



2010 ORBS Conference Program

Opportunities for Research in the Behavioral Sciences

Theme: Expanding research opportunities: the future

Location: UCSD, Natural Sciences Building Rm. 1205

<http://www.biology.ucsd.edu/labs/nieh/UREBE/Homepage.html>

Opening remarks

12:30-12:35	James C. Nieh	UCSD, Section of Ecology, Behavior, and Evolution	Conference goals
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Research opportunities for students (20 min talk, 5 min Q&A)

12:35-12:55 pm	David Holway (Ecology)	UCSD, Section of Ecology, Behavior, and Evolution	Ecology and behavior of social insect invasions
12:55 -1:15 pm	Jonathan Shurin (Ecology)	UCSD, Section of Ecology, Behavior, and Evolution	Predators and dynamics of ecosystems
1:15-1:35: pm	Uromi Goodale (Ecology)	UCSD, Section of Ecology, Behavior, and Evolution	Climate change impacts for California plant communities and ecosystems
1:35-1:55 pm	James Nieh (Behavior)	UCSD, Section of Ecology, Behavior, and Evolution	Honey bee communication

15 min break, refreshments will be served in the lobby

2:10-2:30 pm	Ann Bowles (Behavior)	Hubbs-Seaworld Research Institute	Sensory and Behavioral Ecology Research in an Oceanarium Setting: What Can Students Learn?
2:30-2:50 pm	David Woodruff (Conservation & the Environment)	UCSD, Section of Ecology, Behavior, and Evolution	Animal species and their conservation
2:50-3:10 pm	Lisa Norstrom (Conservation)	San Diego Zoo Institute for Conservation Research	Local species conservation through science
3:10-3:30 pm	Minou Spradley (Recruitment, retention, & outreach)	San Diego City College	Ensuring success for all students
3:30-3:50 pm	Open forum discussion	All conference participants	How can we best meet student needs?
3:50-3:55 pm	James Nieh	UCSD, Section of Ecology, Behavior, and Evolution	Closing remarks

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