

## **PNWCA WORKSHOP DETAILS**

**Date:** October 1-5, 2018

**Location:** Courtyard Marriott – Corvallis, OR (**Pacific Time Zone**)

**Logistics:** Sessions will run 8am-5pm with a one hour lunch and two breaks on site.

***NOTE: Monday's session: PM only, Friday's session: AM only***

### **WORKSHOP SCHEDULE**

**Monday, October 1: begins @ 2 PM** ~ *iced tea & water provided*

- ❖ Greetings and introductions
- ❖ Orientation to facilities
- ❖ Overview of schedule
- ❖ Handling of meals and other information from CTIC
- ❖ Check of set-up of participant computers as per pre-workshop instructions

**Tuesday & Wednesday, October 2 & 3: begins @ 8 AM**

*~ Coffee, tea & refreshments provided AM each day ~ \*Tuesday's lunch @ hotel (Noon – 1:00 PM) ~ Wednesday's lunch on your own (11:30 AM – 12:30 PM)*

- ❖ Welcome from Alan Thornhill, Director, NHEERL-Western Ecology Division
- ❖ Introduction of the WED NWCA Team
- ❖ Data Preparation, Processing, and QA
- ❖ Extent Estimation and Calculation of Cumulative Distribution Functions (CDFs)
- ❖ Estimating Relative and Attributable Risk
- ❖ Exercise on interpretation of results, including examples of differences in results and conclusions when weights are used and not.

**Thursday, October 4: begins @ 8 AM**

*~ Coffee, tea & refreshments provided AM ~ \*Thursday's lunch @ hotel (Noon – 1:00 PM)*

- ❖ Using R-studio to display results
- ❖ Additional topics (e.g., PNWCA example calculation) and/or time for trainees to practice the analysis process

**Friday, October 5: begins @ 8 AM**

*~ Coffee, tea & refreshments provided AM*

- ❖ Unfinished topics, recap, and questions
- ❖ Discussion with participants on their evaluation of workshop and webinars

*~ Adjourn by noon ~*

***\*Note: If you are a federal or EPA employee, you will need to pay \$10.00 by cash or check (made payable to CTIC) for your lunches on Tuesday and Thursday. Mike Smith with CTIC will be collecting money from you on Tuesday and Thursday mornings.***

***Reminder: Wednesday's lunch is on your own (11:30 AM- 12:30 PM)***