



# Eastern CANUSA Forest Science Conference

## Call for Papers!

### 9th Bi-Annual Eastern Canada – USA Forest Science Conference

#### ***Balancing Forest Production and Conservation***

**October 18-20th, 2018**

**Wu Conference Centre, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, NB, Canada**

The northeastern United States and eastern Canada share a vital and common link to the northern forest. In addition to strong economic dependence, people of the region derive considerable recreational, aesthetic, and ecological values from this forest. The future of the region clearly relies upon the sustainable management of this highly valued forest resource.

Because of the northern forest's importance, forest managers and researchers from the northeastern states and eastern Canadian provinces are working continuously to find solutions to a wide variety of natural resource problems. Great work is occurring on both sides of the US/Canadian border that would be further enhanced by regular information exchange about issues affecting the northern forest. A forum was needed to promote ongoing discussions and collaborations about the latest forest problems, methods, findings, and technologies.

The ***Eastern CANUSA Forest Science Conference*** was developed to provide a regular venue for communications among forest managers, forest scientists, policy makers, students, natural resource professionals, and others interested in forest resource issues from both sides of the Canadian/US border. Conferences have been held biannually since 2002. Ultimately, this conference is designed to offer researchers and graduate students the opportunity to share their research before an audience of their peers and foster international professional relationships.

We invite all interested researchers and graduate students, to submit presentation proposals on any topic related to the theme of ECANUSA 2018. The selection committee will accept submissions outside of this theme as well. As always, ECANUSA is open to all forest science fields, including:

Adaptive Management	Abiotic disturbance	Silviculture
Decision Support Tools	Human dimensions	Managing forested ecosystems
Forest health	Community based forestry	Forest policy and economics
Forest disturbance ecology and dynamics	Family forest owners	Forest ecology and wildlife
	Land use and fragmentation	Mixedwood management

As in past years, the Conference will include a full day of plenary and concurrent oral presentations, a poster session and a field tour. Friday evening will also include a reception, dinner banquet and a keynote speaker.

Please submit an abstract with title, authors, and a 300 word or less description to Dr. David MacLean at [macleand@unb.ca](mailto:macleand@unb.ca) by August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018.