



GDPE Weekly Digest



November 2nd, 2020 - EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Resident Distinguished Ecologist [Francesca Cotrufo](#) is going to tell us about **Advancing understanding of soil organic matter to provide solutions to our wicked challenges** on Wednesday November 4th at 4:00. This is a seminar not to be missed! Please contact [Laura van der Pol](#) for scheduling meetings with Dr. Cotrufo. [Zoom link](#). Meeting ID: 988 1022 6506

HOLD THE DATE: **Career Path Panel Discussion - Dec. 3, 11:00-12:30.**

Still looking for your perfect career path? Want to know more about the options that are out there after your masters or PhD? Eager to hear from GDPE graduates at agencies, NGOs, and universities? Join us for a career panel discussion! Hosted by GDPE and the **Center for Collaborative Conservation** Details to follow.

FRSES 2021 is going virtual! The first planning meeting is this Friday 11/6 at 12:30 on [zoom](#). Meeting ID: 974 0144 1666, Passcode: 303576. Get involved! For those new to CSU and GDPE, FRSES is the Front Range Student Ecology Symposium, a student-led conference featuring student research. It's a fantastic event!

As you all know, tomorrow is the general election. We hope you all will do your civic duty and vote!

DEADLINES

Graduating this semester? This Friday November 6th is the deadline for GS24-Form/Final Examination & GS30/Form Thesis/Dissertation and ETD Electronic submission .

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

[Postdoctoral Scholar in Ecology](#)

Application due date: November 16

The College of Life Science and Agriculture through the New Hampshire Agricultural Experiment Station, is seeking to fill two postdoctoral scholar positions in the broad area of ecology. The impact and quality of ecological research conducted at UNH ranks among the top across U.S. universities. They aim to provide outstanding opportunities for ecologically focused postdoctoral scholars to advance in their training, scholarship, and teaching through mentorship with their faculty and enhanced professional development. 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](#).

[PhD Position in the Cotrufo Lab](#)

Application due date: November 20

The PhD student will be part of an exciting collaborative team investigating a novel Theoretical and Quantitative Framework to Understand and Predict Soil Carbon Storage and Nitrogen Recycling. The position is part of a NSF funded research project. The work involves experiments, big data analyses and modeling. Download announcement [here](#).

[NABat Coordinator](#)

Application due date: December 1

BCI and the North American Bat Monitoring Network (NABat) unite to hire two new NABat Hub coordinators to support the development of two new NABat Hubs: the Pacific West Hub serving California and Nevada and the Southwest Hub serving Arizona and New Mexico. A key component of these positions is collaboration and communication to develop and maintain a multi-partner community of practice, which includes facilitating collaboration on acoustic monitoring efforts, data collection, project management, and reporting. Download announcement [here](#).

[Postdoctoral Research Associate](#)

Application due date: Open until filled

Michigan State University is seeking a Postdoctoral Research Associate to join the Christensen Lab at working in a multi-disciplinary collaboration with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (MN DNR) and the United States Geological Survey (USGS) to develop analytical tools based on spatio-temporal statistical models to support development of adaptive management strategies for managing chronic wasting disease (CWD) in free-ranging deer population. Download announcement [here](#).

[Quantitative Ecologist](#)

Application due date: Open until filled

The University of Minnesota is seeking a quantitative ecologist to fill a postdoctoral position. The successful applicant will work in the Department of Fisheries, Wildlife, and Conservation Biology to develop integrated species distribution models for aquatic invasive species (AIS) using data collected by AIS professionals and citizen scientists. Funding for this position comes from a research grant provided by the Minnesota Aquatic Invasive Species Research Center. 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](#)

Application due date: Open until filled

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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