



# 2012 Alaska Fire Science Workshop

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The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Alaska Fire Science Workshop will be held at the BLM – Alaska Fire Service on October 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> (directions and access instructions on back). The workshop will begin immediately after the Interagency Fall Fire Review and everyone is welcomed to attend.

For **remote access**, call 800-893-8850 and enter pin #6274767. Presentations and other additional resources will be accessible at: [www.frames.gov/afsc/2012workshop](http://www.frames.gov/afsc/2012workshop)

## Day 1: Thursday, October 11th

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1445-1450	Welcome & Introductions	Sarah Trainor
1450-1540	Decision Support Toolbox: How to Make the Most of the Tools Available to You	Marsha Henderson
1540-1555	BREAK	
1555-1625	Alaska Fuel Moisture Sampling: What's the Trend?	Jennifer Barnes Eric Miller
1625-1630	Wrap Up	Sarah Trainor

## Day 2: Friday, October 12th

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0830-0835	Welcome & Introductions	Sarah Trainor
0835-0850	AWFCG Research Committee	Lisa Saperstein
0850-0900	Identifying Priority Management Information Needs in the Northwestern Interior Forest: NWIF LCC Update	Amanda Robertson
0900-0925	Fire Effects on Seedling Establishment Success across Treeline: Implications for Future Tree Migration and Flammability in a Changing Climate	Rebecca Hewitt
0925-0945	BREAK	
0945-1025	Atmospheric Dispersion of Alaska Wildfire Pollutants as Predicted by the WRF-Chem Model and Observations	Martin Stuefer

1025-1050	Natural Disturbance in Alaska: Implications for Wildfire and Property Values on the Kenai Peninsula	Winslow Hansen
1050-1110	BREAK	
1110-1130	Northern Spruce Engraver Beetle Management: Beetle Responses to Slash and Fire	Jim Kruse
1130-1150	The Art of Fire Exhibit (Bear Galley & Community Art Show)	Sarah Trainor
1150-1200	Evaluation and Wrap Up	Sarah Trainor

## Workshop Directions and Access Instructions

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The workshop will be held at the BLM - Alaska Fire Service Main Office at 1541 Gaffney Road, Fort Wainwright. Enter the main office and follow the signs to the Training Rooms on the second floor.

### ***Address:***

Bureau of Land Management – Alaska Fire Service  
 1541 Gaffney Road  
 Fort Wainwright, AK 99706

### Map Location

### ***Post Access:***

Workshop attendees that do not have a military or DOI identification card will need to obtain a pass from the Visitor's Center. The Visitor's Center is located at the main gate (Airport Road and Steese Highway intersection). You must provide your driver's license (and id's for all passengers), vehicle registration, and proof of insurance.

### ***Foreign Visitors:***

If you are ***NOT*** a US citizen and would like to attend this workshop, please contact us ***IMMEDIATELY***. Fort Wainwright is a military installation and has a separate foreign visitor policy. Workshop attendance can be accommodated but we ***MUST*** have advanced notice.

***Questions?*** Contact Jennifer Northway, Consortium Coordinator, at 907-474-6964 or at [jennifer.northway@alaska.edu](mailto:jennifer.northway@alaska.edu).