Painted Bolete

*Suillus spraguei*
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**ID**: Cap yellow, covered w/ conspicuous pink/dark red patches/scales; convex (flatter in age); flesh yellow. Pores yellow/tingy yellow; not easily separated from cap. Stalk covered w/ reddish scales/patches.

**Habitat**: Scattered, groups. On ground under white pine (obligate).

**Cap**: 1.1 – 4.8” [3 – 12 cm]

**Pores**: Yellow/tingy yellow. May stain reddish/brownish. Slightly decurrent. Angular, somewhat radially arranged (hexagonal; 0.5 – 5 mm). Tubes (4 – 8 mm, < flesh layer) not easily separated from cap.

**Spores**: Brown.

**Stalk**: 1.6 – 4.8” x 0.4 – 1” [4 – 12 cm x 1 – 2.5 cm]

**Frequency**: Uncommon.

**Locations**: LONGC.

**Notes**: Mycobank 586263.

**Synonyms**: *S. pictus*. *Boletinus pictus*.