



Section on Statistical Genetics

School of Public Health, Department of Biostatistics

August 2009 Section
on Statistical Genetics
(SSG) Two-day offsite
retreat



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Tue 8/11/2009 - Wed 8/12/2009

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Time	Topic		
8:00 AM	Welcome & Coffee		
8:30 AM	Scientific Session I	8:30-8:50	1. Guimin Gao PhD
		8:50-9:10	2. Guolian Kang PhD
		9:10-9:30	3. Nianjun Liu PhD
		9:30-9:50	4. Boshao Zhang PhD
		9:50-10:10	5. Kui Zhang PhD
		10:10-10:30	6. Nick Pajewski PhD
11:00 AM	Lunch & Big Picture Meeting		
1:00 PM	Break-out sessions & walk around the Zoo		Group 1: Faculty Group 2: Fellows Group 3: Students Group 4: Programmers Group 5: Staff
3:00 PM	Session II	3:00-3:20	1. L. Kelly Vaughan PhD
		3:20-3:40	2. Mark Beasley PhD
		3:40-4:00	3. Yann Klimentidis PhD
		4:00-4:20	4. Richard Reynolds PhD
		4:20-4:40	5. Kiya Hamilton PhD
		4:20-5:00	6. Jun Li
5:00 PM	Zoo closes		



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8:00 AM	Welcome & Coffee		
8:30 AM – 10:30 AM	Session III	8:30-8:50 8:50-9:10 9:10-9:30 9:30-9:50 9:50-10:10	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. David B. Allison PhD 2. Charity Morgan PhD 3. Mary Wojczynski PhD 4. Nengjun Yi PhD 5. Shravan Gopal MS
10:15 AM	BREAK		
10:30 AM	Group reports & discussions		<i>Faculty, Fellows, Students, Programmers, Staff</i>
12:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Lunch & walk around Zoo		
3:00 PM	Session IV	3:00-3:20 3:20-3:40 3:40-4:00 4:00-4:20 4:20-4:40	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hemant Tiwari PhD 2. Xiangqin Cui PhD 3. Degui Zhi PhD 4. Richard Kennedy MD PhD 5. Nathan Wineinger
5:00 PM			Zoo closes

Legend:

- On Exhibit all Year
- Exhibit Schedule Noted Below
- Mammals
- Bird Aviary
- Pelicans
- Flamingo Lagoon
- Birds
- Toucans
- Snakes
- Sea Lions
- Loriseal Aviary
- Alligator Swamp
- Primates
- Waterfall Ponds
- Catwalkway
- Frog
- Wombat
- Kangaroo
- The Savannah (Giraffes, Camels, Red River Hogs)
- Zebbras
- Carnies
- Tortoises
- Lions
- Predators (Big Cats)
- Native Butterflies (8/1 through 8/7)
- Fish
- Alabama Barn
- Chickens
- Alabama Wild Animals
- Bald Eagles
- Others
- Camel Ride (Group Only - Additional Charge)
- Wildlife Show (Through Labor Day)
- Gorilla Interaction (Gorilla's support guide conservation)
- Pachyderms (Elephant & Hippo) (Horse Encounter Outside the Spring)
- Sea Lion Splash Show

ZOO MANNERS

Please! Zoo policy prohibits food or drink from being brought in to the zoo. Picnic tables are available outside the zoo for those who want to bring their own food.

We want all children to have a great time in the Children's Zoo play area. Parents and chaperones, please guide children to use the play area properly. Climbing on the rockwork walls to the play area is prohibited.

Thank you for not bringing your pet to the zoo today. We do allow service dogs for the visually impaired. Please check with Visitor Services for exact instructions. If you are here with a service dog, Thank you for not smoking while inside the zoo. Smoking areas are provided outside the entrance area of the zoo.

RESPECT THE ANIMALS

Please respect the special diets of the animals. Treats or "people food" can cause stomach problems for these wonderful creatures.

Please help us by not throwing items into the habitats of the animals. Even single objects can be hazardous, if swallowed.

Fences and barriers around the animal areas are there for your safety and that of the animals. Please stay on the walkways and viewing areas provided.

Help keep our zoo and our animals safe. If you see anyone disregarding these requests, please immediately call 352-397-3870.

FIND IT HERE!

Stroller/Wheelchair Rental & ATM Available in the gift shop just inside the entrance.

Handicapped Access We recommend that visitors with physical challenges pick up an Accessibility Guide from Visitor Services on how best to enjoy a day at the zoo.

Lost Parents, First Aid, Lost and Found Located at Guest Services, next to the front entrance Gift Shop.

Baby Changing Areas Available in all restrooms. A private room for nursing mothers is available at the Primate building.

Tokens Tokens or wristbands are required to ride the train, carousel or play in the Run Zone. Tokens can be purchased at the front gate, the train, or carousel locations. All riders must be dry.

Camel Ride Tickets Tickets can be purchased at the Camel Ride location. Camel rides are available (weather permitting) through August 8.

Want UNLIMITED Zoo admission for one full year?

Apply your admission ticket for today towards a Zoo membership!
See the membership office for details (offer good only on day of visit).

Restrooms **Baby Changing Area** **First Aid** **Food** **Gift Shop**



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