



CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

**BRBC SCIENCE FORUM
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2015
MOUNT ROYAL UNIVERSITY, EC1050**

The Bow River Basin Council is hosting a full-day Science Forum at **Mount Royal University, in EC1050** (Calgary, Alberta) on **Wednesday, April 15, 2015**.

The purpose of the Forum is to increase awareness of watershed-related research and projects in the Bow River Watershed. We encourage submissions on all research topics of relevance to the Bow basin. Topics of particular interest for the 2015 Science Forum include but are not limited to the following:

- 1. State of the Watershed**
e.g., surface and groundwater quality/quantity, riparian health, biological communities
- 2. Threats to Human Health and Aquatic Ecosystems**
e.g., emerging contaminants, algal blooms, microbial source tracking
- 3. Dealing with Extreme Events – Natural and Man-made**
e.g., flood mitigation, climate change impacts, spills and contamination
- 4. Connecting Science to Action**
e.g., wetlands restoration, best management practices, source water protection

We invite abstract submissions for any of the above topics, and strongly encourage student submissions. Oral presentations are to be approximately 15 minutes in length. Please email your abstract (max. 250 words) with the title and list of authors and affiliations (indicate if student presenter) to Mike Murray at mike.murray@calgary.ca.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: February 13, 2015

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