

9th Annual SLEEC Retreat

Saturday 21st September, 2019

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SLEEC Retreat at LCCC (9am-5pm)

The **9th Annual SLEEC** (St. Louis Ecology, Evolution and Conservation) Retreat at will take place on Saturday, September 21st, hosted by the National Great Rivers Research Education Center. The retreat will be held in the Commons building at the Godfrey Campus of Lewis and Clark Community College, located at 5800 Godfrey Rd, Godfrey, IL 62035 (about 30 minutes north of St. Louis). Check-in is from 8:00-9:00 a.m., with the symposium running until 5:00 p.m. Full details (including schedule) will be posted closer to the date, and will be included in participants registration package. Note there are only 16 speaking slots in total, so contact either your institutional representative or [Tony Dell](#) if you would like to be considered for a seminar (only 1-3 speakers per institution).



The Commons building at Lewis and Clark Community College, site of the 8th annual SLEEC retreat.

The keynote speaker will be [Jason Rohr](#) who will speak about "Biodiversity and disease".

Registration (deadline **WEDNESDAY 11th SEPTEMBER**) is free and is essential for all speakers and poster presenters, and to secure lunch. On-site registration is possible, but is discouraged so we can best plan seating and coffee breaks. Contact [Tony Dell](#) if you have any questions.

Got kids and need daycare in order to make the retreat? If so, email [Tony Dell](#) ASAP and if there is enough interest we will endeavor to organize daycare facilities, probably for a small fee to help cover costs.

Retreat Dinner at NGRREC (6-9pm)

The retreat dinner event will take place at NGRREC from 6:00-9:00 p.m., located on the banks of the Mississippi River (address is 1 Confluence Way, East Alton, IL 62024). The dinner will be **family friendly**, and you are welcome to bring other guests. Cost is \$20 per person (children under 11 free) and includes buffet-style dinner and non-alcoholic drinks. A cash bar will be available.

No onsite registration for dinner (unless you don't want to eat!).

We will have tours available of the unique NGRREC building (see image to the right), including the river-view room, laboratory facilities, mesocosms, and the green roof which is amazing at sunset!



The NGRREC Field Station, where the family-friendly dinner event will be held.

Registration

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