



**GRADUATE DEGREE
PROGRAM IN ECOLOGY
COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY**

January 28, 2019

From Colleen

We are looking forward to hosting our first [Visiting Distinguished Ecologist](#), Jayne Belnap, next week! Speaking of Distinguished Ecologists, congrats to our own LeRoy Poff on his Award of Excellence from the Society for Freshwater Science.

Students, we are looking for some mentors to help us with recruitment activities during FRSES (Feb. 27 & 28). If you are willing to spend an hour or two with prospective students, please contact [Colleen](#). We can be flexible so that it does not interfere with your FRSES activities!

Students, don't forget Small Research Applications are due this week. Also, see below to give your feedback on science communication opportunities we are working on for this semester.

Faculty, don't forget that Faculty Small Grant Applications are due next week. Also, if you have a prospective student coming for FRSES, please check below and continue to watch the Digest for info on recruiting activities.

GDPE

Feb. 6&7 - Distinguished Ecologist [Jayne Belnap](#) 3:30 pm Mixer, 4 pm seminar, LSC North Ballroom (both days)

Faculty, if you have a prospective student participating in recruitment activities during FRSES, please [confirm](#) that we have their name and contact information, especially if you are not using GDPE funds for their visit. We are planning a number of recruiting activities. [Tentative Schedule](#).



Congratulations to Dr. LeRoy Poff for being the 2019 recipient of the Award of Excellence from the Society for Freshwater Science.

Feb. 1 - Students, due date for the GDPE Small Research Grants is Feb. 1. [Call Application Rubric](#) This includes applications for this year's [RMAIS](#) program (Research and Mentoring to Advance Inclusivity in STEM).

Feb 1 - Students, please let us know what science communication resources you are interested in by taking [this survey](#) by the end of the week.

Feb. 5 - Faculty, due date for the GDPE Faculty Small Grants opportunity is Feb. 5. We look forward to seeing your ideas that will benefit GDPE! [Call Template](#)

Feb 22 9am - 4pm: GDPE Structural Equation Modeling Workshop as part of DE Jim Grace's visit. RSVP [here](#)!

Save the dates for our upcoming [Distinguished Ecologist visits](#): Jim Grace Feb. 20 & 21; Jessica

Gurevitch Mar. 13 & 14 plus our [RMAIS speaker](#) on May. 1.

Faculty, Slate will email you each week with applications in your queue. Please review and mark yes/no. Directions are in the [Admission Guide](#) and travel funds for a recruitment visit can be requested [Recruitment Request Form](#). Please mark Yes to move the application forward for GDPE programmatic review. You are NOT making a commitment to take a student until you later provide a letter, but clicking Yes now allows us to provide timely offer letters when you are ready.

Let us know if you've gotten a paper accepted, won an award, or received a grant by emailing [Jennifer Neuwald](#).

Submit Photos



DEADLINES

[Obtaining Signatures](#)

[Degree Deadlines](#)

[Student Forms](#)

[GDPE Grad Student Survey](#)

ECOLOGY & CSU EVENTS

Jan 30 12 - 1pm: [FRSES](#) Next planning meeting - FREE PIZZA! at Johnson rm 132

The Graduate School's 2019-2020 Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship is available. More information can be found [here](#).

The Woodstoich 4 Workshop is calling for applications. View more information by clicking [here](#).

International Alpine Plant Ecology: Summer School on Alpine Plant Life. Click [here](#) for the course flyer!

Feb 8-10: [CSU Writes](#) writing retreat, RSVP today.

Feb 21 3pm: ESA & USSEE joint meeting, submit an abstract for the meeting [here](#). Meeting details can be found [here](#).

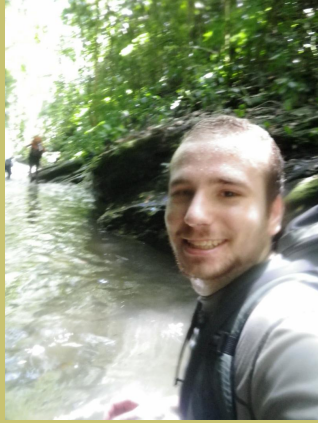
Feb 27 - 28: 25th Annual [FRSES](#) at CSU!



RESOURCES

R-user group. Mondays 9-11 AM Plant Science C021. [Sign up](#) for updates or to contact the group. [Questions](#).

Coming Out, Being Out, and Questioning Support Group. Email [Jessie Charbonneau](#) for details.



CSU Writes: Show up & write. Drop-in writing sessions provide faculty and graduate students a designated time and place to "show up & write."

CSU Health Network Therapy: CSUHN has individual and group counseling as well as workshops and are available for students for free.

Data and Donuts - Data Management Made Tasty: Good data management practices are becoming increasingly important in the digital age. Learn how you can improve your data management.

Coding and Cookies - Everything is better with cookies. Especially data: Sessions are focused on coding in R.

GRANTS / JOBS

Research Associate: Research Ecologist position is available for the Agricultural Research Service.

PhD Position: In Evolutionary Ecology in Switzerland. Send one PDF with CV, Letter of Motivation and contact details of 3 referees to [Blake Matthews](#).

Grants Available: Denver Audubon is offering grant opportunities for research and education projects supporting Colorado non-game wildlife.

Hydrology Assistant Interns: Sierra Nevada Network & Monitoring Program.

Postdoc Position: Pan-Canadian biodiversity mapping using eDNA

2019 Rocky Mountain Conservancy Research Fellowship: Conduct research in Rocky Mountain National Park.

Ocean Carbon & Biogeochemistry Postdocs: "Study marine ecosystems and biogeochemical cycles in the face of environmental change."



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