

Agenda – December 9th Meeting

Conservation development: evaluating an emerging approach for sustaining biodiversity and human communities in rapidly changing landscapes

SoGES Global Challenges Research Team Meeting

Location: School of Global Environmental Sustainability (SoGES)
108 Johnson Hall, Colorado State University
(970) 492-4205 (call-in number)

Date: Thursday, December 9, 2010; 1-3 pm

Meeting goals:

- 1) Provide an update on the case study of CD projects in Colorado counties
- 2) Learn about how a landscape architect approaches site design
- 3) Develop a vision document to prioritize research projects based on varying levels of financial support
- 4) Identify domain name and prioritize content for a public website
- 5) Agree upon the spring semester meeting days/times

Introduction:

1:00 pm Welcome, brief introductions, and meeting process

Case Study Update:

1:05 pm Progress to date on identifying and mapping CD projects in Colorado case study counties; obtain feedback and discuss next steps (*Lindsay Ex*)

Learning Session:

1:20 pm How a Landscape Architect approaches Site Design (*Kelly Spokus*)

1:50 pm *Break*

Visioning Exercise:

2:00 pm Develop a vision document to prioritize research based on varying levels of financial support:

- Break into small groups to brainstorm appropriate research projects based on varying levels of support (20 minutes)
- Present brainstorm results (10 minutes)
- Prioritize ideas from the brainstorming session for the final vision document (10 minutes)

GCRT Public Website:

2:40 pm Discuss a public internet presence for the CD GCRT; identify domain names and prioritize content (*Lindsay Ex*)

GCRT Logistics:

2:50 pm Set meeting times for spring semester, review participant tasks and address remaining questions

3:00 pm *Adjourn*