

**Great Salt Lake Wetland Health Workshop**  
**May 12, 2015, 9:00 – 3:00 PM**

**Agenda**

**Meeting Location:**

Layton Auditorium, Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of Utah  
 Layton Auditorium, Meldrum Civil Engineering 1011

**Meeting Objective:**

1. Understand the interactions between geochemical factors, wetland plants and wetland health

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<b>Item No.</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Agenda Item</b>
1	8:15 – 8:30	Welcome
2	8:30 – 9:15	<b><u>Presentation 1:</u></b> Dr. Toby Hooker, Utah Division of Water Quality: Towards the Development of Wetland Water Quality Standards: (1) Integrating Reference Standard Sites into an assessment approach for Great Salt Lake Impounded Wetlands, and (2) Characterizing the Biological Responses of Great Salt Lake Lacustrine Marsh
3	9:15 – 10:00	<b><u>Presentation 2:</u></b> Rebekah Downard, Utah State University: Determining the Impact of Impoundment and Water Management on Wetland Condition around the Great Salt Lake, Utah"
4	10:00 am	Break
5	10:15 – 11:00	<b><u>Presentation 3:</u></b> Drs. Heidi Hoven, Theron Miller and David Richards, Jordan River/Farmington Bay Water Quality Council: Biological Indicators of Impounded Wetland Condition: The missing link in understanding managed systems and Preliminary Indicators of Fringe Wetland Condition, Great Salt Lake, Utah
6	<i>11:00-noon</i>	<b><u>Panel Discussion</u></b>
	Noon – 1:15	<b><u>Lunch</u></b>
7	1:15-2:00	<b><u>Presentation 4:</u></b> Dr. Leon Lamers, : Soil-water-vegetation interactions in wetlands, and indicative and predictive biogeochemical tools to easily assess effects of soil and water quality with respect to wetland conservation and restoration.
8	2:00 – 2:45	<b><u>Presentation 5:</u></b> Ms. Diane Menuz, Utah Geological Survey: Assessing Wetland Condition: An Example from Great Salt Lake. It will focus on assessing over wetland health, with some focus on plant communities.
9	2:45 pm	Adjourned