August 12th, 2019

From your GDPE Admin Team

You may notice some emptier-than-normal hallways on campus this week as several of our students and faculty are at the ESA meetings. Follow along with the latest and greatest as our student reps post on Twitter.

**Students should register for research/dissertation/thesis credits (ECOL698/699/799) by this Thursday, Aug. 15.** After that date, students will need an override, which creates additional burden on the GDPE administration. Override requests may be delayed due to this being a critical transition time for the GDPE Admin Team.

Please be aware that we are working with the registration folks to get Saran Twombly’s ECOL693 section available. We appreciate your patience. We will let you know as soon as things are up and running.

You may have noticed some updates to the GDPE website recently. The one we are most excited about is the new [Curriculum & Electives page](https://example.com)! You can find links to this on either the "Courses & Forms" or the "Courses & Degrees" pages. Stay tuned for more updates this semester.

We have also added a new section to our digest to help facilitate communication about courses. You’ll see below our new "Upcoming Courses of Interest" section. We’ll list both GDPE and other departments’ courses here.

**GDPE**

**All paperwork:** Now that we have a Program Coordinator, please drop all paperwork at the GDPE office (Johnson 132), and Dawn will coordinate signatures and processing. Thanks!

Join us at the Ecology Society of America meetings in Louisville, KY for the [ESA Colorado State University Mixer](https://example.com). It will be 6:30-8:00 pm on Wednesday, Aug. 14 at the Gault House Hotel (main ESA hotel) in the Jones room (Suite Tower, 3rd floor). See you there!

**Stay in touch by tagging GDPE in your posts and photos on Twitter - @CSU_Ecology and use hashtags #GDPE and #CSU_Ecology. We look forward to seeing you on Twitter this Summer.**

**Submitting Announcements**

**Student Success:** Let us know if you’ve gotten a paper accepted, won an award, or received a grant by emailing our Graduate Academic Advisor, Jennifer Neuwald.

**Information for Digest:** Please submit details [here](https://example.com) for consideration. If you have questions about this, please contact our Program Coordinator.
DEADLINES

THIS WEEK
Thursday, Aug. 15
Last day to register for ECOL698, ECOL699, ECOL799 (research/thesis/dissertation) credits without an override.

Note: if you miss this deadline, there may be a delay in granting your override due to GDPE transition activities.

Obtaining Signatures
Degree Deadlines
Student Forms
GDPE Grad Student Survey

Up-coming Courses of Interest

GDPE Courses:

Fall Ecol 592 options are up on the web site and open for registration. We will be updating as additional offerings come in. Faculty, please consider offering an Ecol 592 courses this Fall. You can find information on offering an Ecol 592 here.

An organizational meeting for ECOL 693-002 Research seminar enhancing proposal writing skills will occur on Tues., Aug. 27 10-11 a.m. in Johnson 132. Saran Twombly will be teaching this research seminar later in this Fall semester as a 2-day intensive workshop.

Departmental Courses:

BZ548 Theory of Population and Evolutionary Ecology will likely be offered this Spring semester instead of this Fall semester. We hope you can join the class as it is likely to be the last time it is taught.

F19 PSY677 - PSYCHOLOGY OF WOMEN, MEN AND GENDER (CRN 80892): The course focuses on the psychology of women, men and gender in cultural context, and by intersectionalities.

F19 NR581B: Natural Resource Research and Professionalism this fall. This is a 2-credit seminar style course designed for first semester graduate students in thesis-oriented programs.

ECOLOGY & CSU EVENTS

ESA Meeting in Louisville, KY Aug. 11-16.

The 2019 GREEBs meetings will be in Gothic CO on the weekend of September 6-8. Find more here.

The Bioagricultural Sciences and Pest
Management (BSPM) department at Colorado State University is hosting a one-day symposium on August 27th, 2019. More information can be found [here](#).

This year’s Guild of Rocky Mountain Ecologists and Evolutionary Biologists (GREEBs) meeting is at the Rocky Mountain Biological Laboratory between Friday, September 6 and Sunday, September 8, 2019. Learn more [here](#).

**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.

**Geospatial Graduate Students Club**: Anyone interested in geospatial applications is welcome. Click [here](#) to learn more!

**GRANTS / JOBS**

**Postdoc Positions**: InterACTION Labs is in search for multiple postdoc positions in the Amazon Rainforest.

**CSU Ambassador**: CSU Ventures is searching for an ambassador to assist with supporting CSU's intellectual properties and faculty.

**Invacost Workshop**: Biodiversity Dynamics is hosting a workshop on the economic costs of biological invasions near Paris. Potential scholarships!

**CSU Postdoctoral Analyst**: The Natural Resource Ecology Laboratory (NREL) at Colorado State University (CSU) is inviting applications for a postdoctoral position.