INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR ON PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT

July 6th - 24th, 2020
Northern Rocky Mountains, United States
HOW TO APPLY
Please visit: https://sites.google.com/fs-ip.us/seminars/home to complete the application.
Submit required materials to: protectedareaseminar@gmail.com
The deadline for submission is: March 1st, 2020

SEMINAR EXPENSES
The cost of the Seminar is $20,000 for each participant, which will include all instruction, lodging, and food throughout the program. Travel that occurs within the United States during the operation of the program will also be covered by the tuition fee. Air travel expenses to and from the Seminar are the responsibility of participants or their sponsors.

SEMINAR THEMES
1. Integrated Planning for Protected Areas: Participants will examine the strengths and weaknesses of several types of planning models to recognize the potential for resource protection as well as an equitable and sustainable distribution of benefits.

2. Community Involvement: Participants will explore methods for engaging resident populations in protected area management that address the application of local knowledge, the analysis of stakeholder interests, and the assessment of local land use practices on resource sustainability.

3. Tourism, Concessions, & Visitor Management: Participants will analyze several forms of concession arrangements; they will discuss tourism strategies and the consequences of increased visitation on both the environment and visitor experience; and they will explore the administrative and operational implications of private/public partnerships in protected area management.

4. Protected Area Management in an Era of Complexity and Change: Participants will be provided an opportunity to examine trans-boundary management issues such as climate change, fire, and wildlife management.

*Designed for mid-career planners and managers of nationally significant protected areas world-wide, this integrated state-of-the-art seminar examines strategies to conserve the world’s most special places.*