

EXPLORING DARWIN 2010

November 9-10

The Exploring Darwin conference at Palomar Community College emphasizes the multidisciplinary explanatory power of Darwin's Theory of Natural Selection in the spirit of the mission of UCLA's Center for Behavior, Evolution and Culture, and David Wilson's book, *Evolution for Everyone*.

THIS IS A FREE EVENT!

SCHEDULE OF SPEAKERS AND PRESENTATIONS

Tuesday, November 9th – Governing Board Room, SSC-1, Palomar College

9:30 - 10:50 Dr. Amy Parish, Professor of Anthropology and Gender Studies, University of Southern California, Los Angeles – *Sexual Selection Theory Revised: Lessons from the Bonobo*

11:00 - 12:20 Dr. Elizabeth Pillsworth, Professor of Anthropology, CSU Fullerton – *Is Female Choice Overemphasized in the Evolutionary Psychology of Human Mating? Evidence from the Shuar of Ecuador*

12:30 - 1:50 Dr. Moshe Hoffman, University of Chicago, Department of Economics, Current Post-doc, UC San Diego, – *Biological Basis of Sex Differences in Economic Behavior*

2:00 - 3:20 Dr. Pascal Gagneux, Professor of Cellular and Molecular Medicine, UC San Diego – *Apes, Sugars, and Sperm: A Radical Makeover of Human Cell Surfaces and its Consequences*

Wednesday, November 10th – Governing Board Room, SSC-1, Palomar College

9:30 - 10:50 John Bragin, Lecturer and Graduate Coordinator, UCLA Human Complex Systems: Computational Analysis of Social and Organizational Dynamics – *Using Interactive Computer Models to Simulate the Evolution of Cooperation Among humans and Non-Human Animals*

11:00 - 12:20 Naomi Lowe, Lecturer of Psychology, Palomar College and CSUSM – *Short and Long Term Mating Strategies: Possible Sexually Selected Niches Resulting in the Introversion-Extroversion Continuum*

12:30 - 1:50 Naomi Lowe, Lecturer of Psychology, Palomar College and CSUSM – *Histocompatibility: The Smell of Our Immune Systems and the Immune Systems of Our Kin: Sexual Attraction and Aversion (tentative topic/speaker)*

2:00 - 3:20 Dr. Philip de Barros, Professor of Anthropology, Palomar College – *Is the Earth only 6 -10,000 Years Old? The Science and Pseudo-Science of Dating Techniques*

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