

# 101<sup>st</sup> MEETING of the NATIONAL SHELLFISHERIES ASSOCIATION

Marriot Savannah Riverfront Hotel, Savannah, Georgia

March 22 - 26, 2009

## SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

TIME	FUNCTION	LOCATION
<b>Sunday -Thursday</b>		
7:30 am – (midnight)	SPEAKER READY ROOM	General MacIntosh
<b>SUNDAY, March 22</b>		
8:00 am – 9:00 pm	EXCOM Breakfast with Hotel Staff	Pulaski
9:00 am – 5:00 pm	EXCOM Meeting	Forsyth
Noon – 1:00 pm	EXCOM Lunch	Mercer
3:00 am – 6:00 pm	Registration	Prefunction Boardroom A
6:30 pm – 9:00 pm	President's Reception	Atrium/Savannah Riverfront
1:00 pm – (midnight)	Poster set-up	Savannah D
<b>MONDAY, March 23</b>		
All Day	Posters on Display	Savannah D
7:00 am – 8:00 am	Student Breakfast Buffet (students only)	Plaza
7:00 am – 8:00 am	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	Prefunction D&E/Savannah D
8:10 am – 9:50 am	Shellfish and the Environment	Savannah C
	Managing <i>Perkinsus</i>	Oglethorpe
	Blue Crab Biology and Fisheries	Savannah E
9:50 am – 10:20 am	MORNING BREAK	
10:20 am – 12:00 pm	Shellfish and the Environment	Savannah C
	Managing <i>Perkinsus</i>	Oglethorpe
	Blue Crab Biology and Fisheries	Savannah E
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)	
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Past Presidents' Luncheon	Mercer
1:30 pm – 3:10 pm	Shellfish and the Environment	Savannah C
	The Threat of Human and Shellfish <i>Vibrios</i>	Oglethorpe
	Crustacean Population Biology and Genetics	Savannah E
3:10 pm – 3:40 pm	AFTERNOON BREAK	
3:40 pm – 5:20 pm	Student Session: Writing Successful Grant Proposals	Savannah C
	The Threat of Human and Shellfish <i>Vibrio</i>	Oglethorpe
	Crustacean Population Biology and Genetics	Savannah E
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm	<b>Low-Country Shrimp Boil</b>	Old Fort Jackson, Savannah

<b>TIME</b>	<b>FUNCTION</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
<b>TUESDAY, March 24</b>		
All Day	POSTERS ON DISPLAY	Savannah D
7:00 am – 8:00 am	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	Prefunction D&E/Savannah D
8:10 am – 9:50 am	Out on the Water: Industry Activities and Perspectives	Savannah C
	Promises and Pitfalls of DNA-based Parasitic Diagnostic Methods	Oglethorpe
	Shellfish Genetics and Genomics I	Savannah E
9:50 am – 10:20 am	MORNING BREAK	
10:20 am – 12:00 pm	Out on the Water: Industry Activities and Perspectives	Savannah C
	Promises and Pitfalls of DNA-based Parasitic Diagnostic Methods	Oglethorpe A&B
	Shellfish Genetics and Genomics I	Savannah E
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)	
1:30 pm – 3:50 pm	Out on the Water: Industry Activities and Perspectives	Savannah C
	Shellfish Quality and Safety	Oglethorpe
	Shellfish Genetics and Genomics I	Savannah E
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	POSTER SESSION	Savannah D
7:00 PM – 11:00 PM	STUDENT ENDOWMENT FUND AUCTION	SAVANNAH A

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TIME	FUNCTION	LOCATION
<b>WEDNESDAY, March 25</b>		
Until 5:00 pm	POSTERS ON DISPLAY	Savannah D
7:00 am – 8:00 am	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	Prefunction D&E/Savannah D
8:10 am – 9:50 am	<i>Mercenaria</i> Biology, Fisheries, and Culture	Savannah C
	Shellfish Archeology	Oglethorpe
	Recent Advances in Shrimp Aquaculture in the United States	Savannah E
9:50 am – 10:20 am	MORNING BREAK	
10:20 am – 12 noon	<i>Mercenaria</i> Biology, Fisheries, and Culture	Savannah C
	Shellfish Archeology	Oglethorpe
	Recent Advances in Shrimp Aquaculture in the United States	Savannah E
12:00 pm – 2:00 pm	NSA BUSINESS LUNCHEON SAVANNAH A	
2:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Shellfish Restoration and Enhancement	Savannah C
	Molluscan Diseases	Oglethorpe
	Crustacean Shell Diseases	Savannah E
<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Posters must be removed by 6 pm</b>	<b>Savannah D</b>

### THURSDAY, March 26

7:00 am – 8:00 am	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	Prefunction D&E/Savannah D
8:10 am – 9:50 am	Invasive and Introduced Species	Savannah C
	Shell Formation	Oglethorpe
	Environmental Influences	Savannah E
	Shellfish Genetics and Genomics II	Savannah D
9:50 am – 10:20 am	MORNING BREAK	
10:20 am – 12:00 pm	Crustacean Health Management	Savannah C
	Crustacean Biology	Oglethorpe
	Environmental Influences	Savannah E
	Molluscan Ecology	Savannah D
<b>12:00 noon</b>	<b>END of NSA 101<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting</b>	