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VOTE, VOTE, VOTE!!!! 2000 ABS ELECTIONS

Voter response was slightly higher (11%) in 1999 than in 1998 (9%). However, this is still a low voter turnout. Please take the time to vote in the upcoming election! Election information and ballot are enclosed. You can vote using this ballot, OR you can vote by email, provided that the Central Office has your e-mail address and you have approved its use for this purpose. Your name must be on the envelope or ballot to be counted.

LUIS FELIPE BAPTISTA 1941-2000

Luis F. Baptista died unexpectedly at his home in Sonoma, CA on 12 June 2000. He was 58 years old. Patrick Kociolek, Executive Director of the California Academy of Sciences said, "All of us at the California Academy of Sciences are profoundly saddened and shocked by the loss of this dear friend and colleague. Luis was a brilliant scientist who has made contributions that are fundamental to our understanding of bird communication and vocalization. He was a very kind and affable person who was loved and respected by all of the staff at the Academy."

Baptista was a well-known contributor to the fields of animal behavior, avian systematics and bioacoustics. Born on 9 August 1941 in Hong Kong, he lived in Macau as a member of the Portuguese community. Baptista emigrated to the US while in high school, received his B.S. and M.S. degrees from the University of San Francisco, and earned his Ph.D. from the University of California, Berkeley. He was a postdoctoral fellow at the Max Planck Institute for Behavior Physiology in Germany from 1972 to 1973. He next joined the faculty at Occidental College in Los Angeles, CA, where he served as Associate Professor and Curator of the Moore Laboratory of Zoology until 1980. Baptista then joined the California Academy of Sciences as Curator and Chair of the Department of Ornithology and Mammalogy. Dr. Baptista was a Fellow of the American Ornithologists' Union, a corresponding member of

the Deutschen-Ornithologischen Gesellschaft, and an Honorary Member of the Cooper Ornithological Society, for which he served on the Board of Directors. He was the American Representative of the International Ornithological Council, and helped organize symposia on bird song at International Ornithological Congresses in Moscow (1982), Canada (1986), New Zealand (1991) and Vienna (1994).

In addition to his systematic and bioacoustic work with birds, Luis Baptista was renowned for his research on regional song dialects and song development in the White-Crowned Sparrow. Baptista contributed over 127 publications in ornithology, including several provocative syntheses. He was co-author of a leading textbook in ornithology (with J. C. Welty) as well as an important historical review of avian sound communication (with Sandra Gaunt). Maintaining his connections with the Portuguese community in Macau, Baptista wrote extensively on birds from this region. This research shaped his recent interest in the creolization of human language.

In the last decade, Baptista became active in joint conservation programs with Mexican biologists to save endangered avifauna on Isla Socorro. He participated in a National Academy of Science program in biomusic, drawing important connections between avian song and human musical composition. These insights drew the attention of the *New York Times*, *Science News*, *Newsday* and newspapers around the world. A week before his death, Baptista chaired a symposium in Portugal on the role of bioacoustics in conservation biology. Patrick Kociolek was quoted in a press release by Amy Cramer, "The contributions Luis has made to the scientific community and to the California Academy of Sciences will leave a lasting legacy. He will be missed." A special fund has been established at the California Academy of Sciences to continue Dr. Baptista's work. Contributions to this fund should be sent in his memory to the Luis Baptista Memorial Fund, California Academy of Sciences, Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, CA 94118.

DIRECTION OF CORRESPONDENCE

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NOTICE!

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2001 RENEWALS

Renewal forms for 2001 have now been mailed to all active 2000 members who have not renewed. If you have not received a form, you can check your membership status at <http://www.animalbehavior.org> (Membership Directory at bottom of left navigation bar. User: **absmembers** Password: **behavior99**) or contact the office at aboffice@indiana.edu. Dues may be sent with the form from this newsletter (back page) the downloadable online form (Join ABS) or simply with a note confirming you wish to pay your 2001 dues. See back page for current dues structure.

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GENESIS AWARD 2000

The winner of the first annual Genesis Award for the most outstanding undergraduate poster presentation at the 2000 ABS annual meeting at Morehouse College, was **Veronica E. Solares-Rojas** (co-author: Jose Luis Osorno), Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico for her poster, "Geographic variation in the timing of male desertion in the magnificent Frigatebird." Congratulations!

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR ABS CAREER AWARDS

In recent years, the Animal Behavior Society has made a series of Career Awards. With these awards we recognize scholars in our discipline at various stages of their careers. These awards and their recipients are:

Distinguished Animal Behaviorist- outstanding lifetime achievement in animal behavior. J.P. Scott, W.D. Hamilton, P. Marler, J. Maynard Smith, G. Woolfenden, L. Brower, L.R. Aronson, J.P. Hailman, N. Collias.

Exemplar Award- major long-term contribution. J.A. Stamps, D. Mock, J. Altmann, J. Alcock, D. Dewsbury, M. Bekoff.

Outstanding New Investigator- outstanding contribution by a new investigator. L.A. Dugatkin, A. Basolo, D.P. Chivers, H.K. Reeve, G. Grether.

Quest Award- outstanding seminal contribution. K. Sullivan, M. Zuk, J.C. Wingfield, P. A. Gowaty, C.R.B. Boake.

Exceptional Service Award- sustained service contributions to the Animal Behavior Society. L. C. Drickamer.

W.C. Brown Animal Behavior Teaching Award- distinguished contributions in teaching animal behavior to undergraduates. D. C. Candland, G. C. Michener.

To make a nomination: All members of the society are encouraged to prepare and submit nominations for these awards. To aid the Selection Committee and to help codify the procedures involved, the following items must be submitted for a nomination: (1) a letter of nomination indicating the award for which the nominee is being proposed. It should provide details on the reasons the nominee should be considered for that award, (2) a curriculum vitae of the nominee, and (3) additional supporting letters from colleagues solicited by the nominator. These materials (except for the W.C. Brown Teaching Award) should be sent to Dr. Andrew Sih, Center for Ecology, Evolution and Behavior, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0225, USA. E-mail: ndc@pop.uky.edu. DEADLINE: Feb. 1, 2001.

NOMINATIONS FOR THE WILLIAM C. BROWN ANIMAL BEHAVIOR TEACHING AWARD

Thanks to the generosity of William C. Brown Publishers, the Animal Behavior Society solicits nominations for the William C. Brown Animal Behavior Teaching Award for 2001, to be awarded at the 2001 ABS meeting at Corvallis. The awardee will receive a \$500 personal stipend and a grant of \$500 to enhance undergraduate instruction in animal behavior at the awardee's institution. Nominees for the award must show evidence of effective and innovative teaching and have a reputation among peers and students for excellence in undergraduate animal behavior instruction maintained over a number of years. Persons wishing to make a nomination must submit a one-page nomination letter and names, addresses and phone numbers of at least two additional references. Selection will be made by the ABS Education Committee. Upon receipt of a nominating letter, the committee will solicit supporting materials such as course syllabi, student evaluation summaries, letters from students or peers, documentation of teaching awards and innovations, textual or laboratory materials, and other indicators of superior undergraduate teaching. Nominators and nominees must be members of the Animal Behavior Society; current officers and committee chairs of the Animal Behavior Society are not eligible for nomination. Nominations must be submitted by **Jan. 15, 2001**, to: Dr. Penny L. Bernstein, Chair of the ABS Education Committee, Kent State University - Stark Campus, 8910 Indian Hill Circle, Canal, Ohio 44614 USA, pbernstein@stark.kent.edu

DIVERSITY FUND STUDENT REGISTRATION FEE AWARDS

A limited number of awards will be made from the Diversity Fund to cover registration fees for graduate students attending ABS annual meetings. Applicants must be enrolled in a graduate program at the time of application and must be members of under-represented minorities, including those living in North America who are of African, Asian, or Latin American descent and those who are of Native American heritage, citizens of Latin American countries, and non-white citizens of African countries. Awards will be made via lottery including valid applications received before 1 March 2001. A letter of application and a signed statement from the student's major professor confirming the student's graduate status should be directed to Nancy G. Solomon, Miami University of Ohio, Department of Zoology, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio 45056 USA. E-mail: solomong@muohio.edu.

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS ABS Student Research Grants

The ABS Research Grants Committee announces the 2001 competition for funds in support of student research. Only student members of ABS (who must be an active member on the application deadline) enrolled in graduate programs are eligible to apply. Recipients of past research awards are ineligible. A total of \$15,000 (US) will be available to support ten students at a level of no more than \$1000 each and an additional ten students for up to \$500 each.

The DEADLINE for receipt of completed applications is **January 24, 2001**. Late applications will not be accepted. Applications will be reviewed by two or three referees and applicants will be notified of the results by April 1, 2001. The preferred method for receiving and submitting applications is through <http://www.animalbehavior.org/ABS/Grants>. Information regarding the submission of special files (e.g. figures) is available on that site. For those preferring to submit their application directly electronically or as an electronic attachment contact Dr. James Ha at jcha@u.washington.edu.

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS Developing Nations Research Grant

The Animal Behavior Society announces the fourth annual Developing Nations Research Grant (DNRG) program. Two grants of up to \$700 (US) will be awarded to provide financial support for scientific studies of animal behavior conducted by students or more established members of the Animal Behavior Society (ABS). Only current members of the Animal Behavior Society (i.e. must be an active member on the application deadline) residing in developing nations are eligible (the following are **not** considered developing nations: United States, Canada, Israel, Japan, Australia, New Zealand, Iceland, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Denmark, Germany, The Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, France, United Kingdom, Ireland, Switzerland, Austria, Italy, Spain, and Portugal). Active student members of the ABS may apply separately for the Student Research Grants Competition, but no one may receive more than one Developing Nations or Student Research Grant in a lifetime. Student DNRG applicants must be enrolled at an institution in a developing nation.

The DEADLINE for receipt of completed applications is 10 JANUARY 2001. All applications must be submitted in English. Applications will be reviewed by two or three referees and funded projects will be announced by 1 APRIL 2001. The preferred method for acquiring application materials is through

<http://www.animalbehavior.org/ABS/Grants/>. Paper versions can be downloaded from this WWW address, or are available upon request from the address below. Applications can be submitted via e-mail to sadamo@is.dal.ca.edu or in paper form to: Shelley Adamo, Department of Psychology, Dalhousie Univ., Halifax, NS B3H 4J1, Canada. Questions about the competition should be directed to Dr. Adamo at these addresses.

2001 WARDER CLYDE ALLEE COMPETITION

The Warder Clyde Allee Competition for Best Student Paper will take place at the 2001 Annual Meeting at Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR, 14-18 July 2001. All eligible students are encouraged to participate.

Eligibility requirements: Any independent student research (including, but not limited to, the doctoral dissertation) most of which is unpublished at the time of submission for the session is eligible. The work presented may be part of a larger collaborative effort, but the student should have the principal responsibility for the conceptualization and design of the research, collection and analysis of data and interpretation of results. Only single-authored papers are eligible. Entrants cannot have completed defense of the doctoral dissertation before the preceding ABS annual meeting (August 2000) and an individual can enter the Allee Competition only once per lifetime.

To enter: Students must indicate their desire to be considered for the competition by checking the appropriate box on the abstract submittal form for the annual meeting, submit a written version of their paper which includes their addresses, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses, fill out a signed and dated form indicating that they meet all eligibility requirements (to be supplied to entrants after receipt of their written papers), present a spoken version during the 2001 Annual Meeting, attend both the Allee welcoming dinner on the evening before the competition day, and attend the banquet during the Annual Meeting. The spoken portion of the competition is limited to 18 students. If more than 18 students enter, the Allee Judges will select the best 18 submitted papers for the spoken paper session and further eligibility. Four (4) copies of a written version of no more than 7 double-spaced text pages and no more than a total of 4 tables and/or figures (this limit does not include abstract, references or acknowledgments) must be received by Dr. Anne B. Clark, ABS Allee Competition Chair, Department of Biological Sciences and Center for Developmental Psychobiology Binghamton University (SUNY), PO Box 6000, Binghamton, NY, 13902-6000 USA by the due date for submission of abstracts for the annual

meeting. THOSE INTERESTED IN THE COMPETITION SHOULD BE SURE TO CHECK THE DEADLINE DATE FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSIONS FOR PAPERS AT THE ANNUAL MEETING. If significant new results arise after submission, students may submit a one page addendum to their papers up to 30 days before the first day of the Annual Meeting. Questions should be addressed to Anne Clark (e-mail: E-mail: aclark@binghamton.edu).

**INVITED POSTER SESSION:
EDUCATING IN ANIMAL BEHAVIOR**

Do you have a good lab or classroom exercise? Have you done a successful outreach program? We invite all members to share their ideas on teaching about animal behavior at an invited poster session at the 2001 ABS meeting in Corvallis. Posters in this session will be grouped together at the evening poster session. As this is an "invited session", participants in this session can also submit a spoken paper or poster about their disciplinary research. Contact Kim Sullivan (yejunco@biology.usu.edu) or Penny Bernstein (pbernstein@stark.kent.edu) for additional information.

***ABSnet*
THE ELECTRONIC MAIL NETWORK OF THE
ANIMAL BEHAVIOR SOCIETY**

ABSnet provides a fast electronic forum for animal behaviorists, and others interested in the study of animal behavior, in a digest or newsletter form. ABSnet provides job announcements, requests-for-information, computer-related news (eg. virus and bug alerts), appropriate software and hardware reviews, and news of Society activities and business. ABSnet is not an interactive, listserv-type discussion group but rather a moderated forum for the exchange of information of interest to animal behaviorists. The digest or newsletter does not replace the official Society hardcopy newsletter sent to all Society members via regular mail. Questions? Let me know! James C. Ha, University of Washington jcha@u.washington.edu.

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MEETINGS

**ANIMAL BEHAVIOR SOCIETY
ANNUAL MEETINGS**

2001: 14-18 July at Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR.

2002: July 13-18 at Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.

Watch the ABS website for details.

**CALL FOR SYMPOSIA FOR THE 2002
ANNUAL MEETING**

Symposium proposals for the 2002 annual meeting must be submitted to the Program Officer by May 1, 2001. Proposals may be submitted by e-mail or regular post to Program Officer, Emília Martins, Department of Biology, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR 97403; e-mail: emartins@evolution.uoregon.edu.

TASP - CALL FOR PAPERS

The Association for the Study of Play (TASP) will meet at the Hampton Inn, San Diego, California, February 21-25, 2001, in conjunction with the Society for Cross-Cultural Research (SCCR). Contact: L. Diane Parham, TASP Program Chair, Department of Occupational Science, University of Southern California, 1540 Alcazar Street, CHP 133, Los Angeles, CA 90089, phone: 323-442-2879, fax: 323-442- 1540, e-mail: Lparham@hsc.usc.edu.

ABS AUTHORS

If you have written or edited a book pertinent to animal behavior which was published in 2000 or will have a book coming out in 2001, please send the citation and a brief synopsis of its contents to Dr. Jill M. Mateo, Ph. D. Chair, Animal Behavior Society Public Affairs Committee, Psychology Department, Uris Hall, Cornell University 607-255-3996, Ithaca, NY 14853-7601 607-255-8433 (FAX), jmm52@cornell.edu.

**OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY
2001 ANIMAL BEHAVIOR SOCIETY MEETING**

Lynne Houck and Andy Blaustein (Department of Zoology) are pleased to invite you to attend the 38th Annual Meeting of the Animal Behavior Society. The meeting will be held at Oregon State University (OSU) in Corvallis, OR. The LaSells-Stewart Center at OSU features over 45,000 square feet of quality meeting, gallery, office and auditorium space. This Conference Center will house all concurrent sessions and poster displays during the meeting.

DATES OF MEETING: Presentations, posters, workshops, etc. will begin on the evening of Saturday, July 14 and continue through Wednesday, July 18, 2001.

WEB SITE: Information on the 2001 meeting is available on the Animal Behavior Society web page (<http://www.animalbehavior.org/ABS/Program>) and via the February 2001 issue of the ABS Newsletter. The Meeting Program will be posted on the web page as soon as it is available.

MEETING SITE: Corvallis is located in Oregon's Willamette Valley, about 2 hours (by car) south of Portland and 1 hr north of Eugene. The Oregon coast is approx. 1-1/4 hr to the west, and the Cascade Range is about a 2 hr drive to the east. The OSU campus is bordered by a 5,000 acre forest that is managed by OSU.

PROGRAM: We have an exciting meeting planned. Our Keynote speaker will be Dr. **Harry Greene** (Cornell University) and there will be Fellows lectures by Dr. **Ellen Ketterson** (Indiana University) and Dr. **Eliot Brenowitz** (University of Washington). The program also includes symposia on "Behavioral genetics for the next decade" and "Detecting and measuring mating preferences", and invited paper sessions on "Song Learning", "Aggression and group organization in animal societies", and "Educating in animal behavior".

WEATHER: Summer in Corvallis is generally sunny and rain-free. July weather generally involves high temperatures in the 70°s and 80°s, with evening lows in the 50°s. Humidity is low. Casual dress, including shorts and sandals, is appropriate for almost all activities in our area and at the meetings.

ACCESS TO CORVALLIS: The most frequently used major airport near Corvallis is Portland (PDX). Shuttle service from the Portland Airport to the OSU campus is offered by Anthony's Limo (see info on WEB = <http://www.portlandairportshuttle.com>). Anthony's Limo service to Corvallis takes approx. 2 hr, and the shuttle departs from the Portland Airport every 2 hrs beginning at 7:00am, with the last departure at 11:00pm. Round-trip limo tickets currently are \$68/person.

The Eugene Airport (EUG) is closer to Corvallis (approx. 45-60 min drive), but shuttle prices are roughly comparable if you are traveling alone. OmniShuttle (1-800-741-5097, <http://www.omnishuttle.com/>) charges \$65 round-trip for the first person and \$9 for each additional person. Reservations must be made at least 24 hours in advance.

LODGING: On-campus housing will be available in dormitories that are less than a 5-10 min walk from the Conference Center (where virtually all meeting events will take place). In addition, Corvallis features a variety of motels (Best Western, Super 8, Ramada, etc.) that are a 5-10 min drive to the Conference Center. Free parking is available in the huge stadium parking lot directly across the street from the Conference Center. Information concerning dormitories and motels will be provided in December.

REGISTRATION FEES and DEADLINES:

Registration in 2001:	Regular May 1st	Late > May 1st
Regular Member	\$195	\$220
Student Member	\$95	\$120
Non-Member	\$255	\$280
Guest/Spouse	\$85	\$110

Registration fees are fully refundable *only* if we receive your refund request by 2001 June 8.

CALL FOR PAPERS

As in recent years, we are asking everyone to submit abstracts, register and pay via the ABS WWW page (<http://www.animalbehavior.org/ABS/Program>). Doing things electronically allows us to move the abstract deadline up to **May 1, 2001**.

TALKS will be 15 min. in length with 12 min. for presentation and 3 min. for discussion. A single slide projector (standard 2x2), overhead transparency projector, and video projector will be available. We discourage the use of computer projection because of the many problems associated with setting up the equipment. If you want to use computer projection, plan to bring all of your own computer and projector equipment (and a set of backup overheads).

POSTER PAPERS are highly recommended as they can facilitate discussion, perusal of data and one-to-one exchanges of ideas. Two awards will be given: The **FOUNDERS AWARD** will be given for the best poster paper at the Annual Meeting. The **GENESIS AWARD** will be given for the best poster paper presented by an undergraduate student. Posters being considered for either award will be on display throughout the meetings.

ALLEE AWARD: The W.C. Allee Award will be presented for outstanding student paper at the Meeting, and is judged on the basis of a 30 min. talk and a written manuscript. Any independent research that is largely unpublished by the submission deadline is eligible for this award, provided that the student has not competed before and has not completed the final defense of a doctoral dissertation before August 2000. Each paper must have a single author. To compete, you must register and submit an abstract and a pdf version of your manuscript via the WWW **no later than 1 May, 2001**. Contact Dr. Anne Clark (aclark@binghamton.edu) with questions.

CANDIDATES FOR THE 2000 ELECTION OF ABS OFFICERS

SECOND PRESIDENT ELECT

Bennett G. Galef

Education: B.A., 1962, Princeton University; M.A., 1964, University of Pennsylvania; Ph.D., 1968, University of Pennsylvania.

Current Position: Professor of Psychology and Associate Member of the Department of Biology, McMaster University.

Research Interests: Social learning, foraging, mate choice.

ABS and related activities: Executive Editor: *Animal Behaviour* (1997-2000), Editor: *Animal Behaviour* (1997-98), Member at Large (1991-94), ex officio member (1997-2000) Executive Committee of the Animal Behaviour Society, Chair (1999-) and member (1994, 1997-98) of the Ad-hoc Investments Committee of the Animal Behavior Society, Chair (1997-2000), and member (2000-) of the ABS-ASAB Liaison Committee, Animal Behavior Society, Symposium organizer (with A. Clarke and S Yoerg) 1992 Animal Behavior Society meeting; Co-founder and co-organizer (7 yrs. with J. R. Alberts) Winter Animal Behavior Conferences; Member Grant selection Committee, Psychology Section, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada; Member, Executive Committee of Division 6, American Psychological Association; Member, Board of Directors, International Society for Developmental Psychobiology; Editorial Boards: *Animal Behaviour*, *Animal Learning & Behavior*, *Appetite*, *Canadian Journal of Experimental Psychology*, *Ethology*, *Ecology and Evolution*, *Evolution of Communication*, *Foundations of Animal Behavior*, *Journal of Comparative Psychology*, *Learning and Motivation*.

Robert E. Johnston

Education: B.A. Dartmouth College, 1964; Brown University, 1964-5; Ph.D Rockefeller University, 1970.

Current Position: Professor of Psychology, Graduate Fields of Psychology and Neurobiology and Behavior, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

Research interests: animal communication and social behavior; olfaction and chemical communication; mechanisms of kin recognition; neural mechanisms of social recognition and memory; cognitive approaches to behavior, especially nature of representations of other individuals; evolution of chemical communication.

ABS and related activities: ABS member since 1968; reviewer for AB since about 1972; NSF Animal Behavior panel; advocate for studies of animal behavior at national level; organized symposium

at International Ethology meeting (1999), hosted Chemical Signals in Vertebrates meeting (1997) and organized symposium at the 2000 CSV meeting, participant in symposium at Gordon conference on Neuroethology (1999), organized several other symposia in the more distant past.

PARLIAMENTARIAN

James H. Bendix, Jr.

Education: B.A., 1985, University of Maine; M.S., 1988, Northern Arizona University; Ph.D., 1991, Kansas State University.

Current Position: Associate Professor of Biological Sciences, Department of Biology, DePauw University, Greencastle, IN.

Research Interests: Communication and mate choice (frogs and crickets), role of behavior in the maintenance of hybrid zones.

ABS and related activities: ABS member since 1993; ABS Policy Committee, 1996-present (Chair 1997-present); attended ABS Executive Committee meetings 1996, 1999 and 2000.

Linden E. Higgins

Education: B.A., 1980, University of Chicago; M.S., 1982, University of Chicago; Ph.D., 1988, University of Texas at Austin.

Current Position: Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Entomology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA

Research Interests: Foraging behavior, interaction of behavior and life history, phenotypic plasticity.

ABS and related activities: Member, ABS Public Affairs Committee (1994-98), Member, Ad-hoc Committee on Latin America (1995-98), Member, ABS Policy Committee (1998-current). Reviewer for several journals and funding institutions including *Animal Behaviour*, *Behaviour*, and National Science Foundation.

JUNIOR PROGRAM OFFICER

Daniel A. Cristol

Education: B.S., 1985, Cornell University; Ph.D., 1993, Indiana University.

Current Position: Assistant Professor of Biology, College of William & Mary.

Research Interests: Behavioral ecology of migration and foraging, neuroethology of bird migration and food storing, conservation.

ABS and related activities: ABS ethics committee 1998-present; *Animal Behaviour* reviewer and ABS paper session chair periodically since 1989.

CANDIDATES FOR THE 2000 ELECTION OF ABS OFFICERS

JUNIOR PROGRAM OFFICER (Continued)

Philip K. Stoddard

Education: B.A., Biology, 1979, Swarthmore College; Ph.D., 1989, Animal Behavior, University of Washington; Postdoc. 1990-92, Section of Neurobiology and Behavior, Cornell University.

Current Position: Associate Professor, Dept. of Biological Sciences, Florida International University.

Research Interests: Integration of behavior with neurobiology, ecology, and evolution in the study of animal communication (birds and electric fish).

ABS and related activities: ABS member (1980-present). Reviewer for *Animal Behaviour* (1984-present), ABS Investment Committee (1999-present), Consulting Editor for *J. Comparative Psychology* (1993-present), NIH NIGMS study section (2000-present), IACUC chair and member (1994-present).

SENIOR PROGRAM OFFICER

James C. Ha

Education: B.A., 1980, Biology, Millersville State College, PA; M.A., 1983, Biology, Wake Forest University; Ph.D., 1989, Zoology, Colorado State University.

Current Position: Research Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Washington; Research Scientist, Washington Regional Primate Research Center; Research Affiliate, UW Center on Human Development and Disability.

Research Interests: Ontogeny, ecology, evolution, and analysis of complex social behavior, especially social foraging and currently in primates, corvids, and cetaceans.

ABS and related activities: 1988-present: Founder and manager, ABSnet; 1990-96: Member, ABS Public Affairs Committee, 1994 Host: ABS National Meeting in Seattle, 1995-98: Chair, ABS Conservation Committee, 1996-present: ABS Co-Webmaster, 1998-2001: Member-at-Large, ABS Executive Committee, 1989-present: Reviewer for *Animal Behaviour*, *American Journal of Primatology*, *Zoo Biology*, *International Journal of Primatology*, Institute for Laboratory Animal Research, National Science Foundation, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada.

The order of listing of candidates may influence voting. Please avoid this bias in making your choices. This year the candidates are listed in alphabetical order.

Michelle Pellissier Scott

Education: B.A., 1961, Wellesley College; M.A., 1980, Harvard University; Ph.D., 1984, Harvard University.

Current Position: Associate Professor, Department of Zoology, University of New Hampshire, Durham.

Research Interests: Evolution of parental care, Evolution of reproductive cooperation, behavioral endocrinology, hormonal control of social behavior and reproduction of insects.

ABS and related activities: member since 1984. Member-at-Large (1997-2000), Member of Education Committee (1992-1995), Allee competition judge (1991 and 1994), Northeast Regional Animal Behavior Society meeting host and organizer (November 1994), co-organized symposium 1999, chaired sessions, reviewed grant proposals and manuscripts.

MEMBER AT LARGE

Molly R. Morris

Education: B.A., 1978, Earlham College; Ph.D., 1987, Indiana University.

Current Position: Assistant Professor, Ohio University, Athens, OH

Research Interests: Sexual selection in swordtail fishes, evolution of female preferences, evolution of animal communication in aggressive interactions, and the role of female choice in speciation.

ABS and related activities: Judge for Founders Award Poster Session, Allee Award Judge, Education Committee, Organizer of Symposia for 2001 meetings, Reviewer for *Animal Behaviour*

Patricia L. Schwagmeyer

Education: A.B., 1974, Magna cum laude, University of Kentucky; M.A., 1976, University of Michigan; Ph.D., 1979, University of Michigan.

Current Position: Professor of Zoology, University of Oklahoma.

Research Interests: Mating systems, reproductive behavior and parental care, sexual selection, evolutionary aspects of communication.

ABS and related activities: Membership Committee (1983-86); Organization and By-Laws Committee (1986-90); Research Grants Committee (1989-92); Allee Awards Committee (1995); Associate Editor, *Animal Behaviour* (1994-1997); Advisory Editor, *Behavioral Ecology and Sociobiology* (1998-2001); service on NSF Population Biology and Physiological Ecology, Animal Behavior, and Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grants panels.

PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE ABS CONSTITUTION

A vote of the ABS membership is required to change the Constitution of the Society. The Executive Committee approved the following changes at the Annual Meeting in August. For these changes to take effect, the membership must vote in favor of the changes.

The proposed changes will add an additional elected position to the ABS Executive Committee, the Junior Program Officer. The Junior Program Officer will work with the Senior Program Officer to plan and organize annual meetings. The Organization and Bylaws Committee is to be dissolved because most changes to ABS policy are now handled by the ABS Policy Committee. Replacements for Executive Editor will be drawn from the Editorial Advisory Board, chosen by the President and approved by the Executive Committee.

Proposed deletions are shown in *[brackets]*, proposed additions are underlined.

a. Article 4 Section 1.

The officers of this Society are: President, First President-Elect, Second President-Elect, Past-President, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Executive Editor, [*Program Officer*] Junior Program Officer, Senior Program Officer, Secretary.

b. Article 4 Section 3. Term of office:

The term of office shall be one year except in the case of the Secretary, Treasurer, Parliamentarian and Executive Editor, whose terms shall be three years each, and the Program Officers whose terms shall be four years each. The expiration date of the terms of the Secretary and Treasurer shall be arranged so only one is elected in any one year. A Program Officer shall be elected every other year.

c. Article 7. Standing Committees:

[Organization and Bylaws]

d. Article 8 Section 2. D. Succession:

(2) The Executive Editor shall be replaced by a member of the Editorial Advisory Board chosen by the President and approved by the Executive Committee.

END OF ELECTION INFORMATION. BALLOT
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OPPORTUNITIES

The Secretary reminds you that a time lag exists between my receipt of advertisements and the publication of the Newsletter. Positions listed here may already be filled. Please contact those offering opportunities before applying.

TRAVEL GRANTS TO THE XXVIITH INTERNATIONAL ETHOLOGICAL CONFERENCE, TUBINGEN, GERMANY, 22-29 AUGUST 2001

The U.S. Ethological Conference Committee has applied for a grant from NSF for partial support of travel for younger scientists to attend the XXVIIth IEC meeting. If we are funded, the US Ethological Conference Committee (USECC) will use the funds to support younger U.S. scientists ---defined as those who received their Ph.D. degree between 1996 and 2000 or who will complete their Ph.D. during 2001. To apply for a travel award, please submit the following items to Dr. Jerry F. Downhower, Department of Evolution, Ecology, and Organismal Biology, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio 43210, U.S.A. to be received no later than 15 February 2001: (a) seven (7) copies of a 1-2 page curriculum vitae; (b) 7 copies of the abstract you will be submitting for consideration to the IEC program; (c) two letters of recommendation sent separately by the recommenders, and; (d) the estimated lowest airfare from the applicant's home institution to Stuttgart, Germany. For those applicants who have not completed their Ph.D., a letter from their major professor must include an assurance that the degree will be completed during 2001. We intend to notify all applicants of the outcome of their applications by 1 June 2001. Other questions about this competition may be addressed to Dr. Downhower (phone 614-292-4887, e-mail: downhower.1@osu.edu).

ANIMAL PHYSIOLOGIST - The Department of Biology at the University of Memphis invites applications for an Animal Physiologist at the Assistant Professor level. The area of research is open, however those using an integrative, comparative, or ecological approach are encouraged to apply. Candidates will be expected to develop strong, extramurally funded research programs, direct MS and PhD students, and teach effectively at graduate and undergraduate levels. Teaching expertise should include animal physiology and related courses. Applicants must have a PhD, established research credentials, and teaching and post-doctoral experience. Applicants should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, a concise description of research and teaching interests, and names, phone numbers and email addresses of at least

four references to: Search Committee, Department of Biology, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN 38152. Contacts for more information: Phone (901) 678-2581, FAX (901) 678-4746, Email: jwolff@memphis.edu. or see our webpage. Review of applications will begin November 20, 2000 and may continue until the position is filled. Women and minority candidates are encouraged to apply. The University of Memphis is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR BAT CONSERVATION RESEARCH

Bat Conservation International hereby announces the availability of student research scholarships. Approximately 15 grants ranging from \$500 to \$2,500 will be made in 2001. Grants will go to research that best helps document roosting and feeding habitat requirements of bats, their ecological or economic roles, or their conservation needs. Students enrolled in any college or university worldwide are eligible to apply. Projects must have bat conservation relevance. The application deadline for 2001 scholarships is 15 December 2000.

Application information and forms are available at: <http://www.batcon.org/schol/schol.html> or write to Bat Conservation International, Student Scholarship Program, P.O. Box 162603, Austin, TX 78716 or email: aengland@batcon.org

SUMMER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE FOR UNDERGRADUATES IN NEUROBIOLOGY AND BEHAVIOR

- Applications are now being accepted for the Northern Arizona University REU Program in Neurobiology and Behavior, Summer 2001. Since 1992, this NSF-sponsored program has provided hands-on research experience in faculty research laboratories for undergraduates from backgrounds that are under-represented among professional scientists. We intend for this experience to increase the likelihood that students attend graduate school in science and pursue scientific careers, particularly in the behavioral sciences. Application materials and information are available at <http://jan.ucc.nau.edu/~shuster/>, or by contacting Stephen M. Shuster, Department of Biological Sciences, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ 86011-5640, USA. Email: stephen.shuster@nau.edu.

UNDERGRADUATE SUMMER RESEARCH INTERNSHIPS

- The Center for the Integrative Study of Animal Behavior (CISAB) at Indiana University invites applications to our NSF-supported Research Experiences for Undergraduates Program in Animal Behavior. A total of 10 REU internships will be awarded to students to participate in this program from 29 May through 4 August 2001. Each internship

provides a \$2500 stipend, room & board, and transportation costs to and from Indiana University or the study site. Undergraduates from groups underrepresented in science (women, racial/ethnic minorities, first generation college, low income families, or persons with disabilities) are especially encouraged to apply, but all applicants will be considered. Applications will be accepted until all positions are filled. For further information please visit our web site at <http://www.indiana.edu/~animal/academics/reu.html> For application materials contact Linda Summers, REU/CISAB Admin. Assistant, at (812) 855-9663 or send an email to lisummer@indiana.edu.

VOLUNTEER FIELD ASSISTANTS needed for long-term research on the behavioral ecology of Utah prairie dogs. Topics of research include multiple paternity, alarm calling, infanticide, communal nursing, levels of inbreeding, demography, and population dynamics. Study colony is in Bryce Canyon National Park, Utah. Field season starts 05 March and ends 10 July. Academic credit is possible, and several previous field assistants have applied research towards either senior thesis or Master's degree. Please contact John L. Hoogland, The University of Maryland, Appalachian Laboratory, Frostburg, Maryland. Telephone: 301-689-7130 (work) or 301-689-8076 (home). FAX: 301-689-7200; E-mail: hoogland@al.umces.edu.

VOLUNTEERS - Approximately 30 volunteer positions are open in 2001 at the American Museum of Natural History's Southwestern Research Station in Portal, Arizona. The volunteer program is run annually and offers students in biological sciences outstanding opportunities to observe and become involved with scientists doing field research. Food and lodging are provided to volunteers in exchange for twenty-four hours per week of routine chores, with the remaining time available for research activities. The program is open to both undergraduate and graduate students; the latter may pursue their own research projects. Faculty knowing of promising students should alert them to this opportunity for professional experience toward, development of, and evaluation of their career goals. The program is open to non-students as well, particularly in the spring and fall. Volunteers are needed between March 15 and November 1. Appointments are for part of this period, with a minimum appointment of six weeks. Applicants for spring positions (March-May) should submit applications by February 15, summer volunteers (June-August) by April 1, and fall volunteers (September-November) may apply any time. For applications, write: Dr. Wade C.

Sherbrooke, Director, Southwestern Research Station, American Museum of Natural History, P.O. Box 16553, Portal, AZ 85632 USA; phone/fax: 520-558-2396; e-mail: swrs@amnh.org.

SEASONAL STAFF ASSISTANT - Southwestern Research Station, American Museum of Natural History has an opening for a seasonal staff assistant March 15 - September 2001 (end date flexible). Assist in operations of biological research station office, nature shop, and guest rooms: taking reservations, answering phones, greeting guests, working with volunteers in housekeeping, general staff assistance. Five-day week; salary \$245/week, plus room (shared) and board, and medical benefits. Applicant must be conscientious, organized, and flexible; must enjoy people, and be interested in living in a remote setting and working with biological researchers. Biological training an asset. Call and send resume to: Dr. Wade C. Sherbrooke, Director, Southwestern Research Station, American Museum of Natural History, P.O. Box 16553, Portal, AZ 85632 USA; phone/fax: 520-558-2396; e-mail: swrs@amnh.org.

SOUTHWESTERN RESEARCH STATION STUDENT SUPPORT FUND - The American Museum of Natural History awards several grants each year of approximately \$400 - \$800 to graduate or postdoctoral students pursuing research at its Southwestern Research Station in the Chiricahua Mountains, Portal, Arizona. Information and application forms for this program and other Museum grant programs can be obtained by contacting: Office of Grants and Fellowships, American Museum of Natural History, Central Park West at 79th Street, New York, NY 10024-5192; <http://research.amnh.org/grants/index.html>; e-mail: rnavarro@amnh.org; - applications due: Feb. 15, 2001. Address questions concerning the Station to Dr. Wade C. Sherbrooke, Director, Southwestern Research Station, American Museum of Natural History, Portal, AZ 85632 USA; phone/fax: 520-558-2396; e-mail: swrs@amnh.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RESEARCH GRANT AWARD CONTRIBUTORS

The Animal Behavior Society and the Development Committee in particular would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Society who contributed to our 2000 request for contributions to our Research Grant Awards fund and made it possible for 22 awards to be made this year from a total of 105 applications. The ABS Research Grants provide needed financial assistance to our graduate student members. These modest awards can be used to fund a small project, to provide seed money while seeking long-range financing, or as supplemental funding for a large project. On occasion they have been the key that unlocks the research career of a talented animal behaviorist.

Some of the contributions to the fund were modest, some were extremely generous, but all were sincerely appreciated. The award recipients, the Society, and the Development Committee express our gratitude to the following members for their contributions to the 2000 Awards fund:

Susan Alberts, John Alcock, Janet Berger-Cohn, Elizabeth Bowdan, H. Jane Brockmann, John, P. Capitanio, Mark A. Chappell, Cari D. Cheney, Anne B. Clark, Shirley L. Davis, Frans De Waal, Alfred M. Dufty, Lee Ehrman, Roy Fontaine, Debra Forthman, Carl Gans, Judith R. Gibber, Michael D. Greenfield, Benjamin L. Hart, Diana K. Hews, Laurie Hiestand, Robert G. Jaeger, Jeff E. Klahn, Rosemary Knapp, Astrid Kodric-Brown, Masakazu Konishi, Stan Kuczaj, Steven L. Lima, Jeffrey R. Lucas, Martha A. Mann, Colleen McDonough, Roger L. Mellgren, Neil A. Mercado, David B. Miller, Peter Moller, James J. Moore, Douglas W. Morrison, Dietland Muller-Schwarze, Arthur A. Myrberg, Peter M. Narins, Richard E. Phillips, Diane M. Post, Laurene Ratcliffe, Ronald L. Rutowski, Michelle Pellissier Scott, Paul and Cindy Sherman, Suzette Tardif, George W. Uetz, John Vandenberg, Jonathan K. Waage, Jeffrey R. Walters, Douglas Wartzok, Gerald S. Wilkinson, Susan Woelzl, John C. Wright, Marlene Zuk, Anonymous (2).

ABS OUTREACH SURVEY - The ABS is pleased to award one year's free subscription to *Animal Behaviour* and 2001 membership in ABS to Caroline Crockett for participating in the ABS Outreach Survey. We thank everyone for their participation in the survey. ABS Public Affairs Committee, Todd Blackledge and Linda Rayor.

**CALL FOR PUBLICATION OF NEW
METHODOLOGIES IN THE STUDY OF
ANIMAL BEHAVIOR**

The Animal Behavior Society recognizes that there are many exciting new techniques (e.g., bioinformatics, brain imaging, voice-activated data gathering, robotics) that can potentially broadly affect our field. To facilitate the disbursement of this information we have decided to expand the publication of new methodologies that can be used in any aspect of the study of behavior. I urge all members to share their expertise by publishing a description of cutting-edge techniques in one of two forms: (1) As a paper in *Animal Behaviour*. These contributions would be reviewed (as all are) and, as such, would most likely be accepted if they included a 'novel database' or a truly outstanding new application. We hope to publish 1 to 2 such manuscripts per year. (2) As an announcement in a new section of this newsletter. These contributions would be reviewed by the *Animal Behaviour* executive editor (currently me). The format of the latter contributions would be very short (0.5 to 1 page) communications. At present, we will leave the exact specifications of these manuscripts up to the authors. The rapid advance of computer technology has provided a staggering number of techniques that could well be the backbone of behavioral studies in the future. The need for rapid disbursement of this information was identified as an important goal in a recent summit on the future of the Animal Behavior Society. We are optimistic that our membership will take up this challenge. Manuscripts for *Animal Behaviour* are to be sent to the editorial office (see any issue of *Animal Behaviour* for details). Articles for the newsletter can be sent to Jeffrey R. Lucas, Executive Editor, *Animal Behaviour* Department of Biological Sciences Purdue University West Lafayette, IN 47907-1392 or e-mailed to behavior@bilbo.bio.purdue.edu.

ANIMAL BEHAVIOR MEDIA LIBRARY: The Education Committee of the Animal Behavior Society has established a Media Library for use in teaching animal behavior. We are now soliciting submission of high-quality photographs, line drawings, and data graphs illustrating important principles in animal behavior for use in teaching about animal behavior, and for which the submitter can grant copyright to ABS. To submit an image for the library, send the following: 1. Publication-quality photograph, line drawing, or data graph, or a digital file in some standard format (i.e., GIF or JPEG); 2. A statement saying that you are the owner of the image, and that you grant its copyright to ABS; 3. A descriptive caption, identifying the relevant species, principle, and appropriate teaching use(s) of the image; 4.

Reference to one published source (e.g., article or book) providing more information about the topic addressed in the image; 5. How to give credit to the person(s) who provided the materials. To submit materials electronically, contact Penny Bernstein for instructions, via pbernstein@stark.kent.edu. Materials may also be submitted by regular mail to: Penny L. Bernstein Chair, ABS Education Committee, 8910 Indian Hill Circle Canal Fulton, Ohio 44614 USA

ABS CONSERVATION WEB PAGE The ABS Conservation Committee web page (click on the conservation icon at www.animalbehavior.org/abs) is a resource for those interested in applying their animal behavior expertise to conservation problems. The web page has case studies, select literature references, a preliminary list of funding sources, and pertinent internet links. To make suggestions or submissions (we especially need photos and more funding sources), please contact the committee chair, Rich Buchholz (byrb@olemiss.edu).

**ANIMAL BEHAVIOR SOCIETY
GRADUATE PROGRAM BULLETIN**

The Guide to Graduate Programs in Animal Behavior is undergoing a major revision this year, beginning with a request for program updates in late 2000. Additionally, we will add undergraduate and associated programs to the listings and re-title the work as the Guide to Programs in Animal Behavior in North America.

The current version remains available online at: <http://www.animalbehavior.org/ABS/Education/> Hardcopies may ordered via the ABS Office (see Direction of Correspondence). The online version is being upgraded to a fully searchable database and the printed version is now reformatted to include additional indexes.

NOTICE! For additional information on funding sources see

<http://www.animalbehavior.org/ABS/Future/>

BALLOT: 2000 GENERAL ELECTION OF THE ANIMAL BEHAVIOR SOCIETY

**MAIL BALLOTS IN AN ENVELOPE
BEARING YOUR NAME TO:**

STEPHEN M. SHUSTER, ABS SECRETARY, DEPT. OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ 86011-5640, USA

BALLOTS POSTMARKED AFTER JANUARY 15, 2001, CANNOT BE COUNTED

You may cast write-in votes. We are electing five officers (terms begin July 1, 2001). All ABS members (regular members), student members, joint members and active Fellows) may vote. Results will be announced in the February Newsletter. All ballots will be destroyed after they are verified and counted.

ABS OFFICERS

Vote for one candidate for each office by placing an X in the blank following your choice. The candidate with the most votes will win the election. In case of a tie a run-off election will be held.

FOR SECOND PRESIDENT-ELECT:

Bennett G. Galef _____

Robert E. Johnston _____

Write-in _____

FOR MEMBER-AT-LARGE:

Molly R. Morris _____

Patricia L. Schwagmeyer _____

Write-in _____

FOR PARLIAMENTARIAN:

James H. Bendix, Jr. _____

Linden E. Higgins _____

Write-in _____

**PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE ABS
CONSTITUTION**

Article 4, Section 1. YES _____ NO _____

Article 4, Section 3. YES _____ NO _____

Article 7. YES _____ NO _____

Article 8, Section 2. YES _____ NO _____

FOR JUNIOR PROGRAM OFFICER:

Daniel A. Cristol _____

Phillip K. Stoddard _____

Write-in _____

FOR SENIOR PROGRAM OFFICER:

James C. Ha _____

Michelle P. Scott _____

Write-in _____

The order of listing of candidates may influence voting. Please avoid this bias in making your choices. This year the candidates are listed in alphabetical order.

PLEASE NOTE: YOU CAN VOTE BY EMAIL – SEE THE ABS WEBSITE FOR INSTRUCTIONS

Animal Behavior Society Member Questionnaire

(if you have not already filled out this survey we would appreciate your doing so to help us better serve your needs)

1. Your full name:

2. Your preferred title: Ms. Miss Mrs. Mr.
 Dr. Other (please specify) _____

3. Your preferred name for ABS correspondence:

First Last Both No preference
 Other (please specify) _____

4. Your business address:

Business Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Business Email: _____

5. Your home address:

Home Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Home Email: _____

6. Preferred address for ABS correspondence:

Business Home No preference

7. What is the highest academic degree you have obtained?

BA/BS MA/MS Ed.D. Psy.D. Ph.D.
 DVM MD Other (please specify) _____

8. In what discipline is your highest degree? _____

9. At which institution did you earn your highest degree?

10. What is your age? _____

11. What is your sex? Male Female

12. What is your current occupation?

13. What is your primary area of research?

14. What is your primary research species?

15. What are your other areas of expertise?

16. With which other species have you worked?

17. Are you available for the following activities:

Consulting? No Yes –

If yes, what is your fee? _____ per _____

Lectures? No Yes –

If yes, what is your fee? _____ per _____

Media source? No Yes

20. If ABS is asked for a referral, how do you prefer that you be contacted?

	ABS contact me	Organization contact me at home	Organization contact me at business
Consultation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lectures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Media	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

21. What can ABS do to help your professional career?

Thank you for completing this survey.