

SEMINARS - ANCON CONFERENCE ROOM

No noon seminar scheduled for Tuesday, December 27th.

NEXT WEEK

Tuesday, January 3, noon seminar speaker will be BRIAN BOCK, University of Iowa.

Effects of Isolation?:
Patterns of Genetic and
Morphological Variability
in Anolis limifrons.

Abstract: The creation of Lake Gatun fragmented the banks of the Chagres River into peninsulas and islands of varying sizes. Sub-populations of an Anolis lizard from isolated and non-isolated sites in this area were compared genetically and morphologically to study whether barriers to gene flow have contributed to divergence among the demes. Interesting variation in a presumptive sexually selected trait is also described.

ARRIVING

December 27 - January 27, EUGENE SCHUPP, University of Iowa, to work with the ESP project on seedling dynamics of Faramea occidentalis.

December 27 - February 8, DAVID ENSTROM, University of Illinois, to study delayed plumage maturation and status signalling in orchard orioles in Gamboa.

December 30 - January 31, ALAN HAYWARD, GAVIN THURSTON and NIGEL FRANKS, members of the British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC) film crew. They will film segments for "The Trials of Life" TV series on BCI.

NEW PUBLICATIONS BY STRI STAFF, FELLOWS AND RESEARCH ASSOCIATES

Acuña, P.I. and N.C. Garwood. 1987. Efecto de la luz y de la escarificación en la germinación de las semillas de cinco especies de árboles tropicales secundarios. Rev. Biol. Trop., 35(2): 203-207.

DE LA OFICINA DE PERSONAL

OTILIA PEREZ, nuestra ex-compañera de trabajo, agradece por este medio a todos los amigos quienes recientemente le expresaran sus condolencias por su reciente duelo.

MIL gracias también a todos los que contribuyeron con sus pijamitas para la Sala de Pediatría del Hospital del Seguro Social. Ya se hizo entrega de la donación a la enfermera Amalia Banfil, de parte de los empleados de STRI en Tivoli.

BEST WISHES

MERRY CHRISTMAS to the STRI community-- at Tivoli, Ancon, BCI, Naos, Surfside, Galeta and Gamboa.

FELICES PASCUAS a toda la comunidad de STRI-- al personal y visitantes en Tivoli, Ancon, BCI, Naos, Surfside, Galeta y Gamboa.

ON LEAVE

Mercedes Arroyo, Dec. 27 - Jan. 2
Alejandro Caballero, Dec 30-Jan 3
Ana de la Espada, Dec 27 - Jan 2
Nancy Knowlton, Dec. 27 - Jan. 2
Maria Lorena Ossa, Dec 27 - Jan 2
Audrey Smith, Dec. 27 - Jan. 2

LOST / PERDIDO

A pair of gray, tortoise shell-framed eyesglasses, with attached cord, inside their case. If found please call Olga Linares (62-2009).

Se ha perdido un estuche con un par de anteojos de carey gris con un cordón adjunto. Si alguien los encuentra, favor avisar a Olga Linares al 62-2009/ 62-2008.

PIPELINE ROAD UPDATE

The first lock at the entrance to Pipeline Road was damaged during a robbery to the nearby Tropical Test Center site. Entrance to the road is not impaired, and the lock will be fixed next week.

POSITION AVAILABLE

The School for Field Studies seeks a FIELD DIRECTOR for their new Centre for Rainforest Studies in Queensland, Australia. Duties include acting as chief academic and administrative officer to faculty, facilities manager, teaching assistants, interns and students. Applicants should send letter of interest and qualifications, CV, and references to The Dean, School for Field Studies, 16 Broadway, Beverley, MA 01915 (Tel. 508-927-7777).

FOR SALE

1983 Toyota Corolla station wagon, a/c, automatic, radio am-fm, cassette recorder, alarm system, low mileage (one owner). Price negotiable, or best offer. Contact Sylvia Churgin 62-3151.

LAST MINUTE NOTICE

Naos Van Service / Transporte a Naos

Beginning on the afternoon of December 21st and until new arrangements can be made, the Naos Van will be put into service transporting personnel from Tivoli to Naos. The van will leave the marine lab at 4:30 p.m. every weekday except Friday, and go to Tivoli via the YMCA and Avenida de los Martires. It will follow the same route in reverse every morning except Monday, departing from Tivoli at 7:10 a.m.

A partir de la tarde del 21 de diciembre hasta que nuevos arreglos se lleven a cabo, el Van de Naos brindará transporte de Tivoli a Naos a los empleados. El Van saldrá de Naos hacia Tivoli a las 4:30 p.m. todos los días laborales a excepción de los viernes. La ruta será por el YMCA y la Avenida de los Mártires. Se tomará la misma ruta en reversa cada mañana exceptuando los lunes, partiendo desde Tivoli a las 7:10 a.m.

LIBRARY NEWS

New Book List:

ADVANCES IN ECOLOGICAL RESEARCH. VOLUME 18. (J.B. Cragg and A. Macfadyen, editors, 1988).

AFRICANIZED HONEY BEES AND BEE MITES(G.R. Needham...(et al.), 1988)
SF538.5.A37A37.STRI

ANELIDEOS POLIQUETOS DA COSTA BRASILEIRA(A. Cecelia Z. Amaral y Edmundo F. Nonato, 1981-1984)
QL391.A6A43 STRI

ANNUAL REVIEW OF ANTHROPOLOGY. VOLUME 17 (Bernard J. Siegel, editor,1988)

CHAOS IN BIOLOGICAL SYSTEMS(H.Degn, A.V. Holden and L.F. Olsen, editors, 1987) NATO Advanced Research Workshop on Chaos in Biological Systems(1986:Cardiff, South Glamorgan).NATOASI series. Series A, Life Sciences; v. 138.
QP33.6.C48N38 STRI.

DEVELOPMENTS IN NUMERICAL ECOLOGY(Pierre Legendre and Louis Legendre, editors, 1987) NATO Advanced Research Workshop on Numerical Ecology(1986: Station marine de Roscoff). NATO series G, Ecological sciences; no. 14
QH541.15.M3N38 STRI

DICTIONARY OF MICROBIOLOGY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY(Paul Singleton and Diana Sainsbury,1987) 2nd edition
QR9.S56 STRI REF

ECONOMICS OF THE ENVIRONMENT: THEORY AND POLICY(Horst Siebert,1987) 2nd rev. and enl. ed.
HC79.E5S437 STRI

EVOLUTION OF THE AMPHIBIAN AUDITORY SYSTEM(Bernd Fritsch...(et al.),editors,1988)
QL645.3.E96 STRI

FEDERAL TECHNOLOGY CATALOG: SUMMARIES OF PRACTICAL TECHNOLOGY(NTIS, 1983-).
T1.F293 STRI

METALS IN COASTAL ENVIRONMENTS OF LATIN AMERICA(U.Seeliger et al, editors,1988)
TD427.H45M48 STRI

NATURAL HISTORY OF LARVAL MOSQUITO HABITATS(M. Laird,1988).
QL536.L18 STRI

NEARSHORE DYNAMICS AND COASTAL PROCESSES: THEORY, MEASUREMENTS, AND PREDICTIVE MODELS(K. Horikawa,1988)
TC205.N35 STRI

PERSPECTIVES IN CHEMORECEPTION AND BEHAVIOR(R.F. Chapman ...et al, 1987)
QL756.5.P47 STRI

POLLUTION PHYSIOLOGY OF ESTUARINE ORGANISMS(Winona B. Vernberg...et al, editors,1987)Belle W. Baruch library in marine science;no.17.
QL139.P65 STRI

POLYPODIACEAE SUBFAMILY ASPLENIOIDEAE IN VENEZUELA(C.V. Morton and D.B. Lellinger,1966)Memoirs of the New York Botanical Garden;v. 15
KQ524.P7M88 STRI

RED FOX: THE CATLIKE CANINE(J. David Henry,1986)
QL737.C22H46 STRI

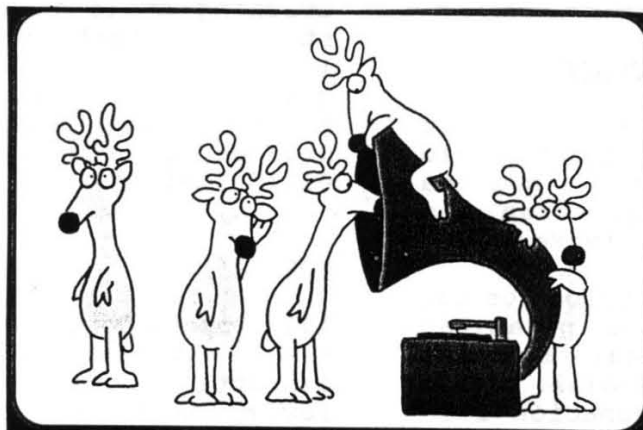
SIMPLE CURIOSITY; LETTERS FROM GEORGE GAYLORD SIMPSON TO HIS FAMILY,1921-1970(Leo F. Laporte,editor,1987).
QE707.S55A4 STRI

TAXONOMIC STUDIES IN FRUIT FLIES OF THE GENUS UROPHORA(DIPTERA:TEPHRITIDAE).(George C. Steyskal,1979)
QL537.T79S85 STRI

TILLANDSIA:THE WORLD'S MOST UNUSUAL AIR PLANTS(Paul T. Isley,1987)
SB413.T52165 STRI

VEGETATION MAPPING(A.W. Kuchler and I.S. Zonneveld, editors,1988) Handbook of vegetative science;10.
KQ63.V42 STRI

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT:CROCODILES AND ALLIGATORS(Grahame J.W. Webb et al,editors, 1987)
QL666.C925W5 STRI



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