



GDPE Weekly Digest



October 12th, 2020 - From Your Admin Team

Dear all,

This Wednesday at 4:00 PM [David Hoover](#) is presenting his Distinguished Alum Seminar.

***From droughts to deluges:
The ecological impacts of precipitation extremes on dryland ecosystems***

Please join us to celebrate our David and his work! ([Zoom link](#) - zoom meeting ID 919 9551 9197).
If you'd like to meet with David, please contact his host, [Melinda Smith](#).

The Distinguished Ecologist series started in 1995, and since then, we have hosted 4-5 seminars per year, starting with outstanding ecologists from all over the world. In 2006, we decided to start highlighting the work of our growing body of alums, and to get to know the work of our faculty members. Thus started the Alum and Resident portion of the seminar series.

This seminar series is one of the flagship offerings of the GDPE program. We look forward to seeing you on zoom to support and celebrate David.

Sincerely,

Your GDPE Admin Team

GDPE EVENTS

Upcoming Defense Seminars - come support our students!

October 19, 1:00 PM **Melinda Clarke**, PhD student with Kathleen Galvin

Health-livelihoods-environment interactions: Health and livelihood decision making and consequences for the environment in Indonesia.

[Zoom link](#)

October 20, 1:00 PM **Ram Gurung**, PhD student with Stephen Ogle

Using Bayesian model selection and calibration to improve the DayCent ecosystem model.

[Zoom link](#)

20th ANNUAL DIVERSITY SYMPOSIUM

CSU's 20th Annual Diversity Symposium is next week.

Go [here](#) and log in to see the schedule and register.

October 19th, 11:00-1:00 is the first keynote talk by [Melina Abdullah](#), a womanist scholar-activist. Her talk and the other events of the week are going to be outstanding. This event comes once/year, and many of the offerings are once in a life time opportunities. Join in!

Send us your photos! Now more than ever, it's important for us to keep in touch. Send us your photos of your WFH desk, from the field, or just photos of you relaxing and enjoying summer!

[Submit Photos](#)

All paperwork: Please email forms to Dawn at ecology@colostate.edu to coordinate signatures and processing. Thanks!

We want your feedback! Do you have comments or suggestions about how your GDPE experience can improve? Let us know! Contact your ExCom Student Representatives, [Katie Rocci](#) and [Dani Lin Hunter](#) to provide your feedback.

Stay in touch by tagging GDPE in your posts and photos on Twitter - @CSU_Ecology and use hashtags #GDPE and #CSU_Ecology. We'd be happy to help highlight your research!

[General Student Resources](#)
[COVID Resources for Grad Students](#)
[CSU COVID Recovery Resources](#)

GRANTS & JOBS

[Assistant Professor of Biology](#)

Application due date: October 15

Hampden-Sydney College invites applications for a full time, tenure-track Assistant Professor of Biology with specialization in Environmental and Conservation Biology. Responsibilities include a 4/3 teaching load that includes lecture and laboratory courses for introductory and upper level courses. This position represents growth in the department, so they are interested in the creation of new courses as well as contributions to existing courses. Hampden-Sydney College is interested in all sub-disciplines including Conservation Biology, Aquatic Ecology, Microbial Ecology, Sustainability, Spatial Ecology and Geoinformatics, and Ecosystem Science and Management. Download announcement [here](#).

[GTA positions for Spring 2021](#)

Application due date: October 23

The Department of Biology will be recruiting GTAs for Spring 2021. Download announcement [here](#).

[MSU Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship in Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior](#)

Application due date: November 20

The Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior (EEB) program at Michigan State University invites applications for a Postdoctoral Fellowship in Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior. Download announcement [here](#).

[NSF Fully funded PhD opportunity in dust biogeochemistry \(Critical Zone Network\)](#)

Application due date: Open until filled

PhD opportunity in the Environmental Biogeochemistry Lab (<https://janicebrahney.weebly.com/>) in the Watershed Sciences Department at Utah State University Project: Understanding the role of dust in catchment biogeochemistry The Environmental Biogeochemistry Lab at Utah State University is seeking a PhD candidate on a fully funded NSF Critical Zone Network project (tuition, stipend, fees, and insurance for 4 years). The student will explore the role of atmospheric dust in watershed biogeochemical cycles and aquatic ecosystems. Download announcement [here](#).

[Postdoctoral Position in Occupancy Change Modeling and Forecasting](#)

A postdoctoral researcher position is available with the Grinnell Resurvey Project under the direction of Professor Steve Beissinger at UC Berkeley in the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology (MVZ) and collaborators. This project is funded by NSF to model the effects of climate and land-use change on avian communities in California at sites originally visited by Joseph Grinnell and colleagues in the early 20th century. Download announcement [here](#).

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