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## Job announcements

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### 2-year postdoc project

**Ecoinformatics & Biodiversity Group, Department of Biological Sciences, Aarhus University, Denmark**

Supervisor: Professor Jens-Christian Svenning

Topic: What determines the global patterns of palm species diversity?

The postdoc candidate is expected to provide cutting-edge expertise in macroecological analyses and to have strong collaborative skills. Applicants should preferably have a PhD degree from a university outside Denmark.

Salary depends on seniority as agreed between the Danish Ministry of Finance and the Confederation of Professional Union, but is expected to be in the vicinity of 520.000 DKK ~ 69.000 Euros per year (before tax).

The position is officially announced here: <http://science.au.dk/en/positions-and-fellowships/academic-positions/>, where you will also find a link to the online application facility. The application deadline is October 19, 2009. If you apply, please also send an email to Professor Jens-Christian Svenning: [svenning@biology.au.dk](mailto:svenning@biology.au.dk).

### Postdoctoral positions and PhD studentships

**Center of Macroecology, Evolution and Climate — Danish National Research Foundation — University of Copenhagen and Technical University of Denmark**

Postdoctoral positions and PhD studentships in Macroecology, Biogeography, Evolution, Population Biology, Oceanographic Processes, Climate, Conservation Biology, and Environmental Economics

A number of positions are available to work within an integrated terrestrial and marine research program addressing fundamental questions on the origin, maintenance, conservation and future of life and biological diversity on Earth.

Candidates should have a strong publication record, relevant analytical and data handling skills, and an ability to communicate within a research team. Competitive salaries are offered.

Fuller descriptions of individual positions within 16 themes are at <http://www.bio.ku.dk/om/jobs>. Application must be based on the full description of the positions, and submitted before 31 of October. For enquiries about the program, contact Professor Carsten Rahbek, [crahbek@bio.ku.dk](mailto:crahbek@bio.ku.dk).

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## Upcoming events

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### 11th International Congress on the Zoogeography and Ecology of Greece and Adjacent Regions

21-25 September 2009 – Irakleion, Crete, Greece

<http://www.nhmc.uoc.gr/iczegar11/>

### XIII World Forestry Congress

**Forests in development. A vital balance**

18-23 October 2009 – Buenos Aires, Argentina

<http://www.cfm2009.org/en/index.asp>

### ASEAN Conference on Biodiversity 2009

21-23 October 2009 – Singapore

<http://www.aseanbiodiversity.org/>

### 2nd DIVERSITAS Open Science Conference

**Biodiversity and society: Understanding connections, adapting to change**

13-16 October 2009 – Cape Town, South Africa

<http://www.diversitas-osc.org/>

### BIOLIEF 2009

**World Conference on Biological Invasions and Ecosystem Functioning**

27-30 October 2009 – Porto, Portugal

<http://www.ciimar.up.pt/biolief/>

### 3rd International Barcode of Life Conference

9-13 November 2009 – Mexico City, Mexico

<http://dnabarcodes2009.org/>

If you want to announce a meeting, event or job offer that could be of interest for (some) biogeographers, or you want to make a call for manuscripts or talks, please contact us at [lbs@mncn.csic.es](mailto:lbs@mncn.csic.es) and [frontiersofbiogeography@gmail.com](mailto:frontiersofbiogeography@gmail.com).

### **TDWG 2009**

**Biodiversity Information Standards. e-Knowledge about biodiversity and agriculture**

9-13 November 2009 – Montpellier, France

<http://www.tdwg.org/>

### **SAFARI Symposium**

**Remote Sensing and Fisheries**

15-17 February 2010 – Kochi, India

<http://www.geosafari.org/kochi>

### **VI Southern Connection Congress**

**Gondwana reunited: a southern perspective for a changing world**

15-19 February 2010 – Bariloche, Argentina

<http://www.scongress2010.com.ar/>

### **9th Meeting on Vegetation Databases**

**Vegetation databases and climate change**

24-26 February 2010 – Hamburg, Germany

<http://netphyd.floraweb.de/?q=node/42>

### **2010 AAG Annual Meeting**

**Association of American Geographers**

14-18 April 2010 – Washington DC, USA

<http://www.aag.org/annualmeetings/>

### **The Evolution of Pacific Biota**

20-22 May 2010 – Honolulu, Hawaii, USA

<http://www.pacificscience.org/meetings.html>

### **7th European Dry Grassland Meeting**

**Succession, restoration and management of dry grasslands**

28-31 May 2010 – Smolenice, Slovak Republic

<http://www.edgg.org>

### **95th ESA Annual Meeting**

**Ecological Society of America**

1-6 August 2010 – Pittsburgh, USA

<http://www.esa.org/pittsburgh/>

### **25th International Ornithological Congress**

22-28 August 2010 – Campos do Jordão, Brasil

<http://www.ib.usp.br/25ioc/>

### **BES Annual Meeting 2010**

**British Ecological Society**

7-9 September 2010 – Leeds, UK

<http://www.britishecologicalsociety.org/>

### **VI Spanish congress of biogeography**

7-11 September 2010 – Alicante, Spain

<http://web.ua.es/es/vi-congreso-biogeografia/>

### **5th International Conference of the International Biogeography Society**

January 2011 – Crete, Greece

<http://www.biogeography.org/>

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