

Dr. Scott Grubbs presenting his review of the eastern Nearctic nemourid genus Soyedina.

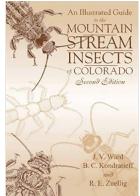
ANNOUNCEMENTS

2021 XVITH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EPHEMEROPTERA AND XXIST INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON PLECOPTERA

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The dates of the meeting are Sunday 25 July through 1 August 2021. It will be held at the Mountain Campus, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado, USA. The meeting website will be up by Spring 2020. The site is a high elevation enclave west of Fort Collins, Colorado, about three hours North of Denver Colorado. The facility provides dormitory and private housing, a cafeteria, and conference facilities in an idyllic setting. They are no restrictions in regard to collecting insects and other invertebrates in the nearby mountain streams, ponds, and welands. The Ephemeroptera and Plecoptera fauna

of this region of the southern Rocky Mountains. Each participant will receive a free copy of "An Illustrated Guide to the Mountain Streams Insects of Colorado, Second Edition, 2nd Edition"





Colorado State University Mountain Campus a research and education village in the Rocky Mountain Front Range

The preliminary schedule of activities:

- arrival Sunday 25th
- Monday and Tuesday 26th-27th, paper and poster sessions
- Wednesday 28, group field trip
- Thursday and Friday 29th-30th paper and poster sessions and awards banquet
- Saturday 31st, checkout or after conference trip (optional, additional cost)
- Sunday 1 August, checkout

Accompanying Guests Activities: A full week of activities is planned to local attractions (Rocky Mountain National Park, Shambhala Mountain Center (Buddhist retreat), Fort Collins shopping and breweries, hiking, museums, dude ranching).

Scholarships: Participant support costs are being sought, mayfly and stonefly groups have travel funds for students, additional funds are being sought. Make donations to your respective group's funds now.

Travel Arrangements: Flights into Denver International Airport (DEN) are the most convenient. We will be arranging for Broome Travel (a shuttle service, your cost) transport to Ft. Collins, where you will meet passenger vans for a 1-1.5 hr trip to Mountain Campus (included in registration).

Registration Costs: Registration covers food, housing (prices vary), mixers, group field trip, and transportation to and from Fort Collins to the Mountain Campus. Cost varies by housing style:

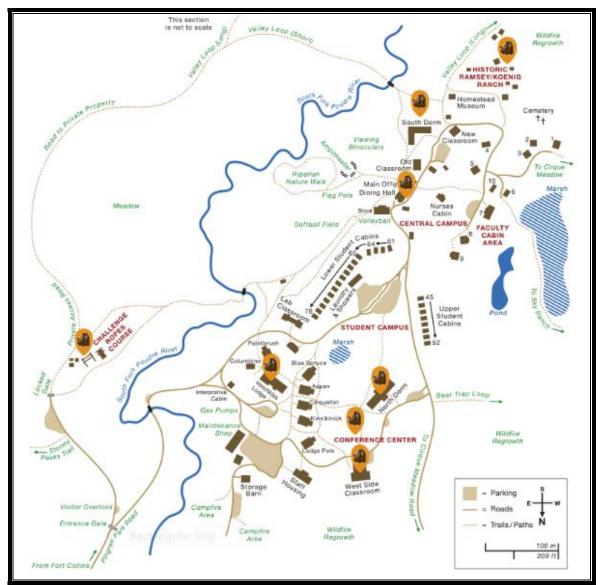
Private and semiprivate cabins

dormitory style housing



- Dormitory housing (multiple occupancy, 3 meals per day)
 - \circ \$69/night + \$10 for linens
- Conference Center Cabins (6 cabins, each with 6 rooms, each room with private bathroom, linens included)
 - Single occupancy \$136/night/person
 - Double occupancy \$116/night/person
 - Triple occupancy \$96/night/person
- Example registration
 - Dormitory: 6 nights * \$69/night + \$10 linens + \$60 incidentals = \$484
 - Private single: 6 nights * \$136/night/person + \$60 incidentals = \$876
 - Double occupancy: 6 nights * \$116/night + \$60 incidentals = \$756
 - Triple occupancy: 6 nights * \$96/night + \$60 incidentals = \$636

Additional costs for accompanying guest outings are unknown at this time, but please budget for \$250-\$300. These are estimated prices that will likely increase slightly by 2021.



Map of the Mountain Campus of Colorado State University, Colorado.



South Fork of the Poudre River, a pristine Rocky Mountain stream flowing through the campus area.

ILLIESIA



Illiesia Is Closing

R. Edward DeWalt, Ignac Sivec, and Bill Stark

Illiesia, The International Journal of Stonefly Research, was founded by Bill Stark and Nace Sivec in 2005 as a taxonomic journal counterweight to publication models with high page charges and limited access. Illiesia provided a model that was free and completely open access, a noble goal that helped authors to publish 231 articles and two monographs issues (see graph).

Though the pay-to-play model is still alive and well, there are now venues where publication is free and access is open or at nominal cost (*Zootaxa* is one example). Often these journals allow posting of pdf copies of articles on social media sites to promote

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