



LIFE SCIENCE NEWS

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Announcements

Christa Mulder received the **Champions for Children Award**. The Imagination Library Champions for Children Award recognizes individuals for their extraordinary and exemplary service to children in the Fairbanks North Star Borough.

Congratulations, Christa! and thank you for your service to our children.

NSF announcement!

Effective in calendar year 2018, The Directorate for Biological Sciences (BIO) will implement a "no-deadline," full proposal mechanism.

If you plan on submitting a proposal to core programs in DEB, IOS, MCB and DBI, there is no deadline. In addition, DEB and IOS are discontinuing use of the preliminary proposal mechanism in 2018.

There will be no call for preliminary proposals in January 2018.

See

<https://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2018/nsf18011/nsf18011.jsp> for more information.

Save the Date!

December 8, 2017 will be SKI MASS at noon followed by our annual Holiday Party at 6:00 p.m.

Seminar Video Available

Last week's Life Science seminar by Derek Sikes is now available for viewing on the [Life Science Hour page](#).

Events and Seminars

13 October 2017

- **Life Science Hour Seminar: Adaptations and disaptations of Antarctic fishes and their implications in a warming world**

Kristin O'Brien

3:00PM - 4:00PM

Murie Life Science Bldg, Murie Auditorium.

Travel

- **Donie Bret-Harte**, 10/14/17 - 10/26/17, Stockholm, Malmo, Svalbard and Oslo, INTERACT Meetings and Science Advisory Group for Abisko

- **Kelly Drew**, 10/4/17 - 10/18/17, Prague, Czech Republic and Reykjavik, Iceland, Invited Talks at Two Conferences

- **Skip Walker**, 10/7/17 - 10/13/17, Longyearbyen, Svalbard, Presenting at Plant Biomass Workshop

LIFE SCIENCE HOUR SEMINAR

Friday, 13 October 2017

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

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IAB in the News

10/5/17: Fairbanks Daily News Miner

[A far-north lynx den could answer questions about the cycles of hares](#)

Claire Montgomerie

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

Quote of the Day

I have come to believe that this is a mighty continent which was hitherto unknown.

[Christopher Columbus](#)