



# WESTERN SNOW CONFERENCE

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## **Preliminary Agenda**

*November 20, 2024*

92nd Annual Western Snow Conference  
May 19 - 22, 2025

### ***"From Research into Practice"***

Emerson Center for the Arts and Culture  
Bozeman, Montana

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## **Monday, May 19**

9:00 – 3:00 Short Course: (includes lunch)

Please join us for a special needs assessment meeting and presentation by members of NASA's Western Water Applications Office (WWAO).

1:00 – 5:00 Vendors Setup, Poster Paper Setup

3:00 – 5:00 WSC Executive Committee Meeting

5:30 – 7:00 Registration and Hospitality

Please join us for a special hospitality event in the Emerson Ballroom. Refreshments will be served and we will be treated to a special presentation of aerial arts and contemporary dance by the Mountain Air Dance Troupe.

## **Tuesday, May 20**

7:00 – 8:00 Author's Breakfast - Emerson Center

7:00 – 8:30 Conference Registration, Vendor Setup, Poster Setup

## **CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION**

8:30 – 8:40            Opening Remarks and Welcome: Jolyne Lea, WSC General Chair  
& Lucas Zukiewicz, Conference Chair

8:40 - 11:30            **ORAL SESSION I**

11:30 – 1:00            **Lunch (on your own)**

1:00 - 2:20            **ORALSESSION II**

2:20 – 2:50            **Break**

2:50 – 3:10            **Vendor Introductions**

3:10 – 3:30            **Lightning Talks (Poster Introductions)**

3:30 – 5:30            **Posters and Vendor Displays**

7:30 - 9:00            **Performance: "A No-Winters Night"**

Please join us in the Emerson Ballroom for a special performance by the local Shakespeare Troupe of a modern interpretation of a classic Shakespeare play.

## **Wednesday, May 21**

9:00 - 11:15            **ORALSESSION III**

10:00 - 3:00            **Guest Tour**

11:15 – 1:00            **Lunch (on your own)**

1:00 – 4:00            **ORALSESSION IV**

4:00 – 4:30            **Western Snow Conference Annual Business Meeting**  
(All Attendees)

## **CONFERENCE BANQUET & AWARDS**

6:00 – 7:00            Hospitality  
7:00 – 9:00            Banquet and Awards

## **Thursday, May 22**

9:00 – 5:00            **Technical Tour**

Please join us for an informative "Follow the Water" technical tour of the agricultural and municipal water infrastructure in Bozeman, MT. The tour will start in the headwaters of a snowmelt-dominated local watershed, continuing "downstream" to learn about local water delivery systems and water usage challenges – both current and future.