Forestry Innovations—
Thinking Outside the Box,
while Inside the Woods

Far too often foresters get stuck in a rut, doing the same thing the same way, just because we know it works. Today’s theme is innovation. We will present a series of six new ideas, and techniques to help manage Maine forests. Attendees will be exposed to some cutting edge and/or unique methods to get things done.

The innovations are varied and may not apply directly to all foresters and all situations, but it is useful to know what can be accomplished. You never know when you may be faced with logging on an island, thinning with herbicides or working with family forests. By the end of the day you will have some new ideas and renewed energy and enthusiasm for making projects happen.

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October 9, 2012

Wells Conference Center
UMaine Campus
Orono, Maine

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REGISTRATION FORM

Forms and payment must be received by October 2, 2012

SAF Member:  #______  @ $35=______
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Late (received after October 2) and On-site Registration Fee add $10.00. Lunch and registration materials may not be available for all late and on-site registrants.

TOTAL ENCLOSED:  $______

Fee includes registration, snacks and lunch.

Name(s):

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Mail the registration form, with your check made payable to Maine Division, SAF, to:
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AGENDA

7:30 AM  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:00 AM  Maine SAF Business Meeting

9:30 AM  BREAK

PROGRAM

9:50 AM  Program Introduction
Katie Cousins, Chair, Maine SAF

10:00 AM  Innovation in the Northeast Logging Industry, Jeff Benjamin, Assistant Professor, University of Maine

10:45 AM  Efficiently Dealing With Overstocked Regeneration (dog hair) in Forest Stands
Max McCormack, Professor Emeritus, University of Maine; Ron Lemin, Crop Production Systems

11:30 AM  Creation of You Tube Video for Maine Loggers and Foresters---Best Management Practices:
Best
Ez-Bar  Installation
Kevin Doran, Natural Science Educator, Maine Forest Service; Patrick Sirois, Maine SFI

12:15 PM  LUNCH

1:15 PM  Sugar Maple Release
Robert Wagner, CFRU; Ron Lemin, Crop Production Systems

1:45 PM  Kennebec Woodland Partnership
Amanda Mahaffey, Program Consultant; Kenneth Laustsen, Maine Forest Service

2:30 PM  BREAK

3:00 PM  Timber Harvesting On Deer Island in Moosehead Lake—How to Remove Harvested Timber
Bill Jarvis, Consulting Forester

3:45 PM  Panel Presentation and Discussion
David Edson, President/CEO James W. Sewall Co; Peter Triandafillou, Vice President, Huber Resources

4:45 PM  Adjourn
Evaluation and Attendance Certificates

Parking is available in the Dunn Lot (see below). If additional spaces are needed, permits and maps will be available at the registration desk.

Dunn Parking Lot