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FBA Conferences in Aquatic Biology

The Second Freshwater Biology Summit

Achieving Ecological Outcomes: aquatic ecological responses to catchment management

12–15 April 2010, FBA Windermere, Cumbria, UK

You are invited to the second in a series of prestigious international conferences, drawing together the very best in aquatic biology and its application in environmental management. Essentially 'summits' of the world's pre-eminent leaders in the field, these small workshops promote the free exchange of ideas at the frontiers of aquatic research – addressing new concepts, advancing the science and analysing how it may be applied.

Theme

This conference tackles one of the most difficult questions in catchment science today. Why is it so difficult to achieve good ecological outcomes from integrated catchment management programmes? The speakers have been chosen to highlight new research approaches to understanding the complexities of linked landscapes and waterscapes, and to focus discussion around how to move forward on this issue.

Internationally renowned speakers

The invited speakers are all leading experts in their field. The conference is international in scope, with invited speakers from North America, Australia, Africa and Europe.

Special Edition of Freshwater Biology

Contributions from invited speakers will be published online as a special issue of *Freshwater Biology*, with free access to all.

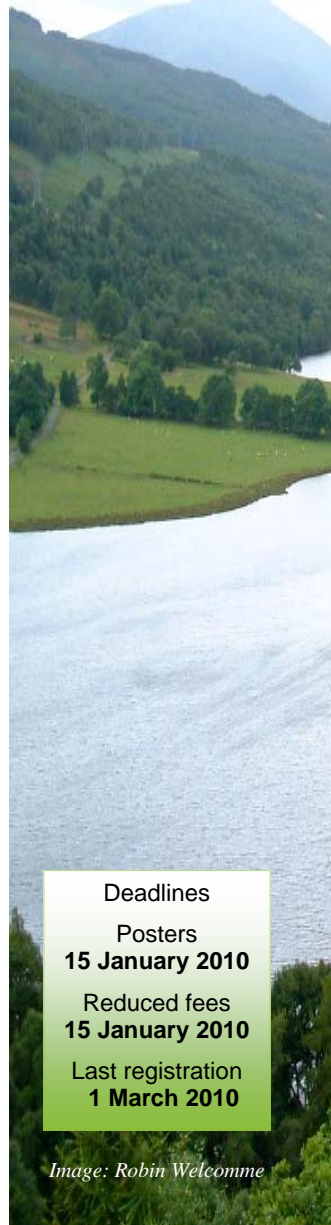
Participation

This prestigious conference will be attended by decision makers, key professionals and leading scientists. Emphasis will be placed on interaction and discussion, with a mix of lectures and workshops. Places are limited, so book early to beat the rush! Discounted fees are available for early registration and there are a small number of subsidised places for students. Participants, especially students, are invited to display a poster describing aspects of their work.

An opportunity not to miss!



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Deadlines
Posters
15 January 2010
Reduced fees
15 January 2010
Last registration
1 March 2010

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Venue

The conference will be held at the FBA's Windermere site, on the western shore of lake Windermere in the English Lake District. Trains from Windermere connect to the inter-city station at Oxenholme (near Kendal) and to Manchester international airport.

Programme

Opening reception: Monday 12 April (evening)

Scientific sessions: Tuesday 13 to Thursday 15 April

Conference dinner: Wednesday 14 April (evening)

Convenor and Guest Editor

Prof. Graham Harris (Co-Director, Lancaster Environment Centre, UK)

Speakers

Ignacio Rodriguez-Iturbe (USA) – *River networks as ecological corridors: a complex systems perspective*

James Kirchner (Switzerland) – *Catchments as simple dynamical systems*

Emily Stanley (USA) – *The influence of management activities and restoration on carbon fluxes in aquatic ecosystems*

Patrick J. Mulholland (USA) – *Nitrogen uptake and retention in streams*

Louise Heathwaite & Phil Haygarth (UK) – *Phosphorus dynamics in catchments: sources, sinks and impacts across scales*

Peter Davies (Australia) – *Land use, catchments and the ecological condition of rivers*

Colin Reynolds (UK) – *Complexity and emergence in aquatic ecosystems: predictability in aquatic ecosystem responses*

Graham Harris (UK) – *Uncertain catchment impacts on complex entities*

David Allan (USA) – *Scenario modelling and Bayesian Decision Networks to evaluate relationships between stressors and stream health*

Kevin Rogers (South Africa) – *Thresholds of potential concern and the adaptive management of rivers in Kruger Park*

Keith Beven (UK) – *Modelling everything everywhere: new approaches to Water Framework Directive compliance*

Partnership and sponsorship

Opportunities exist to support speakers' expenses, subsidised registrations, printing costs for the subsequent publication, and for the opening reception and conference dinner. Please contact Karen Rouen (krouen@fba.org.uk) for further information.

Booking Form **FBA Conferences in Aquatic Biology** *Achieving ecological outcomes: aquatic ecological responses to catchment management* 12–15 April 2010, FBA Windermere

I wish to book a conference place:

	On or before 15 January 2010	16 Jan to 1 March 2010
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No registrations accepted after 1 March 2010. Fees include opening reception, lunches on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, and the Conference Dinner.

* Subsidised student places limited to 10 places (eligibility extends to 12 months after the completion of studies). VAT applies to **ALL** bookings, both within & outside the EU: the rate is 15% as at Aug 2009, but may increase in Jan 2010 (please check FBA website before booking).

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- I will be attending the Opening Reception (Monday 12 April, evening)
- I will be attending the Conference Dinner (Wednesday 14 April, evening)

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