

## **Virtual Meeting of the Animal Behaviour Section of the German Zoological Society**

Since the annual meeting of the German Zoological Society (DZG) had to be cancelled due to the current pandemic, the Animal Behaviour Section of the DZG is hosting a virtual meeting to provide researchers with the opportunity to present their findings and network with colleagues. We specifically invite **early career researchers** (advanced master's students, doctoral students and young postdocs) to present their research in a friendly atmosphere and to discuss it with peers.



**The virtual meeting will take place via Zoom on September 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> from 9-12 am.**

On both days, the sessions will be opened with a keynote lecture which is followed by short talks on various aspects of animal behaviour.

Our keynote speakers are [Prof. Dr. Meg Crofoot](#), Director of the MPI of Animal Behavior in Konstanz, and [Dr. Cynthia Tedore](#), Research Associate at the Research Unit Behavioral Biology of the University of Hamburg.

Keynote on September 9<sup>th</sup>, 9 a.m., by **Meg Crofoot**

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Keynote on September 10<sup>th</sup>, 9 a.m., by **Cynthia Tedore**

**The diversity and detectability of avian-dispersed fruits through bird eyes**

Keynote lectures will be 30 minutes plus 15 minutes discussion, short talks will be a maximum of 10 minutes plus 5 minutes discussion. We will accept 16 short talks in total. The number of non-presenting participants is not limited. There are no costs associated with this virtual meeting.

**To register for the meeting go to:**

<https://workshops.evolbio.mpg.de/event/34/registrations/participants>

If you wish to present a talk, please provide us with a title and a short abstract (500 words max). The deadline for registering a talk is on September 4<sup>th</sup>. Slots for talks will be assigned on a first come first serve basis. We will send a zoom link to join the meeting to all registered participants shortly before the meeting.

We are very much looking forward to meeting you soon!

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Animal Behaviour Section Speakers

