

# 2011 PSSAC Annual Meeting

BMP Wetlands  
Geology/Morphology  
Putah-Cache Fan  
Grapes/Native Grasses

Inviting you to join us for  
**PSSAC's 2011 Annual Meeting**  
**September 22-24, 2011**  
Davis, California



**Register now! Early Registration ends September 1st!**

**Registration:** Early Rate of \$150 (before September 1st)  
\$175 September 2-22.  
PSSAC Members get a 10% discount!

**The meeting registration fee includes:** Thursday evening general reception, Friday morning's "Online Soils Tools and Apps" session, morning coffee break, lunch, Friday soils campus tour, Friday Dinner and guest speaker. It also includes the Saturday bus tour and includes a box lunch and beverage.

**Focus:** Online tools and apps for Soil Survey! Yolo Soils including the Putah-Cache fan, a Yolo catena, geological features, duripans, creek morphology, constructed wetlands as BMPs for irrigated agriculture to improve water quality, and more...

**Organizers:** David Kelley, Toby O'Geen, Roy Shlemon, Randy Dahlgren, Bryan Rahn, John Munn, and Mary Reed

**Questions:** Email [info@pssac.org](mailto:info@pssac.org), or check the "Annual Meeting" tab at [pssac.org](http://pssac.org).

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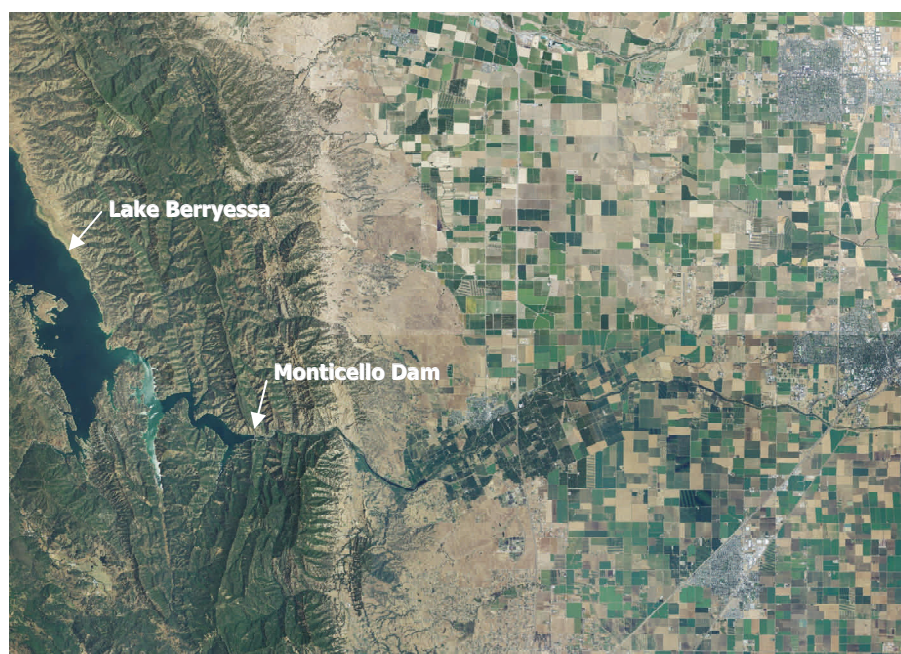


**Professional Soil Scientists Association of California**

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## Agenda – 2011 PSSAC Annual Meeting (Draft)

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<b>Thursday</b>		
9/22/2011	5:00 - 6:00 pm	Executive Council Meeting at UC Davis in Plant & Environmental Sciences (PES) Room 3001
9/22/2011	6:00- 7:30 pm	General Reception in PES 3001
<b>Friday</b>		
9/23/2011	7:30 - 8:00 am	Registration Table at UC Davis PES Room 2005
9/23/2011	8:00 am - 1 pm	Soils Online: Apps and Tools You Can Use - Toby O'Geen PES 2005 <Bring your own laptop computer>
9/23/2011	1:00 - 2:00 pm	Catered Lunch in PES 3001
9/23/2011	2:00 - 3:00 pm	Walking tour of campus soils from a "Gene Begg-Roy Shlemon Perspective"
9/23/2011	3:00 - 3:15 pm	Carpool to Rominger West Winery
9/23/2011	3:15 – 4:30 pm	Rominger West Tour and Wine Tasting (No Host)
9/23/2011	6:00 - 7:00 pm	Dinner @ Sudwerks, Dinner Buffet in Marzen Banquet Room—Brief Annual Business Meeting
9/23/2011	7:00 - 8:00 pm	Eldridge Moores: "Bedrock, the Geoscape That Underlies Putah Creek and Surroundings"
<b>Saturday</b>		
9/24/2011	8:00 am - 4:30 pm	Depart UC Davis campus: Field Tour - Putah Creek Fan from Monticello Dam to the Putah Creek Sinks; Yolo Bypass Constructed Wetlands -- All West Coach Lines (Box Lunch)



## 2011 PSSAC ANNUAL MEETING DETAILS

### September 22-24, 2011

**Thursday's evening's** Executive Council meeting will be followed by a General Reception that will be held on the UC Davis campus in the Plant and Environmental Sciences (PES) Building in Room 3001. Parking is strongly enforced on the campus until 10 pm so be sure to display your permit. (See "Locations, Maps, and Parking" information below.)

**Friday morning's Online Soils Tools and Apps** session will be organized by [Toby O'Geen, Ph.D.](#) Toby is an assistant soil resource specialist in cooperative extension. This session will also be held on the UC Davis campus, in PES Room 2005. Park on campus using the parking permit. (See "Locations, Maps, and Parking" information below.) A special guest campus wireless account will be created for the meeting. Please bring your own wireless enabled laptop to the session. Please note on the Registration Form if you need to borrow a laptop, as we are making arrangements to have a few "loaner" laptops available for the session.

**Friday early afternoon's** walking discussion of the UC Davis soils from the "Gene Begg-Roy Shlemon Perspective" will be led by [Roy Shlemon](#), [David Kelley](#), Toby O'Geen and [Randy Dahlgren](#), Department Chair of the UC Davis Department of Land, Air and Water Resources (LAWR).

**Friday's Rominger West Winery Tour and Wine Tasting.** We will car pool from the UC Davis campus to this beautiful new winery. (See "Locations, Maps, and Parking" information below.)

**Friday Dinner, Business Meeting and Guest Speaker, Eldridge Moores.** Sudwerk Restaurant and Brewery's Marzen Banquet Room will be the location our dinner and meeting. Registration fees will include a choice of two entrees, dessert, and coffee/iced tea or water. [Dr. Moores](#) is a Distinguished Professor Emeritus at UC Davis, and his talk will be "Bedrock, the Geoscape that Underlies Putah Creek and Surroundings"

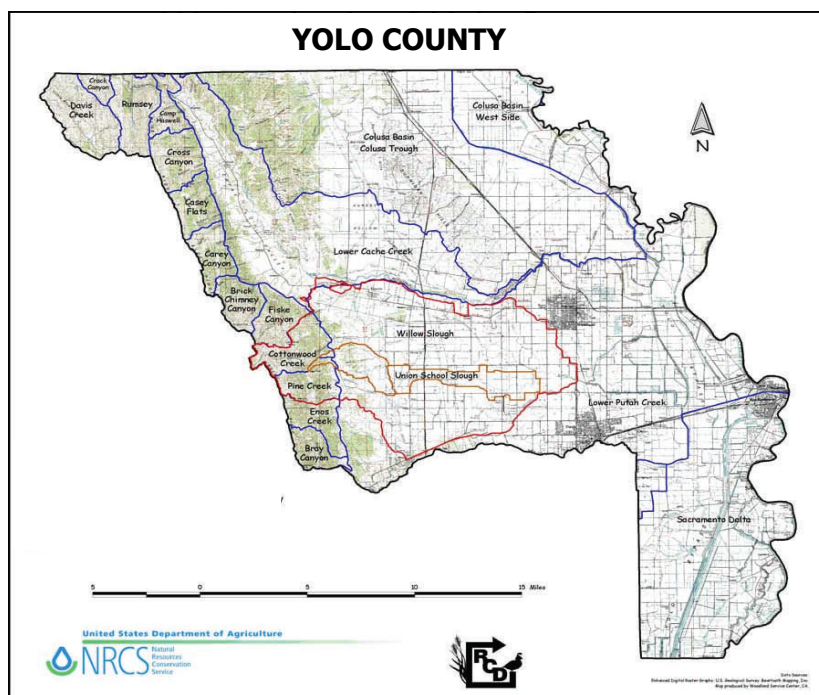
**Saturday's Field Tour.** David Kelly, Toby O'Geen, Roy Shlemon, and others will have organized stops exploring the old and young soils of the Putah-Cache fan, and constructed wetlands in the Yolo Bypass will also be visited. The bus will depart from the UC Davis campus, just north of the PES Building, promptly at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday morning. Parking is not enforced on the weekends, so participants will not need a parking permit. A box lunch and beverage will be provided. The bus will return to campus at 4:30 p.m.

### Locations, Maps, and Parking.

The registration fee includes a parking permit for campus parking for Thursday evening and Friday. Complete instructions regarding picking up parking permits, designated parking lots, maps to campus and other event venues, and additional helpful meeting resources will be emailed to all participants approximately 4 days before the meeting.

**Lodging.** There are many fine hotel options in Davis. See the [Yolo County Visitors Bureau](#) website for a complete listing, along with links to the hotels. Quite a few are within walking distance to the campus.

**Scholarships.** A limited number of scholarships supporting attendance to this meeting will be available to university students interested in soil/earth sciences. Email [info@pssac.org](mailto:info@pssac.org) for more information.





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## 2011 PSSAC Annual Meeting Registration Form

**Yes, I want to attend the 2011 PSSAC Annual Meeting!**

\$150 (Early Registration, by September 1st)

\$175 (Regular Registration, Sept. 2-22)

I am a current member of PSSAC and have taken a 10% discount from my registration fees.

I have also included a contribution to the PSSAC Scholarship Fund in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I will be bringing a guest(s) to the Annual Dinner on Friday night (\$35/person, please mark additional menu selections)

**Enclosed is my check made out to PSSAC in the amount of:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Laptop Availability:**

I will bring my own wireless-ready laptop

I would like to borrow a laptop computer (limited)

**Sudwerk Dinner Entrée Selection:**

Chicken Picatta       Sudwerk Sausages

**Dessert Selection:**

Three Layer Chocolate Mousse Torte

Berry Cobbler

New York Style Cheesecake

Special Needs or Dietary Constraints: \_\_\_\_\_

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Mail form with your check payable to "PSSAC" to:

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**Or, register online using your PayPal account at:** <http://www.pssac.org/AnnualMeetingAlbums/2011Meeting/2011-Annual-Meeting.htm>