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## Pacific Northwest Tribal Climate Change Network: Email Bulletin and Conference Call Notes – April 20, 2017

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- Susan Balbas, Na’ah Illahee Fund
- Si Balch, Manomet
- Arwen Bird, NW Climate Science Center
- Mike Chang, Makah Tribe
- Robert Compton, BIA NW Region
- Tom Downey, Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians
- Hailey Ford, Native Nations Climate Adaptation
- Laura Gephart, Columbia River Intertribal Fish Commission
- Eliza Ghitis, NW Indian Fisheries Commission
- Mike Grady, NOAA Fisheries
- Oliver Grah, Nooksack Tribe
- Dawn Grebner, Naval Undersea Warfare Center
- Keith Hatch, Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Lynn Helbrecht, WA Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
- Margaret Herzog, Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Jennifer Hushaw, Manomet
- Stefanie Krantz, Nez Perce Tribe
- Meade Krosby, Univ. of Washington
- Jen Lennon, Sauk Suiattle Tribe
- Kathy Lynn, University of Oregon
- Carol Macilroy, Skagit Climate Science Consortium
- John Mankowski, North Pacific LCC
- Gary Morishima, Quinault Indian Nation
- Frederick Olson Jr. Organized Village of Kasaan
- Sherry Palacios, NASA Ames Research Center
- Cindy Pearce, Mountain Labyrinths
- Melissa Poe, Washington Sea Grant
- Holly Prendeville, Northwest Climate Hub
- Tom Schlosser, Tribal Attorney
- Steve Spencer, Shoalwater Bay Tribe
- Garrit Voggesser, National Wildlife Federation
- Eric Walberg, Manomet
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### 2017 PNW TCCP Calls:

- May 17, 2017
- June 21, 2017
- July 19, 2017
- August 16, 2017
- September 20, 2017
- October 18, 2017
- November 15, 2017
- December 13, 2017

### Conference Call Information:

Call Time: 10:00 am Pacific  
Toll-Free: 888-844-9904  
Access Code: 5064716  
Adobe Connect web meeting:  
<http://oregonstate.adobeconnect.com/tribalclimate>

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## 4/19/2017 Meeting Notes

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### **2017 National Adaptation Forum Tribal Track and General Program**

The Bureau of Indian Affairs created an outline of the [Tribal Track](#) excerpted from the [NAF General Program](#). To view this tribal track, visit:

<https://www.indianaffairs.gov/cs/groups/xots/documents/document/naf17tribaltrack.pdf>. Contact Margaret Herzog ([margaret.herzog@bia.gov](mailto:margaret.herzog@bia.gov)) at if you have questions about the Tribal Track or if you have information you would like to add. There were questions about pre-forum and post-forum activities. Margaret mentioned that there may be a National Climate Assessment 4 organized on Friday. There will also be sessions on Climate Adaptation Planning for Emergency Management on Monday, May 8 and Friday, May 12. Updated information will be posted [here](#).

### **Indigenous Science: March for Science: Letter of Support**

<https://sites.google.com/view/indigenous-science-letter>. Indigenous scientists, agency professionals, tribal professionals, educators, traditional practitioners, family, youth, elders and allies from Indigenous communities have signed onto a letter of support for the March for Science. To read the letter and sign-on, visit: <https://sites.google.com/view/indigenous-science-letter>.

### **2nd Annual Indigenous Climate Justice Symposium (Olympia) and Northwest Indigenous Youth Day (Nisqually)**

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<https://sites.evergreen.edu/indigenousclimate/2017-indigenous-climate-justice-symposium/>.

### **Climate Smart Land Network**

Eric Walberg from Manomet presented on the Climate Smart Land Network. The Climate Smart Land Network (CSLN) provides forest landowners and managers with direct access to the forest and climate experts at Manomet, and the opportunity to benefit from other forest landowners in the Network. The CSLN is a 21st-century “climate services” program designed to make climate change science accessible, understandable, and actionable. The Climate Smart Land Network is growing rapidly and currently includes 15.7 million acres across North America. The CSLN is aimed at bridging the gap between climate science and on the ground application, and includes bulletins, a list of climate resources, peer-to-peer learning and site visits with members. More information and a map is available here:

<http://climatesmartnetwork.org/>.

Gary asked what kind of membership expectations there are for the Climate Smart Land Network. Eric stated that Manomet is not a lobbying organization and they do not work on policy issues or take on advocacy roles. They do ask their members to actively participate in CSLN activities. Si Balch shared that there is currently no membership fee to be a part of the CSLN. Eric was asked about partnerships, and mentioned that the CSLN does coordinate with the Northeast Climate Hub.

For more information about the CSLN, visit: <http://climatesmartnetwork.org/> or contact Eric directly at: [ewalberg@manomet.org](mailto:ewalberg@manomet.org).

### **Impacts of Climate Change on River Basin Hydrology and Collaborative Adaptation Planning Efforts for the Nooksack River**

Oliver Grah, Water Resources Program Manager for the Nooksack Indian Tribe, presented on Impacts of Climate Change on River Basin Hydrology and Collaborative Adaptation Planning Efforts for the Nooksack River. Oliver's presentation is available here:

<https://blogs.uoregon.edu/tribalclimate/files/2010/11/GRAH-presentation-4-18-17-copy-2142nxc.pdf>.

Oliver presented on the Nooksack Tribe's overall climate change project, including baseline monitoring, modeling of climate impacts, vulnerability assessment, and adaptation planning, including a prioritized list of adaptation strategies to support salmon restoration. This approach allows the tribe to evaluate climate impacts, species impacts, vulnerability, existing actions and make recommendations on a range of issues. Two recent publications from this work includes:

- Quantitative Assessment of Temperature Sensitivity of the South Fork Nooksack River under Future Climates using QUAL2Kw  
[https://cfpub.epa.gov/si/si\\_public\\_record\\_Report.cfm?dirEntryId=288533](https://cfpub.epa.gov/si/si_public_record_Report.cfm?dirEntryId=288533)
- Qualitative Assessment: Evaluating the Impacts of Climate Change on Endangered Species Act Recovery Actions for the South Fork Nooksack River, WA  
[https://cfpub.epa.gov/si/si\\_public\\_record\\_Report.cfm?dirEntryId=320470](https://cfpub.epa.gov/si/si_public_record_Report.cfm?dirEntryId=320470)

Oliver mentioned that the qualitative assessment is the first EPA publication to list the tribe as the lead author

### **Transitions and the new Administration: impacts to current climate programs and budgets.**

We will come back to a discussion on impacts from the New Administration to climate programs and budgets during the May 2017 call. Kathy and Margaret shared information on the Presidential Executive Order on Promoting Energy Independence and Economic Growth (published 3/28/17), which rescinds prior Obama climate Executive Orders: <https://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/2017/03/28/presidential-executive-order-promoting-energy-independence-and-economy-1>

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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**[BIA / BIE K-12 Tribal Student Climate Change Photo Contest](#)**. Using a classroom or cell phone camera, take a picture of something you value in your tribal community that climate change might affect. Include a caption describing the climate impact (and what might be done about it). Submit all captioned photos or questions by e-mail to: [bia\\_climate\\_photo\\_contest@bia.gov](mailto:bia_climate_photo_contest@bia.gov) or by teacher's class instructions. Categories: K-5, 6-8, & 9-12. Spring entries are due **April 28, 2017**.

**[Model Forest Policy Program 5-Step Climate Adaptation Gap Assessment](#)**. The Model Forestry Policy Program has developed a 5-step climate adaptation gap assessment to help communities achieve the following:

- Identify community strengths and assets for climate resilience opportunities.
- Identify areas of greatest need, and gaps in knowledge and capacity.
- Create focused guidance for a climate resilience agenda for your community.
- Obtain recommendations for climate adaptation actions (planning &/or implementation).

[Learn more here](#).

## **JOB, FELLOWSHIPS, AND INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

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### **Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians (ATNI) [Administrative Support Specialist](#). Portland, Oregon.**

**Closing Date: April 21, 2017.** The Administrative Support Specialist directly supports Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians (ATNI) by performing a variety of administrative and clerical tasks. Duties of the Administrative Support Specialist include providing support to ATNI management and employees, assisting in daily office needs and managing the organization's general administrative activities. This also includes direct administrative support for the conventions and special events. The Support Specialist will interact closely with the executive director to assist executive management with coordination of ATNI consultants, volunteers, committee chairs, and the ATNI executive board. Successful candidates will have direct experience working with tribal non-profits. Hiring preference will be given to qualified enrolled citizens of federally recognized Tribes or Native Alaskans. Send letter of interest, resume and please include at least three professional references to [humanresources@atntribes.org](mailto:humanresources@atntribes.org). For more information, visit: [http://www.atntribes.org/sites/default/files/Admin\\_Support\\_Specialist\\_17.pdf](http://www.atntribes.org/sites/default/files/Admin_Support_Specialist_17.pdf)

### **[Upper Snake River Tribes Foundation - Environmental Program Director](#). **Review of applications begins April 17, 2017 and will remain open until filled.****

The Upper Snake River Tribes Foundation has listed a job announcement for an Environmental Program Director. The Environmental Program Director will serve as the lead point person on environmental issues for the USRT Foundation and its four member tribes. The Environmental Program Director is responsible for carrying out the environmental policy directives of the member tribes and reports directly to the USRT Executive Director, with assurance to program quality and accountability to advance the long-term goals for the USRT Foundation and its member tribe. The job description is available here: <http://www.uppersnakeivertribes.org/app/uploads/2015/03/Environmental-Program-Director.pdf>. For more information, contact Scott Hauser at: [Scott.hauser@usrtf.org](mailto:Scott.hauser@usrtf.org)

**Native American Conservation Corps.** The Native American Conservation Corps (NACC) is an innovative partnership between Northwest Youth Corps, AmeriCorps, and the US Bureau of Indian Affairs. The program is specifically designed to provide hands on training and experience to Native American young adults living in the Greater Portland metropolitan area who are interested in pursuing employment with conservation corps, land and water resource management agencies, and other outdoor careers. The NACC integrates team-based work projects, education, and on-site vocational training into an experience that prioritizes personal growth, and the development of conservation work skills.

<http://www.nwyouthcorps.org/m/OurPrograms/NACC>

**United Southern and Eastern Tribes, Inc. Tribal Climate Science Liaison.** The Office of Environmental Resource Management (OERM) Tribal Climate Science Liaison will serve as a technical expert on climate change issues, resource vulnerability, and climate adaptation actions to Tribal nations in the USET region, and more broadly in the combined region comprising the Department of Interior's Northeast Climate Science Center and Southeast Climate Science Center (NE CSC and SE CSC). The Tribal Climate Science Liaison will be responsible to develop and implement a communication, education and outreach program; identify climate research needs and priorities; and provide climate adaptation planning support to Tribal nations. He/she will also integrate program and research results into budget documents, annual reports, or other documents. The Tribal Climate Science Liaison will participate in a network of Tribal climate science liaisons within the Climate Science Center system; and a national workgroup of Tribal organizations, Tribal colleges, and other partners to address policy and resource issues associated with Tribal climate resilience. This position will be based at the University of Massachusetts-Amherst.

**Wisdom of the Elders Wisdom Workforce Development Internships.** For more information, contact: [carladean@wisdomoftheelders.org](mailto:carladean@wisdomoftheelders.org) or visit: [http://www.wisdomoftheelders.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/Image\\_WWD\\_Flyer2-1.jpg](http://www.wisdomoftheelders.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/Image_WWD_Flyer2-1.jpg).

**Intertribal Agriculture Council's Youth Programs Internship. Application deadline: May 01, 2017.**

The Intertribal Agriculture Council is offering three internship positions in the Northwestern region. Youth Programs Interns will work directly with IAC Youth Programs Coordinator, Kelsey Ducheneaux, in coordinating their region's first Native Youth in Food & Agriculture Leadership Summit. Selected Youth Programs Interns will receive a stipend of \$10/hour for up to 100 hours of work, professional development learning opportunities, and academic & career planning assistance. Apply here: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfSrHzhQCmS0Ky7UivXnYIEiDAInPEHvLGWUCQLmWxuhDR00A/viewform?c=0&w=1>

More jobs and opportunities are posted here: <https://tribalclimateguide.uoregon.edu/climate-jobs>

## **MEDIA, PUBLICATIONS AND ONLINE RESOURCES**

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**Native Americans Most At Risk From Impact of Climate Change.** By Cecily Hilleary. April 19, 2017. <http://www.voanews.com/a/native-americans-most-at-risk-from-impact-of-climate-change/3816564.html>

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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**April 20, 2017. 1:00 pm Pacific. Climate Change and Health in Indian Country. Resilience and the Health Consequences of Climate Change.** Climate change continues to be a pressing issue and Tribal communities are often on the front line of its effects. For many, any impact to their natural world impacts lifeways and well-being. Preparations are being made for the environmental impacts of climate change, but what about the health impacts? In this one hour webinar we will hear from subject matter experts and indigenous scholars to explore what the broad health impacts can be, discuss the ideas of health and resilience in Tribal communities, and learn about resources for approaching climate change planning. [Register here.](#)

**April 24, 2017. 11 am Pacific. Webinar: Pacific Northwest Drought & Climate Outlook Webinar.** The Pacific Northwest Drought Early Warning System (PNW DEWS) April 2017 Drought & Climate Outlook Webinar is part of a series of regular drought and climate outlook webinars designed to provide stakeholders and other interested parties in the region with timely information on current drought status and impacts, as well as a preview of current and developing climatic events (i.e. El Niño and La Niña). <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3513596439244790786>

**April 24-25, 2017. Conference: "Environmental Justice in the Anthropocene". Colorado State University. Offered by the CSU School of Global Environmental Sustainability.** This symposium aims to bring together academics, independent researchers, community and movement activists, and regulatory and policy practitioners from across disciplines, research areas, perspectives, and different countries. <http://environmentaljustice.colostate.edu/conference/information>

**April 25, 2017. TREES Summit. April 25, 2017 in Woodinville, WA.** Strategies for addressing climate

change, water quality, and other environmental issues are needed in the PNW. The primary focus of the meeting is to explore using poplar tree plantings as a means of linking bioenergy and biomass production with ecosystem services to improve water, soil, air, climate, and wildlife habitat.

<http://hardwoodbiofuels.org/event/trees-summit/>

**April 25-27, 2017. [National Cohesive Wildland Fire Management Strategy Workshop](#). Reno, NV.**

Offered by the International Association of Wildland Fire & Nat'l Cohesive Wildland Fire Mgt. Strategy. This workshop will provide a clear understanding of the importance and critical role of science in all Cohesive Strategy planning and implementation (leaders intent on why, where we are now, and where we will be when completed or in the future).

**April 26th, 2017, 8:30am - 4:30pm. [6<sup>th</sup> Annual Climate Change Research Symposium](#). University of Oregon, [Museum of Natural and Cultural History - University of Oregon](#).** UO researchers including both Professors and Students from the arts, humanities, natural sciences, and social sciences are conducting cutting edge research on many facets of this important global challenge. The UO Climate Change Research Symposium brings together individuals whose problem-driven research transcends traditional disciplinary boundaries.

**April 26, 2017. 10 am Pacific. Webinar: [Expanding Tribal Energy Development through Partnerships: Spending Energy Dollars Wisely](#).** Attendees will learn about a number of strategies, tools, and technical assistance opportunities to help develop a deliberate approach to maximizing energy dollars. Tribal guest speakers will share their successes and lessons learned in pursuing, developing, and implementing strategic approaches to wise energy investments. <https://energy.gov/indianenergy/events/expanding-tribal-energy-development-through-partnerships-webinar-spending-energy>

**April 26, 2017. 10 am Pacific. [Webinar: 100 Days of the New Administration](#).** Join a panel discussion to explore the implications of and actions in response to the first 100 days of the new federal administration on adaptation activities in the United States.

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/71989805015039233>

**April 27, 2017. 12 pm Pacific. Webinar: [Using Drought Forecasts to Improve Natural Resource Management](#).** As competition for water increases across its various uses (e.g., water supply, energy demands, recreation), our ability to forecast the onset and termination of drought becomes ever more important. Register [here](#).

**April 28, 2017. 9 am – 4 pm Pacific. [Investing In the Age of Climate Change](#). University of Oregon. Knight Law School.** <https://blogs.uoregon.edu/ethicalendowments/>

**April 28 - 29, 2017. Emerald Earth Film Festival. Eugene, Oregon. Bijou Art Cinemas, 492 E. 13<sup>th</sup> Ave.** For detailed information, visit: <http://bijou-cinemas.com/?p=8099>

**May 1-4, 2017. [National Tribal Air Forum](#). Tucson, AZ.** If you are interested in presenting, please contact the climate change team, or attending, please visit the NTF website for more information, [http://www7.nau.edu/itcp/main/Conferences/conf\\_r\\_ntf](http://www7.nau.edu/itcp/main/Conferences/conf_r_ntf)

**May 1-3, 2017. [National Tribal Energy Summit](#). Washington D.C.** With its focus on Tribal Energy Sovereignty and Strengthening Strategic Partnerships, the National Summit supports ongoing tribal efforts to enhance energy security, increase community resiliency, and cultivate a sustainable energy

future. To learn more about the Summit and register, visit the [National Tribal Energy Summit web page](#).

**May 1-4, 2017. National Native American Fish & Wildlife Society Conference.** Rapid City, SD. <http://www.nafws.org>.

**May 2, 2017. National Stewardship Contracting Virtual Meeting: Case Studies from Recent Stewardship Contracting Projects.** To learn more about how and why non-agency stakeholders engage the Forest Service in the design and implementation of stewardship projects on National Forests. This virtual meeting will review lessons learned from a sample of recently completed stewardship contracts and agreements from across the country; evaluating common challenges, strategies, and opportunities. A brief registration is required. To register [click here](#). For background on Programmatic Monitoring of Stewardship Contracting: [http://www.pinchot.org/gp/Stewardship\\_Contracting](http://www.pinchot.org/gp/Stewardship_Contracting)

**May 2-4, 2017. 15th Annual Climate Prediction Applications Science Workshop. Anchorage, AK.** The [15th annual Climate Prediction Applications Science Workshop \(CPASW\)](#) will bring together climate researchers, information producers, and users to share developments in the research and applications of climate predictions for societal decision-making.

**May 4-7, 2017. 2nd Annual Indigenous Climate Justice Symposium (Olympia) and Northwest Indigenous Youth Day (Nisqually).** The 2nd annual Indigenous Climate Justice Symposium will be held on Thursday, May 4 and Friday, May 5 in the [Longhouse Educational and Cultural Center](#) at [The Evergreen State College](#). This year the Symposium theme is “A Time for Gathering.” Evergreen faculty in the [“Catastrophe: Community Resilience in the Face of Disaster”](#) program are co-hosting the Symposium with the Nisqually Tribe, as part of the [Climate Change and Pacific Rim Indigenous Nations Project](#). Among the speakers are [Faith Spotted Eagle](#) and [Rueben George](#), key leaders of Indigenous-led alliances to stop oil pipelines. Sunday May 7 is the [2017 Indigenous Youth Day](#) at the at the Billy Frank Jr. Community Services Center (the gym at 4820 She-Nah-Num Drive SE, Nisqually, WA). For more information, visit: <https://sites.evergreen.edu/indigenousclimate/2017-indigenous-climate-justice-symposium/>.

**May 9-11, 2017. National Adaptation Forum. St. Paul, MN.** The National Adaptation Forum is the gathering of the adaptation minded. Since the Forum is created by and for the members of the adaptation community, the meeting focuses on issues of the day. <http://www.nationaladaptationforum.org/>

**May 9-12, 2017. Conference: Impacts of a Changing Environment on the Dynamics of High-latitude Fish and Fisheries. Anchorage, AK.** Offered by Sea Grant Alaska. This symposium examines the impacts of the environment, especially climate change and variability, on the dynamics of arctic and subarctic species of commercial, subsistence, and ecological importance. We will focus on the effects of warming, loss of sea ice, ocean acidification, and oceanographic variability on the distribution, phenology, life history, population dynamics, and interactions of these species and how a better understanding of these effects can inform the assessment and management of fish and invertebrate populations in a changing ocean for the benefit of affected communities. <https://seagrant.uaf.edu/conferences/2017/wakefield-fish-dynamics/>

**May 15, 2017. Climate-Smart Conservation with Scenario Planning. National Conservation Training Center, Shepherdstown, WV.** This five day class is based on two guides: Climate-Smart Conservation: Putting Adaptation Principles into Practice and Considering Multiple Futures: Scenario Planning to

Address Uncertainty in Natural Resource Conservation. The first half of the course refers to the climate-smart conservation guidance and is designed to demystify climate adaptation for application to on-the-ground conservation. It will provide guidance in how to carry out adaptation with intentionality, how to manage for change and not just persistence, how to craft climate-informed conservation goals, and how to integrate adaptation into on-going work. For more information, contact Jill Del Vecchio; [jill\\_delvecchio@fws.gov](mailto:jill_delvecchio@fws.gov), (304) 876-7424, [jill\\_delvecchio@fws.gov](mailto:jill_delvecchio@fws.gov).

**May 23- 26, 2017. Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians Mid Year Convention 2017. Portland, OR.** <https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07edx296qw2ed6bdc7&oseq=&c=&ch=>

**May 26th, 2017. 1 pm Pacific. Webinar: [Sage steppe resilience mapping in the Green River Basin](#).** In partnership with the Southern Rockies and Great Northern Landscape Conservation Cooperatives, we are pleased to announce several upcoming webinars for the [Green River Basin Landscape Conservation Design](#).

**June 6-8, 2017. Institute for Tribal Environmental Professionals Tribal Climate Change Adaptation Planning Training. Albuquerque, NM.** For more information about the course, and to download the application form, visit: [http://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training\\_cc](http://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training_cc).

**June 6-8, 2017. National Indian Health Board (NIHB) 8th Annual National Tribal Public Health Summit.** <http://www.nihb.org/index.php>

**June 20-21, 2017. Enduring Legacies Native Cases Summer Institute The Evergreen State College.** Little Creek Resort Hotel Shelton, Washington. Writing Workshop June 22, 2017. <http://nativecases.evergreen.edu/workshops.html>

**June 26-29, 2017. 41st Annual National Indian Timber Symposium. Hosted by the Yakama Nation.** [http://www.itcnet.org/get\\_involved/annual\\_symposium.html](http://www.itcnet.org/get_involved/annual_symposium.html)

**June 28, 2017. 10 am Pacific. [Expanding Tribal Energy Development through Partnerships: Tribal Project Partnerships](#).** Attendees will hear about successful partnerships and how these successes can be replicated throughout the United States. <https://energy.gov/indianenergy/events/expanding-tribal-energy-development-through-partnerships-webinar-tribal-project>

**July 9 - 14, 2017. The Native Youth Community Adaptation and Leadership Congress (NYCALC). National Conservation Training Center, Shepherdstown, WV.** Sponsored by the National Fish & Wildlife Service the BIA, and other federal agencies, the goal of the Congress is to "foster an inclusive, meaningful educational event for aspiring Native youth leaders interested in addressing environmental issues facing Native American, Alaskan Native, and Pacific Islander communities." <https://www.climate.gov/teaching/professional-development/native-youth-community-adaptation-and-leadership-congress>

**July 26, 2017. 10 am Pacific. Webinar: [Expanding Tribal Energy Development through Partnerships: Powering Your Community with Tribal Energy](#).** Developing an energy project involves many different parties, including utilities, government agencies, developers, grid operators, and financing parties. Speakers will address the steps to developing a 1- to 2-megawatt energy project located on property owned or controlled by a tribe to serve the energy needs of the tribal community.



<https://energy.gov/indianenergy/events/expanding-tribal-energy-development-through-partnerships-webinar-powering-your>

**September 25-28, 2017. 2017 National Tribal Health Conference.** Seattle, WA. <http://www.nihb.org/>

**October 10-11, 2017. 2017 Northwest Climate Conference,** Tacoma, WA. <http://pnwclimateconference.org/>

### **QUICK LINKS**

- [PNW Tribal Climate Change Project](#)
- [PNW Tribal Climate Change Online Funding Guide](#)
- [BIA Tribal Climate Resilience Program](#)
- [BIA Tribal Climate Resilience Resource Guide](#)
- [Institute for Tribal Environmental Professionals \(ITEP\) Tribes and Climate Change Program](#)
- [Local Environmental Observer \(LEO\) Network](#)
- [Columbia River Intertribal Fish Commission](#)
- [Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission](#)
- [Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians](#)
- [Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium LEO Network](#)
- [University of Washington Climate Impacts Group](#)
- [Georgetown Adaptation Clearinghouse](#)
- [U.S. Climate Resilience Toolkit](#)
- [Northwest Climate Science Center](#)
- [North Pacific LCC](#)
- [Great Basin LCC](#)
- [Great Northern LCC](#)
- [USDA Climate Hubs](#)
- [Northwest Climate Hub](#)
- [EPA Climate Change Programs](#)
- [Climate Adaptation Knowledge Exchange](#)
- [USDA Forest Service Climate Change Resource Center](#)
- [Climate Smart Land Network](#)
- [White House Climate Change Archives](#)

### **NEWSLETTERS AND CALENDARS**

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- [ITEP Newsletter](#)
- [ITEP Tribes and Climate Change Calendar](#)
- [NW Climate Magazine](#)
- [NW CSC Calendar](#)
- [North Pacific LCC Calendar](#)