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SEMINAR NEWS

The luncheon seminar on Tuesday, June 18 will be given by JAMES WEINBERG, Smithsonian Postdoctoral Fellow, from the University of Connecticut. His subject will be:

Evolutionary divergence among populations of a marine isopod: within and between ocean comparisons.

ARRIVALS

KATHRYN NEMEC, originally from New Zealand, arrived this past week to work with H. Lessios in the San Blas.

Expected this week are:

DIANE LARSEN, University of Iowa, to work with H. Howe on BCI.

From Temple University: ANTHONY J. RANERE, and his son WOODY, PATRICIA HANSELL, and DORIS WEILAND, and MARY ALICE HAYWARD, University of Michigan, to work on the on-going study: "Environment, settlement, and subsistence in prehistoric Central Panama."

ISABEL URREIZTIETA DE WEIL, from the Fundación Científica "Los Roques," to work with N. Knowlton at Naos until the end of August.

VISIT TO THE IGUANA FARM

At the invitation of D. WERNER, project manager, members of the STRI administrative staff visited the IGUANA MANAGEMENT PROJECT on Thursday, June, 6 and on Wednesday, June 12. Dr. Werner and collaborators explained to the group the different experiments that were going on. From all who went: MUCHAS GRACIAS A DAGMAR Y A TODOS LOS DEL "IMP."

ADDITIONAL FUNDING RECEIVED

STRI recently received \$35,000 from the Exxon Corporation in continued support of our Fellowship and Assistantship Program during 1985. This program supports research assistants and fellows at STRI from Panama and other developing nations. As part of this program staff and visiting scientists at STRI can request a research assistant who will receive experience and training. Guidelines and information are available from G. de Alba at Ancon.

OF INTEREST/DE INTERES

"ALEJANDRO HERNANDEZ, supervisory gamewarden of the Barro Colorado Nature Monument...is a man of many talents." This line begins an interview with Hernandez that appears in the June issue of TORCH. Also in this issue, there is an article by William Schulz on the Tropical Biology Conference: "SI scientists gather to assess efforts in tropical biology conservation." The article features STRI's participation in the conference and I. Rubinoff's remarks about why it was important. It also included a photo of S. Hubbell at work.

"ALEJANDRO HERNANDEZ, jefe de los guardabosques del Monumento Natural de Barro Colorado...es un hombre con muchas habilidades." Así comienza una entrevista con Hernández que aparece en el TORCH del mes de junio. También en ese número del TORCH se encuentra un artículo por William Schulz sobre la Conferencia de Biología Tropical, que reunió a científicos de diversas dependencias del Smithsonian para determinar los avances en conservación y estudios biológicos en el trópico. El artículo comenta la participación de los científicos de STRI y las palabras de I. Rubinoff de por qué esta conferencia fue importante para el Smithsonian. También incluye una foto de S. Hubbell trabajando.

On Sunday, June 16, General John R. Galvin, 4-star general and Commander-in-Chief of the U.S. Southern Command, will visit Barro Colorado Island.

El domingo, 16 de junio, el General John Galvin, general de 4 estrellas y Comandante del "Southern Command" del ejercito de Estados Unidos, visitará BCI.

FOR SALE /SE VENDE

-1979 INTERNATIONAL SCOUT Diesel, \$5,000. -1981 DAHAITSU, \$2,000

See/Ver: K. Kaufman, Naos.

PLEASE/FOR FAVOR

U.S. Government Vehicle Operator's License should be requested at least one day prior to when it will be needed.

Los pases para manejar vehículos oficiales del Instituto deber solicitarse por lo menos un día antes de cuando se necesiten.

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LIBRARY NEWS

The Library's Acquisitions List No. 2 is now available. It includes all material that has been catalogues in the STRI Library Collection since January 1985, arranged by broad subject area and then by author and editor. Lists have been sent to staff and to all facilities. Additional copies are available upon request.

New books:

FRESHWATER INVERTEBRATES OF THE UNITED STATES (Robert William Pennak, 1978) QL 141 P45 1978X STRI

PRIMATE PATERNALISM (D. M. Taub, editor. 1984) QL 737 P9 P9728 1984X STR

STRATEGIC PLANNING FOR LIBRARY MANAGERS (Donald E. Riggs, 1984) Z 679.5 R54 1984X STRI

THEORY AND MANAGEMENT OF TROPICAL FISHERIES (ICLARM/CSIRO workshop. D. Pauly and G. I. Murphy editors. ICLARM cont, 1982) SH 321 I 27 1981X STRI

REMINDER/RECORDERIS

FATHERS DAY IS SUNDAY JUNE 16
FELIZ DIA A TODOS LOS PADRES DE STRI!