SEMINAR

The luncheon talk on Tuesday, October 7 will be given by RUSSELL GREENBERG from the National Zoological Park, Smithsonian Institute. His subject:

Worm-eating Warblers and Dead Leaves: the psychology of a niche.

He will discuss the behavioral mechanisms that underlie the specialized foraging behavior of worm-eating warblers in the tropics.

ARRIVALS & DEPARTURES

Arrived this week, KEVIN HOGAN, from the University of Illinois, on a one year postdoctoral fellowship to study the effects of sunflecks on the growth and survival of tropical tree seedlings at BCI.

October 4 - Departing, OSCAR VALLARINO to Hawaii aboard the research vessel MacArthur belonging to the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration. He will be conducting sea snake studies enroute.

October 4 - Departing, SYLVIA CHURGIN for Washington DC on administrative leave. From October 6 - 17 she will be attending meetings at the Smithsonian Libraries.

October 7 - Departing, JIM KARR for Washington, DC on official business until October 10.

October 7 - Arriving, NANCY SUTTENFIELD, Director of the Office of Programming and Budget at the Smithsonian Institute, and HAROLD MICHAELSON, Executive Officer at the Office of Assistant Secretary for Science. They will be visiting STRI facilities until October 10.

October 7 - Arriving, JOHN JOLLY to work for Drs. Lessios, Robertson and Warner as a field assistant in the San Blas. He will be here for an extended period of time.

October 7 - Arriving, MYRA SHULMAN, from UCLA, to continue her study on sea urchins and fish until October 25.

MONTHLY CALENDAR

OCTOBER 1986

STRI NEWSLETTER

October 3rd, 1986
NEW REGULATION/REGLAMENTO NUEVO

Beginning October 1 there is a NO SMOKING regulation in effect in the Tivoli Building. It is requested that other STRI facilities try to emulate this.

Desde el 1ero de octubre esta PROHIBIDO FUMAR en el Edificio Tivoli. Se pide que las demás facilidades en STRI sigan el ejemplo.

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(A Monday, September 29 - Sunday, October 5, 1986)

AT-A-GLANCE

MONDAY
World Shrimp Industry Overview & Historical Developments
ABC's of Aquaculture & Shrimp Prawn Farming
TUESDAY
Freshwater Prawn Aquaculture
Advanced Freshwater Technology
WEDNESDAY
Marine Shrimp Aquaculture
Advanced Marine Shrimp Technology
THURSDAY
Aerobic Technology Workshop
Use of Artemia in Penaeus & Macrobrachium Aquaculture
International Shrimp & Prawn Nutrition Workshop
FRIDAY
Shrimp Farming Investment Analysis Workshop
How To Take Your Proposal To The Bank
Shrimp Marketing in the Americas
SATURDAY
International Shrimp & Prawn Processing Technology Workshop
Problems/Solutions Associated With Processing Freshwater Prawns
Shrimp Harvesting & Processing Equipment Demonstrations
SUNDAY
Day of the Ministers Congress
Status of World Shrimp Aquaculture Technology and Investment

TRADE SHOWS

(October 3-5, 1986)

"SHRIMP '86" — International Pond-Raised Shrimp Quality Contest and Future Shrimp Show (100 Exhibitors)

"ACUICULTURA '86" — Technology Exhibition of Shrimp Aquaculture, Processing and Marketing (100 Exhibitors)

PARTICIPATING NATIONS/FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS — Developing Nations
Foreign Investment and Banks with Investment Capital (50 Exhibitors)