Manatee Research Symposium

13 November 2018









Agenda

10:00	Welcome	Iske Larkin, University of Florida
10:10	The do's and don'ts of manatee blood handling and processing	Laurie Adler & Nicole Stacy, University of Florida
10:30	A comparative structural analysis of spermatozoa from three evolutionarily-related species: The manatee, elephant, and hyrax	Jonathan Cowart, University of Florida
10:50	Florida manatee earbone aging: A review of techniques and analyses	Gina Lonati, FWC
11:10	Skin temperature pattern in Florida manatees	Nicola Erdsack, Mote Marine Laboratory
11:30	Florida manatee behavioral response to boats	Athena Rycyk, New College of Florida
11:50	Florida manatee exposure to glyphosate	Maite De María Mulet, University of Florida
12:10	Lunch	
1:15	An update on 2018 red tide	FWC
1:30	Assessing lake trophic state models in predicting submerged aquatic vegetation and its implications for manatee conservation at Lake Ossa, Littoral, Cameroon	Aristide Takoukam, University of Florida
1:50	It takes a village: The importance of partnerships in a manatee rescue	Amber Lea Kincaid, University of Florida
2:10	Investigation into the pharmacokinetics of Draxxin in manatees undergoing rehabilitation	Lauren Smith, ZooTampa
2:30	Application of drone (Unmanned Aircraft Systems UAS) use for stranding surveillance and improved capture techniques for marine mammals	Michael Walsh, University of Florida
2:50	Manatees in Northwest Florida	James Reid, USGS
3:10	How did manatees evolve? Using next generation genotyping technology to investigate manatee speciation	Breanna Caton, USGS
3:20	Closing Remarks	Iske Larkin, University of Florida