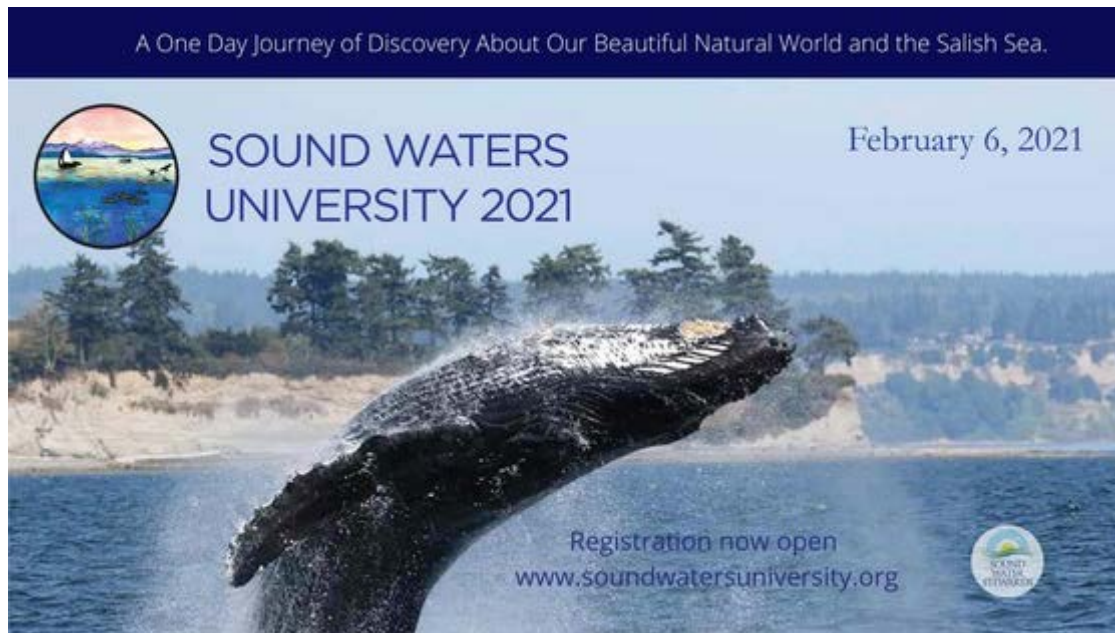




# Natural Resources Announcement

January 12, 2021

## Register Now!



Sound Waters University will be brought to you virtually by [Sound Water Stewards](#) of Island County on Saturday, February 6. There will be a wide variety of informative classes and presentations about the natural world and the fragile environment of the Salish Sea. It will include fascinating explorations on forest health, birds, river otters, earthquakes, groundwater science, ocean acidification, and more.

**Don't miss out on the early-bird special of \$45 until Friday, January 15!**

Island County will have a presence; the Shellfish, Noxious Weeds, Salmon Recovery, and Shore Friendly programs, and the Marine Resources Committee will all be featured as virtual exhibitors. Doug Kelly, Hydrogeologist with Island County Environmental Health, will present on *Understanding Groundwater Science*.

View the full schedule here: [www.soundwatersuniversity.org/classes/](http://www.soundwatersuniversity.org/classes/).

There will be 12 virtual classes to choose from, and opening remarks begin at 8:30 am. Attendees will have the wonderful opportunity to listen to all of the exciting speakers, with 12 sessions planned, and will have full access to all class recordings post-event except for Understanding Treaty Rights From a Tulalip Perspective, which will be live only! There will be breaks, and a chance to view the virtual exhibitors after each class session.

The keynote speaker is Dr. Peter S. Ross, an international authority on ocean pollution, who will present *A Sea of Trouble - Taking Action On Plastics Pollution*.

Discounts are available for students, teachers, military, and AmeriCorps members. Attendance is limited, so be sure to register today at [www.soundwatersuniversity.org](http://www.soundwatersuniversity.org).

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