

Division of Phylogenetics and Comparative Biology

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Message from the Chair-Elect/Secretary

Kerin Claeson, Secretary.dpcb@sicb.org

We are really looking forward to the upcoming meeting in Portland next January. Thank you all for contributing abstracts to the DPCB Wake award for best student presentations this year. There were a lot of excellent entries and I'm sure that the session will generate a lot of discussion.

I also hope many more of you will be able to attend the DPCB business meeting this year as well. Last year we made it our goal to develop a FaceBook page to reach more people faster. With the help of graduate student Jonathan Chang, we launched the site. Don't hesitate to "like us" and stay up to date on DPCB topics! <https://www.facebook.com/SICBDPCB>

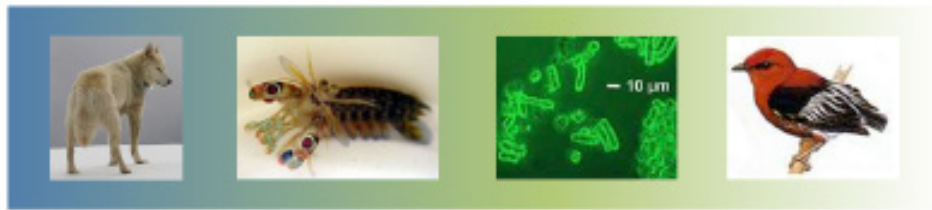
At the upcoming meeting, we really want to develop a symposium proposal for a future SICB meeting. Start thinking about that now and bring your ideas with you to the business meeting. We cross multiple disciplines too, so let's embrace that and make DPCB visible. If you are ready to share those ideas now, email us at Secretary.dpcb@sicb.org.

Looking forward to seeing everybody.



From the Researchers Database

Chondrichthyes and Evolution of Vertebrate Morphology,
Kerin Claeson



Message from the Student Post-doc Representative

Ryan Felice

Hello DPCB graduate students and postdocs! Compliments of SICB Student and Postdoctoral Affairs Committee (SPDAC), we are supplying a list of upcoming funding opportunities. Make sure to check the "For Students" section of SICB.org for links to applications!



Grant	Amount	Deadline
American Association of University Women – Dissertation Fellowship	\$20,000	Nov. 15
American Fisheries Society – Steven Berkeley Marine Conservation Fellowship	\$10,000	Feb. 1
American Museum of Natural History – Frank M. Chapman Memorial Fund	£200-\$3,000	Jan. 15
American Museum of Natural History – Theodore Roosevelt Memorial Fund	\$200-\$1000	Feb. 15
American Philosophical Society – Lewis and Clark Fund	Up to \$5,000	February
American Physiological Society – Porter Physiology Development Program	Up to \$5,000	Jan. 15
American Ornithologists' Union – Student Grant Awards	Up to \$2,500	Jan. 30
American Wildlife Conservation Foundation – William C. Churchill Fund	\$2000	Feb. 15
Animal Behavior Society – Various grants	\$1000-\$2000	December
The Company of Biologists – Journal Travel Fellowship	Up to \$4000	Dec. 31
Graduate Women in Science – SDE National Fellowships Program	Up to \$10,000	Jan. 15
Paleontological Society – Student Grant Programs	\$800	February
Sigma Xi – Grants-in-Aid of Research	Up to \$1000	March 15
Society for the Study of Amphibians and Reptiles – Roger Conant Grants	\$500	Dec. 15
University of Washington Friday Harbor Marine Laboratory – Various Grants	See website	Feb. 1