



Informal Talk and Roundtable Discussion with Jeff Hutchings

Tuesday, October 13th, 2009 from 12:30 to 2:00 pm

Genesis Boardroom, INCO Innovation Centre, Room 3001

(organized for CURRA researchers, students, interns and community partners)

Dr. Hutchings will hold a roundtable discussion on key points of his research and work with the Committee on the Status of Endangered Wildlife in Canada (COSEWIC). His research and teachings have focused on the collapse, recovery and sustainable harvesting of marine fishes; interactions between wild and farmed Atlantic salmon; population consequences of fisheries-induced evolution; and the biodiversity of Arctic and sub-Arctic fishes.



Dr. Hutchings is a Professor of Biology and the Canada Research Chair in Marine Conservation and Biodiversity at Dalhousie University. He is Chair of the Committee on the Status of Endangered Wildlife in Canada (COSEWIC) - the national science advisory body responsible for advising the federal Minister of the Environment on the status of species at risk in Canada (cosewic.gc.ca). His research centres on questions pertaining to the life history evolution, behavioural ecology, population dynamics, and conservation biology of marine and anadromous fishes, particularly Atlantic cod (*Gadus morhua*), Atlantic salmon (*Salmo salar*), and brook trout (*Salvelinus fontinalis*).

Refreshments will be served.

Please confirm attendance for the talk and roundtable discussion with Jennifer Dawe (jennifer.dawe@mun.ca) or 737-3499

(Dr. Hutchings will be delivering the Canada Ocean Lecture on October 13th, 10:00 a.m. to Noon at Hampton Hall, Marine Institute. CURRA team members are encouraged to attend this lecture).

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