

SEMINARS - ANCON CONFERENCE ROOM

Tuesday, **August 22**, noon seminar speaker will be **EGBERT LEIGH**, STRI scientist.

Group and Kin Selection

NEXT WEEK

Tuesday, **August 29**, noon seminar speaker will be **JOSHUA SCHWARTZ**, Brown University.

Communication in Anuran
Choruses: Is It Really that Noisy
in Gamboa?

ARRIVALS

August 22 - 29, **SIMON NEMTZOV**, State University of New York at Stony Brook, for a brief visit to San Blas and to consult with Ross Robertson.

DEPARTURES

August 20 - September 15, **MONICA ALVARADO**, from STRI Director's Office, to Washington, D.C. to assist Alan Smith and Edgardo Maravi in setting up the new STRI offices, and to assist in the preparation of the opening of the exhibit "Parting the Green Curtain".

APPOINTMENTS / RESIGNATIONS

Two new employees will come on board beginning September 11--

LEOPOLDO LEON will be the new budget analyst in the accounting office, under the supervision of Mrs. Leonor Motta. Mr. Leon has a vast experience in administration, and worked for 15 years with Citibank in Panama. He has a BS from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY and an MBA from Tulane University, New Orleans.

NEREIDA HERNANDEZ will be the new secretary for STRI's Executive Officer, Mrs. Leonor Motta. Maria Morello, Mrs. Motta's present secretary, will move to another position in the new Visitor's Office in the Tupper Center. Mrs. Hernandez worked at US AID for 10 years, and is a graduate from the Cambridge School of Business in New York. She has been president of the Panama Executive Secretaries' Association on two occasions.

After 15 years at STRI, **BARBARA CUSATTI**, Barro Colorado Island manager, resigns effective November 18; she will be relocating to the U.S.

POSICION ABIERTA

La oficina de personal del Instituto está recibiendo solicitudes para la siguiente posición--
Persona con experiencia en la rama de hotelería para supervisor(a) de instalaciones de vivienda y cocina en la isla de Barro Colorado. Mínimo 3 años de experiencia en el manejo de restaurantes, planeamiento de menus, compra de víveres y control de inventarios. Además se requiere experiencia en el manejo de reservaciones, aseo de viviendas y manejo de personal. La persona debe ser bilingüe (inglés/español).

NEW STRI WASHINGTON OFFICE

As of August 15, the new address and telephone for the STRI Development Office and STRI Liaison Office will be:

Arts & Industries Bldg.
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Office Hours: 9 am - 5 pm

All correspondence for Edgardo Maravi and Alan Smith should be sent directly to this address.

REMINDER FROM PROCUREMENT

NO new purchase orders, except for **BONA FIDE** emergency requests will be processed after September 1. Some BPA's and Imprest Fund Purchases will continue until September 30, but should be kept to a minimum.

FROM ACCOUNTING/ DE CONTABILIDAD

This is to remind you that it is important to send the invoices received with packages to the Accounting Office (Accounts Payable). If this is not done, Accounting has to write the vendor to request a copy of the invoice, which delays payment considerably and results in extra charges and non use of discounts.

If you need to maintain an invoice for your records, please make a copy and send the original.

Se les recuerda que es importante enviar las facturas recibidas de pedidos al Departamento de Contabilidad (Cuentas por Pagar) lo antes posible. Sólo así se pueden pagar las cuentas a tiempo para aprovechar los descuentos disponibles y evitar pagar cargos adicionales por atraso en el pago. Si Contabilidad no recibe las facturas se ve en la necesidad de escribir a la compañía para pedir una copia, lo cual toma tiempo y demora el pago.

Si necesita mantener un registro de facturas, favor hacer una copia y enviar el original.

CHARLA PARA EMPLEADOS Y VISITANTES
NUEVOS Y PERSONAS INTERESADAS

El martes, **22 de agosto**, a las 10 a.m., en el Salón de Conferencias de Ancón, se llevará a cabo una presentación sobre el Instituto Smithsonian de Investigaciones Tropicales, su historia, objetivos y actividades, para empleados y becarios nuevos, voluntarios, y otras personas interesadas.

CONFERENCIA MENSUAL EN INRENARE

Fecha/Hora: **24 de agosto**, 10:00 a.m.

Conferencista: **ROBERTO IBAÑEZ**,
becario de STRI

Título: Los Anfibios en el Parque Nacional Soberanía y la isla de Barro Colorado

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ACID TOXICITY AND AQUATIC ANIMALS (R. Morris et al., editors, 1989)
QH545.A17A234 1989X STRI.

BIRDS TO WATCH : THE ICBP WORLD CHECKLIST OF THREATENED BIRDS (NJ Collar & P. Andrew, 1988)
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THE CARIBBEAN-SOUTH AMERICAN PLATE BOUNDARY AND REGIONAL TECTONICS (WE Bonini et al., editors, 1984)
QE511.4.C36 1984X STRI.

CENOZOIC COSMOPOLITAN DEEP-WATER BENTHIC FORAMINIFERA (FPCM van Morkhoven et al., 1986)
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THE ECOLOGY OF TEMPORARY WATERS (DD Williams, 1987)
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EVOLUTION AND COADAPTATION IN BIOTIC COMMUNITIES (S. Kawano et al., editors, 1987)
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EVOLUTION OF FISH SPECIES FLOCKS (AA Echelle & I. Korfield, editors, 1984)
QL618.2.E93 1984 STRI.

LA FRONTERA DEL ESTADO INCA (TD Dillehay & P. Netherly, editors, 1988)
F3429.F93 1988 STRI.

HISTOIRE DU CONCEPT D'ESPECE DANS LES SCIENCES DE LA VIE : COLLOQUE INTERNATIONAL, MAI 1985 (S. Atran et al., 1987)
QH83.H57 1987X STRI.

AN INTERDISCIPLINARY BIBLIOGRAPHY OF FRESHWATER CRAYFISHES, (ASTACOIDEA AND PARASTACOIDEA) FROM ARISTOTLE THROUGH 1985, UPDATED THROUGH 1987 (CW Hart, Jr. & J. Clark, 1989)
Z7997.C7H37 1989X STRI.

INTERINDIVIDUAL BEHAVIORAL VARIABILITY IN SOCIAL INSECTS (RL Jeanne, editor, 1988)
QL496.I422 1988X STRI.

KEY FORESTS FOR THREATENED BIRDS IN AFRICA (NJ Collar & SN Stuart, 1988)
QL676.7.C96k STRI.

LOSOSSEVIDNYE RYBY : MORFOLOGII, SISTEMATIKA I EKOLOGII : SBORNIK NAUCHNYKH TRUDOV (OA Skarlato, 1976)
QL638.S2L67X STRI.

METHODS IN PLANT MOLECULAR BIOLOGY (MA Schuler & RE Zielinski, 1989)
QK728.S38 1989X STRI.

THE NAHUEL HUAPI ACTION PLAN FOR PROTECTED AREAS OF THE NEOTROPICAL REALM (IUCN Commission on National Parks and Protected Areas, 1986)
QH77.L25N23 1986Z STRI.

A NOMENCLATURAL GUIDE TO R.H. BEDDOME'S FERNS OF SOUTH INDIA AND FERNS OF BRITISH INDIA (S. Chandra & S. Kaur, 1987)
QK529.I4C45 1987 STRI.

NUTRIENT REQUIREMENTS OF COLDWATER FISHES (National Research Council, 1981)
SH156.N97 1981 STRI.

NUTRIENT REQUIREMENTS OF HORSES (National Research Council, 1978)
SF285.5.N27 1978 STRI.

NUTRIENT REQUIREMENTS OF NONHUMAN PRIMATES (National Research Council, 1978)
SF407.P7N27 1978 STRI.

NUTRIENT REQUIREMENTS OF RABBITS (National Research Council, 1977)
SF454.N27 1977 STRI.

OBSERVING MARINE INVERTEBRATES : DRAWINGS FROM THE LABORATORY (DP Abbott, 1987)
QL155.A5 1987X STRI.

OWLS OF THE NORTHERN HEMISPHERE (KH Voous, 1989)
QL696.S8V66 1989X STRI.

PEST CONTROL IN MUSEUMS : A STATUS REPORT (1980) (SR Edwards et al., editors, 1981)
AM145.P47 STRI.

RESIDENT FOREST BIRDS IN THAILAND : THEIR STATUS AND CONSERVATION (PD Round, 1988)
QL691.T5R85 1988 STRI.

THE SCIENCE OF PHOTOBIOLOGY (KC Smith, editor, 1989)
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THE SUNNING BEHAVIOUR OF BIRDS : A GUIDE FOR ORNITHOLOGISTS (KEL Simmons, 1986)
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USING OIL SPILL DISPERSANTS ON THE SEA (National Research Council (U.S.). Committee on Effectiveness of Oil Spill Dispersants, 1989)
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VARIABLE PLANTS AND HERBIVORES IN NATURAL MANAGED SYSTEMS (RF Denno & MS McClure, editors, 1983)
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WHAT IS AN ANIMAL? (T. Ingold, editor, 1988)
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