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Great Plains Grassland Summit

Challenges and Opportunities from North to South
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The objectives of the 2018 Great Plains Grassland Summit are to have participants learn about and contribute to ideas and plans for managing, conserving and restoring grasslands across boundaries in the Great Plains. Invited plenary experts will first discuss challenges and opportunities for six themes:

- Working Lands,
- Native Species and Biodiversity,
- Invasive species,
- Wildland and Prescribed Fire,
- Energy development,
- Climate, Weather and Water

Breakout sessions on these six themes will allow workshop participants to contribute ideas, issues, needs and steps for an action plan to conserve, manage and restore Great Plains grasslands. A report will be produced from feedback received from breakout sessions, and synthesis papers will be published. Poster contributions will be solicited on a registration site which is in the works. Managers, researchers, and practitioners from all regions of the Great Plains and beyond are encouraged to attend.

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