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## **Landslides, Earthquakes & Floods, Oh My!!!**

**Geohazards Symposium at Seattle Center in February 2018:**

### ***Living with Earth Hazards in Western Washington***

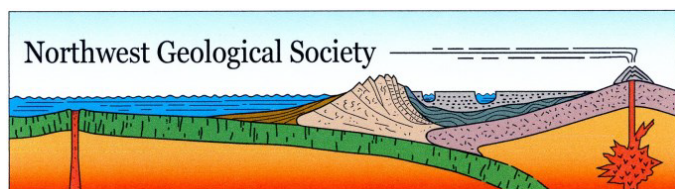
The Association of Environmental and Engineering Geologists (AEG) and the Northwest Geological Society (NWGS) are co-presenting a Geohazards Symposium February 16 through 18, 2018 in Marion Oliver McCaw Hall at Seattle Center. Topics will include volcanic hazards, tsunamis, earthquakes, flooding, landslides, sea level rise, and geohazard disaster preparedness.

The Symposium will begin with a Technical Day on Friday, February 16 in which registrants can learn from technical experts about the latest research regarding all types of earth hazards in western Washington.

On Saturday, February 17, the Symposium will present a Public Day to provide learning opportunities about the natural geologic hazards in the area and how to be better prepared in the event of a geohazard disaster. In addition to presentations, there will be informational booths, computer mapping stations and technical professionals available to discuss specific geologic hazards in local areas. A rock identification booth will be staffed with geology students to identify public attendee's favorite specimens. The Saturday event will be **free** and open to the public with registration.

To obtain more information and to register for the Symposium, visit [www.aegpugetsound.org/events-calendar](http://www.aegpugetsound.org/events-calendar) or [www.nwgs.org/symposium/symposium.htm](http://www.nwgs.org/symposium/symposium.htm)

For television or radio interviews regarding the Symposium, please contact Dr. Troost or Mr. Miller.



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