



## **ASP Update – July 2007**

### **News**

#### **ASP July Social: Phil Thompson Lecture Discussion**

Tuesday, July 17<sup>th</sup> @ 3:00 pm, CG-1 3131

Please plan to attend this important discussion to offer your perspective and opinions regarding the nominations for the next Phil Thompson Lecture Series. Refreshments will be provided, and all postdocs and graduate students are invited to attend.

The annual ASP breakfast hike will be Tuesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, so please mark your calendars!

#### **Travel Reminders**

The ASP office would like to remind all NCAR/UCAR postdocs and graduate students that anytime you are traveling for business, a Travel Authorization (TA) must be done in advance. If the travel is foreign, the paperwork typically needs to be completed two weeks before the trip begins. *This is true even for travel that is of no cost to this organization!*

Even if a trip is somewhat uncertain, it is better to complete the paperwork and cancel it than not have the authorization before travel begins. The dollar amounts on the travel authorization are estimates; we do not need to know the exact costs in order to submit the paperwork.

Finally, if you wish to receive a travel advance, you must specifically request the advance at least two weeks before the travel begins. If you have any questions about these policies, please don't hesitate to call Kathleen Barney at x1434 for further clarification. Your own division or host division may have slightly different policies, so be sure to check with them if appropriate.

#### **Fellows Association**

The Fellows Association will have a gathering this month at 6:00 pm on Thursday, July 19<sup>th</sup>. The place has yet to be determined. Details will follow on the Fellows Association email list.

#### **ASP Library**

The ASP has a small library of general books that are of interest to postdocs and graduate students. It is currently housed with Ben Lamptey. The list of books is appended at the end of this newsletter. If you wish to borrow any of these materials or wish to donate a title, please contact Ben at x 2836 or [lamptey@ucar.edu](mailto:lamptey@ucar.edu). Ben will no longer be an ASP postdoc in the fall, which means we are seeking a new volunteer to take over the library. Please contact Paula if you are interested ([paulad@ucar.edu](mailto:paulad@ucar.edu)).

### **Postdoc and Grad Student News**

Peter Lauritzen won the highest marks for Young Scientist Outstanding Poster Paper of the Atmospheric Science Division at the European Geophysical Union (EGU) General Assembly-2007. Great job Peter!

Jonathan Graham's thesis defense is in July @ CU: Eaton Conference Room, 11am, Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> of July. Good luck Jonathan!

Mary Hayden and colleagues won the Annual Public Health Materials Contest (in the "printed materials" category) of The Public Health Education and Health Promotion Section of the American Public Health Association. Congratulations!

In other news, Kristen Corbosiero will be leaving NCAR to begin her faculty position at the University of California, Los Angeles. Mike Waite is also leaving NCAR for his new postdoc position at the University of Victoria, British Columbia. We wish you the best Kristen and Mike, but we will miss you!

### ***Upcoming Events:***

July 19	3:00 pm	Thompson Lecture Series Discussion with Refreshments	CG1-3131
Aug 14	TBD	Breakfast Hike at Mesa	Damon Room

### ***Drop in on the Director Schedule\****

Center Green 1	Foothills Lab 1	Mesa Lab Tower B
Room 2144	Room 2057	Room 251
Tuesdays 3-4	Wednesdays 3-4	Thursdays 3-4

\*Please note that Maura is out of the office until July 16<sup>th</sup>

## **ASP Library**

### **Title**

### **Author**

*A PhD is Not Enough*

Peter J. Feibelman

*Women Changing Science*

Mary Morse

*Asserting Yourself:*

*A Practical Guide for Positive Change*

Sharon Anthony Bower  
and Gordon H. Bower

*Experienceing Science*

Jeremy Bernstein

*Go To: The Story of the Math Majors,  
Bridge Players, Engineers, Chess Wizards,  
Maverick Scientists and Iconoclasts - The  
Programmers who Created the Software  
Revolution*

Steve Lohr

*Advisor, Teacher, Role Model, Friend  
On Being a Mentor to Students in  
Science and Engineering*

National Academy of Sciences

*Put Your Science to Work  
The Take-Charge Career Guide for Scientists*

Peter S. Fiske

*Climate Affairs*

Mickey Glantz

*Beyond Race and Gender*

R. Roosevelt Thomas, Jr.

*Science Wars*

Andrew Ross

*Impeccable Advice for Women in Academia*

Emily Toth