



Bi-CAN
Bi-State Conservation
Action Network

PRESENTS

CONFLUENCE

Where Community, Conservation, & Creativity Meet

OCTOBER 15 | 8:00AM - 12:00PM

Bringing the region's conservation and community-minded professionals together around one simple idea: confluence - the place where people, land, and ideas meet. Held on Credit Island, the day blends history, hands-on creativity, outdoor exploration, and genuine connection.

Attendees will enjoy a keynote on Credit Island's history, interactive sessions transforming regional environmental data into mixed-media art, a guided hike, and time to connect with vendors and fellow changemakers.

Who Should Attend: Environmental organizations, community groups, local businesses, educators, students, municipal leaders, farmers, neighborhood associations, and anyone passionate about creating positive environmental change.

Continental breakfast included.

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Agenda:

8:00 AM - Registration/Networking/Breakfast
8:45 AM - Welcome
9:00 AM - 9:45 AM - Keynote with Brian Ritter
10:00 AM - 10:55 AM - Break Out Session
11:00 AM - 11:55 AM - Break Out Session
11:55 PM - 12:00 PM - Bi-CAN Closing

Break Out Sessions:

#1 - Translating Nature Through Mixed Media and Environmental Data Visualization -In this hands-on workshop, participants turn real ecological data from the Quad Cities Flood Protection Corridor and QC Climate Assessment into mixed-media art. Using map layers, illustrated maps, pressed prairie plants, and relief techniques, you'll find your own connection to the data.

#2 - Nature Hike - Join Jimmy Wiebler on a hike focused on birds, or join Rob Liva on a hike focused on plants throughout Credit Island.

#3 - Find a Friend - Enjoy a semi-quiet space to snack and network with other like-minded people. Visit our vendor tables and learn about organizations.



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