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## **Welcome**

Join us in Fairbanks, Alaska for our 2026 AGS Technical Conference. Whether you're a seasoned professional seeking to expand your network or a student eager to explore the vast possibilities within geosciences, this conference is the perfect platform to connect, learn and grow. The conference is in partnership with UAF and the Pacific Section of AAPG.

We are soliciting abstracts for oral and poster presentations.

## **Schedule**

- March 9- Details and Registration
- March 28 - Abstracts Due
- April 4 - End of Early Registration
- April 17 - Field Trip, Permafrost Tunnel
- April 18 - Conference
- April 18 - Museum of the North Tour
- April 18 - Happy Hour UAF Pub

## **Registration Fee + AGS Membership**

Registration included for each option. Conveniently add 1 year AGS membership or discounted lifetime membership when you package it with registration.

- Current Member = \$30 registration
- Non-member or expiring = \$50 (join/renew for \$25 + \$25 registration)
- Add lifetime membership (for anyone) = \$275 (\$250 lifetime + \$25 registration)
- Student - \$0
- Student and 1 year membership = \$5 (\$0 registration + \$5 membership)

## **Keynote Speaker**

**SPEAKER:** Pat Druckenmiller, Curator University of Alaska Museum of the North, Professor, Department of Geology and Geophysics, University of Alaska, Fairbanks

**TALK TITLE:** "Cretaceous Dinosaurs in Alaska: Major Questions, Recent Advances, and Future Directions"

## **Field Trips**

### **Pre-Conference Field Trip**

#### **Permafrost Tunnel - CRREL - Army Corps of Engineers**

**Friday, April 17, 2026, 4 pm**

Come tour the Permafrost Tunnel - view permafrost - ice wedges - ice lenses - other permafrost features - bones from the Pleistocene Epoch: bison, mammoth, horses.

14 spaces available.

**Note to Foreign Nationals:** Foreign nationals need to submit additional forms which could take 30 days. We urge foreign nationals to register for the conference quickly and sign up for the field trip quickly if they would like to attend.

Once you have registered, a link to the field trip forms will be emailed to you.

### **Post-Conference Field Trip**

**Saturday, April 18, 2026, 5 pm**

**"Behind the Scenes at the Museum of the North"**

Once you have registered, a link to the field trip forms will be emailed to you.

## **Submit Abstracts**

We welcome abstracts for oral and poster presentations at the conference. Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place posters. Student awards will also be given out for oral presentations. Notification of acceptance or rejection will be made by March 21, 2026.

Oral presentations should be around 20 minutes in length with an anticipated 5 minutes for Q&A.

**Abstract will be collected during registration. No guaranteed presentation spot without registration.**

**Submit Abstract:** Click on the black *Registration and Abstract Submittal Forms* button below to submit abstract

## **Poster Sessions**

Presenters will bring their posters to UAF on April 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Submit Poster:** Posters may be emailed to [agstechconference@gmail.com](mailto:agstechconference@gmail.com).

## **Location / Venue**

**University of Alaska, Fairbanks**

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