



# MEETING REGISTRATION FORM

Ecological Society of America (ESA) 99th Annual Meeting & Exposition  
Sacramento Convention Center • Sacramento, California • August 10–15, 2014

**Please read all of the instructions below carefully BEFORE completing this form.**

Your completed form may be faxed to ESA Headquarters at (202) 833-8775, scanned and sent as an email message attachment to [registrar@esa.org](mailto:registrar@esa.org), or mailed to 1990 M Street, NW, Suite 700, Washington, DC 20036 USA. Full payment for fees due MUST accompany your Meeting Registration Form. All fees are quoted in US Dollars. If you register using the Print Version of the form, your payment may be by business check, personal check, travelers' check, money order, or credit card. (Credit card payments will not be processed unless the expiration date is provided.) Payments must be made in US Dollars and checks must be payable to the Ecological Society of America. ESA accepts credit card payments by MasterCard or VISA ONLY. ESA does NOT accept American Express, Discover, or Diners Club. ESA also does NOT accept purchase orders. The ESA Federal ID number is 37-0913411.

Requests for full-week registration must be received or postmarked no later than 5 PM Eastern Daylight Time on the specified deadlines or the next higher fee will apply. One-Day Registration fees are the same regardless of date of registration. Due to the heavy volume of forms usually received before each deadline, we strongly recommend that you allow no fewer than 10 business days prior the start of the ESA 99th Annual Meeting for processing and confirmation of your meeting registration. Meeting Registration Forms received less than 10 business days in advance of the meeting may be held for processing onsite and the registrant's meeting materials may not be available for pick up at the Advance Registration Desk.

All sections of the Meeting Registration Form marked with an asterisk (\*) MUST be filled out completely. Please do NOT submit more than one Meeting Registration Form as duplicate charges may result. If you later wish to add Field Trip, Workshop, Ticketed Event, and/or Guest Registration, please complete and return a Supplemental Registration Form, which is available in PDF format on the ESA website. (See links at [www.esa.org/am/meeting-registration-forms](http://www.esa.org/am/meeting-registration-forms).)

Complete Section C on *this form* and pay the \$45.00 Guest Fee to register an adult (i.e., person age 18 or older) who will accompany you as a guest at the ESA 99th Annual Meeting. This will provide him/her with LIMITED access to meeting programs and amenities. For details, visit [www.esa.org/am/registration/registration-fees](http://www.esa.org/am/registration/registration-fees). If an adult will accompany you at the meeting and he/she wishes to attend the full scientific program, he/she MUST complete a *separate Meeting Registration Form* and pay applicable fees to register independently. You may register each child or youth (infant through 17 years of age) who will accompany you at the meeting at no charge. (See Section D.) Registered children and youths are entitled to the same LIMITED access to meeting programs and amenities as registered adult guests.

ESA reserves the right to cancel any activity for which the minimum enrollment is not reached and will post updates on filled or canceled activities on the Annual Meeting page of the ESA website as Annual Meeting Alerts. (See [www.esa.org/sacramento](http://www.esa.org/sacramento).)

Because cancellation decisions will be made in mid-June, we urge you to register for optional Field Trips and/or Workshops (see Sections F and G) no later than Thursday, June 19, 2014. You are responsible for reading and adhering to the provisos outlined in information posted about these activities on the ESA website. Also, with many Field Trips and Workshops occurring concurrently – either on the same days or during overlapping time slots – please be sure not to register for more than one activity during any given time slot.

To register as a member of the media (with press credentials) or a pre-approved VIP guest, please provide your contact information either via email to Liza Lester, ESA Communications Officer ([llester@esa.org](mailto:llester@esa.org)), or Tricia Crocker, ESA Registrar ([tricia@esa.org](mailto:tricia@esa.org)), respectively, or by telephone at 202-833-8773. Members of the media, exhibitors, and/or VIP guests who wish to request Field Trip, Workshop, Ticketed Event, and/or Guest Registration should complete and return a Supplemental Registration Form, which is available in PDF format on the ESA website. (See links at [www.esa.org/am/meeting-registration-forms](http://www.esa.org/am/meeting-registration-forms).)

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## **\*Section A. Contact Information \* = Required Information**

**(You MUST complete this Section.)**

\*Last Name (Family Name): \_\_\_\_\_

\*First Name (Forename): \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Mailing Address for Meeting Information: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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\*City, State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Country: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Daytime Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide the name and phone number of an emergency contact.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Section B. Registration Rates & Fees**  
(You MUST complete this Section.) *PLEASE NOTE:* All fees are quoted in US Dollars.  
**FULL-WEEK REGISTRATION FEES** Please check the box beside the applicable fee.

RATE CATEGORY	EARLY BIRD FEE	REGULAR FEE	ONSITE FEE
	June 19	June 20 - July 24	July 24
ESA Regular Member (*)	\$330 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$385 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$410 <input type="checkbox"/>
ESA Student (* and **) or Emeritus Member	\$165 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$175 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$195 <input type="checkbox"/>
Regular Non-Member	\$475 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$540 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$575 <input type="checkbox"/>
Student Non-Member (***)	\$210 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$235 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$265 <input type="checkbox"/>
K-12/Pre-College Educator	\$210 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$235 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$265 <input type="checkbox"/>
Developing Country Member (****)	\$155 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$175 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$195 <input type="checkbox"/>

**ONE-DAY REGISTRATION FEES** Please check the box beside the applicable fee(s).

RATE CATEGORY	Per Day Fee Monday, August 11, thru Thursday, August 14	Per Day Fee Saturday, August 9, Sunday, August 10, and Friday, August 15
ESA Regular Member (*)	\$200 per day <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 55 <input type="checkbox"/>
ESA Student(* and **) or Emeritus Member	\$ 95 per day <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 55 <input type="checkbox"/>
Regular Non-Member	\$275 per day <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 75 <input type="checkbox"/>
Student Non-Member (***)	\$155 per day <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 75 <input type="checkbox"/>
K-12/Pre-College Educator	\$155 per day <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 75 <input type="checkbox"/>
Developing Country Member (****)	\$ 80 per day <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 55 <input type="checkbox"/>

Please specify the day(s) on which you plan to attend. \_\_\_\_\_

\*To qualify for the Regular or Student ESA Member Rate, you MUST be a current member of the Ecological Society of America.

\*\*To qualify for the Student Member Rate, you do NOT need to provide a copy of your valid student identification card.

\*\*\*To qualify for the Student Non-Member Rate, you MUST provide a copy of your valid student identification card with this Meeting Registration Form. Those who register onsite will be required to show a valid student identification card in order to receive the Student Non-Member rate.

\*\*\*\*To qualify for Developing Country Member Rate, you must be a member of ESA and reside in a country listed on the World Bank list of development countries. To access the list, go to [www.esa.org/sacramento/reghousing.php](http://www.esa.org/sacramento/reghousing.php).

To apply for ESA membership, please visit the Member Services section of the ESA website ([www.esa.org](http://www.esa.org)).

**INDIVIDUAL EVENT REGISTRATION FEES**

If you will participate in only one Workshop, Field Trip, Evening Session, or Ticketed Event, you may pay an Individual Event Registration Fee of \$65 plus any applicable event fee in exchange for access to only that event. To participate in a single Symposium or Oral, Organized Oral, Poster, Organized Poster, or Special Session you must request One-Day Registration for the day of the activity you will attend. To request Individual Event Registration, please check the box below and indicate which activity you will attend.

Workshop, Field Trip, Evening Session, or Ticketed Event Title	Assess Individual Event Registration Fee
	\$ 65 <input type="checkbox"/>

**Section C. Adult Guest Registration**

To request Adult Guest Registration, indicate the name of each adult guest age 18 or older accompanying you at the ESA 99th Annual Meeting. Registered adult guests may participate in Field Trips and/or Ticketed Events with payment of the \$45 Guest Fee and any applicable activity fee(s).

Name	Assess Guest Fee
_____	\$45 <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	\$45 <input type="checkbox"/>

**Section D. Child/Youth Guest Registration**

To request Child/Youth Guest Registration, please indicate the name of each child or youth (infant through 17 years of age) accompanying you at the ESA 99th Annual Meeting. Registered children and youths may participate in Field Trips and/or Ticketed Events – except where otherwise noted – with payment of the applicable activity fee(s). No \$45 Guest Fee payment is required.

Name	Age
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**Section E. Special Requests**

If you prefer vegetarian meals, please check here. ☐

If you require assistance under the Americans with Disabilities Act, please check here. ☐

Please provide a brief description of special services or accommodations you require.

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Undergraduate or graduate students may apply to serve as Student Volunteers at the ESA 99th Annual Meeting. Each will be expected to provide a minimum of 14 hours of service at the meeting in exchange for a meeting registration fee refund after the meeting. Only a limited number will be accepted and slots will be filled on a first-applied, first-notified basis. Applicants who are selected will be notified in early July. To apply to serve as a Student Volunteer, please contact the ESA Student Volunteer Coordinator, at [devintern@esa.org](mailto:devintern@esa.org) no later than Thursday, June 19, 2014.

Section F. Field Trips

PLEASE NOTE: All trips are full- or half-day unless otherwise notes. All depart from and return to the Sacramento Convention Center. All fees are quoted in US Dollars.

CODE	DESCRIPTION	FEE PER PERSON	NO. OF PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL COST
FT-1	North Coast Sustainable Winegrape Vineyards and Wine Tasting Departs Saturday, August 9 at 7 am; Returns 7:30 pm	\$60	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-2	Biodiversity and Agriculture at the Russell Ranch Sustainable Agriculture Facility and the Putah Creek Riparian Reserve Departs Saturday, August 9 at 7:30 am; Returns 12:30 pm	\$37	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-3	Tidal Marsh and Managed Salt Ponds Surrounding San Francisco Bay Departs Saturday, August 9 at 8 am; Returns at 3 pm	\$80	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-4	Tribal Land and Resource Management in the Sacramento Valley-Delta: Fire and Culture Departs Saturday, August 9 at 9 am; Returns at 5 pm	\$57	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-5	McLaughlin Reserve Field Trip - Serpentine Ecology and Mining History Departs Sunday, August 10 at 7 am; Returns at 5:30 pm	\$45	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-6	The Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Exploring the Heart of California Departs Sunday, August 10 at 7:15 am; Returns at 3:30 pm	\$74	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-7	Lake Tahoe: Exploration of Challenges and Solutions to Protect a Gem of the Sierra Nevada Departs Sunday, August 10 at 7:30 am; Returns at 7 pm	\$91	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-8	A Tour of Yolo County Restoration Sites Departs Sunday, August 10 at 8 am; Returns at 6 pm	\$51	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-9	Relictual Native Grass Stands and Automated Animal Tracking in the Inner Coast Range of California Departs Sunday, August 10 at 8:15 am; Returns at 4 pm	\$40	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-10	Urban Bioblitz Along the American River Corridor Departs Sunday, August 10 at 8:30 am; Returns at 3:30 pm	\$53	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-11	Multi-Benefit Riparian Restoration in California's Great Central Valley: The Bear and Feather River Levee Setback Projects Departs Sunday, August 10 at 8:45 am; Returns at 4 pm	\$70	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-12	Indian Grinding Rock State Historic Park, Volcano, California Departs Sunday, August 10 at 9 am; Returns at 5 pm	\$75	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-13	Coastal Ecosystems of Northern California: Oceans, Mountains, Forests, Farms Departs Sunday, August 10 at 9:15 am; Returns at 7 pm	\$111	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-14	Ecological Planning and Design Along the American River Parkway Departs Monday, August 11 at 8 am; Returns at 1:30 pm	\$48	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-15	View Sunset Emergence of a Large Colony of Mexican Freetailed Bats from under the Sacramento I-80 Causeway Departs Tuesday, August 12 at 6:15 pm; Returns at 10 pm	\$54	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-16	Agroecology in Action: Woodleaf Farm, Llano Seco Ranch, and Lundberg Family Farms Tour Departs Wednesday, August 13 at 7 am; Returns at 5 pm	\$68	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-17	Davis Picnic in the Park and Tour of Village Homes Sustainable Development, Davis, CA Departs Wednesday, August 13 at 5:45 pm; Returns at 10 pm	\$26	X ____ =	\$ ____

CODE	DESCRIPTION	FEE PER PERSON	NO. OF PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL COST
FT-18	The 2013 Rim Fire – Forest Management Influencing Fire Ecology (OVERNIGHT) Departs Friday, August 15 at 7 am; Returns Saturday August 16 at 7 pm	\$145	X ____ =	\$ ____
FT-19	Water, Environmental Justice and Science: Exploring Issues and Best Practices for Ecologist and Community Partnerships Departs Friday, August 15 at 11:45 am; Returns at 4:30 pm	FREE	X ____ =	\$ ____

Section G. Workshops

PLEASE NOTE: All fees are quoted in US Dollars.

CODE	DESCRIPTION	FEE PER PERSON	NO. OF PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL COST
WK-1	A Brief Introduction to Bayesian and Hierarchical Bayesian Modeling in Ecology Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-2	Structural Equation Modeling: An Introduction Saturday, August 9, 8 am - 5 pm	\$37	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-3	Community Data Analysis Using the Vegan Package in R Saturday, August 9, 12 pm - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-4	Saturday Night Special! Get the Job: Early-Career Professional Development in Networking, Accessing Hidden Career Opportunities, Managing Your Research Reputation, and Partnering with Mentors Saturday, August 9, 5 pm - 9 pm	\$10	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-5	Lightweight Social Data Curation and Preservation for Sustainability Research: An Introduction to SEAD Services and Tools Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 11:30 am Advance registration is required.	FREE	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-6	Next Generation of Methods and Techniques to Address Global Change Problems Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 11:30 am	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-7	Overcoming Obstacles: Working with Journalists to Get Your Science "Out There" Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 11:30 am	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-8	Environmental Sequencing Approaches and Computational Tools for Ecologists Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-9	Exploring Diverse Career Pathways in Ecology Sunday, August 10, 9 am - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-10	Data Visualization Using R and ggplot Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 11:30 am	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-11	Teach Ecological Concepts Through Data Exploration Using Science Pipes Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 11:30 am	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-12	Structural Equation Modeling: Advanced Techniques Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 5 pm	\$37	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-13	Engaging Elementary and Middle School Students and Teachers with Project Learning Tree Sunday, August 10, 8 am - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____

CODE	DESCRIPTION	FEE PER PERSON	NO. OF PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL COST
WK-14	<b>Demography in a Continuous World: Introduction to Integral Projection Models (IPMs)</b> Sunday, August 10, 12 pm - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-15	<b>Beyond the Written Word: Advancing Ecology Communication Through Multimedia</b> Sunday, August 10, 12 pm - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-16	<b>A Hands-On Primer for Working with Big Data in R: Introduction to Common Formats and Efficient Data Visualization)</b> Sunday, August 10, 12 pm - 5 pm	\$37	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-17	<b>Engaging K-12 Teachers in Authentic Ecology and Education Learning</b> Sunday, August 10, 12 pm - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-18	<b>Tools for Estimating Uncertainty in Ecology</b> Sunday, August 10, 12 pm - 5 pm	\$25	X ____ =	\$ ____
WK-19 – WK-44:	These are offered at no charge and advance registration is not required. Various times	NA	-	-

## Section H: Ticketed Events

**PLEASE NOTE:** All fees are quoted in US Dollars.

CODE	DESCRIPTION	FEE PER PERSON	NO. OF PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL COST
TK-1	<b>Student Mixer</b> Fee includes pizza dinner and one free drink. Monday, August 11, 6:30 pm - 8 pm	\$10	X ____ =	\$ ____
TK-2	<b>Student Mentor/Mentee Breakfast</b> Fee includes bagels and coffee. Tuesday, August 12, 7 am - 8 am	\$5	X ____ =	\$ ____
TK-3	<b>Sunrise 5K Fun Run/Fun Walk</b> Fee includes water and commemorative token. Wednesday, August 13, 5:30 am - 7 am	\$15	X ____ =	\$ ____
TK-4	<b>Diversity Celebration</b> Fee includes dinner and cash bar. Wednesday, August 13, 6:30 pm - 8 pm	\$10	X ____ =	\$ ____
TK-5	<b>Diversity Luncheon</b> Fee includes gazepacho, salad, and fruit tart. Thursday, August 14, 11:30 am - 1:15 pm	\$30	X ____ =	\$ ____
TK-6	<b>Closing Social</b> Fee includes dinner, wine tasting, and one free drink. Thursday, August 14, 7 pm - 9 pm	\$40	X ____ =	\$ ____

## Section I: Real/Brown Student Travel Fund Contribution

We invite you to make a voluntary contribution to the ESA Real/Brown Student Travel Fund, which provides travel grants for students to attend the ESA Annual Meeting. You may select an amount in increments of \$10 from \$10 to \$100. (All amounts are quoted in US Dollars.) Thank you.

☐ \$10   ☐ \$20   ☐ \$30   ☐ \$40   ☐ \$50   ☐ \$60   ☐ \$70   ☐ \$80   ☐ \$90   ☐ \$100

## Section J: Payment Information \* = Required Information (You MUST complete this Section.)

### PLEASE NOTE:

- Credit card payments CANNOT be processed unless the card expiration date is provided.
- A \$25 Processing Fee will be assessed for returned checks OR invalid credit cards.
- Requests for refunds will be honored ONLY if received in writing by fax or postmarked no later than July 1, 2014.
- All refunds will be issued AFTER the meeting by October 1, 2014, and are assessed a \$25 Processing Fee.

### CHARGES

<b>Section B:</b>	Registration Fees	Subtotal	\$ ____
<b>Section C:</b>	Adult Guest Registration Fees	Subtotal	\$ ____
<b>Section F:</b>	Field Trip Fees	Subtotal	\$ ____
<b>Section G:</b>	Workshop Fees	Subtotal	\$ ____
<b>Section H:</b>	Ticketed Event Fees	Subtotal	\$ ____
<b>Section I:</b>	Real/Brown Student Travel Fund Contribution	Subtotal	\$ ____
<b>TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT</b>			\$ ____

☐ Check for fees enclosed (Check number \_\_\_\_ ) **OR**

\*Card Type: ☐ MasterCard or ☐ VISA

\*Name as it appears on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Check here to authorize ESA to use the above for charges related to the ESA 99th Annual Meeting. ☐

Once received, your Meeting Registration Form and payment will be processed by ESA. This can take 10 to 14 business days. Once processing is completed, a Confirmation Notice will be sent to you. If you do not receive a Confirmation Notice within 30 days, please contact Tricia Crocker at ESA (by phone at 202-833-8773 or by email at [tricia@esa.org](mailto:tricia@esa.org)). We appreciate your patience.