From: meetings@esa.org

Subject: 2021 ESA Annual Meeting: Your contributed talk is accepted!

Date: April 15, 2021 at 2:32 PM
To: renata.diaz@weecology.org

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Dear Renata M. Diaz,

Congratulations! Your abstract for a **contributed talk** has been accepted for this year's ESA Annual Meeting, which will be held virtually August 2-6, 2021. This message contains information about the meeting as well as details about your abstract.

Abstract ID#: 91120

Abstract Title: "Energetic compensation breaks down over time in a desert rodent

community"

What To Expect For This Virtual Presentation

A contributed oral talk is 12 minutes long.

For this year's virtual format, we plan to make the uploaded presentations from all sessions available on demand starting July 26th. Talks and posters will be available one week before the meeting, during the meeting, and for some time after the meeting to be browsed and viewed by registered attendees as their time allows. This will allow attendees to watch presentations in advance of scheduled live discussions or catch up on sessions they missed after the meeting. We will notify all speakers soon about the timeline for uploading presentations.

You will have the option to upload your slides and/or a recording. Recorded talks are highly encouraged; however, we realize some speakers may face technical or other constraints that do not allow this. You will also be able to upload supplemental files such as a handout, a copy of the slides to accompany a recording, and a transcript of the audio from a recording. Transcripts are highly encouraged to help make the recordings as accessible as possible.

The live discussion that will be scheduled for this session is time dedicated for all of the speakers in this session to engage directly with attendees, including a general discussion and answering questions. Live discussions will take place in a video session with text chat features enabled. These discussions will be recorded and available on the website for any registered attendee who missed the discussion and would like to watch it later. We will send scheduling information to all accepted contributed speakers in late May.

Editing Your Abstract

Abstract editing is now available. You may edit your abstract through Saturday, May 1 at 5:00 pm Eastern Time (2:00 PM Pacific).

We allow authors to make minor changes to accepted abstracts. This includes changes such as refining language for clarity, updating results to reflect more recent findings, rewording the title, and editing the coauthor list. Please do not change the overall topic of the abstract or the study to be presented without first consulting with the session organizer.

Attention students! This is your final opportunity to edit your coauthor list. Please make

sure important names (i.e. your advisor) appear as they should in the program. We will be unable to edit coauthors after the editing period has ended.

How to Edit Your Abstract

Follow this link to view and edit your abstract.

https://eco.confex.com/eco/2021/cop/extra/index.cgi? EntryType=Paper&username=91120&password=795862

Cancellation Deadline

We understand that planning ahead is particularly challenging this year. Please notify us (meetings@esa.org) as soon as possible if you are cancelling your presentation. We ask that you cancel by May 1 if possible, to help us minimize gaps in the final meeting program and to receive an abstract fee refund if you paid the fee.

One Presentation Rule

In order to broaden participation, you may give only ONE presentation (any talk or poster that includes an abstract) at the meeting unless one of your presentations is primarily about education or outreach. Inspire presentations are exempt from this rule.

Meeting Registration

Meeting registration will open in May. The deadline to register at the Early Bird rate is Thursday, June 24th. <u>You can see the registration rates here</u>.

All presenters must register to attend the meeting by completing a meeting registration form and paying the applicable fees. Please note that abstract submission does not register you for the conference. Registration is a separate process. Registration is not waived or reduced for presenters, although any attendee may apply for financial support (see next section). One of the benefits of ESA membership is lower registration rates for the Annual Meeting.

Please contact Harriet Waldron (<u>registrar@esa.org</u>) with any specific questions about registration.

Financial Support for Meeting Attendees

Any meeting attendee may apply for financial support from ESA through our Opportunity Fund Registration Grant and various awards that are administered by our Sections and Chapters. You can learn more about these opportunities and apply for all of them through a single submission form on our website. The deadline to apply for priority consideration is Friday, April 30th. All applications received after April 30th will be considered on a rolling basis if funding is still available. If you are applying for funding, please wait to register for the meeting until after you have received notification about your application status. If you receive financial support, you will be sent special registration instructions.

In addition to these funding opportunities, ESA is also offering Dependent Care Grants

this year. Please note that this application requires a separate form.

Please note that applicants for most of these opportunities must be ESA members at the time of application, and in almost all instances must be members of the section or chapter sponsoring each respective award. Please visit <u>our website</u> to determine eligibility and application requirements for each award.

Letter of Invitation

If you require a letter of invitation for your institution, you may print an automatically generated letter at your convenience by following this link and scrolling to the bottom of the page: https://eco.confex.com/eco/2021/cop/extra/index.cgi?
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If your institution requires more specific language in the letter, please contact Hattie Waldron (<u>registrar@esa.org</u>).

Congratulations on your acceptance. Please let us know if you have any questions. We look forward to your participation this year!

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