

2700 m

HUMBOLDT DAY 2020

September
14th - 18th

1400 m

Palghat Gap

Registration Link: bit.ly/3lBX5wz

Details: <http://www.iisertirupati.ac.in/events/humboldt>

September 14th

09:00 - 09:15 hrs
KAMAL BAWA
Introduction to biogeography and biodiversity in India

09:15 - 09:40 hrs
KARTHICK BALA
Biogeographic patterns and community structure of diatoms across the Western Ghats

09:40 - 10:05 hrs
JAHNAVI JOSHI
The Centipede's Sanctuary: Exploring Ancient Refugia from peninsular India

10:05 - 10:30 hrs
ISHAN AGARWAL
Evolution of the Indian dry zone

10:30 - 10:55 hrs
NAVENDU PAGE
Phytogeographic mysteries of the Indian subcontinent

1055-1120 hrs
SP VIJAYAKUMAR
Meditating on endemism: history, assembly and politics

1120-1145
NISHMA DAHAL
High altitude biodiversity and impacts of climate change - Himalayan pikas

1145-1210
KRISHNAPRIYA TAMMA
Rodents and ecosystems of the North Eastern India

1235-1300
ASHWIN VISWANATHAN
Using Citizen Science to understand birds and their distributions

September 15th

Moderator
PRAVEEN KARANTH

18:00 to 18:30 IST
T.B SMITH
A biological view on avian diversification

1830 to 1900 IST
RAURI BOWIE
Penguin phylogenomics

September 16th

Moderator
KARTIK SHANKER

18:00 to 18:30 IST
WALTER JETZ
TBA

1830 to 1900 IST
ROSEMARIE GILLESPIE
TBA

September 17th

Moderator
JAYASHREE RATNAM

18:00 to 18:30 IST
SUSHMA REDDY
Birds of Madagascar, a conundrum of island biogeography

1830 to 1900 IST
RAURIE BOWIE
Sky Islands of Africa

September 18th

Moderator
NANDINI RAJAMANI

17:30 -18:00 IST
ROBERT MOYLE
Pantropical biogeography, with some recent work on passerines, trogons, and Coraciiformes and biodiversity in India

18:00 to 18:30 IST
SAMPATH SENEVIRATHNE
From Wallace to warblers – island biogeography from a Sri Lanka standpoint

1830 to 1900 IST
MARTIN PACKERT
Mountain biodiversity - the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau a center of bird diversification

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