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**Publication**


**Presentations**


May 12  Matthew Cartlidge: “There’s No Place Like Home: Place Attachment Among the Elderly in Greensburg, Kansas,” 9:00 am, Seaton 164H (M.A. Thesis Defense).

**Events and Things of Note**

Kendra McLauchlan, assistant professor of geography, is receiving a $440,000 National Science Foundation CAREER Award to examine contrasts in vegetation history among three sites and to reconstruct past changes in nitrogen cycling and other ecosystem properties. McLauchlan is the fifth K-State professor this year to receive the award. Congratulations to Kendra!

Doug Goodin was nominated for a WESP (Women in Science and Engineering Program) "Making a Difference Award." Kabita Ghimire nominated Doug for making a difference for her during her time at K-State.

Ryan Bergstrom has been awarded a travel grant by the Mountain Research Initiative and the Centre for Mountain Studies at Perth College, to give a talk at the Global Change in the World's Mountains Conference in Perth, Scotland in September of 2010. The title of Ryan’s talk is: "Conceptualizing Sustainability in Two Amenity-driven Communities of the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem, North America."

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