

Spring 2008 Conservation Biology Seminar Series / Reading Group

- Jan 24 Student Organizational Meeting
- Jan 31 Seminar, Co-sponsored with UMEB **
Dr. Alaka Wali , ECCo Program, Field Museum
“Integrating Quality of Life and Environmental Conservation: The Field Museum Approach”
- Feb 7 Reading group, Topic: Conservation Genetics
Facilitator: Dr. Lori Eggert, Biological Sciences
- Feb 14 Reading group, Topic: Conservation Genetics
- Feb 21 Seminar*
Felipe Chavez
Topic: Whooping Crane Management
- Feb 28 Reading group, Topic: Conservation Genetics
- Mar 6 Reading group, Topic: Management for Multiple Species
Facilitator: Chris Newbold, MDC
- Mar 13 Seminar*
David Thorne, Missouri Department of Conservation
“Using Human Dimensions Information to Improve Performance and Accountability of Fish, Forest, and Wildlife Conservation”
- Mar 20 Seminar, Co-sponsored with UMEB**
Dr. Emilio Bruna, Dept. of Wildlife Ecology and Conservation, Univ. Florida
“Plant demography in a fragmented Amazonian Landscape”
Topic: Tropical Forest Ecosystem decay
- Mar 21 FELLOWSHIP APPLICATIONS DUE!
- Apr 3 Seminar, Co-sponsored with UMEB**
Dr. Jacoby Carter, USGS National Wetlands Research Ctr.
“Models of prediction, models of understanding, models of management: using multiple modeling approaches in ecology”
Topic: Wetland conservation
- Apr 10 Reading Group, Topic: Conservation Economics
Facilitator: Dr. Anthony Prato, Department of Agricultural Economics
- Apr 17 Seminar
Dr. Zakiya Leggett, Weyerhaeuser Corporation
“Sustainable forest management in loblolly pine plantations”
- Apr 24 Seminar*
Dr. Jeff Wagner, Rochester Institute of Technology
Topic: Conservation Economics
- May 1 Seminar, Cosponsored with UMEB**
Tracy Benning (ESA/SEEDS)
Topic: TBA
- May 8 End of year pizza and movies!