



January 2020 SER-Rocky Mountain Chapter Member Newsletter

Call For CER-RM Board Nominations!

Open now through March 20, 2020

It's that time of year again! The SER-Rocky Mountains Chapter would like to announce our 2020 call for Board of Director and Committee Chair nominations.

We are currently soliciting nominations for **four open positions**: 1) Vice President, 2) Membership Committee Chair, 3) Scientific Meeting Committee Chair, and 4) Communications Committee Chair.

Please consider nominating yourself or a fellow member for one of these important positions—yes, you may nominate yourself and are encouraged to do so! We need to assemble a slate of candidates before Friday, March 20th and hold an election by email the first week of April. If you have questions, feel free to contact any of the current SER-RM Board of Directors for more info about [duties and responsibilities](#). Please send nominations to Megan Bowes ([bowesm at bouldercolorado.gov](mailto:bowesm@bouldercolorado.gov)).

CSU SER Student Chapter Reminder

Restoration Professionals:

Your friendly CSU students are looking for professionals willing to connect with the SER student chapter

We are hoping to help our members gain experience and connections to professionals in the restoration/related field

A friendly reminder to keep the student chapter in mind with any volunteer opportunities

Please email csuserclub@gmail.com to express interest!

Come connect with the student chapter!

Pictured: First annual Waverly Dayz 2019

Colorado Plateau Native Plant Program

2020 Annual Meeting

February 25 - 27, 2020, Vernal, UT



Anyone involved or interested in native plant materials development and/or use in reclamation and restoration is invited to attend. Proposals and abstracts for oral and poster presentations, sessions, breakouts or working groups are currently being accepted.

For more information, visit the meeting website:
<http://www.landscape.org/CPNPP/meetings/AnnualMeeting2020/>

Breakout sessions will include:

- Reclamation & Restoration Drive the Demand
- Sources Available; Sources Needed

- Seed Suppliers: How They Work, Who They Sell To, What they Want
 - Seed Certification and Seed Testing: What You Need to Know
 - Seed Purchasing: Who, What, Where Why.... Tracking and Did it Work?
 - New Seed Source Development: Old School, Genetics, Traits, Common Gardens and Combinations
 - Optional Well Pad Reclamation and Research field trip
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Southwest Ecological Restoration Institutes Cross-Boundary Landscape Restoration Workshop

March 2–4, 2020, Albuquerque, New Mexico

SWERI Workshop

The 2020 Cross-Boundary Landscape Restoration Workshop will bring together land and fire managers, researchers and stakeholders to develop strategies that apply evidence-based collaborative management of forest landscapes in the Intermountain West. The Southwest Ecological Restoration Institutes (SWERI) invite partners to share lessons learned from your engagement in local, regional, and national collaborative forest and fire restoration processes on federal and non-federal lands.

Workshop topics and themes:

- Strategies for managing large, fire-adapted landscapes
- Planning and implementation
- Biomass utilization
- Social and economic outcomes
- Monitoring & adaptive management
- Collaboration
- Forest science

Upcoming registration info and workshop agenda at

<https://sweri.eri.nau.edu/cross-boundary-landscape-restoration-workshop/>

SER's North American Continental Conference

Québec RE3 Conference: Reclaim Restore Rewild

June 7th - 11th, 2020, Quebec,
Canada

[Québec RE3 website.](#)



Jointly hosted by the Canadian Land Reclamation Association (CLRA), the Society for Ecological Restoration (SER) and the Society of Wetland Scientists (SWS), the theme of the conference is “From Reclaiming to Restoring and Rewilding”.

Abstracts are being accepted until January 30, 2020. Visit the conference website to register for the conference or submit an abstract: <http://www.re3-quebec2020.org>



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