

## **MISSION**

The principal goals of the Western Hemisphere Shorebird Group is to:

- 1) raise the public's awareness of shorebirds and their habitats;
- promote research, monitoring, management, conservation and education / outreach relevant to shorebirds in the Western Hemisphere;
- provide a structured forum to facilitate, coordinate, and enhance the exchange of shorebird information; and
- promote the range-wide management and conservation of shorebirds and their habitats throughout the Western Hemisphere.

### CONTACT

Rick Lanctot Finance Chair, 8 WHSG meeting Richard lanctot@fws.gov

WHSG Website
Westernshorebirdgroup.org

8<sup>th</sup> WHSG meeting website: audubonpanama.org/2-all/89whsg2019-eng.html

# **Securing your Sponsorship:**

Credit card:

https://icfcanada.org/?/donate/usdonors (indicate that your funds should go to ICFC WHSG General Fund)

Cash or bank transfer possible too.



8th Western Hemisphere Shorebird Group Meeting

24 - 28 October, 2019 Panama City, Panama

WHSG2019@audubonpanama.org

# **BECOME A SPONSOR!**

#### **EVENT**

The WHSG meeting attracts >175 professionals and students from throughout the Western Hemisphere. Our program includes workshops, symposium, plenary lectures, and contributed papers and posters sessions. We are one of the few meetings held in both English and Spanish. Reach a whole new and expanding group of people from Latin America!

Location. The meeting will be held in Panama City, Panama from 24-28 October 2019.

Sponsors and exhibitors will receive maximum exposure with booths centrally located in the exhibition hall where poster sessions, coffee breaks, and social activities take place.

## **SPONSORSHIP LEVELS**

**Whimbrel:** \$5000 or comparable equipment cost; entitles you to one 15 minute presentation slot, complimentary conference registration for upto 3 people, spaces for 2 exhibit booths, advertisement space in program, logo placement in program, website recognition, and meeting recognition.

**Red Knot**: \$3000 or comparable equipment cost; entitles you to complimentary conference registration for upto 2 people, space for 1 exhibit booth, advertisement space in program, logo placement in program, website recognition, and meeting recognition.

**Two-banded Plover**: \$1000 or comparable equipment cost: entitles you to complimentary conference registration for 1 person, advertisement space in program, logo placement in program, website recognition, and meeting recognition.

**Buff-breasted Sandpiper**: \$500 or comparable equipment cost; entitles you to advertisement space in program, logo placement in program, website recognition, and meeting recognition.

**Semipalmated Sandpiper**: other levels (including in-kind equipment donation), entitles you to logo placement in program, website recognition, and meeting recognition.