



# LIFE SCIENCE NEWS

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## Announcements

**IAB Life Science Hour seminar** recordings available online. If you missed a seminar or want to watch one again, most are available online under "Events" and "Life Science Hour Seminars."

## Events and Seminars

### 12 October 2015

- **Seminar: Veterinary Research in Public Health and Government Research**  
**Robert Gerlach**

Alaska State Veterinarian

4:30PM - 5:30PM

Murie Life Science Bldg, Murie Auditorium.

### 13 October 2015

- **Webinar: ACCAP Webinar: A One Health Approach to Climate Change**  
**Michael Brubaker**

Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium

10:00AM - 11:00AM

[https://accap.uaf.edu/one\\_health](https://accap.uaf.edu/one_health)

### 14 October 2015

- **TBA: Climate Change And Social-Ecological Systems:**  
**Jim Powell**

1:00PM - 2:00PM

O'Neill Bldg, room 201 and Lena Point, Juneau, room 101

### 15 October 2015

- **Thesis Defense: Stopover ecology of semipalmated sandpipers at coastal deltas of the Beaufort Sea, Alaska**

**Roy Churchwell**

Biology and Wildlife, Alaska Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit

9:00AM - 10:00AM

Butrovich Bldg rm 109 (Board of Regents Conference Room)

### 16 October 2015

- **Webinar: National Weather Service Alaska Climate Forecast Briefing - October 2015**

**Rick Thoman**

National Weather Service Alaska Region

12:00PM - 1:00PM

[https://accap.uaf.edu/NWS\\_Briefings](https://accap.uaf.edu/NWS_Briefings)

## Travel

- **Barnes, Brian**, 10/12/15 - 10/14/15, Coeur d'Alene, ID, Attend NIH IDeA Western Regional Conf

- **Benson, Julie**, 10/11/15 - 10/15/15, Coeur d'Alene,

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## LIFE SCIENCE HOUR SEMINAR

Friday, 16 October 2015

3:00 PM - Murie Life Science Bldg, Murie Auditorium.

### **Public Health Related Virology Research and Diagnostics**

Jack Chen, Associate Professor of Virology, Institute of Arctic Biology, UAF

Deputy Director, Alaska State Virology Lab

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ID, Attend NIH IDeA Western Regional Conference

• **Chen, Jack**, 10/12/15 - 10/14/15, Coeur d'Alene, ID, Attend NIH IDeA Western Regional Conference

• **Dunlap, Kriya**, 6/25/15 - 10/30/15, Salcha, North Pole, White Mountains, Field work

• **Euskirchen, Eugenie**, 10/17/15 - 10/25/15, Svaldbard, Norway, Attend the Arctic Productivity and Biomass Workshop

• **Hollingsworth, Teresa**, 10/7/15 - 10/13/15, Perth, Scotland, Attend data analysis workshop

• **Jones, Jay and Ruffing, Claire**, 10/18/15 - 10/23/15, Santa Barbara, CA, Participate in the working group for the Stream Resiliency Research Coordination Network

• **Ruesch, Paige**, 10/11/15 - 10/16/15, Coeur d'Alene, ID & SAN, Attend NIH IDeA Western Regional Conf & INBRE Training

## Grants and Awards

Go to the IAB funding opportunities webpage, [www.iab.uaf.edu/research/funding\\_opps.php](http://www.iab.uaf.edu/research/funding_opps.php), for the latest on available grants, scholarships, fellowships, and awards.

## IAB in the News

10/12/15: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner  
[Field Notes: Ancient islands stranded in the Arctic](#)

Pamela Groves

10/12/15: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner  
[UA researcher shares love of seals, science with students](#)

Roxanne Beltran, Greg Breed

10/3/15: Alaska Dispatch News  
[Urban ermine inspires weasel-related questions](#)  
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10/5/15: Alaska Native News  
[Urban Ermine Inspires Weasel-Related Questions](#)  
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## New IAB Publications

Legend: **f**=faculty, **r**=research scientist, **s**=staff, **e**=emeritus, **a**=affiliate, **g**=grad student, **p**=post-doc, **u**=undergrad student, **h**=high school student

Shavrin, Alexey V. and **Mullen, Logan (g)** (2015). Phlaeopterus Motschulsky, 1853 (Coleoptera: Staphylinidae: Omaliinae: Anthophagini)—a new genus for the Palaearctic: new combination. Zootaxa 1:121-128 [IAB 3998].

Parmentier, F.-J.W., Zhang, W., **Mi, Y. (p)**, Zhu, X., van Huissteden, J., Hayes, D.J., Zhuang, Q., Christensen, T.R., and **McGuire, A.D. (f)** (2015). Rising methane emissions from northern wetlands associated with sea ice decline. Geophysical Research Letters 42:7214-7222 [IAB 3999].

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See the [UAF Cornerstone](http://uafcornerstone.net/) for more news and events (http://uafcornerstone.net/).

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### Quote of the Day

Far and away the best prize that life has to offer is the chance to work hard at work worth doing.  
[Theodore Roosevelt](#)