

***The New Forestry Networks:
How Changing Industrial Forest
Landownership is creating new
Collaborations, Partnerships, and
Opportunities.***

Technical Session Focus

The 2009 Summer Meeting of the North Carolina Division of the Society of American Foresters will focus on the challenges and opportunities to industry, government and not profits alike from changes in industrial forest land ownership. The program will address new partnerships in conservation, industrial fiber supply, research, and policy.

Field Tour

The Field tour will focus on management of forest lands associated with a variety of partnerships, including private non-industrial owners, in collaboration with land conservation organizations, consulting foresters, and forest industry.



SPOUSE'S TOUR

Spouses are invited to experience beautiful, historic downtown Wilmington. Downtown Wilmington features carriage rides through the historic district, a scenic river walk, restaurants, and a variety of shops. For more information visit : <http://www.wilmington.net/>

HOTEL INFORMATION:

Best Western Coastline Inn
503 Nutt Street
Wilmington, NC 28401-3339
Phone: (800) 617-7732
<http://www.coastlineinn.com/>

Group Code is "SAF" for rate of \$119/night.

DON'T DELAY! ! Room rates are only good until May 10, 2008. This is a special room rate that will revert to normal rates after the 10th.

Anti-Trust Policy: *The Society of American Foresters unequivocally supports the policy of competition served by anti-trust laws and without compromise intends to comply strictly in all respects with these laws.*

For further information, call: Tony Doster at (910-790-1074).

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Coastline Conference and Event Center



Wilmington, NC

Hosted by Waccamaw Chapter,
North Carolina SAF

*The Thursday and Friday programs
qualify for 7.0 Category 1
Continuing Forestry Education
hours.*

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Please print legibly and fill out a separate form for each participant.

Name: _____

Name for Tag: _____

Spouse's Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State & Zip Code: _____

Daytime Phone #: _____

E-mail: _____

Register Online with your Credit Card at:

<http://www.safnet.org/meetings/othermeetings.cfm>
and select the NC Division Summer Meeting

OR

Make Checks Payable to:
Waccamaw Chapter SAF

	BY MAY 15	AFTER MAY 15
SAF MEMBER	\$ 85.00	\$110.00
GOLDEN MEMBER	\$ 50.00	\$ 60.00
NON-SAF MEMBER	\$ 95.00	\$125.00
STUDENT	\$ 35.00	\$ 45.00
FIELD TOUR	\$ 35.00	\$ 40.00

Total Amount Enclosed:

\$ _____

MAIL REGISTRATION AND CHECK TO:
Waccamaw Chapter SAF
Scott Brewer
Waccamaw Chapter Treasurer
865 John L. Riegel Road
Riegelwood, NC 28456

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 2009

4:00 **NC Division Executive Committee Meeting**

3:00 – 7:00 Registration in Hotel Lobby

THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2009

7:30 Registration Opens at Convention Center, Exhibitor and Sponsor booths open all day.

9:00 **Welcome and Introductions**

Tony Doster, NC SAF Chair,
Resource Management Service
John Robards, Local Arrangements

9:15 NCSU Tree Improvement Program/Forest Nutrition Coop. Dr. Steve McKeand, NC State University.

10:00 NCCCS BioNetwork ... preparing a workforce for the biotech industry ... collaboration of Southeastern Community College with forestry research organizations, nurseries, and landowners. Rebecca Westbrook, Instructor, Biology and Environmental Science, Southeast Community College..

10:45 Break

11:15 Center for Advanced Forestry Systems (CAFS): a new model for center of excellence. Dr. Barry Goldfarb, NC State University.

12:00 Awards Lunch

1:30 National Alliance of Forest Owners (www.nafoalliance.org): creating a new advocacy organization to promote the economic and environmental values of privately-owned forests at the national level. Dave Tenny, President and CEO, NAFO..

2:15 The Nature Conservancy: bringing partners together to orchestrate land transactions in an era of industrial timberland divestiture. Hervey McIver, Protection Specialist, The Nature Conservancy.

3:00 North Carolina Coastal Land Trust: collaborating with landowners and other conservation organizations. Camilla Herlevich, Executive Director, North Carolina Coastal Land Trust.

4:00 Business Meeting

6:00 Social

FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 2009

8:00am – 2:00pm

Technical Field Tour - Examples of recent acquisitions / transactions and management practices that highlight the partnerships and opportunities in the face of changing landownership.