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IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

April 2: Junior Lunch

April 15: Geography Honors Day

April 25: Geography Spring Dinner
and Awards

April 26-27: Midwest Undergraduate
Geography Symposium at the
University of Wisconsin, Madison

May 17: Geography Department
Graduate Reception

WELCOMING POST-DOC XAVIER HARO-CARRIÓN

We are thrilled to announce that Xavier Haro-Carrión has accepted our remote sensing post-doc position for the next two years.

Xavier is currently finishing his PhD in the School of Natural Resources and Environment & Department of Geography at the University of Florida. His research interests include land-use / land-cover change, forest and biodiversity conservation in human-environment settings, and South America, focused in Ecuador.

Next fall, he will teach GEOG 362: Intro to Remote Sensing. In Spring 2020, there will be two other exciting new courses taught by Xavier Haro-Carrión!



(pictured above) Xavier Haro-Carrión in the field

SUMMER INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- **Sunrise Movement Fellowship** - Various locations - Applications due April 7
- **City of St. Paul** - St. Paul, MN - Applications due April 8
- **NYC Department of Transportation** - New York, NY - Application deadlines vary
- **Student Conservation Association** - Various locations - Application deadlines vary

QUALITATIVE RESEARCH METHODS (FALL 2019)

Announcing the project for Qualitative Research Methods (Geog 377) with Professor Dan Trudeau.

Students in the class will have the rare opportunity to create a set of digital documents for the Geography Department's website that tell the story of what geographers do.

Our approach will be to conduct interviews with alums of the department in order to generate a set of life history narratives. We will then analyze the content of these narratives in order to identify themes in the data and pathways that alumni follow. This analysis will inform our work to create a set of documents, including digital stories, infographics, and concept diagrams, that communicate our findings with a public audience.

The documents will be hosted on the department's website.

FALL 2019 GIS

The form to get on the Fall 2019 wait list for Intro to GIS (GEOG 225) is now available on the department home page: "**GEOG 225 Wait List**" in the Helpful Links section. Registration is by instructor permission only, so you must be on the wait list to get a spot. Also, the class fills quickly, so get on the list ASAP!

GIS LAB ASSISTANTS WANTED

Have you taken Intro to GIS? Do you have a passion for helping students with ArcMap and learning more yourself? Ashley is looking for work study students for the 2019-2020 school year. Contact her at anep@macalester.edu if you're interested!

Pictured (below, L-R) Julia Bayer '19 met Laurie Cullenward '09 on a scuba diving boat in Little Cayman over Spring Break!



Pictured (left, L-R): Everett Hommes, Kristi Wyrobek, and Orion Dick-Neal work together during alum Joel Klein's visit to their Transportation seminar.