

**FOUR RIVERS WATERSHED  
SUSTAINABILITY SUMMIT**



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Wednesday, April 3, 2019

Small Ballroom, Curris Center

8:00 *Coffee, fruit, pastries, presentation loading, and poster hanging*

BOTTOMLAND HARDWOOD RESTORATION IN  
WESTERN KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FLOODPLAINS:  
HISTORY, MANAGEMENT, AND SCIENCE

Session Chair:

Dr. Howard Whiteman, WSI Director

8:55 – 11:45 AM

8:55 Dr. Howard Whiteman – Murray State University

*Welcome and Introduction*

- 9:00 Donna Gilland – National Resources Conservation  
Service  
*The WRP Program in Western Kentucky and Tennessee*
- 9:30 Shelly Morris – The Nature Conservancy  
*Wetland Conservation in Western Kentucky*
- 10:00 Dr. Michael Flinn – Murray State University  
*Quantifying Restoration Success of the Wetland  
Reserve Program in Western Kentucky*
- 10:30 Dr. Justin Murdock – Tennessee Tech University  
*Assessing Nutrient Retention Within Wetlands Reserve  
Program Easements in Kentucky and Tennessee*
- 11:00 *Panel Discussion – The Future of WRP*  
  
The speakers will be joined by Jacob Goodman,  
representing the Goodman family, WRP landowners.
- 11:45 Break for Lunch
- 12:00 Luncheon for all speakers, panelists, and RSVP  
dignitaries in the Curris Center Stables  
*Generously supported by Estron Chemical*
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- 1:00 *Reconvene—coffee and presentation loading*

FROM MITIGATION TO ERADICATION:  
CAN THE ASIAN CARP INVASION BE RESOLVED SUSTAINABLY?

Session Chair:

Dr. Fred Allen, Sustainability Advocate and Technical Director,  
Estron Chemical

1:25 – 3:00 P.M.

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*Welcome and Introduction*

1:30 Jessica Morris – Kentucky Department of Fish and  
Wildlife Resources

*Asian Carp: KDFWR Research and Removal Efforts in  
Western Kentucky*

2:00 Dr. Timothy Spier - Murray State University

*Asian Carp Movement Patterns in Kentucky Lake and  
Lake Barkley*

2:30 Wade White, Lyon County Judge Executive

*The War on Carp Coalition*

3:00 Dr. Lining He – Technical Consultant, Two Rivers  
Fisheries

*Asian Carp: Turning Peril into Prosperity by Reducing,  
Reusing, and Redefining Invasive Fish*

3:30 *Panel Discussion – Asian Carp Consumption and Utilization*

The speakers will be joined by Angie Yu, President, Two Rivers Fisheries.

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4:15 *Student Poster Presentations*  
*(Refreshments and snacks will be served)*

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