



2007/2008 Seminar Series

- Oct. 10th** **Isla Myers-Smith, Department of Biological Sciences, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta**
Shrub line advance in alpine tundra of the Kluane Region: Patterns of expansion and ecosystem impacts
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- Oct. 31st** **Dr. David Wilford, RPF, PGeo., Research Forest Hydrologist, Ministry of Forests and Range, Smithers, B.C.**
Active Fans and Grizzly Bears: Balancing Risks for Wilderness Campers
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- Nov. 14th** **Jennifer Passmore, B.Sc., Masters Candidate, SFU, School of Resource and Environmental Management**
Response of Seedlings and Saplings to Canopy Gaps in Coastal Old-growth Forests
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- Nov. 28th** **Karen Price, PhD, Consultant, Ruth Lloyd, RPBio, Consultant, Telkwa, BC**
Monitoring to improve management: Riparian buffers and stand structure in the Babine
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- Dec. 12th** **Erica Close, MSc, Bulkley Valley Research Centre, Smithers, BC**
Understanding Boreal Forest Productivity in Saline Soils:
One of Many Challenges Facing Oilsand Mining Reclamation
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- Jan. 9th** **Dr. Jim Pojar, Executive Director, Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society, Yukon Chapter, Retired, Smithers, BC**
Conservation planning in a changing world: New national park in northern British Columbia - southern Yukon?
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- Jan. 23rd** **Sybille Haeussler, PhD, RPF, Research Associate, University of British Columbia, Smithers, BC**
Not quite chaos in Beijing: An introduction to complex systems science
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[Background Reading #1 - Shalizi 2006 - Complex Systems Science](#)
[Background Reading #2 - Borges Garden of Forking Paths](#)
- Feb. 6th** **Frank Doyle, Wildlife Dynamics Consulting, Telkwa, BC**
Snowshoe hares are driving tree species selection and planting strategies in Dothistroma and Mountain Pine Beetle impacted stands, from Prince George to the Kispiox
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- Mar. 5th** **Aaron Trowbridge, BV Research Centre, Smithers, BC**
An object-oriented approach to semi-automated individual tree crown extraction in high-resolution winter low-contrast aerial images
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- Apr. 2nd** **Don Morgan, B.Sc. R.P.Bio, Ministry of Forest Research Branch, Smithers, BC**
Ecosystem Services in an Uncertain World
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- Apr. 16th** **Rick Budhwa, Anthropologist, Crossroads Cultural Resource Management**
First Nations and Consulting Archaeology in BC: Emerging Trends and the Evolution of Practice
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- Apr. 30th** **Deborah Cichowski, Caribou Ecological Consulting, Smithers, BC**
Effects of mountain pine beetles on terrestrial lichens
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- May 14th** **Deborah Cichowski, Caribou Ecological Consulting, Smithers, BC**
Effects of mountain pine beetles on caribou winter habitat use and foraging strategies
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- May 21st** **Jack Stanford, Jessie M. Bierman Professor and Director, Flathead Biological Station, The University of Montana**
Salmonid Rivers Observatory Network: Understanding salmon productivity and climate change
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