## Schedule Overview

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| **EARLY MORNING** 5:30-7:30 AM  | • Registration Open  
• Internet Café Open  
• FT-8 Departs  |  |  |
| **MORNING** 8–11:30 AM  | • FT-1 thru FT-3 Depart  
• FT-6 & FT-7 Depart  
• Registration  
• WK-1 thru WK-3  
MEETINGS:  
- ESA Governing Board  
- SER Governing Board  | • Speaker Ready Rooms Open  
• Equipment Sign In/Sign Out Open  
• Press Room Open  
• FT-9 thru FT-13 Depart  
• WK-4 thru WK-12  
• Presider Training  
MEETINGS:  
- ESA Governing Board  
- SER Governing Board  
- Global Soil Biodiversity Project Meeting  | • FT-14 Departs  
• Opening Plenary, Awards Ceremony, and MacArthur Lecture  
• SS 1 thru 8  |
| **LUNCH** 11:30–1:15 PM  |  | • WK-13 thru WK-16  
MEETINGS:  
- ESA Buell Braun Judges  
- AV Training  | • Lunch Concessions Open  
• Exhibits Open  
• WK-17 & WK-18  
• AV Training  
• Presider Training  
MEETINGS and BROWN BAG LUNCHES:  
- Undergraduate Student Orientation  
- ESA Awards Committee  
- ESA VIP Editors’ Lunch (Invitation Only)  
- ESA SEEDS Chapter Highlights  
- Federal Ecologists BB  |
| **AFTERNOON** 1:30–5 PM  | • FT-4 Departs  
• Opening Plenary Session & Cash Bar Mixer  
MEETINGS:  
- ESA Council Orientation Meeting and Reception  
- Fungal Environmental Sampling & Informatics Networking Forum  | • Presider Training  
• SYMP 1 thru 3  
• OOS 1 thru 6  
• COS 1 thru 19  
• PS 1 thru 20  
• FT-15 Departs  | MEETING and MIXERS:  
- ESA Awards Recipients’ Reception (invitation only)  
- SER Membership Meeting  
- Musicians Central  |
| **EVENING** 6:30-8 PM  |  |  | • SS-16  
MEETING and MIXERS:  
- ESA Aquatic Ecology Section  
- ESA Student Mixer  
- ESA Theoretical Ecology Section  
- ESA Vegetation Section & NA-IAVS  
- Christian Ecologists Mixer  
- Utah State University Ecologists  
- Oikos Drinks Reception  |
| **EVENING SESSIONS** 8-10 PM  |  |  | • SS-10 thru 15 & SS-17  
• An Evening of Music and Ecology  |
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### TUESDAY, AUGUST 7

- Registration Open
- Equipment Sign In/Sign Out Open
- Internet Café Open
- Morning Coffee Break
- Press Room Open
- Speaker Ready Rooms Open
- Student Lounge Open
- FT-16 Departs
- Day Care & Camp Opens
- Graduate Students Post Doc
- Bagels with NEON Leadership

### MEETINGS:
- ESA Meetings Committee
- Frontiers in Ecology Editorial Board
- ESA Mid-Atlantic Chapter
- ESA Western Chapter
- ESA Rocky Mountain Chapter
- ESA Professional Certification Board
- ESA MacArthur Award
- NPER Mtg

### SYMP 4 thru 6
- OOS-7 thru OOS-13
- COS-20 thru OOS-38

### LUNCHES
- Lunch Concessions Open
- Exhibits Open
- WK-19 & WK-20

### MEETINGS & BROWN BAG LUNCHES:
- ESA Public Affairs Committee
- ESA Agroecology Section BB
- ESA Past President's Forum
- ESA Student Section Pizza Business Meeting
- ESA Long-term Studies Section
- ESA Urban Ecosystem Ecology Section
- SER Chapter Caucus Meeting
- Ecosystem Editorial Board Meeting
- No Child Left Indoors Discussion
- Cooperative Sagebrush Initiative

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8

- Fun Run
- Registration Open
- Equipment Sign In/Sign Out Open
- Internet Café Open
- Morning Coffee Break
- Press Room Open
- Speaker Ready Rooms Open
- Student Lounge Open
- FT-17 Departs

### MEETINGS:
- ESA Publications Committee
- ESA Meetings Committee

### SYMP 10 thru 12
- OOS-21 thru OOS-27
- COS-59 thru 78

### LUNCHES
- Lunch Concessions Open
- Exhibits Open
- Presider Training
- WK-21 thru WK-24

### MEETINGS & BROWN BAG LUNCHES:
- ESA Rapid Response Team Luncheon
- ESA Paleoecology Section BB
- ESA Southeastern Chapter
- ESA Microbial Ecology Section Mtg
- ESA Science Committee
- ESA GLBT BB
- Ecologists from Undergraduate Institutions BB
- Putting your scientific skills to use for the public interest and environmental protection

### SYMP 7 thru 9
- OOS-14 thru OOS-20
- COS-39-COS-58
- PS 21 thru 39
- Ecology Letters Editorial Mtg
- Afternoon Coffee Break
- Musicians Central

### MEETINGS & MIXERS:
- Ecological Applications Editorial Board
- ESA Education Section
- ESA Donor Reception
- ESA Physiological Ecology Section
- ESA Soil Ecology Section
- ESA Statistical Ecology Section
- ESA Traditional Ecologist Knowledge Section
- SER Reception & Awards Banquet
- USGS Staff Mixer
- University of Michigan School of Natural Resources and Environment Department of Ecology Biology Alumni and Friends Mixer
- University of Georgia Ecology Reception
- Brown University Environmental Change Initiative Mixer
- Organization for Tropical Studies Reception
- Ecology Letters Drink Reception (invitation only)
- Oecologia Editorial Board Dinner

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 9

- Registration Open
- Equipment Sign In/Sign Out Open
- Internet Café Open
- Morning Coffee Break
- Press Room Open
- Speaker Ready Rooms Open
- Student Lounge Open
- Day Care & Camp Open

### MEETINGS:
- ESA Historical Records Committee
- ESA Vegetation Classification Panel

### SYMP 19 thru 21
- OOS-46 thru OOS-51
- COS 141 thru 163
- Late Beraking and Newsworthy Posters

### MEETINGS & BROWN BAG LUNCHES:
- ESA Governing Board

### SYMP 22 thru 24
- OOS-28 thru OOS-34
- COS-79 thru COS-98
- PS 40 thru 55
- Afternoon Coffee Break
- Musicians Central

### MEETINGS & MIXERS:
- ESA Canada Mixer
- ESA Diversity Mixer
- ESA Biogeosciences Section
- ESA Mexican Chapter
- ESA Plant Population Biology Mixer
- Restoration Ecology Editorial Board Mtg
- Colorado State University Ecologists Mixer
- Yale School of Forestry & Environment Mixer
- UC Davis Ecology Mixer
- BES Reception (invitation only)

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 10

- Registration Open
- Equipment Sign In/Sign Out Open
- Internet Café Open
- Morning Coffee Break
- Press Room Open
- Speaker Ready Rooms Open
- Student Lounge Open
- Day Care Opens (No Camp today)

### MEETINGS:
- ESA Governing Board

### SYMP 25 thru 26
- OOS-4 thru OOS-45
- SYMP 13 thru 15
- WK-25 & WK-26

### MEETINGS & BROWN BAG LUNCHES:
- ESA Diversity Lunch
- Issues in Ecology Editorial Board Mtg
- ESA BB: Guided Tour of EcoEd.net
- Wisconsin Ecologists BB

### SYMP 27 thru 30
- OOS-8 thru OOS-34
- COS-120 thru COS-140
- PS 56 thru 71
- Afternoon Coffee Break
- Musicians Central

### MEETINGS & MIXERS:
- ESA Bruan Student Award Committee

### SYMP 31 thru 34
- OOS-36 thru OOS-39
- COS-99 thru COS-119

### MEETINGS:
- ESA Closing Lunch
- Musicians Central

### SYMP 35 thru 38
- OOS-40 thru OOS-45
- COS-120 thru COS-140
- PS 56 thru 71
- Afternoon Coffee Break
- Musicians Central

### MEETINGS & MIXERS:
- ESA/SER Fiesta Fling

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 11

- ESA Closing Lunch
- Musicians Central