

## **NRES WEEKLY NEWS**

### **October 15 - 29, 2004**

A newsletter for faculty, staff and students  
who participate in the  
Natural Resources & Environmental Studies  
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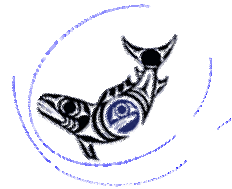
**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22**

### **NRES / CSAM RESEARCH COLLOQUIUM SERIES**

**Arnie Narcisse, Chair of the Commission**  
*BC Aboriginal Fisheries Commission and the First Nations Fishery*

**“Our place at the Table”**

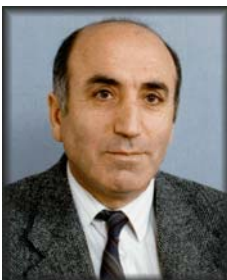
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**Time: 3:40 - 4:40 pm**  
**Lecture Theatre - 7-238**



Refreshments served at 3:30 pm

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29**

### **NRES / CSAM RESEARCH COLLOQUIUM SERIES**



**Dr. Ahmet Mermut**  
*Department of Soil Science*  
*University of Saskatchewan*

**“Carbon Stocks and Balance  
in Canadian Prairies”**

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## TRAVELING

- ◆ **Oscar Garcia** is in Japan between 15-22 October to give a keynote presentation at FORCOM 2004, "International Symposium on The Role of Forests for Coming Generations - Philosophy and Technology for Forest Resource Management". UNBC is a co-organizer of this Conference. See <http://fecsun.kankyo.tohoku.ac.jp/FORCOM/index.html>
- ◆ **Neil Hanlon** will be presenting a paper at the 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association on Gerontology in Victoria (23 October 2004). The title of the presentation (with Dr Mark Rosenberg, Queen's University) is "Preparing the way for the greying of BC's resource communities."
- ◆ **Kathy Lewis** was in Vancouver October 14 and 15th to mark policy exams for the ABCPF.
- ◆ **Kathy Parker** was in Fort St. John on Oct 13 - 15th for the Stone's Sheep Scientific Advisory Committee meetings.
- ◆ **Catherine Nolin** was invited to present her ongoing research on immigration and settlement in BC's northern communities at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Steelhead Seminar (16 October 2004) in Smithers, BC, which is organized by UNBC's Political Science program. This year's seminar brought together academics, regional mayors, municipal and regional government representatives as well as immigration service providers and community organization representatives.
- ◆ **Peter Jackson, Brendan Murphy, Melanie Noullett, Brenda Moore, Tim Phaneuf, and Gail Roth** attended and presented papers and posters at four joint



conferences (13th Conference on the Applications of Air Pollution Meteorology, 16th Conference on Biometeorology and Aerobiology, 26th Conference on Agricultural and Forest Meteorology, and the 5th Urban Meteorology Symposium), all sponsored by the American Meteorological Society, August 22-26, in Vancouver.

## PUBLICATIONS

- ◆ Peterson, R.L. and **H.B. Massicotte**. 2004. Exploring structural definitions of mycorrhizas with emphasis on nutrient exchange interfaces. *Can. J. Bot.* 82: 1074-1088.
- ◆ **Noullett, M. and P. L. Jackson**. 2004. Exposure to fine particulate air pollution (PM<sub>2.5</sub>) in Prince George, British Columbia. Preprints, 13th Conference on the Applications of Air Pollution Meteorology with the Air and Waste Management Association. Amer. Meteor. Soc., Vancouver, British Columbia, August 22-26.



## APPOINTMENT

- ◆ **Catherine Nolin** was recently elected to the Board of Directors for the Prince George Immigrant and Multicultural Services Society (IMSS) for a 2-year term.

Mark your calendars—**The 2004 Doug Little Memorial Lecture and Dinner** has been scheduled for Thursday, November 18. Guest Lecturer will be **Dr. Ray Guries**. Dr. Guries is the current chair of the Forest Ecology and Management Department at the University of Wisconsin.

### REMINDER:

Share your information about recent publications, grants, and /or other honours you may have received with others interested in NRES issues.

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