



LIFE SCIENCE NEWS

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Announcements

Congratulations to Falk Huettmann, Mary Beth Leigh and Kristin O'Brien for their promotion to Professor! The rank of professor is the highest academic honor extended to university faculty and a great achievement. We are truly fortunate to have such incredibly gifted and talented scientists representing IAB.

Field season is fast approaching!

Anyone heading out to the field needs to file a field travel plan and complete a driver's authorization packet with Jeanette Moore, IAB Safety officer. For more information, please refer to the Safety page on this website or contact Jeanette at 474-5455.

Summer 2018 Field Course

Arctic Alaska Vegetation

University of Alaska Fairbanks

June 14-30, 2018

Registration is open now.

For more information and to register, please go to:

<http://www.uaf.edu/summer/sessions>

Seminar Video Available

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

Events and Seminars

1 May 2018

• Webinar: Alaska Climate Webinar Series: River ice breakup: What do we know?

Steven F. Daly

10:00AM - 11:00AM

https://accap.uaf.edu/Breakup_2018

Travel

• **Cassandra Duncan**, 4/4/18 - 5/10/18, Oxford, UK, Training

• **Daniel Uliassi**, 4/29/18 - 5/3/18, Seattle, WA, AIAN CTR Proposal Meeting

• **Eliza Orr**, 5/1/18 - 5/4/18, Akiak, AK, Conduct focus groups

• **Jennifer Nu**, 5/1/18 - 5/4/18, Akiak, AK, Conduct focus groups

• **Rachel Voight**, 4/15/18 - 5/6/18, Tempe, AZ, Field work

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

Stimmelmayer, R. (r), Ylitalo, G.M., Sheffield, G., Beckmen, K.B., Burek-Huntington, K.A., Metcalf, V., and Rowles, T. (2018). Oil fouling in three subsistence-harvested ringed (*Phoca hispida*) and spotted seals (*Phoca largha*) from the Bering Strait region, Alaska: Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon bile and tissue levels and pathological findings. Marine

Life Science Hour Seminars in the Murie Auditorium, Fridays 3-4 p.m.
No seminar scheduled this week.

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

Today's Quote

People seldom refuse help, if one offers it in the right way.

[A. C. Benson](#)