Collegiate Paleontological Association of Wisconsin

Madison Chapter

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Welcome to Club!

CPAW-Madison Chapter (formerly Paleontology Club) is a student run organization in association with the UW-Madison Geology Museum. Our weekly meetings give members opportunities to explore paleontology through student talks, guest lectures, and current event discussions. Members are also given the chance to volunteer at many outreach and education events, including a student-run research symposium this April. Join us Friday, February 15th 5:30pm-7pm in Weeks room 140 to learn more!

2019 Events

1. CPAW Spring Symposium: take part in the first CPAW student research symposium this April! Members will gain experiences in event planning through conference preparation and collaboration with professional paleontologists. Have a project you want to present? Email us at CPAWMadisonChapter@gmail.com for more information! **Date: Saturday, April 13th**

2. Replica Auction and Sale: following our successful Holiday Silent Auction, members will assist in making replicas of fossils and event planning to raise money for club activities. This is an excellent opportunity to gain fundraising experience! **Date: TBD**

3. Field Museum trip: join us this semester at the Field Museum in Chicago to see Sue in their new home! Admission is FREE for members who reach a minimum of 5 volunteer hours. **Date: TBD**

Location

We meet every Friday from 5:30pm to 7:00pm in Weeks Hall Room 140

Finding room 140:
Enter Weeks Hall through the main entrance and turn right down the hallway
Meet Your 2019 Officers

Hannah Miller, President
(She/Her/Hers)

Hannah is a 5th year senior studying evolutionary biology and zoology. She works as curatorial assistant at the UW-Geology Museum, and researches data collection methods for field work in paleontology. Hannah’s interests include paleoecology, natural history collections, and science education.

Adam Fitch, Vice President
(He/Him/His)

Adam is a junior studying geoscience. He works at the UW-Geology museum fossil preparation lab. Adam studies Triassic phytosaur morphology and pterosaur flight mechanics. His interests include natural history, vertebrate zoology, and paleontology.

Liv Parsons, Financial Officer
(They/Them/Theirs)

Liv is a junior majoring in geoscience. They volunteer in both fossil preparation and curation at the UW-Geology Museum, and works as a house fellow at Dejope. Liv is passionate about geology, climate, paleontology, space science, LGBTQ+ and environmental issues, nature documentaries, being hydrated, and the eventual heat death of the Universe.
Calvin So, Head of Outreach
(He/Him/His)

Calvin graduated in 2018 with a degree in geoscience, zoology, and conservation biology. He studies Triassic lissamphibians from Wyoming, as well as digital imaging techniques. Calvin raises amphibians, and is nuts for newts. His favorite pokemon is Aggron.

Aaron Kufner, Graduate Advisor
(He/Him/His)

Aaron graduated from UW Madison in 2016 with a degree in evolutionary biology and is now completing his first year of graduate studies in paleontology and geoscience. He researches the taxonomy and taphonomy of Triassic temnospondyls. Aaron's interests include early synapsid evolution, vertebrate zoology, and Spongebob Squarepants.

We look forward to having you join us!

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