Assessing and Restoring Riparian Habitats*. On Thursday morning, invited speakers will share their expertise in the tools they are using to understand riparian ecology, genetic approaches to restoration, monitoring irrigation and soil properties, and LIDAR imagery to assess habitat suitability. These presentations will be followed by submitted technical papers and posters. Friday will be a field trip to Rio de Flag located within the Flagstaff city limits.

Individuals are invited to submit abstracts for a technical presentation or a poster session on tools and techniques used to assess riparian habitats. Other riparian related abstracts will be considered.

Meeting Format

All interested participants are encouraged to respond to this call for presentations and posters. Abstracts from students are strongly encouraged. Abstracts will be printed in the meeting program. Each presentation will be approximately 15 minutes long, followed by five minutes for questions. Accepted posters will be displayed in the lobby of the 1899 Ballroom and there will be several opportunities during breaks for viewing and interaction with authors.

<u>Abstract Guidelines</u> – Abstracts should be between 250 and 500 words. Please send your abstract in a Word format to: Kelly Mott Lacroix at <u>klacroix@email.arizona.edu</u>. Abstracts should begin with the author(s) name, followed by professional address, abstract title, and the body of the abstract. Posters will need to be mounted on foam core because easels will be used for display. Authors will be notified September 4, 2015 of acceptance.

Sample Submission:

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