Departmental & Campus Events

13 Nov (W)  Forum. Roberta Riportella (professor of community health), Affordable Care Act and how it will impact students; noon-1:30 pm, 1018 Throckmorton

Walk-In Wednesdays. Drop by to have your resumé reviewed or to ask a quick question.
   Noon – 4 pm, Holtz Hall.
   Faculty coffee; 2:30 pm, Union

15 Nov (F)  Presentation. Luis Caballero (Zamorano Institute, Honduras), "Cloud Forest Hydrology and Watershed Management in Honduras: A Strategy for Agricultural Adaptation to Climate Change;" 1 pm, 2024 Throckmorton
   Faculty meeting, 3:4:30, S 164H

17 Nov (Su)  Wildcat writing & research consultations-Writing Center Tutors; 6-9 pm, 2nd floor Hale Library. Free help with papers for all classes.

17-23 Nov  Geography Awareness Week

19 Nov (T)  Presentation: John Roberts, Career Opportunities in Restoration Ecology and Habitat Management for Geography Students; 1-2 pm, S 164H

21 Nov (Th)  Geography guest speaker. Jonnell Robinson (Syracuse), title TBA; 3:45 pm, Union Big 12 Room

22 Nov (F)  Deadline for materials submission to Graduate School for December graduation

Departmental Activities

Presentation¹

Harrington, John Jr., Lisa Tabor, and Savannah Neufer. Understanding adaptive capacity in Kansas: does past success have a negative influence? Presented at the MIT Graduate Climate Conference, 01 Nov, Woods Hole, MA.

Publication


Other

Lisa Tabor attended Reading the Road Map: Advancing the Research Capabilities of Early Career Scholars in Geography Education and participated in the “What supports or promotes the development of geographic knowledge, skills, and practices?” workshop track; 14-15 Oct, Washington, DC.

Student Opportunities

Alumnus John Roberts (Natomas Conservancy, Sacramento, CA) will visit with Geography students on Tuesday, 19 Nov, 1:00 to 2:00 pm in Seaton 164H, about career and research opportunities in restoration ecology and habitat land management.

¹Current faculty, students, and staff, and alumni, shown in bold.
The next scheduled Career Chat from SUCCEED (a program for women undergraduate & graduate students in STEM disciplines) is 21 Nov, 12-1 pm, Union 226. Meg Yaege, a graduate of Mechanical Engineering & retired executive with ConocoPhillips, will discuss her career pathway & her experiences as a woman in a male-dominated occupation. Space is limited; reserve a spot by 14 Nov at 5pm (https://kstate.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_1B1D61NvbuFiPbl, or email tawnyochs@ksu.edu).

Graduate Students
Angela Gieber Hayes (Assistant Director, Alumni and Graduate Student Career Services; ahayes@k-state.com) works specifically with graduate students on career help. Services available through CES include building a winning cv/resume, interview skills/mock interview practice, job search, discovering the hidden job market, phone/SkYPE interview skills, non-academic career paths, using LinkedIn for job searching, salary negotiations, maintaining health & wellness during grad school, managing emotional aspects of choosing a new career path, and others.

Website
The Midwestern Regional Climate Center (MRCC) is announcing the launch of a new online climate data system where registrants can access free climate data and other value-added products. CLIMATE (MRCC Application Tools Environment) (http://mrcc.isws.illinois.edu/CLIMATE/), is an online user-based system in which one can obtain weather & climate data on various time (hourly, daily, monthly, seasonal, annual) & spatial (individual station, climate division, state) scales from around the US & tools, such as customizable charts of climate data, growing season statistics, degree day products & graphs, freeze statistics, ranking of climate values, and gridded maps of climate data & averages over various regions.

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