

Meetings

Seed Ecology 2004: An International Meeting on Seeds and the Environment. 29 April–4 May 2004, Rhodes Island, Greece. *Contact:* Costas Thanos, E-mail cthanos@biol.uoa.gr; Web <http://www.biology.uoa.gr/SeedEcology2004.htm>

4th World Fisheries Congress. Reconciling Fisheries with Conservation: The Challenge of Managing Aquatic Ecosystems. 2–6 May 2004, Vancouver, Canada. *Contact:* Advance Group Conference Management Inc., Congress Secretariat, Fourth World Fisheries Congress, Suite 101–1444 Alberni Street, Vancouver, BC, Canada V6G 2Z4; Tel +1 604 6889655; Fax +1 604 6853521; E-mail fish2004@advance-group.com; Web <http://www.worldfisheries2004.org>

International Boreal Forest Research Association 12th Annual Scientific Conference: Climate Disturbance Interactions in Boreal Forest Ecosystems. 3–6 May 2004, Fairbanks, USA. *Contact:* A. David McGuire, 214 Irving I Building, Department of Biology & Wildlife, University of Alaska Fairbanks, Fairbanks, AK 99775, USA; Tel +1 907 4746242; Fax +1 907 4747872; E-mail ffadm@uaf.edu; Web <http://www.lter.uaf.edu/ibfra/default.cfm>

Biodiversity and Management of the Madrean Archipelago II: Connecting Mountain Islands and Desert Seas. 11–15 May 2004, Tucson, USA. *Contact:* Dale Turner, Madrean Archipelago Conference Program Chair, The Nature Conservancy of Arizona, 1510 East Fort Lowell Road, Tucson, AZ 85719, USA; Tel +1 520 6223861; Fax +1 520 6201799; E-mail madreanprogram@tnc.org; Web <http://www.madreanconference.com>

52nd Annual Meeting of the North American Benthological Society. 6–10 June 2004, Vancouver, Canada. *Contact:* John S. Richardson, Department of Forest Sciences, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC, Canada V6T 1Z4; E-mail jrichard@interchg.ubc.ca

Conference on Applications of Statistics, Information Systems and Computers in Natural Resources Monitoring and Management. 7–11 June 2004, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan. *Contact:* Dr Biing T. Guan, School of Forestry and Resource Conservation, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan 10617; Tel +886 2 23626942; Fax +886 2 23639247; E-mail btguan@ntu.edu.tw; Web <http://ccms.ntu.edu.tw/~btguan>

Explaining Species Abundance Distributions: Biodiversity Over Time. 8 June 2004, Zoological Society of

London, UK. *Contact:* E-mail deborah.body@zsl.org; Tel +44 20 74496227; Web <http://www.zsl.org>

Beijing International Symposium on Biological Invasion. Species Exchanges Between Eastern Asia and North America: Threats to Environment and Economy. 8–11 June 2004, Beijing, China. *Contact:* Dr Shili Miao, South Florida Water Management District; Tel +1 561 6826638; Fax +1 561 6825382; E-mail smiao@sfwmd.gov; Web <http://bisobi.sino-eco.org>

84th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists. 12–16 June 2004, Arcata, California, USA. *Contact:* Office of Extended Education, Attention: ASM Conference, Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA 95521-8299, USA; Tel +1 707 8263731; Fax +1 707 8265885; E-mail extended@humboldt.edu; Web <http://www.humboldt.edu/~asm>

Brownfields 2004: Second International Conference on Prevention, Assessment, Rehabilitation and Development of Brownfield Sites. 14–16 June 2004, Siena, Italy. *Contact:* Katie Banham, Conference Secretariat, Brownfields 2004, Wessex Institute of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton, SO40 7AA, UK; Tel +44 1238 0293223; Fax +44 1238 0292853; E-mail kbanham@wessex.ac.uk; Web <http://www.wessex.ac.uk/conferences/2004/index.html>

EVOLUTION04: Joint Meeting of the Society of Systematic Biologists, the Society for the Study of Evolution, and the American Society of Naturalists. 26–30 June 2004, Fort Collins, Colorado, USA. *Contact:* Karen Weinbaum; E-mail weinbaum@cnr.colostate.edu; Web <http://evolution04.biology.colostate.edu>

6th International Ranching Symposium: Wildlife as a Natural Resource. 5–9 July 2004, Paris, France. *Contact:* The Symposium Coordinator, IGF, 15 Rue de Téhéran, 75008 Paris, France; Fax: +33 1 56597756; E-mail igf@fondation-igf.fr

Watershed 2004. 11–14 July 2004, Dearborn, Michigan, USA. *Contact:* Web <http://www.wef.org/pdf/files/watershed04call.pdf>

Freshwater Biological Association Annual Meeting 2004. 19–20 July 2004, Plymouth, UK. *Contact:* Sarah Johnson, The Freshwater Biological Association, The Ferry House, Far Sawrey, Ambleside, Cumbria, LA22 0LP, UK. Tel +44 1539 442468; Fax: +44 1539 446914; Email info@fba.org.uk; Web http://www.fba.org.uk/ASM2004_1stWebNotice.htm

International Association of Vegetation Science 47th Annual Symposium. Landscape Change and Ecosystem Disturbance: Islands and Continents. 18–23 July 2004, Kailua-Kona, Hawaii. *Contact:* E-mail iavs2004@hawaii.edu

Climate Change and Aquatic Systems: Past, Present and Future. 21–23 July 2004, Plymouth, UK. *Contact:* E-mail climate@plymouth.ac.uk; Web <http://www.biology.plymouth.ac.uk/climate/climate.htm>

7th INTECOL International Wetlands Conference. 25–30 July 2004, Utrecht, The Netherlands. *Contact:* Inge van Gaal or Marielle Hoogendoorn, FBU Congress Bureau, Utrecht University, P.O. Box 80125, 3508 TC Utrecht, The Netherlands; Tel +31 30 2532728; Fax +31 30 2535851; E-mail intecol@fbu.uu.nl; Web <http://www.bio.uu.nl/intecol>

Society for Conservation Biology 18th Annual Meeting: Conservation in an Urbanizing World. 30 July–2 August 2004, New York, USA. *Contact:* E-mail 2004@conbio.org; Web <http://conbio.org/2004/>

The Ecological Society of America 89th Annual Meeting. Lessons of Lewis & Clark: Ecological Exploration of Inhabited Landscapes. 1–6 August 2004, Portland, Oregon, USA. *Contact:* Thomas W. Swetnam, ESA Program Chair, Laboratory of Tree Ring Research, The University of Arizona, Tucson AZ 85721, USA; Tel +1520 6212112; Fax +1520 6218229; E-mail esa@ltr.arizona.edu; Web <http://www.esa.org/portland>

The Tenth Biennial Conference of the International Association for the Study of Common Property (IASCP). The Commons in an Age of Global Transition: Challenges, Risks and Opportunities. 9–13 August 2004, Oaxaca, Mexico. *Contact:* Instituto de Investigaciones Sociales, Cd. de la Investigacion en Humanidades, Circuito Mtro, Mario de la Cueva, Ciudad Universitaria, C.P. 04510 Mexico; Tel +55 56227423; Fax +55 56227508; E-mail iascp04@indiana.edu; Web <http://www.iascp2004.org.mx>

10th International Symposium on Microbial Ecology. Microbial Planet: Sub-surface to Space. 22–27 August 2004, Cancun, Mexico. *Contact:* Symposium Secretariat,

Kenes International, 17 Rue du Cendrier, P.O. Box 1726, CH-1211 Geneva 1, Switzerland; Tel +41 22 9080488; Fax +41 22 7322850; E-mail isme@kenes.com; Web <http://www.kenes.com/isme>

Society of Ecological Restoration's 16th Conference: Restoration on the Edge. 24–26 August 2004, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada. *Contact:* Web <http://www.ser.org>

British Ecological Society 2004 Annual Meeting. 7–9 September 2004, Lancaster, UK. *Contact:* The British Ecological Society, 26 Blades Court, Putney, London SW15 2NU, UK; Tel +44 20 88719797; Fax +44 20 88719779; E-mail info@britishecologicalsociety.org; Web <http://www.britishecologicalsociety.org>

2nd National Conference on Coastal and Estuarine Habitat Restoration: Restore America's Estuaries. 12–15 September 2004, Seattle, USA. *Contact:* Steve Emmett-Mattox, Restore America's Estuaries; Tel +1703 524 0248; E-mail sem@estuaries.org; Web <http://www.estuaries.org/objects/2004RAEFCFP.pdf>

Monitoring the Effectiveness of Biological Conservation. 1–5 November 2004, Vancouver, BC, Canada. *Contact:* John Innes, Department of Forest Resources Management, University of British Columbia, Forest Sciences Centre; Tel +1 604 2226761; E-mail innes@interchg.ubc.ca; Web <http://www.fcsn.bc.ca>

3rd IUCN World Conservation Congress: People and Nature – Only One World. 17–25 November 2004. *Contact:* Congress Officer, IUCN, Rue Mauverney 28, 1196 Gland, Switzerland; Fax +41 22 9990020; E-mail congress@iucn.org; Web <http://iucn.org>

Society for Conservation Biology 19th Annual Meeting: Conservation Biology Capacitation and Practice in a Globalized World. July 2005, Brasilia, Brazil. *Contact:* Web <http://conbio.org/2005>

XXIX International Ethological Conference. 20–27 August, 2005, Budapest, Hungary. *Contact:* IEC2005, Department of Ethology, Eötvös University, 1117 Budapest, Hungary; E-mail: IEC2005-subscribe@yahooogroups.com