

The Texas Sea Grant College Program

Invites you to attend the

Sea Grant Researcher Conference

October 10, 2007

9:00 am to 3:30 pm

*University of Texas
Marine Science Institute, Auditorium
Port Aransas, TX*

The conference speakers will be researchers who are currently supported by the Texas Sea Grant College Program. Results of ongoing research will be presented in a public forum. Faculty, staff and students with interests in marine science from universities throughout the state, as well as other interested parties are welcome to attend. A list of speakers and subject areas is attached.

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Agenda

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- 9:00 *Welcome by Dr. G. Joan Holt*
- Introductions and Purpose of Meeting by Robert Stickney*
- 9:15 *Greg Stunz - Recruitment, spatial distribution, and fine-scale movement patterns of red drum through major and shallow passes?*
- 9:45 *Scott Socolofsky - "Eddy Structures and Exchange Processes through Idealized Tidal Inlets"*
- 10:15 *Peter Thomas - "Reproductive and endocrine biomarkers in Atlantic croaker of estuarine condition"*
- 10:45 *Andre Landry and Tasha Metz - "An Assessment of Sea Turtle Assemblages in Texas Estuaries"*
- 11:15 *Gary Graham - "Fuel Efficiency in the Shrimp Fishery"*
- 11:45 ***Lunch Break (Researchers and Sea Grant Personnel, MSI cafeteria)***
- 1:30 *Sam Brody - "Planning for Sustainable Coastal Communities: A web-based approach"*
- 2:00 *Logan Respass - "The Quality of Life Survey"*
- 2:30 *Del Gatlin and Bill Neill - "Effects of prebiotics on nutrient digestibility of a soybean-meal-based diet by red drum *Sciaenop ocellatus*"*
- 3:00 *Robin Brinkmeyer - "Factors regulating microbial degradation of dioxins in estuarine sediments: Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bay, Texas"*
- 3:30 *Adjourn*