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### **Presentation**

March 29

**Iris Wilson:** "Perceptions of Climate Change in North Central Kansas," 2:30 pm, Union 206 (MA Thesis presentation).

### **Events and Things of Note**

Some good news concerning the three former K-State students in the Geography Department at University of North Dakota (UND): Dr. Enru Wang (KSU MA 1999) and Dr. Gregory Vandenberg (KSU PhD 2005) will be promoted to the rank of associate professor with tenure effective **August 16**. Dr. Brad Rundquist (KSU MA 1995, PhD 2000) will be promoted to the rank of professor.

### **Schedule of K-State Geographers Presenting at the 2011 AAG Meeting Seattle, WA, 12-17 April**

#### ***Tuesday, 12 April***

**12:40-1:00pm Sohini Dutt.** Factors influencing willingness to comply to HIV/AIDS prevention measures by female college students in Kolkata, India. University Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 4th Floor

**12:40-1:00pm Brandon Haddock.** Needles in the Haystack: Factors of invisibility within rural queer populations. Room 613, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**1:40-2:00pm Jeremy Aber.** The Effect of Spatial Training and Map Exposure on Spatial Microgenesis. Grand Ballroom A, Sheraton Hotel, 2nd Floor

**4:00-4:20pm Bart Grudzinski, Melinda Daniels.** Influence of grazing treatments on stream geomorphology in the Flint Hills, Kansas. Room 604, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**4:40-6:20pm (Panel Session) Lisa Harrington.** Whither Rural Geography? Future Directions. Boren Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 4th Floor

**6:30-8:00pm (Opening Plenary Session) Duane Nellis.** Presidential Plenary: Geography in the Changing Worlds of Higher Education: Opportunities and Challenges

**7:00-11:00pm KSU-KU Geography Reception**

**Ivar's Salmon House, 401 NE Northlake Way, Seattle, WA 98105 phone: 206-632-0767**

*Wednesday, 13 April*

**9:20-9:40am Bryce Marston.** Multi-Scale and Object-Oriented Analysis for Mountain Terrain Segmentation and Geomorphological Assessment. Juniper Room, Sheridan Hotel, 2nd Floor

**10:00-10:20am Mitch Stimers.** A Categorization Scheme for Understanding Tornado Events from the Human Perspective. University Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 4th Floor

**10:00-10:20am Lisa Tabor.** Using Geography to Help Teach History: Dual-Encoding History Lesson Plans. Room 603, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**10:00-11:40am (Poster Session) Lisa Harrington.** Mount St. Helens: Thirty Years of Change. Room 6ABC, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**12:40-1:00pm Ben Munro.** Farming for Fuel: Intentions of Farmers Toward Cellulosic Ethanol Crops. Room 612, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**12:40-2:20pm (Poster Session) Brandon Weihs, Will Butler, Richard Marston.** Cross-Valley Profiles in Deglaciated Canyons, Grand Teton National Park. Room 6ABC, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**12:40-2:20pm (Poster Session) Will Butler, Brandon Weihs, Richard Marston.** Mapping Mass Movement Hazards in Deglaciated Canyons in Grand Teton National Park, Wyoming. Room 6ABC, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**1:00-1:20pm Doug Goodin.** Decision Rules for Object-Based Classification. Juniper Room, Sheraton Hotel, 2nd Floor

**4:40-6:20pm (Poster Session) Melissa Belz.** Architectural Adaptation: Process and Perception in Himachal Pradesh, India Room 6ABC, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**5:00-5:20pm Ryan Bergstrom.** Defining Sustainability in the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem. Room 612, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

*Thursday, 14 April*

**9:20-9:40am Anne Donovan.** Conviviality at the C-store: Discovering the multiple service functions at rural retail establishments. Seneca Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor

**10:00-11:40 (poster Session) Jeff Smith.** The Financial Costs and Benefits of Unauthorized Immigrants. Room 6ABC, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**10:00-11:40am (Poster Session) Jim Wells.** Thirty Years of Landscape Change in the American West: A Rephotography of U.S. Highway 89. Room 6ABC, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**3:40-4:00pm Lis Pankl.** Visual Culture and Cosmopolitanism in Mexico City. Room 212, Washington State Convention Center, Level 2

**5:00-5:20pm Chuck Martin.** Recent Changes in Heavy Metal Storage at Near-Channel Positions along the Lahn River, central Germany. Queen Anne Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 3rd Floor

### *Friday, 15 April*

**9:00-9:20am Kevin Blake.** Imagining Pikes Peak as America's Mountain. Room 616, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**9:20-9:40am John Harrington.** The Central Great Plains Climate Change Education Partnership. Room 308, Washington State Convention Center, Level 3

**11:00-11:20am Claire Ruffing, Melinda Daniels.** Incorporation of LiDAR in rapid watershed assessment. Room 604, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**11:20-11:40am Gina Thornburg.** Power and Knowledge in the Farm-to-School Movement. Jefferson Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 4th Floor

**4:40-6:20 (Panel Session) John Harrington.** Using Local Knowledge to Understand Land Use/Land Cover Change at Long Term Ecological Research (LTER) Sites. University Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 4th Floor

### *Saturday, 16 April*

**8:20-8:40am Marcellus Caldas.** Deforestation and social conflict in the Atlantic Forest of Paraguay: effects of Brazilian immigration. Room 203, Washington State Convention Center, Level 2

**8:20-8:40am Jedidiah Riley.** Expanding Complex Interdependence Theory: Going Beyond Economics. Leschi Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 3rd Floor

**9:00-9:20am Max Lu.** Globalization, Regional Inequality and Rural-Rural Labor Migration in China. Greenwood Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 3rd Floor

**10:00-10:20am Kendra McLauchlan.** Species-specific Trajectories of Nitrogen Isotopes in Indiana

Hardwood Forests. Room 303, Washington State Convention Center, Level 3

**11:00-11:20am Rhett Mohler.** Temporal analysis of burn scar recovery in tallgrass prairie using field spectrometry. Jefferson Room, Sheraton Hotel, Union Tower, 4th Floor

**1:00-1:20pm Iris Wilson, Lisa Tabor.** Local Ecological Knowledge: Stakeholder Interviews in Kansas. Room 608, Washington State Convention Center, Level 6

**1:20-1:40pm Jason Brody, Blake Belanger, Jessica Canfield (all from KSU Landscape Architecture/Regional & Community Planning).** Critical Mapping: Practical Inquiry for Complexity Driven Praxis. Metropolitan Ballroom A, Sheridan Hotel, 3rd Floor

**1:20-1:40pm Lynn Brien.** Blending geospatial technology and traditional ecological knowledge to enhance restoration decision support processes in coastal Louisiana. Spruce Room, Sheridan Hotel, Second Floor

**1:20-1:40pm Bimal Paul.** Impacts of Climate Change and Policy-Making in Bangladesh. Room 203, Washington State Convention Center, Level 2

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