Postdoctoral position in theoretical ecology
McGill University, Canada

I am seeking a postdoc to help me develop integrative theory at the interface between ecosystem ecology and community or evolutionary ecology. More details on current research interests in my lab can be found on http://www.biology.mcgill.ca/faculty/loreau/. Applicants should (1) have obtained their PhD during the last five years, (2) have strong quantitative or mathematical skills, and (3) develop an independent research project. The position is available for one year but will be renewable.

Review of applications will continue until the position is filled. To apply, e-mail a letter of application, a CV, a statement of research interests and arrange to have e-mailed three letters of recommendation to me: Michel Loreau, Professor and Canada Research Chair in Theoretical Ecology, Department of Biology, McGill University. e-mail: michel.loreau@mcgill.ca; Phone: 514-398-3778.

3-year postdoc position
School of Biological and Chemical Sciences, Queen Mary, University of London

Full time position starting in October 2011 or as soon as possible thereafter. A postdoctoral applicant is sought with an interest in ecological modelling. The successful applicant will be developing coupled, process-based, models of ecological systems under the supervision of Professor M.R. Evans (QMUL). Candidates should hold a PhD in a relevant area of ecology or computer science or have equivalent experience. Training can also be given where needed and there will be opportunities to attend international conferences.

Further details and an application form can be obtained from the Human Resources website on: http://www.hr.qmul.ac.uk/vacancies (reference number 11144/KK). For further information about the School, please see http://www.sbc.qmul.ac.uk. Informal enquiries can also be made to Professor, M.R. Evans at m.r.evans@exeter.ac.uk. The closing date for applications is 23rd June 2011 at 4.00pm. Interviews will be held 12th July 2011.

Upcoming events

8th Biennial Conference of the Systematics Association
4-8 July 2011 – Belfast, UK
http://www.systass.org/

VIIIth European Congress of Mammalogy
19-23 July 2011 – Paris, France
http://www.alphavis.com/ecm2011/

3rd International Conference on Climate Change
Impacts and responses
21-22 July 2011 – Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
http://www.Climate-Conference.com

XVIII International Botanical Congress
23-30 July 2011 – Melbourne, Australia
http://www.ibc2011.com/

Ecological Society of America 96th Annual Meeting
7-12 August 2011 – Austin, TX, USA
http://www.esa.org/meetings/

Conference on Frontiers in Historical Ecology
30 August-2 September 2011 – Birmensdorf, Switzerland
http://www.wsl.ch/frontiers_historical_ecology

European Society for Evolutionary Biology Meeting
20-25 August 2011 – Tuebingen, Germany
http://www.eseb2011.de/

GfÖ 2011
British Ecological Society
5-9 September 2011 – Oldenburg, Germany
http://www.gfoe-2011.de/

If you want to announce a meeting, event or job offer that could be of interest for (some) biogeographers, or you want to make a call for manuscripts or talks, please contact us at jbs@mncn.csic.es and frontiersofbiogeography@gmail.com.
**BES Annual Meeting**

41st Annual Meeting of the Ecological Society of Germany, Austria and Switzerland
12-14 September 2011 – Sheffield, UK
http://www.britishecologicalsociety.org/meetings/

**Biodiversity Institute Symposium**

Conservation beyond protected areas
21-22 September 2011 – Oxford, UK
http://www.biodiversity.ox.ac.uk/

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Advances in Biogeography
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