

Stream Amphibians and Turtles of Southwest Oregon

**Workshop Host: Umpqua Community College
Jacoby Auditorium, Roseburg, Oregon**

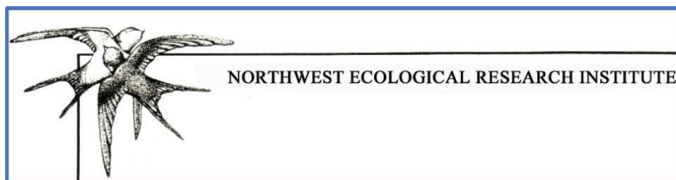
Friday May 12, 2023: Presentations (9:00am-3:30pm)

Saturday May 13, 2023: Field Demo (9:00am-1:00pm)

Co-Organizers:

- R Bruce Bury, Zoologist (Emeritus), US Geological Survey
- Gwen W. Bury, PNW Research Station, US Forest Service
- Cindy Haws, Umpqua Community College & Umpqua Natural Leadership Science Hub
- Janice Reid, Umpqua Watersheds

Cooperators:



Workshop is free but please pre-register:

<https://umpquawatersheds.org/registration-form-for-2023-stream-amphibian-workshop-may-12/>

Web Page and Updates at:

<https://umpquawatersheds.org/stream-amphibians-and-turtles-of-sw-oregon/>

Maps to event location are provided on the following pages of this document.

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May 12, 2023 - Workshop Presentations

Umpqua Community College

Jacoby Auditorium, Roseburg, Oregon

Workshop Questions and Goals:

Who lives here? Which species are unique? Are there new species here?
Where do they live and why? Do they differ based on stream size?
What are their roles in streams? Which ones are stable or declining?
How can we help maintain their populations?

09:00am Pacific Northwest Stream Amphibian Overview. RB Bury and GW Bury
Introduction and Objectives
Key players — Remarkable Unique — Species Biogeography
Stream continuum — temperature gradient dependency — Roles in food webs
Status and Conservation

FEATURED VIDEO: **Cryptic Species in Oregon: New Forms and Species Ahead?**
Karen Kiemnec-Tyburczy, Cal Poly Univ. Humboldt

10:15am ***Break

10:30am Seeps, Springs, Headwaters, & Wet Slopes:

- Klamath Black and Red-backed Salamanders – Jason Reilly, BLM Medford
- Torrent Salamanders – Elusive and highly specialized. GW Bury
- Tailed Frog – America’s iconic survivor. RB Bury
- Mysteries of the Tailed Frog - Mark Leppin, MSc Student, Oregon St University
- Klamath-Siskiyou Ecoregion Amphibians– Justin Garwood, Calif DFW
- Giant Salamanders – Common yet overlooked large predator RB Bury & GW Bury

11:45am Discussion: Conservation and Management of Headwater Amphibians

Panel Moderator: Michael Parker, SOU (Emeritus) and others

12:00pm LUNCH (1 hour) Options: bring your own lunch, visit the UCC cafeteria or local eatery, order a sandwich online from Bob’s Deli for delivery to Jacoby Auditorium.
Order sandwiches by Wednesday night at: <https://forms.gle/T3qJjp2MTwDHVAa8>

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1:00pm Streams and Rivers

Foothill Yellow-legged Frog - Natural history, status, and management.

Don Ashton, McBain Associates, Applied River Sciences

1:15pm Northwestern Pond Turtle - Turtles galore or going?

RB Bury and GW Bury

Distribution — Ecology — Behavior — Longevity

Where are the hatchlings and juveniles?

Status and conservation measures afoot: to list or not to list?

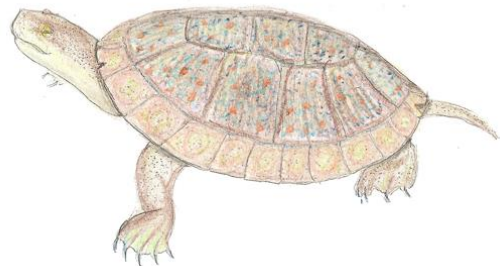
2:00pm * Break**

2:15pm Northwestern Pond Turtle Studies in the Pacific Northwest

- Rogue River Turtles - Max McClarnon, Jason Reilly, Don Ashton
- Turtles in Large Rivers and Reservoirs - Don Ashton and Jamie Bettaso
- A Pond Population of NW Pond Turtles - James Bettaso, USFS Six Rivers

VIDEO: Changes in a Turtle Population over Decades - Simon Wray, ODFW (retired)

3:15pm Panel Discussion: Status and Management of Northwestern Pond Turtle



3:30pm End of workshop presentations and discussion

See next page for UCC campus map with location for workshop presentations.

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Campus Map for Workshop Presentations

Umpqua Community College, Roseburg OR

Jacoby Auditorium

Free Parking



Jacoby Auditorium is located along the west edge of the campus, near the entrance of Umpqua College Road. Parking is free.

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Saturday: Stream Amphibians Field Trip

Meet at 9:00am at the field site, about a 30-minute drive WSW of Roseburg.

Signed waiver is required, available at the meeting and field site.

Anyone under 18 years old must be accompanied by parent or legal guardian.

Waders or wading boots are optional, but all gear to contact stream waters must be thoroughly cleaned and decontaminated prior to use at the field site.

Iverson Memorial County Park, Douglas County, OR 97471

43°08'20.4"N 123°38'54.8"W (Lat/Long)

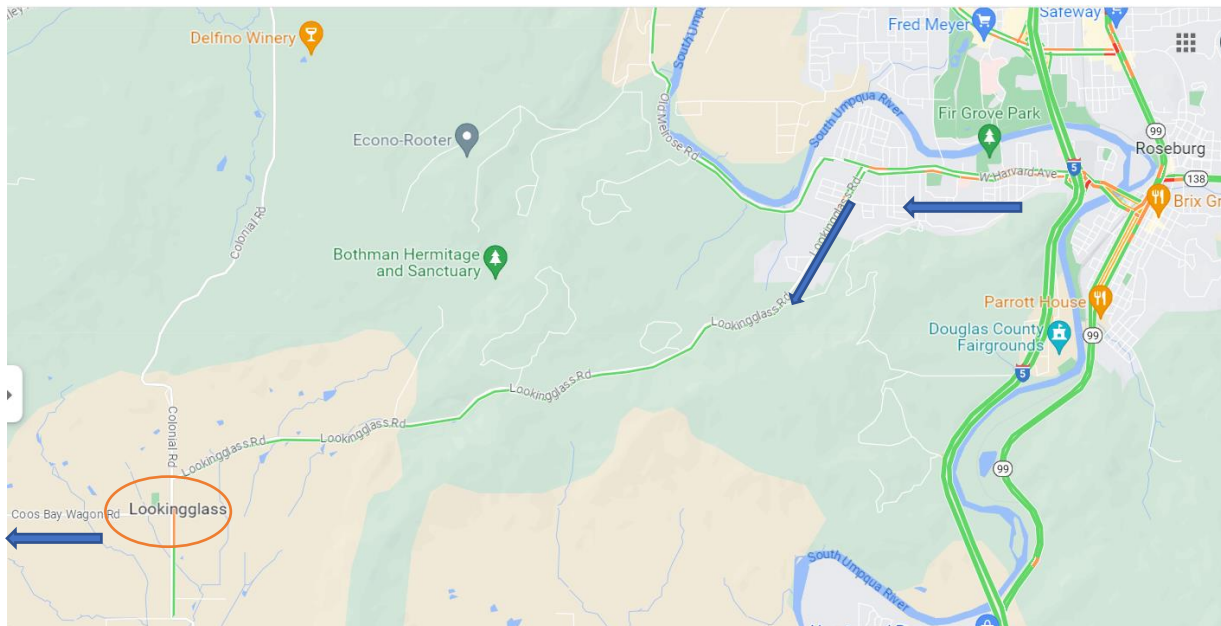
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Directions to field demonstration site:

Off I-5, take W Harvard for 1.5 miles and then left onto Lookingglass Road.

Drive about 4 miles west to the intersection with Colonial Road, take left.

Take 1st right onto Coos Bay Wagon Road.



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Directions to field demonstration site (continued):

Drive west on Coos Bay Wagon Road for about 8 miles.



Burnt Mtn Road is on your right. Just past that on Coos Bay Rd is the park entrance.

Iverson Memorial County Park has a parking lot, a picnic table and one Porta-Potty

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