2021 WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA HYDROLOGY CONFERENCE DRAFT PROGRAM

Wednesday-Thursday, April 21-22, 2021 Virtual format held via Zoom. All times are MDT zone.

| Session 1 – 8:00 – 10:00 AM, Wednesday 4/21/2021 | | | |
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| 8:00 – 8:10 AM | Welcome and general announcements | Galen Hoogestraat and Mark Anderson, USGS | |
| 8:10 – 8:30 AM | SD Department of Agriculture / DENR Merger Update | Brian Walsh, Public Affairs Director, SDDA / DENR | |
| 8:30 – 8:50 AM | Overview of West Dakota Water Development District stormwater inventory and erosion control projects | Dan Driscoll, West Dakota Water Development District | |
| 8:50 – 9:10 AM | Pilot Project for an Inventory of Impervious Areas and Green Spaces that may have Potential for Future Stormwater Mitigation Measures | Jason Phillips, SDSMT and TerraSite Design | |
| 9:10 – 9:30 AM | Hydrogeology and Dewatering Options for Summerset, South Dakota | Bill Eldridge and Todd Anderson, USGS | |
| 9:30 – 9:50 AM | Improving the City of Spearfish's FEMA Floodplain Mapping with 2D Hydraulic Modeling | Amber Lefers, AE2S | |
| 9:50 – 10:00 AM | BREAK – Sponsor recognition | | |
| Session 2 – 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM, Wednesday 4/21/2021 | | | |
| 10:00 – 10:30 AM | Ice-affected flow analyses in the Lower Heart River Levee System | Jon Zufelt and Dennis Reep, HDR Engineering | |
| 10:30 – 10:50 AM | Water-Quality Assessment of the Heart River Basin, North Dakota, 1970-2019 | Wyatt Tatge, USGS | |
| 10:50 – 11:20 AM | The LaPrele Dam Project, Douglas, WY: Project History, Investigation and Design Options | Peter Rausch, <i>RESPEC</i> , and Cory Foreman, <i>HDR Engineering</i> | |
| 11:20 – 12:00 PM | An update of surface and subsurface geological mapping, potentiometric map, and flow directions in the Madison aquifer at Jewel Cave National Monument | Mike Wiles, Erin Dundas, and Sierra Heimel Jewel Cave National Monument | |

| Session 3 – 8:00 – 10:00 AM, Thursday 4/22/2021 | | |
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| 8:00 – 8:05 AM | Welcome and general announcements | Galen Hoogestraat, USGS |
| 8:05 – 8:30 AM | Impacts of Sedimentation on Missouri River Reservoirs and Free- Flowing Segments | Tim Cowman South Dakota DENR; Geological Survey Program |
| 8:30 – 8:50 AM | Analysis of Potential Alternative Operations for Pactola and Deerfield Reservoirs | David Waterman and Rosemary Squillace, SDSMT |
| 8:50 – 9:10 AM | Hydraulic Analysis of Fish Habitat Restoration of Rapid Creek Downstream of Pactola Reservoir | Anne Winckel, SDSMT and RESPEC, and Scott Kenner, SDSMT |
| 9:10 – 9:30 AM | Examining the Influence of Climate Change on Stream Yield in the Black Hills of South Dakota | Lucas Graunke, Lisa Kunza, William Capehart, and Mengistu Nisrani, SDSMT |
| 9:30 – 9:50 AM | Characterization of Factors Affecting Groundwater Levels in and near the Rosebud Indian Reservation and the Former Lake Traverse Indian Reservation, 1956-2017 | Kristen Valseth, USGS |
| 9:50 – 10:00 AM | BREAK – Sponsor recognition | |
| | Session 4 – 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM, Thursday 4/22 | /2021 |
| 10:00 – 10:20 AM | Mesonet Monitoring of Soil Moisture and Snowpack Monitoring in the Upper Missouri River Basin | Nathan Edwards, South Dakota State University – South Dakota Mesonet |
| 10:20 – 10:40 AM | Principles of Ecology in Agricultural Landscapes | David Kringen , South Dakota State University – SDSU Extension |
| 10:40 – 11:00 AM | Image Segmentation of Tile Drainage Systems Using U-Nets | Fleford Redoloza, Tanja Williamson, and Alex Headman, USGS |
| 11:00 – 11:20 AM | Investigation of Muskingum Routing parameters in natural channel in North Dakotan river under snowmelt-induced flooding conditions | Vida Atashi and Yeo Lim, University of North Dakota |
| 11:20 – 11:40 AM | Improving Water quality with the Scenario Application Manager (SAM) | Seth Kenner, RESPEC |
| 11:40 – 12:00 PM | Modeling transport and retention of graphene oxide in biochar media under subsurface aquatic environment | Md Sazadul Hasan, Venkataramana Gadhamshetty, and Mengistu Geza, SDSMT |