

AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

# 2020 Annual Meeting of the

# Western Division

# hosted by

# the WA-BC Chapter

April 12 - 16, 2020

Pinnacle Harbourfront Hotel, Vancouver, BC

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Western Division and Washington-British Columbia Chapter of the American Fisheries Society invite you to submit your presentation and poster abstracts for the 2020 Annual General Meeting to be held in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada April 12 - 16. The theme this year will be **“Crossing Boundaries and Navigating Intersections”**.

Those who wish to present in symposia, contributed papers or poster sessions are required to submit abstracts by **February 12, 2020**.

Students wishing to compete for the Best Student Paper Award MUST select “Student Symposium” when submitting abstracts. Note that student oral presentations outside this symposium will not be eligible for the award. To compete for the Best Student Poster Award, students must select “Poster Session” and check the box “Yes” when asked if you wish to compete for the award.

We have organized a variety of exciting symposia for the meeting! (<https://wa-bc.fisheries.org/2020-meeting/program/symposia>) Abstracts to be considered for the symposia, contributed papers and poster sessions may be submitted at <http://wa-bc.fisheries.org/2020-meeting/abstract-submission/>.

Confirmation of acceptance or refusal of abstracts will be communicated by February 21, 2020.

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AFS does not waive registration fees for presenters at symposia or contributed papers sessions, or workshops. Registration forms will be available on the meeting website (<http://wa-bc.fisheries.org/2020-meeting/registration/>) in January 2020. Register early for cost savings!