

Investigation of Near-shore Migration of
Atlantic Salmon in the Gulf of Maine Region
Sponsored by NOAA Fisheries, and Maine Sea Grant

Workshop #1: Freshwater and Estuarine
July 22-23, 2008
Gulf of Maine Research Institute, Portland, Maine

Tuesday, July 22, 2008

- 12:30 – 1:00pm Welcome presentation (John Kocik and Tim Sheehan, NOAA Fisheries)
- 1:00 – 2:45pm Focus Area Panel #1: Freshwater Flows and Temperature Trends
Panelists:
Kevin Friedland (moderator)
Thomas Huntington, USGS
Rob Dudley, USGS
Mark Turner (NWS)
Tom Hawley (NWS)
- 2:45 – 3:00pm Break
- 3:00 – 4:45pm Focus Area Panel #2: Freshwater Quality
Panelists:
Fred Whoriskey (moderator)
Steve McCormick, USGS
Steve Mierzykowski, USF&W
Adria Elskus, USGS
David Courtemanch, Maine DEP
- 4:45 – 5:30pm Discussion and synthesis of hypotheses
- 5:30pm Wrap-up and adjourn (dinner on your own)

Wednesday, July 23, 2008

- 8:00 – 8:30am continental breakfast (provided)
- 8:30 – 10:15am Focus Area Panel #3: Estuarine Dynamics and Water/Sediment Quality
Panelists:
Andrew Pershing (moderator)
Lauren Sahl, MMA
Collin Roesler, Umaine SMS
Peter Larsen, Bigelow Lab

10:15 – 10:30am Break

10:30am –12:15pm Focus Area Panel #4: Predator-Prey Interactions
Panelists:
 Jason Stockwell (moderator)
 Adam Vashon, USDA APHIS
 Karen Wilson, USM
 Martha Mather, Massachusetts F&W
 Jim Gilbert, Umaine
 Joe Zydlewski, Maine Cooperative F&W Unit
 Jeff Runge, Umaine SMS

12:15 – 1:00pm Lunch (provided)

1:00 – 3:00pm Synthesis and wrap-up