



ASP Update – February 2006

News:

ASP Social: *How Washington Works: What Scientists Need to Know*

On February 10th at 8:00 am, we'll have a wonderful opportunity to hear from UCAR's Cindy Schmidt and special guest Joel Widder from Washington, D.C.'s Lewis-Burke and Associates government relations firm. To learn more about Joel, please go to http://www.lewis-burke.com/bio_joel.php. Because of their tight schedules, we had to start this one early, but we'll make it up to you with lots of coffee and a full hot breakfast. Breakfast will be available at 7:45 am, and after the talk as well. We hope you'll stick around, enjoy more coffee and breakfast, and socialize with your peers. This event is open to all graduate students, postdocs, and Scientist I's at NCAR/UCAR.

Julia Slingo coming for the Phil Thompson Lecture Series

The ASP welcomes Dr. Julia Slingo from The University of Reading as our guest for the Phil Thompson Lecture Series on February 21 and 23. The schedule is still being finalized. If you would like to schedule an individual meeting with Julia, please email Kristen Corbosiero (corbosie@ucar.edu) and indicate any scheduling constraints you have. Please note that this event is open to anyone at UCAR/NCAR, not just ASP. Details will be available at <http://www.asp.ucar.edu/tho/>.

Gradstudent/Postdoc Association Mailing List

Just a reminder that the mailing address for the newly formed Gradstudent/Postdoc Association is:

grad-postdoc-assn@mailman.acd.ucar.edu

Here is the url where you may sign yourself up.

<http://mailman.acd.ucar.edu/mailman/listinfo/grad-postdoc-assn>

Computing Workshop Online

Christiane Jablonowski put together a very informative workshop yesterday called "Computing Workshop for Users of NCAR's SCD Machines. You may find her presentation at http://www.asp.ucar.edu/gau-users/computing_workshop_Jan06.pdf

Upcoming Holiday

Please note that Monday 20 February is a holiday in observance of Presidents' Day.

Postdoc News

- ASP postdoc Christiane Jablonowski will be leaving ASP to take a position as a Visiting Scientist at the Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory (GFDL) in Princeton, NJ. In September, she will join the Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor as an assistant Professor. Congratulations Christiane!

Upcoming Events:

Feb 8	11:00 am	Research Reviews: Michael Boy and Christiane Jablonowski	Live: ML Damon Room FL-3: 2072 CG1: 3150
Feb 10	8:00 am	ASP Social: <i>How Washington Works: What Scientists Need to Know</i> by Cindy Schmidt (UCAR) and Joel Widder (Lewis-Burke Associates). Breakfast will be available at 7:45 and after the talk for socializing.	Center Green Center Auditorium
Feb 15	11:00 am	ASP Seminar: Susan Solomon (NOAA Aeronomy Laboratory), <i>“Stratospheric Ozone Depletion: What’s New and How Can it Link to Climate?”</i> Followed by lunch in the cafeteria.	FL2 Room 1022
Feb 21 & Feb 23	9:00 am	Phil Thompson Lecture Series with Julia Slingo (The University of Reading)	Mesa Lab
Feb 22	11:00 am	Research Reviews: Gabriele Pfister and Kristen Corbosiero	Live: FL3-2072 CG: 3150 Board Room ML: Directors Conf Rm