

WINTER FORUM

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March



CLIMATE CHANGE

and the Forests of
Newfoundland and Labrador



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Climate Change is rapidly warming the planet and threatening ecosystems everywhere. Forest managers are becoming increasingly concerned that our forests could be altered in new and significant ways. Join us on March 15th as we explore the expected impacts of climate change in the province, discuss the operational changes being considered, and provide an overview of the research initiatives being conducted.

Location: Auditorium | College of the North Atlantic
141 O'Connell Drive | Corner Brook

Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2016

Time: 8:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

To Register: <http://goo.gl/forms/mJV5wGWGse>



Admission:
CIF/RPF Members: Free
Non-members: \$5 Donation in support of Forest without Borders

CCP Credits: 2.5 - Category 1

AGENDA

8:45 a.m.	Morning Coffee
9:00 a.m.	Opening Remarks Eric Young - CIF-NL, RPFNL
9:15 a.m.	Climate Changes Expected in Newfoundland & Labrador and the Potential Effects on Forest Insects and Disease Dan Lavigne NL Forestry Services
9:45 a.m.	"Managing Hemlock Looper under a Changing Climate" Lucie Royer Natural Resources Canada
10:30 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m.	Climate Change effects on Forest Management Programs A series of short presentations on the anticipated operational effects of climate change on other forest management activities. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Forest Fire Management - Eric Earl NL Forestry Services • Resource Road Construction - TBA • Silviculture - Basil English NL Forestry Services
11:05 a.m.	Climate Change Research Initiatives A quick presentation on key climate change and ecosystem science research projects being conducted in the province. Darrell Harris Natural Resources Canada
11:15 a.m.	Question & Answer Period