

<u>Lisa Damrosch - Fisheries Forum-2017</u>

Presentation Overview:

I will share examples of industry led collaboration projects, and ideas that provide opportunities for innovative solutions to the challenges that face commercial fishing in California.

Bullet Points of Presentation (3-5 min)

- o Introduction- 4th Generation fishing family
- Challenges facing the industry
- o HMBSMA created in 2013, to bring local fishermen together with common credible voice
- o Power of collaboration and innovation
- o Industry led -Lost Gear Recovery Program
- o Opportunities for Exempted Fishing Permit program to inform regulation
- Hope for the future/Next steps