

Out of 36 of the CBM Conference Questionnaires returned:

Tom Blewett, UW Extension programs and partnerships (morning presentation):

Question	Short	Adequate	Long	Responses
The 1-hour duration was?	0%	50%	50%	34
Was the content new to you?	Little/No 2 6%	Somewhat 17 49%	Mostly/Yes 16 46%	35
Are you likely to use this information?	No 6 17%	Possibly 19 54%	Yes 10 29%	35
Will you follow-up w/ Tom or UWEX?	No 10 29%	Possibly 16 46%	Yes 9 26%	35

COMMENTS:

Less focus on organizational structure and more focus on how CBM groups could use this resource would have been good.
 Stepenuck specialist section was most useful.
 Slides with photos would have punched up his talk and highlighted his interesting concepts.
 Sounds good, but I'm wondering about willingness to take on controversial issues.
 Good information on a wonderful and underutilized service.
 A little dry...sorry, partnership talk at end was the best part.
 Hard time following.
 Contact info for regional teams would have been great.

Boris Frank on nonprofit finance (morning presentation):

Question	Short	Adequate	Long	Responses
The 1-hour duration was?	15%	85%	0%	34
Was the content new to you?	Little/No 1 3%	Somewhat 15 43%	Mostly/Yes 19 54%	35
Are you likely to use this information?	No 1 3%	Possibly 8 23%	Yes 26 74%	35
Will you follow-up w/ Boris?	No 7 20%	Possibly 13 37%	Yes 15 43%	35

COMMENTS:

He was an enjoyable, dynamic speaker.
 Fun to listen to. Excellent information.
 [Are you likely to use this information?] Possibly, though more so in boards I serve on outside of volunteer monitoring.
 Good, dynamic inspiring presentation.
 Fun and informative talk.
 Very good. Took 3 pages of notes.
 Enthusiastic talk.
 Awesome - what a resource! Thank you!
 Very good ideas.
 He was a good speaker and was interesting. There were things that I've never thought about.
Great!!!
 More on grants would be great.
 Great presenter!
 EXCELLENT!

Ask a Specialist – Natural Resources

Question	Short	Adequate	Long	Responses
The 3-hour duration was?	2 6%	28 82%	4 12%	34
The format (layout and schedule) was?	Poor 0%	Fine 15 45%	Good 18 55%	33
The content was helpful?	No 0%	Somewhat 1 3%	Yes 31 97%	32
Will you follow-up with specialist(s)?	No 0%	Possibly 7 22%	Yes 25 78%	32

COMMENTS:

Great idea!

I don't think people realized rotation time was supposed to be 15 min I think they thought it was 1hr.

As a specialist, I appreciate the opportunity to network - made many good connections - beneficial to my project.

Loved this - very helpful! Good to sit and ask questions.

I liked the format very much! Great idea!

Maybe have some kind of chime ringing time change

Got what I needed from some, made connection for future w/ others.

They were great topics!

This was a good networking opportunity.

Fun and interesting.

Ask a Specialist – Nonprofit Management and UW Extension Programs

Question	Short	Adequate	Long	Responses
The 3-hour duration was?	0%	20 80%	5 20%	25
The format (layout and schedule) was?	Poor 0%	Fine 16 70%	Good 7 30%	23
The content was helpful?	No 1 4%	Somewhat 4 17%	Yes 19 79%	24
Will you follow-up with specialist(s)?	No 2 9%	Possibly 8 36%	Yes 12 55%	22

[The content was helpful?] +++Great!

I don't think people realized rotation time was supposed to be 15 min I think they thought it was 1hr.

Spent all my time in Nat. Resources!

You could have made a 4th 15 min time slot, and then have fewer choices each time.

I really liked this! I learned a lot. Kathy Martinson (on volunteerism) was great.

This was a good networking opportunity.

This was a great opportunity to learn from Boris and Kathy. It would be great to have more time w/ them in a group situation because other people have great questions that spark more details and ideas.

Schedule was more informal than planned.

Did you have to take time off work to be here on:

	Yes	No / NA	Responses
Friday?	14	20	34
	41%	59%	
Saturday?	2	32	34
	6%	94%	

How much of a deterrent to attending was the:

	Major	Moderate	Minor	Not a Deterrent	Responses
Registration fee	0%	6	12	18	36
		17%	33%	50%	
Travel & lodging costs	4	8	7	17	36
	11%	22%	19%	47%	
Timing (late October)	1	6	2	24	33
	3%	18%	6%	73%	
Time off from work		7	9	20	36
	0%	19%	25%	56%	
Distance to travel		10	10	16	36
	0%	28%	28%	44%	

Your preferred month(s) for the next CBM conference:

	October	January	February	March	Responses
	25	2	3	7	37
	68%	5%	8%	19%	100%

OTHER COMMENTS:

I like the idea to require inclusion of travel funds for @ least 1 rep to attend the conference in their partnership program fund applications (so of 5K ~\$200 would have to be allocated to travel to this).

End of October is much better than beginning.

Great Conference.

Posters excellent and very informative - encourage more! Provide a list of posters.

Video is a good idea for website, but could this be put out on CD?

Thanks for doing this.

Great experience - thank you!

Good idea to rotate location to various areas of the state.

Just a volunteer.

October is good - but chose a different weekend (conflict w/ prairie invertebrate conference)

October = no snow!

October = no winter driving

Month of conference does not matter.

The specialists were great.

I would like to see more volunteers. Could possibly withhold \$250 scholarship in grant to send one person to conference (almost required).

Thanks for putting this together!

Any of the proposed months would work.