

JUNE 30, 2022

The Graticule Weekly

UGA Geography Newsletter



RESEARCH

Utilizing a crowdsourced phrasal lexicon to identify cultural ecosystem services in El Cajas National Park, Ecuador

In recent years, social media has been widely utilized to identify cultural ecosystem services (CES) that encapsulate place-dependent non-material values, yet related studies remained in expert-based and single-word lexicons to retrieve such values. Taking online tourism reviews from TripAdvisor and Google Maps for El Cajas National Park in Ecuador as a case study, Ph.D. alum Inhye Kong and major professor Fausto Sarmiento propose a novel approach to develop a crowdsourced phrasal lexicon for eight CES.

Read the full research article and its findings [here!](#)

AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

UGA student wins AMS Washington Scholarship for third consecutive year

Jada Smith, a fourth-year undergraduate majoring in atmospheric sciences, has won the American Meteorological Society (AMS) Warren and Mary Washington Scholarship.

The AMS Washington Scholarship is funded by Dr. Warren and Mary Washington. They established a scholarship to be awarded to underrepresented students in atmospheric and climate science. Read about the full award and its funding [here!](#)



General News and Announcements



Construction Update:
Physics and Geography/Geology lots remain accessible from Sanford. Sidewalks on the south side of Field Street will remain accessible. Traffic will be able to access Field Street from the east via a right-turn from the southbound East Campus Road lane. Traffic leaving Field Street will be limited to right-turn, southbound travel down East Campus Road. No parallel parking will be permitted on Field Street to facilitate this two-way flow, and the S01 lot north of the Chemistry 1970's wing will be utilized for turn-arounds.

As of June 30, Sanford Drive and Field Street are blocked off for construction for the time being. S02 parking behind Physics and Geography/Geology is still open.



New Safety App - UGA Safe
To promote safety and emergency preparedness across the University of Georgia community, the Office of Emergency Preparedness have launched a new safety app called UGA Safe, replacing the existing LiveSafe app. This app is available to all those with a UGA MyID to download from the Google Play store or the Apple App store.

*Please note that LiveSafe, UGA's former mobile safety app, will be discontinued on September 1, 2022.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

News & Reminders

- [Mill Village Farms Internships](#)

Mill Village Farms transforms vacant properties into bountiful gardens to grow locally-sourced produce for communities that often have limited access to fresh and local foods. Internships range from farming, youth development programming, business development, and more.

[Various Fall 2022 and Spring 2023 internships are available!](#)

Deadline to apply for [Fall 2022](#): July 31

Deadline to apply for [Spring 2023](#): October 31

More opportunities to consider...

- [UGA Office of Undergraduate Admissions](#)

Deadline to apply: August 1 at 5pm



[NASA DEVELOP](#) projects focus on helping local and international communities address their environmental concerns while utilizing NASA's Earth observing fleet of satellites. This opportunity is open to current undergraduate, graduate, and Ph.D. students! The Fall 2022 application deadline is June 24th, with the program term from Sept. 12-Nov. 18.

GRADUATE STUDENTS

News & Reminders

- **Attention Summer 2022 graduates:** Please review the following deadline.

- July 5 - final date for electronically submitting one complete copy of a thesis or dissertation for a format check.
- July 18 - final date of receipt of the following by the Graduate School: Final Defense Approval Form & ETD Submission Approval Form (all doctoral and masters students) and corrected copy of thesis/dissertation.
- August 5 - final date for completing all requirements except submission of theses/dissertations (see earlier deadlines). The Graduate School must receive notification concerning removal of incompletes, certificate completions, final exams, etc. (NOT including grades for currently enrolled courses).
- August 8 - date of Degree Conferral (will have the option to walk in Fall 2022 commencement ceremony)

- **Project Drawdown - Now Hiring!**

Project Drawdown is investing in a "dream team" of world-class experts on climate solutions. They are now hiring a Ph.D.-level researcher in climate solutions and equity. Candidates who focus on possible solutions that can mitigate climate change, improve human wellbeing, and center equity are of particular interest.

[Please see more on the position description here!](#)

Deadline to apply: July 5

More opportunities to consider...

- [Adjunct Instructor in Geography/GIS at Hofstra University \(Fall 2022\) - ASAP](#)
- [Post-doc in Climate Science at Kent State University - June 30](#)



The 2023-2024 Fulbright competition is open! The campus deadline to enter is September 6, 2022. [Learn more](#) about the program and how to apply!

Departmental events:

Maya Henderson's Final Thesis Defense	Thurs., June 30 10am In-person and via Zoom
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The title of Henderson's thesis is, "Carbon Colonization by the Emerald City: Colonial Social Relations in Urban Climate Action." Members of the committee are Drs. Jenn Rice (committee chair), Nik Heynen, and Patricia Richards (professor of Sociology and Women's Studies at the UGA Department of Sociology).

FACULTY & INSTRUCTORS

News & Reminders

- **Overrides for Fall 2022:** Please make a running list of overrides you'd like to make for inquiring students (noting their name, 811#, class CRN, and the type of override) between now and July 18. Once Leslie Geiser (the department's new office manager) starts that day, please send your lists to her and she will process overrides and notify students when they can register for their class.

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