2012 UW Water Symposium Wednesday, April  $18^{th}$ , 2012 NHS Hall  $\sim$  Center for Urban Horticulture

## **PROGRAM**

9:00	Welcome and Introductions – Joel Baker
9:10-10:40	Physical, biological, and geochemical impacts of riverine systems in marine and estuarine environments  Lead speaker: Parker MacCready (UW School of Oceanography)
	<ul> <li>Additional speakers</li> <li>Bo Li: Phosphorus in effluent from nutrient removal treatment facilities are like coconuts and bananas</li> <li>Nick Ward: The hydrologic and geochemical evolution of the Amazon River as it enters the ocean</li> <li>Dan Nowacki: The Amazon tidal river as a missing link in the transport of water and sediment to the ocean.</li> </ul>
11:00-12:30	The Value of Heterogeneity in Freshwater Environments  Lead speaker: Daniel Schindler (UW SAFS): How watershed complexity produces resilient fisheries and wildlife populations
	<ul> <li>Additional speakers</li> <li>George Pess: The importance of habitat complexity and connectivity to river ecosystems</li> <li>Jonny Armstrong: Juvenile coho salmon "dine and dash" to exploit thermal heterogeneity in streams</li> <li>KathiJo Jankowski: The effects of eutrophication and spatial resource heterogeneity on the richness and composition of bacterial communities in lakes</li> </ul>
12:30-1:30	Lunch provided for registered participants
1:30-3:00	Land Use and Water Introduction: Erica Cline, Assistant Professor, UW Tacoma Environmental Program Lead speaker: Robert L. Edmonds, Professor, UW School of Environmental and Forest Sciences The forest/stream connection in the Pacific Northwest: what we have learned in the past 50 years.
	<ul> <li>Additional Speakers</li> <li>Susan Dickerson: Shading the snowpack: Forest management to combat climate change</li> <li>Douglas Martin: The uniform buffer paradigm, ecosystem services, and a call for spatially explicit riparian management</li> <li>Letitia (Tish) Conway-Cranos, Peter Kiffney, Neil Banas, Mark Plummer, Sean Naman, Krista Bartz, Mary Ruckelshaus, Rohinee Paranjpye, Mark Strom, Parker MacCready, John Bucci: Terrestrial-marine linkages in Puget Sound: trophic subsidies and oceanographic transport of freshwater, nutrients and pathogens to shellfish beds</li> </ul>
3:30-5:00	Poster Presentations 'Lightning round' of introductions on each poster to be followed by open poster session Light refreshments provided for registered participants, including no-host bar (cash only)
5:00-5:30	Poster Award Presentation Closure