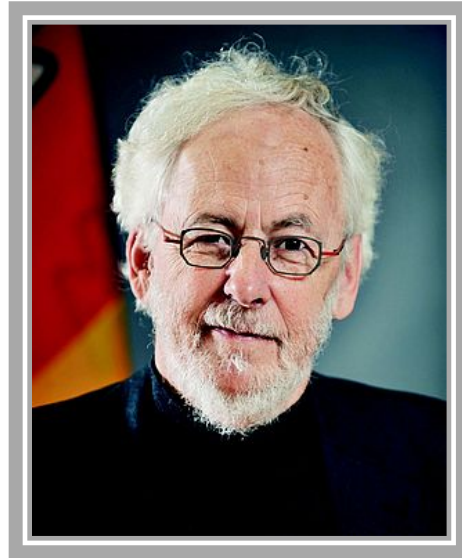


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2017 – Jean Huot



Position: Professor Emeritus, Department of Biology, Université Laval

Accomplishments: Dr. Huot is well-known throughout Quebec and Canada for his research on a wide range of wildlife issues related to conservation and ecology, on species including white-tailed deer, moose, and black bears. At the Université Laval, he established and held the NSERC-Produits Forestiers Anticosti Industrial Research Chair in Integrated Management of Forest Biological Resources, and was also Director of the department. He participated extensively in scientific management of Forêt Montmorency, caribou and wolverine recovery teams. Dr. Huot supervised or co-supervised more than 40 graduate students, and was well-liked and respected for putting the needs of his students before his own, and instilling in them a strong ability to conduct rigorous and meaningful scientific research.

Dr. Huot strongly influenced wildlife management across Quebec and Canada. He has guided wildlife management by many governmental and non-governmental organizations including Parks Canada, Hydro Quebec, the Quebec Ministry of Natural Resources, Ducks Unlimited Canada, and several Aboriginal organizations. Dr. Huot has held numerous high-profile positions influencing public forest management and scientific research, including some conducted by the Department of Defense and Environment Canada., and in 2002 was awarded the title of Emeritus member by the Quebec Biologists Association in recognition of his extensive achievements.