

ECO 601 – Research Concepts: Graduate Student Proposal Presentations

Friday, 5 December 2014, 9:30-3:00, 312A Holdsworth Hall

TIME	NAME	ADVISOR	TITLE	CONCENTRATION	DEGREE
9:30	Susan Ingalls	Stephen DeStefano	Assessing stakeholder values and management expectations regarding white-tailed deer in suburban eastern Massachusetts communities	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis
9:50	Emily Argo	Allison Roy	Outdoor residential water conservation practices, savings, and outreach in the Ipswich River Watershed	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis
10:10	Steven Mattocks	Adrian Jordaan	Determining the ecological consequences of the historical damming of New England watersheds	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis
10:30	Kate Bentsen	Allison Roy	Accounting for biological variation in urbanizing streams: the role of local and landscape factors	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis
BREAK 10:50-11:00					
11:00	Patrick Roberts	David King	Assessing small forest openings as habitat for shrubland wildlife communities	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis
11:20	Kate Szerlag	Baoshan Xing	Specific phosphate sorption mechanisms of unaltered and altered biochar	Water, Wetlands, and Watersheds	M.S. Thesis
11:40	Rebekah Zimmerer	Paul Catanzaro	Understanding factors that influence family forest transfer decisions	Forest Resources and Arboriculture	M.S. Thesis
LUNCH 12:00-12:45					
12:45	Kate Gervais	Stephen Herbert	Rock dust and biochar as agricultural soil amendments in New England	Water, Wetlands, and Watersheds	M.S. Thesis
1:05	Tyler Gagné	Andy Danylchuk	Recreational fishery impacts and movement ecology of golden dorado in Salta, Argentina	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis
1:25	Tyler Cross	Bethany Bradley	Using abundance maps to determine the climate niches of invasive species in the northeastern United States	Forest Resources and Arboriculture	M.S. Thesis
BREAK 1:45-2:00					
2:00	Tim Duclos	David King	High-elevation spruce-fir birds: vulnerability to climate change and prospects for conservation within the Northern Forest	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis
2:20	Hamid Kaboli	Peggi Clouston	Low-value local wood in bamboo reinforced glulam	Building Systems	Ph.D.
2:40	Aaron Hulsey	David King	Using nanotags to describe migratory landbird stopover and habitat selection in the Connecticut River Valley	Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology	M.S. Thesis