



Our New England Waters: *Real World Watershed
Monitoring and Management Options*
Annual New England Lakes and Watershed Conference
June 9th & 10th, 2017
University of RI, Kingston, Rhode Island

Hosted by

- URI Watershed Watch
- New England Chapter of the North American Lake Management Society, and
- Save The Lakes – Rhode Island's Association for Lakes

Friday, June 9, 2017: Workshops

- Invasive organism ID (plants and animals, G. Knoecklein , NEAR)
- Harmful Algae Blooms – Understanding their ecology and control (K. Wagner, WRS)
- Shoreland management (R. Hartzel, Geosyntec)
- GIS and web based tools for watershed assessments (G. Bonyng, URI)

Attendees can participate in any 2 workshops.

NECNALMS business meeting – 5:15-6 PM

Dinner at 6:30 PM

Paint Your Lake session (paint and sip) – 7:30-9:30 PM (95 Club on campus for both)

Saturday, June 10, 2017: General Sessions (9 AM – 4 PM)

- Citizen Science – what can volunteers do to help our waters?
- Changing Climate, How might it affect my lake?
- Extended Session- Discussion with different perspectives, and audience questions focused on Herbicides
- In-lake algae control
- Fisheries
- Restoring Lakes
- Extended Session – Cyanobacteria: Ecology, toxicity, tools and tour

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