

**2025 Coastal Silviculture Committee (CSC) Winter Workshop – Feb. 19  
Vancouver Island University – Malaspina Theatre Building 310**

<b>“Non Clearcut approaches for coastal silviculture – what has worked, what hasn’t and where do we go from here?”</b>		
<b>Times</b>	<b>Topic Theme</b>	<b>Speakers</b>
8:00 –8:45 <i>(1 hour)</i>	<b>Registration</b>	
8:45	Introduction	<b>Ritchard</b>
9:00 <i>(30 min)</i>	High level planning / Background – why alternative approaches and what? Possibly includes the update SSHB	<b>Bryce Bancroft</b> <i>Intro: Craig Wickland</i>
09:30 <i>(45 minutes)</i>	The Weyerhaeuser development of variable retention – Learnings from alternative silviculture systems research: the MASS study and variable retention adaptive management systems	<b>Bill Beese</b> <i>Intro: Paul Kutz</i>
10:15 <i>(20 minutes)</i>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
10:35 <i>(30 min)</i>	VR implementation on WFP tenures	<b>John Deal</b> <i>Intro: Paul Kutz</i>
11:05 <i>(40 min)</i>	Learnings from EBM deployment on the central and south coast	<b>Montana Goddard</b> <i>Intro: Ritchard LaBoucane</i>
11:45 <i>(15 min)</i>	Business Meeting / Student Bursaries	<b>Jack Sweeten</b> <b>Margaret Symon</b>
12:00 <i>(60 min)</i>	<b>Lunch</b>	
13:00 <i>(45 min)</i>	A PNW perspective on alternative silv systems	<b>Robert Bass, Manulife</b> <i>Intro: Dan Oxland</i>
13:45 <i>(45 min)</i>	Forest Health Overview of implications from moving to more partial cutting	<b>Mike Cruickshank</b> <i>Intro: Cosmin Filipescu</i>
14:30 <i>(15 min)</i>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
14:45 <i>(60 min)</i>	Removing single use plastics in silviculture – no wrap seedlings etc 10 minute viewpoint followed by panel discussion	<b>Kona van Diest, Sanna Larose, Scott Lemkay</b> <i>Intro: Cole Schneider and Elske von Hardenberg</i>
16:00 – 16:15 <i>(15 min)</i>	Intro to Summer CSC 2025 and wrap-up	<b>Jack Sweeten</b>