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The Weekly Bulletin of Biology

Biology Colloquium (Friday 2 PM in EH 2132)

Dr. Chris Lowe, CSU Long Beach

“Movements & site fidelity of gamefishes near offshore petroleum platforms: Nice real estate but how’s the commute?”

- ***Student and Faculty Publications*** — Graduate student Dave Bottinelli published a paper with his advisor Dr. Larry Allen in the California Fish and Game journal • Dr. Robert Espinoza and a co-author (a graduate student in Argentina) have a paper accepted in the Journal of Thermal Biology • Dr. Tim Karels and co-authors have a paper accepted in the Journal of Biogeography
- ***Presentations, conferences, and workshops*** — Dr. Pete Edmunds and his graduate student Nancy Muhllehner attended, by invitation, an NSF-sponsored workshop on ocean acidification at Scripps Institute of Oceanography • Dr. Larry Allen gave an invited presentation at the University of New Orleans on “*A fisheries independent assessment of the returning white seabass fishery off California*” • Dr. MariaElena Zavala organized a session at the Society for Advancement of Chicanos and Native Americans (SACNAS) conference that is being sponsored by the American Society for Cell Biology. She will be accompanied by nine CSUN students • Dr. Zavala was also a panelist at the National Academies’ Ford Foundation Fellows Conference
- ***Academic Service*** — Dr. MariaElena Zavala has been appointed Chair of the Minority Affairs Committee of the American Society for Plant Biology for a three year term
- ***Mark Your Calendar!*** — A special presentation by Dr. Stephen H. Schneider, Stanford University, will be held in the Plaza Del Sol Performance Hall, University Student Union on Thursday October 25, 2007 at 12:30 pm. The title of his talk is “*Climate Crisis: Can California Cope?*” Free tickets (one per person with CSUN ID) are available at the Associated Students ticket office (USU)