REACCH Graduate Student Updates

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Interdisciplinary Project Descriptions

Chelsea, Hilary, Ryan, and Nate met with Jodi, Troy, and Kathryn to go over their proposed education project, which will be highlighted at the summer teacher workshop. It is great to see their ideas in action. The ideas generated by each student group were great and will make a valuable contribution to K-12 climate change education and extension.

Here are some questions to think about while working on your project.

- 1. Is the experiment/product integrated clearly with other objective areas from REACCH?
- Are the outcomes that the students/stakeholders will have learned from the experiment(s) or product(s) written with assessments in mind?
- 3. Are all sources referenced?
- 4. Are there options for students at different levels, and are exercises designed in 45 minutes total chunks?
- 5. Are you using the lesson plan template on CD that Troy created for educational projects?

Over the next several Mondays or Fridays Jodi and Kathryn want to meet with each group to go over your projects. Plan for about 1.5-2 hours. Please communicate within your groups and send an available day and time to Kathryn (kbonzo@uidaho.edu).

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Dates to Remember and Announcements

Congratulations to Ed Flathers!! He was awarded Outstanding Student for the Statistics Department (UI).

REACCH T-shirt orders are due to Dianne now. Please contact her directly if you have any questions.

Responsible and Ethical Conduct of Research Training for USDA-funded graduate students is now required. If you have not completed the training, information can be found at each of the institution's websites.

UI : <u>http://www.uidaho.edu/ora/rcrtraining</u> WSU: <u>http://www.gradschool.wsu.edu/CurrentStudents/Res</u> <u>earchIntegrity/</u> OSU: <u>http://oregonstate.edu/research/osp/responsible-</u> <u>conduct-research</u>

Graduate Student Retreat

Requests for a second graduate student retreat have been made!

We are tentatively looking at Friday through Sunday, July 19, 20, and 21 (1/2 day). Please save these dates and let Kathryn know if you have a significant conflict.

Short Course Info...

Course development is ongoing. Look for information about the first online module by June 15th. We are tentatively planning to have the 2nd module in person during the proposed graduate student retreat.