

BWSR Academy 2017 – Concurrent Sessions Schedule

Wednesday November 1	Track 1 Org Capacity	Track 2 Technical	Track 3 Wetlands	Track 4 Program	Track 5 Basics	Track 6 Workshops	Track 7 Repeats	Office Hours TBD
10:00-10:30	Opening Comments							
10:30-12:00	Taking GIS into the Field	Conservation Seed 101	That Line Doesn't Look Right! – Reviewing Wetland Delineations	Do you Buffer?	Conservation Universe: Orientation to the Who, Why, & How of Your Role in MN Conservation <i>Also offered 11/3, 8:30</i>	Composing a Grant Symphony: Hitting the High Notes to Climb Above the Rest <i>Also offered 11/3, 8:30</i>	Happy New Year! Now it's Reporting Season! <i>Also offered 11/3, 8:30</i>	
1:30-3:00	Play Nice in the Sandbox	Shade Tree Conservationists Guide to Water Quality Tools Part 1 of 2	Coordinating WCA & DNR Programs	Landowner Financial & Technical Assistance - Crafting a Cost-Share Confection <i>Also offered 11/2, 2:45</i>	WCA 101	Following the Money Trail Part 1 of 2	Spock vs. Kirk: Logic & Guts of Successful Planning <i>Also offered 11/3, 10:30</i>	
3:30-5:00	Three "C's" for Working Together: Communication, Collaboration & Civic Engagement	Shade Tree Conservationists Guide to Water Quality Tools Part 2 of 2	Why is Wetland Banking Such a Pain? Review, Responsibilities, Reforms, & Updates	Surface Water Monitoring – A Little Planning Goes a Long Way	Top-Secret Secrets to Effective Board/Staff Relationships <i>Also offered 11/2, 8:30</i>	Following the Money Trail Part 2 of 2	The Buffer Law: Technically Speaking <i>Also offered 11/2, 2:45</i>	
Thursday November 2	Track 1 Org Capacity	Track 2 Technical	Track 3 Wetlands	Track 4 Program	Track 5 Basics	Track 6 Workshops	Track 7 Repeats	Office Hours
8:30-10:00	So, What is Your Data Practice Policy?	Conservation Planting & Management - Considerations for Success	A Practical Guide to Handling WCA Applications	RIM Conservation Planning	eLINK 101: Wax On, Wax Off <i>Also offered 11/3, 10:30</i>	Soils & Plant Lab Part 1 of 2	Top-Secret Secrets to Effective Board/Staff Relationships <i>Also offered 11/1, 3:30</i>	
10:30-12:00	Maximize Conservation Through Collaboration	Soil is Not a Dirty Word <i>Also offered 11/2, 1:00</i>	"Are You Sure This is Exempt?" - An Examination of Common Exemptions	Spotting & Managing Red Flags in Contracting	Permitting 101 - The How, What, When & Where's of Running a Good Program	Soils & Plant Lab Part 2 of 2	RIM/CREP Updates <i>Also offered 11/2, 1:00</i>	
1:00-2:30	Real Time Real Work: Civic Engagement	Partnering on Early Detection of Invasive Plants	Wetland Conservation Act Program & Policy Updates & the Trouble with Assumption	RIM/CREP Updates <i>Also offered 11/2, 10:30</i>	Basic Surveying for Conservation Practice Implementation Part 1 of 2	NRCS Erosion Tools Part 1 of 2	Soil is Not a Dirty Word <i>Also offered 11/2, 10:30</i>	
2:45-4:15	Successful Meetings	The Buffer Law: Technically Speaking <i>Also offered 11/1, 3:30</i>	Wetland Bank Triage – A Toolbox for TEP Members & LGUs	eLINK 201: Becoming an eLINK Ninja	Basic Surveying for Conservation Practice Implementation Part 2 of 2	NRCS Erosion Tools Part 2 of 2	Landowner Financial & Technical Assistance - Crafting a Cost-Share Confection <i>Also offered 11/1, 1:30</i>	
Friday November 3	Track 1 Org Capacity	Track 2 Technical	Track 3 Wetlands	Track 4 Program	Track 5 Basics	Track 6 Workshops	Track 7 Repeats	Office Hours
8:30-10:00	Maximizing Media: Ways to Enhance Your Outreach Efforts	Hitting the Target with BMPs	Groundwater, Wetlands, & Geology: The Invisible Links	Composing a Grant Symphony: Hitting the High Notes to Climb Above the Rest <i>Also offered 11/1, 10:30</i>	Conservation Universe: Orientation to the Who, Why, & How of Your Role in MN Conservation <i>Also offered 11/1, 10:30</i>	The Toolbox for Whole Farm & Forest Planning Part 1 of 2	Happy New Year! Now it's Reporting Season! <i>Also offered 11/1, 10:30</i>	
10:30-12:00	Flipping the Paradigm: From Deficit to Strength	Figuring Out What Drains to My BMP	Groundwater vs. Surface Water: Isn't Water Water?	Spock vs. Kirk: Logic & Guts of Successful Planning <i>Also offered 11/1, 1:30</i>	Money for Nothing & Your Checks for Free	The Toolbox for Whole Farm & Forest Planning Part 2 of 2	eLINK 101: Wax On, Wax Off <i>Also offered 11/2, 8:30</i>	