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### Sunday, February 24, 2013

3:00pm - 6:30pm	Registration and Raffle Ticket Purchase in Hotel Lobby		
4:10pm - 4:15pm	Welcome Conference Co-chairs: Gary T. Green, Neelam C. Poudyal and Wayde Morse (Dogwood Room)		
4:15pm - 4:20pm		Session #1 Moderator: Stephanie West (Dogwood Room)	
4:20pm - 4:45pm		Leisure and Life Satisfaction: Mundane Happiness Andrew W. Bailey (University of Tennessee at Chattanooga) and Hyoung-Kil "H.K." Kang (Southern Wesleyan University)	
4:45pm - 5:10pm	One	Segmenting Trout Anglers to Understand Their Knowledge and Concerns Toward Climate Change Ramesh Paudyal <sup>1</sup> , Neelam C. Poudyal <sup>2</sup> , J.M. Bowker <sup>2</sup> , Adrienne M. Dorison <sup>1</sup> , Gary T. Green <sup>1</sup> and Stan Zarnoch <sup>3</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> University of Georgia, <sup>2</sup> USDA Forest Service, Southern Research Station, Athens, GA, <sup>3</sup> USDA Forest Service, Southern Research Station, Asheville, NC)	
5:10pm - 5:35pm	Session One	An Assessment of Constraints and Opportunities in Increasing Visitor Diversity in Georgia State Parks  Neelam C. Poudyal, Gary T. Green and Whitney Pemberton (University of Georgia)	
5:35pm - 6:00pm		Monitoring Off-leash Dog Walking Behavior in Protected Areas: Development and Testing of a Protocol Katherine Conlon, Chelsey Walden-Schreiner, Yu-Fai Leung and Anna Miller (North Carolina State University)	
6:00pm - 6:25pm		Examining Visitor's Recreation and Setting Preferences in the Chattahoochee National Forest's Rock Creek Dispersal Recreation Area  James Rhynold, Gary T. Green and Nathan Nibbelink (University of Georgia)	
6:25pm - 6:40pm	Raffle - must be present to win! (Dogwood Room)		
7:00pm	Dinner / Socializing / Networking at Transmetropolitian. Meeting to discuss SERR 2014!		

### Monday, February 25, 2013

7:00am - 7:45am	Breakfast (Azalea Room)	
7:00am - 7:45am	Registration and Raffle Ticket Purchase (Azalea Room)	
7:45am - 8:00am	Raffle - must be present to win! (Dogwood Room)	

8:00am - 8:05am		Session #2 Moderator: Andrew Bailey (Dogwood Room)		
8:05am - 8:30am	Session Two	Are All Farmers' Market Visitors the Same? Tourists vs. Residents Melissa Weddell, Kevin Bedford, Rebecca Battista and Stephanie West (Appalachian state University)		
8:30am - 8:55am		Tourism as an Alternative Livelihood Option to Emigration Quint Newcomer (University of Georgia, Costa Rica)		
8:55am - 9:20am		Assessing the Diverse Impacts of Volunteer Tourism in Host Communities: Exploring Participatory Methodology Christopher A. Lupoli and Wayde Morse (Auburn University)		
9:20am - 9:30am	Brea	Break and Raffle Ticket Purchase (Azalea Room)		
9:30am - 9:45am	Speaker: Dean Michael Clutter Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources (Dogwood Room)			
9:45am - 9:50am		Session #3 Moderator: H.K. Kang (Dogwood Room)		
9:50am - 10:15am	e G	Factors Affecting Local vs. Tourist Visitation on a Linear Long Distance Trail Angela Colonna, Carolyn Huntley and Taylor Stein (University of Florida)		
10:15am - 10:40am	Session Three	Visitor Encounters on an Urban Greenway Trail: An Exploratory Study of Interactions and Non-interactions Erin Crouse, Tian Guo, Roger Moore, Anna Miller, Yujia Zhai (North Carolina State University)		
10:40am - 11:05am		Means-end Analysis of Hiking Experiences on National Scenic Trails  Katherine Soule <sup>1</sup> , Marni Goldenberg <sup>1</sup> and Eddie Hill <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> California Polytechnic State University, <sup>2</sup> Old Dominion University)		
11:05am - 1:00pm	Lunch on your own. Explore downtown Athens!			
1:00pm - 1:05pm		Session #4 Moderator: Gary Green (Dogwood Room)		
1:05pm - 1:30pm	ņ	Mediation Analysis of Different Types of Leisure Activity Hyoung-Kil "H.K." Kang <sup>1</sup> , Heetae Cho <sup>2</sup> and Dongoh "Eric" Joo <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> Southern Wesleyan University, <sup>2</sup> Clemson University)		
1:30pm - 1:55pm	Session Four	Life Events, Constraints and Travel Participation Among Older Adults  Marian H. Wooten <sup>1</sup> , Young-joo Ahn <sup>2</sup> , William C. Norman <sup>2</sup> and Francis  McGuire <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> University of North Carolina at Pembroke, <sup>2</sup> Clemson University)		
1:55pm - 2:20pm		Exploring the Influence of Culture on Outdoor Recreation Constraint Constructs Susan E. Parker <sup>1</sup> , Gary T. Green <sup>1</sup> and Cassandra Johnson <sup>2</sup> ( <sup>1</sup> University of Georgia, <sup>2</sup> USDA Forest Service)		
2:20pm - 2:30pm	Brea	ak and Raffle Ticket Purchase (Azalea Room)		
2:30pm - 2:35pm		Session #5 Moderator: Neelam Poudyal (Dogwood Room)		
2:35pm - 3:00pm	on Five	Benefits of a Rail-to-trail Rural Appalachia: A Case Study of the Virginia Creeper Trail in Damascus, Virginia Joshua Roe (Appalachian State University)		
3:00pm - 3:25pm	Session	Motorcycle Recreationists Travel Attitudes and Spending Patterns in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina  Melissa Weddell, John Whitehead and Kayla Smith (Appalachian State University)		

3:25pm - 3:50pm	Economic Importance of Recreation on USDA Forest Service Lands in the Southern U.S.  Marcus K. Measells, Stephen C. Grado and James E. Henderson (Mississippi State University)	
3:50pm - 4:00pm	Break and Raffle Ticket Purchase (Azalea Room)	
5:30pm - 7:00pm	Poster Session and Happy Hour (Dogwood Room) Vote on new SERR logo!	
7:30pm	Drinks and Food at Trappeze	

## Tuesday, February 26, 2013

7:00am - 8:00am	Breakfast and Raffle Ticket Purchase (Azalea Room)		
8:00am - 8:05am		Session #6 Moderator: Taylor Stein (Dogwood Room)	
8:05am - 8:30am	Session Six	Sound Decibels During Swim Meets: Are You at Risk? Erik Rabinowitz (Appalachian State University)	
8:30am - 8:55am		Dauphin Island: Migrant Trap for Birds or People?  Brent Williams and Wayde Morse (Auburn University)	
8:55am - 9:20am	S	An Assessment of Nuisance Wildlife Encounters and Causes in South Carolina State Parks Sarah Banks and Srinivasan Venkatraman (Coastal Carolina University)	
9:20am - 9:30am	Break and Raffle Ticket Purchase (Azalea Room)		
9:30am - 10:15am	Panel Discussion (Dogwood Room)  Dr. Mike Bowker - USDA Forest Service  Dr. Gary T. Green - Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources Randy Smith - Athens Clarke County Leisure Services John Ward - Jefferson City Manager		
10:15am - 10:30am	Time for individual discussions with panel Break and Raffle Ticket Purchase (Azalea Room)		
10:30am - 10:35am		Session #7 Moderator: Wayde Morse (Dogwood Room)	
10:35am - 11:00am	ven	Testing Two Public Participation Geographic Information Systems Methods for Spatially Identifying Places of Stakeholder Importance for Recreation Cody Cox, Wayde Morse and Luke Marzen (Auburn University)	
11:00am - 11:25am	Session Seven	Implementing Player Development: Organizational Constraints on Youth Soccer Clubs Brad Camp (Middle Tennessee State University)	
11:25am - 11:50am	Ŋ	Empirical Linkage Between Psychological Needs in Self-determination Theory and Perceived Quality of Life Through Enduring Involvement Hyoung-Kil "H.K." Kang (Southern Wesleyan University) and Andrew Bailey (University of Tennessee)	
11:50am	Closing remarks and raffle (Dogwood Room)		

#### **Poster Presentations**

- Measuring and Evaluating the Effects of Signage on Off-Trail Walking in a University Forest, North Carolina Brendan Adams, Katharine Conlon, Robert Sayre-McCord, Erin Crouse and Yu-Fai Leung (North Carolina State University)
- An Update on the Georgia Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) 2013-2018 Robyn E. Albritton and Gary T. Green (University of Georgia)
- Visitor Perceptions and Motivations for Wildlife Tourism in Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge Samantha Baraoidan and Taylor V. Stein (University of Florida)

#### A Preliminary Examination of Tourist's Perceptions of their Impacts on a Gateway Community in the Southern Appalachian Mountains

Aaron Breassealen, Katie Kennedy and Eric Frauman (Appalachian State University)

#### ATV safety practices in the Smokey Mountain Region

Sarabelle Carter, Andy R. Dotterweich and T. Jason Davis (East Tennessee State University)

#### An Experiment to Test Hierarchical Leisure Constraints among Medical Professionals

Heetae Cho<sup>1</sup>, Dongoh "Eric" Joo<sup>1</sup> and Hyoung-Kil "H.K." Kang<sup>2</sup> (<sup>1</sup>Clemson University, <sup>2</sup>Southern Wesleyan University)

#### An Economic Framework for Assessing Management Policy Alternatives at Georgia State Parks

J. Wyatt Cothran<sup>1</sup>, Lincoln R. Larson<sup>2</sup>, Jason W. Whiting<sup>1</sup>, J. M. Bowker<sup>3</sup> and Gary T. Green<sup>1</sup> (<sup>1</sup>University of Georgia, <sup>2</sup>Cornell University, <sup>3</sup>USDA Forest Service)

#### Public Perceptions of Wild Birds and Bird Feeding Activity

Shannon E. Curry, Sonia M. Hernandez and Gary T. Green (University of Georgia)

## Impacts of a LEED-certified Building and Environmental Education Programming in Residence Halls

Jane B. Diener and Gary T. Green (University of Georgia)

#### Off the Deep End: Fishing in a Swimming Pool

Jessica Finnerty (Middle Tennessee State University)

#### Effects of an Art-based Environmental Education (EE) Program on Children's Drawings

Ami Flowers, Gary T. Green and John P. Carroll (University of Georgia)

#### Confidence Levels Performing Leave No Trace Principles Following Outdoor Education vs. Traditional **Education Methods**

Bryan Hoffman, Nina Kallmeyer and Sarah Banks (Coastal Carolina University)

#### Demographic and Usage Trends Over Time on a Linear Long-Distance Trail

Carolyn Huntley and Taylor Stein (University of Florida)

#### Fair Trade Tourism - Concepts, Motivations, and Projections

Dongoh "Eric" Joo<sup>1</sup>, Heetae Cho<sup>1</sup> and Hyung-Kil "H.K" Kang<sup>2</sup> (<sup>1</sup>Clemson University, <sup>2</sup>Southern Wesleyan University)

#### Angler Awareness of Conservation Issues Affecting Freshwater Trout

Charles L. Jordan and Gary T. Green (University of Georgia)

#### Trout Angler Awareness of the Hemlock Wooly-Adelgid and its Effect on Trout Habitat and their Preference for Treatment Method

Matthew W. Knull and Neelam C. Poudyal (University of Georgia)

Suitable Site Selection of a Convenience Store in Great Smoky Mountains National Park Yuchen Mao, Duarte B. Morais and Gene Brothers (North Carolina State University)

The Effect of Environment-based Tutoring on the Self-confidence, Self-efficacy, and Environmental Concern of Middle- and High-school Students

Lauren Mullenbach and Gary T. Green (University of Georgia)

GIS Based Approach to Identify and Map High Value Recreation Sites and Hiking Trails Ramesh Paudyal (University of Georgia)

Utilizing Participatory Geographic Information Systems (GIS) to Locate Recreational Hot Spots in the Chattahoochee National Forest's Rock Creek Dispersed Recreation Area

James Rhynold, Gary T. Green and Nathan Nibbelink (University of Georgia)

Endangered Species on Private Lands: Can Money Buy Good Neighbors for Red Cockaded Woodpeckers? Lauren K. Ward and Gary T. Green (University of Georgia)