



Call for Abstracts

The 36th Regional Aquatic Workshop will be held in Baltimore, Maryland from April 23-26 and is shaping up to be another great year for sharing insights and collaborating with colleagues across the industry.

We are soliciting abstracts for long and short form presentations (20-minute and 10-minute, including questions) on a variety of topics, including (but not limited to):

- Larval fishes: techniques, successes, new advances
- Aquatic Herpetofaunal Care (special focus on non-Chelonioidean species)
- Back to Basics: Revisiting Foundations for better Husbandry and Welfare
- Innovative Techniques/Technologies (animal training, transport, and creative problem-solving)
- Emergency and Contingency Planning: Aquarium Emergency Care in the Era of Climate Change

If you are interested in presenting at BMORE RAW, please carefully review the directions for authors and submit via [this Google form](#). For abstract submission questions, email: bmoreraw2025@gmail.com. For general conference questions, email: RAW2025@aqua.org.

All presentations will be video recorded by Animal Professionals and will be available on their website <http://animalprofessional.com/>, pending author license agreement.

Thank you for your interest and participation.

Instructions for Presenters

Please include the following in your submission:

Title

Presentation title should be succinct, accurately capturing the theme of the talk.

Authors

Include full names and affiliations of all authors. Primary authors should be indicated, and include their email address.

Abstract text

Abstracts must be limited to 250 words and make clear the purpose and context of the presentation. Strong abstracts will distill the presentation components (introduction, main purpose, results/conclusions) in a way that makes the substance of the presentation clear.

Submission

Complete the Abstract Submission document template located on RAWconference.org. Then submit and upload abstracts via the Google form by 1/4/25.

Accepted presenters

All accepted presenters must be registered and associated fees paid in full by 3/8/25 to participate as a presenter at the conference. All applicants will be notified by 2/15/25.