

# 2010 Conference Program

## Friday, March 26

19:00 *Welcome in Port Alberni (Polly's Pub at the Hospitality Inn)*

- Did I mention the karaoke starts at 9pm?

## Saturday, March 27 (low tide of 0.6m @ 17:23)

7:00 Depart Hotel for Lady Rose Marine Service Dock

8:00 *Depart Port Alberni on the M.V. Frances Barkley (breakfast on board sponsored by ProQuest)*

12:30 Arrive BMSC & Lunch

13:30 Settle into cabins

14:00 *Welcome by Dr. Brad Anholt, BMSC Director and tour of the BMSC facilities (meet in Rix Atrium)*

14:45 Break

15:00 *Round robin: what's new at your library? (Rix lecture hall A)*

- Come prepared to share highlights about your library or institution in 5 minutes or less.

18:00 Dinner

19:00 *Guest lecture: Dr Louis Druehl, SFU Professor Emeritus and kelp expert (Rix lecture hall A)*

20:30 *Earth Hour*

## Sunday, March 28 (low tide of 0.6m @ 18:06)

7:30 Breakfast

8:30 Meeting

- *Steve Watkins, CSU Monterey Bay: Design of library web services for mobile devices (presentation followed by discussion)*

- ***Katherine Miller, University of British Columbia: Teaching online with Wimba Classroom***

10:00 Break

10:15 Meeting

- ***Gerry Sawchuk, Publisher/Product Manager, Natural Sciences, ProQuest: GIS for ASFA (discussion of prototype)***
  - Please take a look at GIS ASFA prior to the meeting.
  - Access: <http://dev.smartrealm.com> (Login: proquestdemo / Password: proquest09)
  - The GIS ASFA (Aquatic Sciences and Fisheries Abstracts) prototype looks at using a visual mapping interface to locate research within the ASFA database. The prototype has different functionality to search by author location, geographic location of the article, and/or topics within a geographic location. The prototype purpose is to test user reaction in using this type of search vehicle for scientific research.
- ***Elizabeth Knight, CDRS Volunteer Librarian: The Charles Darwin Research Station Library in Galápagos***
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- ***Discussion topics***

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Meeting

- ***Eric Marshall, Retired, Fisheries & Oceans Canada: Having a whale of a time in retirement***
- ***Discussion topics (cont.)***

14:30 ***Field trip: Skiff ride and hike along beaches to Keeshan, historic village site with Stella Peters, Huu ay aht First Nation guide***

18:00 Dinner

19:00 Free evening

**Monday, March 29 (low tide of 0.6m @ 6:36)**

7:30 Breakfast

8:30 *Boat trips*

- We'll split up into two groups. The first group will board the M.V. Alta (13 m) which is built like a fishing vessel and is slower but has an invertebrate dredge and sorting table. The second group will go on the M.V. Barkley Star (10 m) which is a faster vessel and can go farther into the sound (where the whales and herring are).
- DRESS WARMLY.

10:30 Break

10:45 Meeting

- *Jean Crampon, University of Southern California: Planning a remodel: lessons learned*
- *Barbara Butler, Oregon Institute of Marine Biology, University of Oregon and Janet Webster, Hatfield Marine Sciences Center, Oregon State University: Shared collections: lessons learned in Kindergarten resurface at the University*
- *Discussion topics (cont.)*

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Meeting

- *Discussion topics (cont.)*
- *Cyamus business*

15:00 Break

15:15 *Field trip: Sandy shores, tide pools and board walks, a walk to Brady's Beach*

18:00 Dinner

19:30 *Social at the Director's residence (hosts: Brad and Beth)*

## **Tuesday March 30**

7:15 Breakfast & pack a bag lunch (move out of accommodations)

8:00 Good-bye to Bamfield (board rental bus)

## **Speakers**

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***Visit to historic village***

Stella Peters, Huu ay aht Cultural Interpreter