

SEMINAR NEWS

The luncheon seminar on Tuesday, June 25 will be given by JAMES HAMRICK, Professor of Botany, Systematics and Ecology at the University of Kansas. Dr. Hamrick will speak on:

Distribution of genetic variation
in tropical tree species

ARRIVALS & DEPARTURES

JESSICA EBERHARD arrived this past week from Costa Rica. She will spend approximately two months in Gamboa working with J. Karr.

June 23 - Arriving, DALE MARCELLINI, National Zoological Park, on his way to Cuba, on official business.

June 25 - Leaving, STAN RAND, to continue studies in Cuba in collaboration with the Cuban Academy of Sciences. He will return July 3rd.

June 25 - Leaving, JEREMY JACKSON, for London, England. Dr. Jackson was invited by the Royal Society to participate in the Discussion Meeting on "Modular Organisms" where he will present a paper on the life history of clonal organisms. He is expected back June 30.

June 25 - Leaving, DAVID ROUBIK, to Colombia for two weeks. He will be working on bee research with Enrique Moreno and a bee biology group at the Universidad Nacional de Colombia.

Leaving this week after one year at STRI are JIM WEINBERG and VICKE STARZAK. They will be going to Woods Hole Marine Laboratory, where Jim will have a postdoctoral appointment. Buena suerte.

LIFE INSURANCE OPEN SEASON

Until July 1st federal, pre-treaty employees can join or change their life insurance coverage. For more information, please call H. Leyton at the Tivoli.

U.S.SAVINGS BOND CAMPAIGN

Anyone interested in buying U.S. savings bonds, and taking advantage of the 9.49% market based interest rate, can get information from the secretary at your facility.

NEW MEMBERS OF SMITHSONIAN COUNCIL

The Smithsonian Council is a multidisciplinary group of distinguished scholars that advises the institution regarding the direction of its programs. The Secretary has invited the following people to join the Smithsonian Council as new members:

Professor Paul Fussell
English Literature
University of Pennsylvania

Dr. Walter E. Massey
Director, Argonne National
Laboratory

Professor Robert M. May
Biology
Princeton University

Professor Matthew S. Messelson
Biochemistry
Harvard University

Professor Sidney W. Mintz
Anthropology
John Hopkins University

Mr. Arthur Mitchell
Director, Dance Theater of
Harlem

Dr. Peter H. Raven
Director, Missouri Botanical
Garden

Dr. David Warren
Director, Cultural Research and
Resources Center
Institute of American Indian Arts
College of Santa Fe

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

The meetings of the Preparatory Committee for Panama Canal Alternatives will be held in Panama during the week of June 24. The meetings will be attended by a tripartite commission of representatives from Panama, the U.S. and Japan. The Smithsonian Institution will be represented by Ira Rubinoff and Elena Lombardo.

AVOID SURPRISE EXPIRATION OF
DOCUMENTS

We remind you to check periodically the expiration dates on your official documents, i.e., passport, special residency permit, paz y salvo, driver's license, etc. Please begin making arrangements for a new special residency permit at least one month before the current permit expires.

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FELICITACIONES

A DINIZ RAMOS, quien trabaja en el Proyecto de Manejo de la Iguana Verde, por ganar el segundo lugar en su categoría en una competencia internacional de karate que se celebró la semana pasada.

LIBRARY NEWS

New books received:

- CHLOROPLASTS (Kenneth J Hooper, 1984) QK 725 H597 1984X STRI
- HANDGUIDE TO THE CORAL REEF FISHES OF THE CARIBBEAN (Joseph F. Stokes 1980) QL 621.58 S76 1980X STRI
- INTRODUCTION TO FRESHWATER VEGETATION (Donald N. Riemer, 1984) QK 932 R54 1984X STRI
- MARINE ALGEN DER PAZIFIKKUSTRE VON KOLUMBIEN (Richard Schnetter, 1982) QK 542.4 C7 S35 1982X STRI
- MENDEL (Vitezslav Orel, 1984) QH 31 M45 O 6813 1984X STRI
- THE PUFFIN (M. Harris, 1984) QL 696 C42 H315 1984XSTR I
- REVISION OF THE STIGONENATAACEAE, WITH SUMMARY OF THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE BLUE GREEN ALGAE (Francis Drouet, 1981) QK 569 S85 D78 1981 STRI
- ROTHSCHILD COLLECTION OF FLEAS, THE CERATOPHYLLIDAE: KEY TO THE GENERA AND HOST RELATIONSHIPS. (Robert Traub, 1984) QL 599.7 C4 T77 1983X STRI
- THE SEA, IDEAS AND OBSERVATIONS ON PROGRESS IN THE STUDY OF THE SEA. VOL. 8 (G.T. Rowe, editor) GC 6 H55 v. 8
- SHOREBIRDS IN THE MARINE ENVIRONMENTS (Frank A. Pitelka, editor) QL 696.C4 S55 1979 STRI
- STATISTICAL DISTRIBUTION IN ECOLOGICAL WORK (J. K. Ord, G. P. Patik, C. Taille, editors.) QH 541.15 S72 S72X STRI
- A SYNOPTIC CLASSIFICATION OF LIVING ORGANISMS (R.S.K. Barnes, 1984) QH 83 S893 1984X STRI
- TROPICAL RAIN FORESTS OF THE FAR EAST (T. C. Whitmore, 1983) QH 193 S6 W47 1983X STRI
- CLUSTER ANALYSIS FOR RESEARCHERS. (Charles H. Romesburg, 1984) QA 278 R66 1984X STRI
- BEIJA-FLORES DO ESTADO DO ESPIRITO SANTO-HUMMINGBIRDS OF THE STATE OF ESPIRITO SANTO. (Augusto Ruschi, 1982) IQL 696 A558 R95 STRI
- DICTIONARY OF GENETICS AND ALLIED TERMINOLOGY (Robert C. King, 1985) QH 427 K55 1985X STRI
- DISTRIBUTION, BIOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT OF EXOTIC FISHES (W. R. Courtenay, jr. and J.R. Stauffer, jr , 1984) QL 625 D57 1984X STRI
- HOMINID EVOLUTION AND COMMUNITY ECOLOGY: PREHISTORIC HUMAN ADAPTATION IN BIOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVE. (R. Foley, ed., 1984) GN 741 H76 1984 STRI
- REVISION OF THE NOSTOCACEAE WITH CONSTRICTED TRICHOMES. (Francis Drouet, 1978) QK 569 N75 D78 1978 STRI
- THE SEA, IDEAS AND OBSERVATIONS ON PROGRESS IN THE STUDY OF THE SEA. VOL. 7 (C. Emiliani, editor, 1981) GC H55 v. 7 STRI
- STATUS AND CONSERVATION OF THE WORLD'S SEABIRDS (J. P. Croxall, et al eds., 1984) QL 671 S79 1984X STRI
- STRATIFICATION OF TROPICAL FORESTS AS SEEN IN LEAF STRUCTURE (Ingrid Roth, 1984) QK 649 R83 1983X STRI
- SUSTAINING TOMORROW: A STRATEGY FOR WORLD CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT. (F.R. Thibodeau and H.H. Field, 1984) HC 79 E5 S87 1984X STRI
- WORLD GUIDE TO SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATIONS AND LEARNED SOCIETIES (B. Verrel, ed., 1984) qQ145 W67 1984X STRI REF