The objective of the meeting is to bring together natural resource managers and scientists to discuss how climate change might affect invasion risk in the northeastern region and to identify ways to translate research into management action.

Preliminary Agenda

8:30 – 9:00 am  Coffee & registration (*ISB Atrium*)

9:00 – 9:10 am  Welcome and Goals of the 2nd Annual RISCC Symposium  
Bethany Bradley (UMass)

9:10 – 9:40 am  An overview of invasive species + climate change research & management  
Jeff Dukes (Purdue)

**Session 1: Invasive species impacts in a changing climate**

9:40 – 10:00 am  Why do we need impact assessment protocols of biological invasions?  
Montserrat Vilà (ESIC)

10:00 – 10:20 am  Using impact assessments to prioritize range shifting invasive plants for monitoring and management  
Bethany Bradley (UMass)

10:20 – 10:40 am  The potential effects of pests and pathogens on carbon sequestration and storage by North America’s forests  
Brendan Quirion (APIPP)

10:40 – 11:00 am  Break (*ISB Atrium*)

11:00 – 12:00 pm  Facilitated group discussion  
Carrie Brown-Lima (Cornell)
12:00 – 1:30 pm  **Lunch & Networking** (Purchase food at Campus Center Blue Wall, eat in the Campus Center Atrium)

**Session 2: Developing proactive invasive species regulation**

1:30 – 1:50 pm  Emerging global invasion threats and response capacities  
*Regan Early (U Exeter)*

1:50 – 2:10 pm  Coordination opportunities and challenges for listing invasive plants in U.S. states  
*Jenica Allen (UNH)*

2:10 – 2:30 pm  Exploring the state-level regulatory process in Massachusetts  
*Julie Richburg (TTOR)*

2:30 – 3:15 pm  *Facilitated group discussion*  
*Toni Lyn Morelli (USGS)*

3:15 – 3:30 pm  **Break** *(ISB Atrium)*

**Session 3: Emerging challenges for invasive species management**

3:30 – 3:40 pm  Effect of increasing water temperatures on aquatic invasions  
*Jennifer Price Tack (Cornell)*

3:40 – 3:50 pm  Climate change could awaken some ‘sleeper’ naturalized species  
*Brittany Laginhas (UMass)*

3:50 – 4:10 pm  Sleeper species case study - pests in a warmer world  
*Steve Frank (NC State)*

4:10 – 4:30 pm  Lessons learned from Tug Hill - managing for resiliency to climate & invasive species  
*Gregg Sargis (TNC)*

**Concluding remarks**

4:30 – 5:00 pm  Success and impacts of species invasions in a changing world  
*Cascade Sorte (UC Irvine)*

5:00 – 7:00 pm  **Networking social** *(Snacks + cash bar, location TBD)*