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## Topics

*The conference brings together experts from around the world and addresses the following major topics:*

- Mega-fires: why is their frequency increasing?
- Why mega-fires require special understanding and approaches
- Perspectives and lessons learned from around the world
- Choices and options before and after mega-fires

## Conference Chairs

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*USDA, Forest Service, Rocky Mountain  
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