

SEMINARS - ANCON CONFERENCE ROOM

The noon seminar on Tuesday, January 26 will be given by JACK W. SITE from Brigham Young University. His subject:

Chromosome Change and Speciation: Where is the Connection?

There will be no evening seminar that Tuesday.

NEXT WEEK

The noon seminar on Tuesday, February 2, will be given by WILLIAM DAVIS, Postdoctoral Fellow at STRI. His title:

Evolution of Monogamy and New World Kingfishers.

ARRIVALS & DEPARTURES

January 23 - Departing, NANCY KNOWLTON, for Utah to attend the Winter Animal Behavior Conference until January 30.

January 24 - Arriving, ROY CALDWELL, from the University of California, Berkeley, to continue his research on stomatopods for the Oil Spill Project.

January 25 - Arriving, ROBERT OREMLAND, procurement specialist from Washington, D.C., to review STRI's needs in the areas of procurement, property management, shipping and receiving, and to give recommendations for improving services.

ON LEAVE

Ramon Ely, January 25-February 16

1987 PUBLICATIONS BY STRI STAFF, FELLOWS & RESEARCH ASSOCIATES

Blake, J.G. and J.R. Karr. 1987. Breeding birds of isolated woodlots: area and habitat relationships. Ecology 68(6): 1724-1734.

Briceño, R.D. 1987. How spiders determine clutch size. Rev. Biol. Trop. 35(1): 25-29.

1987. Iguana management success in Panama shared with other nations (based on report by D. Werner). Bostid Developments, National Research Council 7(2): 22-23.

ASSISTANTS/VOLUNTEERS AVAILABLE

The STRI Personnel Office has a CV on file from a recent Ph.D. in Metabolism and Human Nutrition from the University of Nebraska (Lincoln). She is familiar with chemical analyses and computers.

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EMERITA BASO has a Ph.D. in Biological Sciences from the Universidad Autónoma de México. She has experience in entomology, acarology, and micology (Tel: 20-5684).

A second year computer systems student from the Universidad Tecnológica de Panamá, FERNANDO BOUCHE, is interested in volunteer work at STRI (Tel: 64-0221).

RODERICK CHRISTIE (Winterslow, Halifax, Vermont 05358) has a masters in wildlife biology from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst. He has experience in mammal research and environmental science, and is willing to work for living and travel expenses.

NICHOLAS CLARKE (National Parks Trust, c/o Ministry of Natural Resources, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands) is interested in volunteering for projects connected with the conservation of rainforests and the possibility of involving the tourism industry in park management. He has a Ph.D. from Reading University, UK, in freshwater ecology, and has worked as resource management consultant and manager for the British Virgin Islands National Parks Trust.

A recent BS in political economy of natural resources from University of California, Berkeley, ELLEN DONOGHUE is interested in working as an assistant at STRI (1524 Grant St., Berkeley, CA 94703).

THOMAS NEAL MCALILEY (2025 Secoffee St, Miami, FL 33133) has a BA from Harvard University in General Studies. He is interested in practicing environmental law in the future, but before entering law school would like to work as an assistant at STRI for room and board.

FROM PASTORS HOUSE

Urgently need wide-mouthed glass jars of any size. Please save and send to Dr. Wolda's lab.

POSICION EN BCI

Abierta posición como Guardabosque en Barro Colorado. Temporal/ 1 año. Requisitos incluyen conocimiento del bosque, entrenamiento en biología o manejo forestal o experiencia equivalente, buena salud, saber nadar, preferiblemente hablar inglés. Interesados pueden dirigirse a la Oficina de Personal de STRI.

CONTRIBUTION FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON  
FORESTRY NEWSLETTER

Well it's September once again, and a new group of forest biology students will soon join the CFR. To get them off on the right foot, here are some basic definitions learned in For B 323.

Acute           Sudden, sharp pain, but not drawn out.  
 Anther         What wath the quethtion?  
 Appressed     Anyone living under a dictatorship  
 Bole           Not afraid  
 Carpel        The cheapest way to commute  
 Corolla        Small Toyota  
 Diploid        Utilized his/her graduate students strategically  
 Haploid        A graduate student who enjoys being Diploid  
 Exserted      Worked very hard. ("The haploid exserted himself")  
 Elmaform      The new model from Playtex. (See girdling.)  
 Girdling      Thinning out the waist. (See elmaform.)  
 Mondecious    Wealthy  
 Pollen        An actor who appeared on "Hollywood Squares"  
 Sessile        An early Hollywood film director  
 A Style with a Stigma attached to it    Out of fashion  
 Whorled       Where we live  
 Terminal Bud   The last beer of the night  
 Substrate     A manner of walking typical of one on whom the enzymes and fermenting agents of the Terminal Bud are at work.

--contributed by Craig Buhler

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