



The Bren School of Environmental Science and Management
cordially invites you to attend

***The Master of Environmental Science & Management
Class of 2009
Group Project Final Presentations***

***Friday April 3, 2009
3:00 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.***

***Fess Parker's Doubletree Resort*
633 E. Cabrillo Boulevard, Santa Barbara***

Program

*3:00 – Group Project Presentations (various rooms)
6:45 – Reception, no-host bar, and poster session*

Group Project Presentation Schedule

3:00-3:30	Presentation
3:30-3:45	Q & A
Anacapa/Santa Cruz	Cumulative Impacts of Large-scale Renewable Energy Development in the West Mojave: Effects on Habitat Quality, Physical Movement of Species, and Gene Flow
Sierra Madre North	Investing in Responsible Tourism and Conservation in Mexico
3:50-4:15	Presentation
4:15-4:30	Q & A
Anacapa/Santa Cruz	Development of a Sustainable Community in Santa Paula, California
Sierra Madre North	Impacts of Rising Sea Level on Coastal Communities: A Santa Barbara Case Study
Santa Rosa/San Miguel	Strategies for Measurement and Reduction of the Carbon Footprint of Zurich Financial Services
4:35-5:00	Presentation
5:00-5:15	Q & A
Anacapa/Santa Cruz	Management Recommendations for Piute Ponds, Edwards Air Force Base, California
Sierra Madre North	Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and Degradation (REDD) in the Cofán Bermejo Reserve, Ecuador
Santa Rosa/San Miguel	Lowering Barriers to Alternative Management Strategies and Collaborative Fisheries Research
5:20-5:45	Presentation
5:45-6:00	Q & A
Anacapa/Santa Cruz	Post-fire Sedimentation and Flood Risk Potential in the Mission Creek Watershed of Santa Barbara
Sierra Madre North	Sustainable Property Rewards Initiative: A Corporate Strategy for Greening Commercial Property Management
Santa Rosa/San Miguel	Life-Cycle Assessment (LCA) of Overhead versus Underground Power Distribution in Southern California
6:05-6:30	Presentation
6:30-6:45	Q & A
Anacapa/Santa Cruz	Conservation Assessment for the Cuyama Valley: Current Conditions and Planning Scenarios
Sierra Madre North	Pathway to Self-Funding: A Case Study on the California Commercial Spiny Lobster Fishery
Santa Rosa/San Miguel	Green Footwear Manufacturing in China for Deckers Outdoor Corporation: An Internal Business Plan to Reduce the Environmental Impact of Manufacturing Facilities

***Please note:** The Doubletree now charges for parking. Parking rates are \$2 for the first hour and \$1 for each additional hour. Carpooling is encouraged!

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