



LIFE SCIENCE NEWS

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Announcements

Please welcome our new IAB business office staff members Alicia Barger and Julie Logsdon. Alicia (x7912) is our new grant technician. She recently left the military as an intelligence officer. Julie (x2781) is our new human resources coordinator in charge of all non-benefited employees. She comes to us from UAF HR. Please stop by and introduce yourself.

Kelly Seekatz is back to work in the grant tech office as of this week.

A grant list will be distributed shortly to PIs as a reminder of which grant tech is assigned which PI.

In related HR news, IAB is currently recruiting for a purchasing person.

Events and Seminars

7 September 2009

- **Notice: Labor Day Holiday**

11 September 2009

• **Thesis Defense: Successful aging through the eyes of Alaska Natives. What it means to be an Elder in Bristol Bay, AK**

Jordan Lewis

10:30AM

Butrovich Board of Regents Room

Travel

- **Barger, Chris**, 6/18/09 - 9/7/09, Adak Island, AK, NPRB Fieldwork: Seabird Sampling
- **Barrales, Rocio**, 9/3/09 - 10/21/09, Guadalajara, Mexico, Collect seeds along Pacific Coast in the Chamela biological station.
- **Bulgarella, Mariana**, 8/21/09 - 9/7/09, Medellin, Columbia, Attend class in Medellin and give a seminar at Bogota.
- **Hayes, Daniel**, 9/12/09 - 9/20/09, Jena, Germany, Attend ICDC 8 Conference
- **Lindberg, Mark**, 9/10/09 - 9/17/09, Pescara, Italy, Attend and give plenary presentation at Euring 2009 Conference
- **Olson, Matthew**, 9/9/09 - 9/12/09, Washington, DC, Present at Plant Genome Program Meeting
- **Stone, James**, 6/8/09 - 9/10/09, Asia, Mathematical modeling in Asia with NSF collaboration
- **Swanson, Michaela**, 9/12/09 - 9/17/09, Denver, CO, Attend ASM Conference
- **Tape, Kenneth**, 8/19/09 - 9/10/09, Chandler, AK, Group Travel to Chandler and Colville
- **Vargas-Kretsinger Delia & Group**, 5/25/09 - 10/5/09, Beaver, AK, Conduct salmon fieldwork in Beaver area

LIFE SCIENCES SEMINAR

Friday, 11 September 2009

3:30PM - Elvey Auditorium, 214 Elvey Building

Writing About Northern Science: Theses, Journal Articles, Academic Books, Conventional Nonfiction, and Literary Nonfiction

Bill Streever

Author, BP Biologist

• **Walker, Skip**, 9/13/09 - 9/19/09, Reykjavik, Iceland,
Keynote speaker at the Nordic Mapping Conference

• **Young, Rebecca & Group**, 7/1/09 - 9/26/09, St George &
St Paul, Fieldwork: Seabird Ecology in the Pribilofs

New Funding Opportunities

Gulf of Alaska Integrated Ecosystem Research Program
(North Pacific Research Board)

Deadline: 10/2/2009

This request for proposals is for the Forage Base component, the Lower Trophic Level & Physical Oceanography component and the Ecosystem Modeling component. Each component will be competed separately.

For more information, go to nprb.org/goaierp/index.html

Quote of the Day

The less you know, the more you believe.

[Bono](#)

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