



# NATURAL CHANNELS 2016

Linking Processes to Practice

## **We invite you to participate in the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Natural Channels Systems**

September 26 and 27, 2016 at the Marriott Gateway on the Falls, Niagara Falls, Ontario

The Natural Channels Conference is intended to explore the science and application of Natural Channel and stream corridor rehabilitation. Our understanding of the importance, complexity, and interconnectedness of watercourses, and their relationship with biological and ecological processes continues to evolve, leading to a growing emphasis on protecting Canada's green infrastructure. The conference is part of a continuum of learning and advancement of the science and practice of channel rehabilitation in Ontario. This began in Ontario in the early 1990s and evolving in the USA, UK, Europe, Australia and elsewhere over the last 25-30 years. It seeks to further explore innovations in science in an effort to better understand the importance of streams and their corridors to the health of watersheds.

### **Network, Build Relationships,**

### **Share Information and Promote your Product or Service**

This event couldn't happen without the support of partners and exhibitors and we would love for you to become involved. The conference format includes a pre-conference ice-breaker evening reception, two full days of concurrent sessions, panels and workshops, international keynote speakers, a poster session, a living lab, and an exhibit hall. We will hear from practitioners, scientists, academics, and policy makers who can share their knowledge and innovation in order to deliver new ideas and approaches to problem solving.

The following page provides information on sponsorship and exhibiting opportunities. Have a look – no matter what your budget is, there is always a way to promote your organization to the many delegates, speakers and exhibitors and display your organization's commitment to a sustainable future. I hope you will consider the 5<sup>th</sup> International Natural Channel Systems Conference for these opportunities.

If you have any questions, or are interested in learning more, give me a call or send me an email and I will be happy to help.

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## Sponsorship and Exhibitor Packages

ALL sponsorship packages are recognized on Conference signage, on-line and printed program, website, sponsor slide show during lunch and breaks, and post-conference proceedings. In addition:

RIVER Sponsors are provided with 2 complimentary registrations and a complimentary exhibit booth

STREAM Sponsors are provided with 1 complimentary registration and a complimentary exhibit booth

ALL SPECIAL EVENTS Sponsors are acknowledged on dedicated signage and tabletops during the specific sponsored event

Note: Cast-a-Line package includes sponsoring 2 full-time University/College students to attend for the full 2 days, including 2 nights shared accommodation at the Marriot

## Sponsorship and Exhibitor Package Rates

(All Prices are subject to 13% HST)

- River Sponsor Package \$5,000
- Stream Sponsor Package \$2,200
- Creek Sponsor Package \$500

### Special Events Packages:

- Wine & Cheese Reception Package (exclusive) \$2,000
- 1 Day Luncheon Package (2 available) \$1,500
- 1 Refreshment Break Package (4 available) \$1,000
- Cast-a-Line Package (sponsor 2 students) \$1,000

Booths (River & Stream packages only) include:

- standard 8' x 8' area (6' table)
- skirted table, basic hydro, wifi, and chairs (option of exchanging for a pub style table)
- black draping along the back wall of each booth (but does not delineate between booth)

Please specify any special requirements, and we will contact you to discuss and advise on any additional costs.

## Next Step:

Please complete the registration form and submit payment