



Idaho EPSCoR Annual Meeting

RII Track-1: I-CREWS

May 26 - 28, 2026 (Mountain Time)

Boise State University, Student Union Building

Boise, Idaho

Tuesday, May 26, 2026 (Travel Day for most + half day event)

Self-organized travel from various locations.

- 12:00 pm Networking Lunch (provided) - Hatch Ballroom
- 1:15 pm Welcome and Opening Remarks and Overview (Andy Kliskey) - Hatch
- 2:00 pm Concurrent Sessions
- Community of Practice (75 min) - Bishop Barnwell
- TNRN Leadership Focus Group (90 min) - Bergquist
- PAB Meeting (closed) (75 min) - Cataldo
- Ad Hoc table-meetings - Hatch
- Poster setup (60 min) - Lookout
- 3:30 pm Poster Session (no host bar) - Lookout
-Odd-numbered Posters 3:30-4:00pm & 4:30-5:00pm
-Even-numbered Posters 4:00-4:30pm & 5:00-5:30pm
- 4:00 pm *Partnerships Meeting - Bishop Barnwell*
- 5:30 pm Networking Dinner (provided) - Hatch Ballroom
- 6:45 pm Adjourn
- 7:00 pm Transportation to Grove Hotel as needed

Wednesday, May 27, 2026

- 7:30 am Travel from Grove Hotel
- 7:45 am Breakfast (provided) - Hatch
- 8:30 am Welcome, Keynote Speaker Dr. Paul Hirsch: “Trade-offs, Trust, and the Workable Good” - Hatch
- 9:30 am *Open Meeting Rooms available all day for self-organized discussions as needed, Rms. Bergquist, Bishop Barnwell, Cataldo (sign up at the registration desk)*
- 9:30 am Plenary 2A: Study Site – Coeur d’Alene (90 min) - Hatch
- 11:00 am Workforce Development and Education Highlight presentations - Hatch
- 12:00 pm Networking Lunch (provided) - Hatch
 -Presentation of Idaho NSF EPSCoR Jean’ne M. Shreeve Award
- 1:15 pm Plenary 2B: Study Site – Treasure Valley (90 min) - Hatch
- 2:45 pm Break
- 3:00 pm Plenary 2C: Study Site – Fort Hall (90 min) - Hatch
- 4:30 pm Capacity and Sustainability presentations (60 min) - Hatch
 -TNRN
 -Data Hub
 -Partnerships
- 5:30 pm Adjourn
- 6:00 pm No-host reception at Stueckle Sky Center
- 6:30 pm Dinner (provided) - Sky Center
- 7:30 pm Transportation to Grove Hotel as needed

Thursday, May 28, 2026

(Treasure Valley Tours and Business Meetings– not intended to be optional)

- 7:00 am Breakfast on your own
- 8:00 am Bus/Van Transportation for local participants, Boise State University
- 8:15 am Bus/Van Transportation pickup at Grove Hotel
- 8:45 am Depart for Tours of Treasure Valley Study Site
-Option A – E-W: Boise WaterShed and Whitewater Park
-Option B – E-W: Lucky Peak, New York Canal, and near Micron
- 11:30 am Return from Tours to Boise State and Grove Hotel.
- 12:00 pm **Adjourn for most;** Lunch on your own; return travel for some
-Project Advisory Board Lunch with I-CREWS PIs (Grove Hotel)
- 1:30 pm Concurrent post-meeting events at the Grove Hotel
-Idaho EPSCoR Committee Annual Business Meeting (90 min) -Ivy Rm.
-Project Advisory Board meeting and report writing (closed) -Cattails Rm
- 3:00 pm State Committee adjourn
- 4:30 pm PAB adjourn
- 5:00 pm Optional self-organized no-host dinners for those staying overnight