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Biology Colloquium: Friday, 19 April 2013, 2:00 pm in CR 5125

“At the Interface of Work and Health: Unraveling the Health Gradient Using Self-Determination Theory”

Maynor Gonzalez
University of Rochester

Thesis Defense

Darren Brown shall defend his MS thesis on 18 April at 11 am in MG 4111. The title is, “Multiple mechanisms of calcification and differences in resource partitioning may determine the response of calcifying cnidarians to ocean acidification.” Everyone is encouraged to attend.

New Publication

Jenna Krug and Dr. **Mark Steele** just had a paper published in the journal *Marine Ecology Progress Series* titled, “Larval exposure to shared oceanography does not cause spatially correlated recruitment in kelp forest fishes.” The research was part of Krug’s MS thesis at CSUN.

Moss Lab at Spring Foray

Lena Coleman and Dr. **Paul Wilson** attended the 18th annual *Spring Outing, Botanical Excursion, Foray, Retreat, and Escape to the Environment*, sponsored by UC Berkeley. They each presented their work during the evening research sessions as well as hob-knobbed on collecting trips.

Stein at Faculty Development

Dr. **Mary-Pat Stein** gave a teaching demo for Faculty Development’s *Teaching Series*: “Rollin’ rollin’ rollin’, keep those lymphocytes rollin’!” She described how she teaches immunology.

Professional & Public Outreach

Dr. **Robert Espinoza** recently gave a departmental seminar (and played in late-season snow) at Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio. **Espinoza** and Adjunct Professor Dr. **Greg Pauly** also co-lead a Lizard Scouting hike at Malibu Creek State Park. This annual event is part of the *Lost Lizards of Los Angeles* citizen-science project organized by the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County.

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