





AGENDA

Thursday, May 1: 8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

8:00 a.m.	Check-in			
8:30 a.m.	Welcome and opening remarks			
9:00 a.m.	Keynote: Can Outdoor Recreation Save the World? Luis Benitez			
10:00 a.m.	Break			
10:30 a.m.	The EXPLORE Act: All You Need to Know			
11:30 a.m.	Break			
12:00 p.m.	Lunch & presentation			
	"Building Partnerships"	"Developing Workforce"	"Accessing Resources"	
1:20 p.m.	Backcountry Discovery Routes: Building on the success of an established route in Wyoming	Gearing Up for Success: Opportunities & Challenges in Wyoming's Outdoor Retail Industry	Funding Your Outdoor Vision: Updates & Strategies for Grant Success	
2:20 p.m.	Break			
2:40 p.m.	Climbing Area Management Across Wyoming	Opportunities and Challenges for Manufacturing and Distribution in WY's Outdoor Recreation Industry	Breaking Barriers: Expanding Accessibility in Wyoming's Outdoor Recreation Communities	

3:40 p.m.	Break		
4:00 p.m.	Land Heath and Recreational Sustainability through Partnerships AllTrails + FBT, Non-Profit + Trail App Partnerships: Efficiently educate visitors and overcome bandwidth issues	Bridging the Gap: Workforce Challenges and Opportunities in Wyoming's Outdoor Recreation Industry	Economic Diversification Through Outdoor Recreation
5:00 p.m.	Poster session & social hour		
7:00 p.m.	Wyoming Outdoor Recreation Business Alliance (WYORBA) mixer (downtown Laramie)		

Friday, May 2nd: 8:00 – 2:00 p.m.

8:00 a.m.	Check-in				
8:30 a.m.	Working with Elected Officials: Integrating Outdoor Recreation into Wyoming's Legislative Agenda				
10:00 a.m.	Break				
10:30 a.m.	The Role of Outdoor Recreation in Local Economic Development	Challenges and Opportunities for Wyoming's Guiding Community	Volunteer Trail Crews: A Grassroots Approach to Trail Stewardship in Wyoming		
11:30 a.m.	Buffet lunch available				
12:30 p.m.	Supporting Public Land Management Agencies Through Partnerships				
1:30 p.m.	Closing remarks				
2:00 p.m.	Optional field trips depart				

