

5 Postdoctoral, 2 PhD and 1 Science Officer positions

BioFresh - Biodiversity of Freshwater Ecosystems – several European institutions

BioFresh is a large, integrative EU-funded 4-year project aiming to build a public freshwater biodiversity information platform, provide spatially-explicit information on the status and trends of freshwater biodiversity and its ecosystem services, and predict future responses of freshwater biodiversity and its services to climate and socioeconomic pressures. Eight positions are offered in total:

1 PhD-position — Climate Change on Lake Ecosystems Based on Long-Term Records — Leibniz-Institute of Freshwater Ecology and Inland Fisheries, Berlin, Germany (IGB, www.igb-berlin.de) (contact: adrian@igb-berlin.de, tockner@igb-berlin.de)

1 PostDoc-Position — Global Change Impacts on Freshwater Biodiversity — IGB (contact: tockner@igb-berlin.de; freyhof@igb-berlin.de)

1 PostDoc-Position — Ecosystem Modeling — Swiss Federal Institute for Aquatic Science and Technology (www.eawag.ch) (contact: gessner@eawag.ch)

1 PostDoc-Position — Effects of Global Change on Freshwater Biodiversity Patterns — University of Barcelona, Spain (contact: bonada@ub.edu)

1 PhD-position — Groundwater Biodiversity Patterns and Trends — Université Claude Bernard Lyon 1, Ecolo-

gie des Hydrosystèmes Fluviaux, France (contact: ma-lard@univ-lyon1.fr, christophe.douady@univ-lyon1.fr)

1 PostDoc-Position — Determinants of Freshwater Diversity and Impact of Human Disturbance — University Toulouse 3, France (<http://www.edb.ups-tlse.fr/>) (contact: brosse@cict.fr)

1 PostDoc-Position — Freshwater Macroecology — Museum of Natural History in Paris, France (contact: oberdorf@mnhn.fr)

1 Science Officer — Establishing a web portal that will provide free and open access to relevant data sources and bioinformatics tools — Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences (contact: hendrik.segers@natural-sciences.be)

A complete description of the applications is available at the IBS blog (<http://biogeography.blogspot.com/>).

Postdoctoral Position

Carleton University

A postdoctoral position in Spatial Ecological Modelling is available at Carleton University. The objective of the research is to build a set of hypotheses that predict the spatial scale over which landscape structure affects population dynamics. The position is available for up to three years, beginning April 2010, at a salary commensurate with an NSERC PDF. enquiries: lenore_fahrig@carleton.ca.

Upcoming events

UNESCO IYB Biodiversity Science-Policy Conference

Session on Conservation Biogeography in association with the IBS

25-29 January 2010 – Paris, France

<http://www.unesco.org/en/biodiversity>

SAFARI Symposium

Remote Sensing and Fisheries

15-17 February 2010 – Kochi, India

<http://www.geosafari.org/kochi>

VI Southern Connection Congress

Gondwana reunited: a southern perspective for a changing world

15-19 February 2010 – Bariloche, Argentina

<http://www.sccongress2010.com.ar/>

9th Meeting on Vegetation Databases

Vegetation databases and climate change

24-26 February 2010 – Hamburg, Germany

<http://www.botanik.uni-greifswald.de/>

2010 AAG Annual Meeting

Association of American Geographers

14-18 April 2010 – Washington DC, USA

<http://www.aag.org/annualmeetings/>

19th Workshop of the European Vegetation Survey

Flora, vegetation, environment and landuse at large scale

29 April - 2 May 2010 – Pécs, Hungary

<http://www.obki.hu/evs/>

The Evolution of Pacific Biota

20-22 May 2010 – Honolulu, Hawaii, USA

<http://www.pacificscience.org/meetings.html>**7th European Dry Grassland Meeting****Succession, restoration and management of dry grasslands**

28-31 May 2010 – Smolenice, Slovak Republic

<http://www.edgg.org>**GeoMed 2010****2nd International Geography Symposium**

2-5 June 2010 – Antalya, Turkey

<http://web.deu.edu.tr/geomed2010>**95th ESA Annual Meeting****Ecological Society of America**

1-6 August 2010 – Pittsburgh, USA

<http://www.esa.org/pittsburgh/>**25th International Ornithological Congress**

22-28 August 2010 – Campos do Jordão, Brasil

<http://www.ib.usp.br/25ioc/>**BES Annual Meeting 2010****British Ecological Society**

7-9 September 2010 – Leeds, UK

<http://www.britishecologicalsociety.org/>**VI Spanish congress of biogeography**

7-11 September 2010 – Alicante, Spain

<http://web.ua.es/es/vi-congreso-biogeografia/>**5th International Conference of the International Biogeography Society**

January 2011 – Crete, Greece

<http://www.biogeography.org/>**Neogene park – Vertebrate migration in the Mediterranean and Paratethys**

1-3 March 2011 – Scontrone, Italy)

<http://www.comune.scontrone.aq.it/>**XVIII International Botanical Congress**

23-30 July 2011 – Melbourne, Australia

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