



Draft Agenda

USFWS Residency Week at NMSU/FWCE

March 18 – 22, 2024



Sunday (3/17): Anna and Carl Arrive

Day 1 – Monday March 18

- 7:30 Breakfast: Carl, Anna, Matt, Martha and Jimmy
 - TBA
- 9:30-10:15 Meeting with ACES Dean and Associate Deans: Anna and Carl
 - Gerald Thomas Hall
- 10:30 Classroom Visit
 - Introduction to Population Ecology, Gerald Thomas Hall 142
- 12:00 Classroom Visit
 - FWCE 431 Mammalogy, Knox Hall 142
- Additional USFWS folks arrive and get settled.
- 4:00 Informal gathering at Bosque Brewing (901 E. University Ave)

Day 2 – Tuesday March 19

- 8:30-9:30 Meeting between USFWS and FWCE faculty and staff
 - Knox Hall 100 coffee and light breakfast provided.
- 9:00 Classroom visit
 - FWCE 2110, Principles of Fish and Wildlife Management
Gerald Thomas Hall 336
- 10-11:30 Office Hours Knox 100/GTH 297
 - 6, 30-minute concurrent Sessions with 2 Service Employees
 - Students will sign-up for meetings in advance.
- 12:00 Classroom Visit
 - FWCE 330, 142 Knox Hall 142
- 12:00-1:30 – Panel: FWS 101 and Career Journeys. GTH 194 (auditorium)
 - Moderator: David Gonzales, Conservation Delivery Coordinator,
 - Anna Muñoz, Deputy Regional Director, Mountain-Prairie Region
 - Jason Davis – Deputy Assistant Regional Director for Fish and Aquatic conservation, Southwest Region
 - Carl Millegan, Deputy Assistant Regional Director, National Wildlife Refuge Program, Midwest Region
- 3-5:00 Office Hours Knox 100 and 201
 - 8, 30-minute concurrent Sessions with 2 Service Employees
 - Students will sign-up for meetings in advance.
- 5:30 Evening barbecue with Faculty, Staff and students – Knox Pond

Day 3 – Wednesday March 20

- 7:00 Morning birding trip (TBD). Hosted by Avian Migration Program (AMP)
- 8:00 Informal coffee, Knox 100
- 9-12:00pm, Office Hours Knox 100, Knox 201
 - 12, 30-minute concurrent Sessions with 2 Service Employees
- 12:15-1:15 Lunch @ the Game FWS and FWCE faculty/staff for those available
- 1:30 Classroom Visit
 - FWCE 357 Fisheries Management and Analysis, Knox 143
- 2:00 Meeting with TWS/AFS/GSO officers
- 3:00-4:30 Workshop, Student Opportunities with USFWS. GTH 336 (Phillip Stephenson and DeeAnne Meliopoulos)
- 4:30 Informal gathering at Bosque Brewing
- 5:00 TWS/AFS meeting

Day 4 – Thursday March 21

- 8:30 Informal coffee with FWCE Knox 100
- 10:30 Classroom Visit
 - FWCE 464 Management of Aquatic and Terrestrial Systems
- 11:00 – 1:30 Student Research Poster Session with Pizza Lunch. Knox Hallway
- 2:00 FWS/FWCE Debrief meeting
- Workshop/Panel 4-5:30: USAJobs and Federal Resumes. GTH 336 (Phillip Stephenson)