



California Tribe Fighting Dams to Regain the Salmon Fisheries and their Health

Thursday, June 2nd, 12-2:30 pm
3001 Plant and Environment Sciences Building
Please bring your lunch.

Panel of speakers and discussion followed by a documentary.

Panelists will include:

Ron Reed, a traditional fisherman and Karuk tribal representative to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission hearings on the dams.

Dr. Kari Norgaard, sociologist from the University of California at Davis, will presenting findings from her research that links the disappearance of salmon to increases in poverty, unemployment, suicide and social dissolution among the Karuk peoples.

Dr. Peter Moyle, fish biologist and associate director of the Center for Integrated Watershed Science and Management.

The Karuk tribe, whose 3,300 members make up the second-largest Indian tribe in California, says that dams on the Klamath River destroyed the salmon runs on the river, depriving the tribe of their traditional diet. They are currently fighting to remove several dams along the Klamath River to revive salmon runs and regain their health.

As heard on NPR's *All Things Considered* and reported in the *Washington Post*.

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