

# Quick Guide

## For The Field Museum's Global Science Seminar

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### Project Information

**Global Science Seminars**

The Global Science Seminars project is dedicated to bringing students and scientists together virtually to discuss scientific topics. This gives students the opportunity to inquire about subjects and items that interest them within the specific scientific topic featured for each seminar. Scientists associated with The Field Museum of Natural History in Chicago will be featured in seminars throughout the year. Using CoolHub provides an experience that extends beyond the video conference seminar itself. Access to materials and resources prior to the seminar as well as access to follow-up questions after are all possible with this format. CoolHub provides a place where on-going discussions via the Wiki, blog, and message boards is welcomed and encouraged!

#### What's Happening Now?

Join The Field Museum for its Global Science Seminars!

The next Global Science Seminar will be on **Wednesday, October 20th, from 12:00 - 1:00pm CDT with Field Museum scientist Dr. Corrie Moreau**, where she will discuss her extensive work with ants. Check out the wiki for more information and resources for this amazing talk!

Become a Global Science Seminar member to have access to pre-seminar resources and follow-up questions with our presenters! [Use this submission form](#) to request an account.

Did you participate in the Global Science Seminar with Dr. Kevin Feldheim? If so please take a moment to give us some feedback, by taking our [short survey](#). [View the Webcast with Dr. Feldheim here.](#)

### Project Wiki

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#### "Ants, DNA, and Bacteria, Oh My!"

**2** with Dr. Corrie Moreau,  
Assistant Curator of Insects in the Department of Zoology

**Wednesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 – 1:00PM CDT**

The Field Museum's Dr. Corrie Moreau will dive into the world of ants to explore their evolution and symbiotic relationships. The seminar will be broadcasted from the Zoology Classroom, giving participants special behind-the-scenes access to the Museum. The Zoology Department is home to curators, researchers, graduate and undergraduate students, and a world-class collection of more than 19.5 million zoological specimens!

#### Pre-Seminar Materials

Below are several resources you can access to prepare for this exciting seminar!

- [Scientific Papers](#)
- [Online articles and links](#)
- [Romance of the Ants](#)

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[Romance of the Ants](#) is a unique exhibition on Dr. Corrie Moreau and her research with ants! Check out the Romance of the Ants [blog](#) for [photos](#), [videos](#), [cool ant facts](#), and more information on this exhibition.

#### Post-Seminar Questions

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After October 20<sup>th</sup> you may post your questions to Dr. Moreau! [Click here](#) to access the message board.

### Project Blogs

#### DNA Fun Facts!

September 27, 2010 5:48 PM

Here's some DNA facts that will make you sound cool in a sort of alt-mysterio-geek way at parties. (Don't knock it... it works for Museum sta...

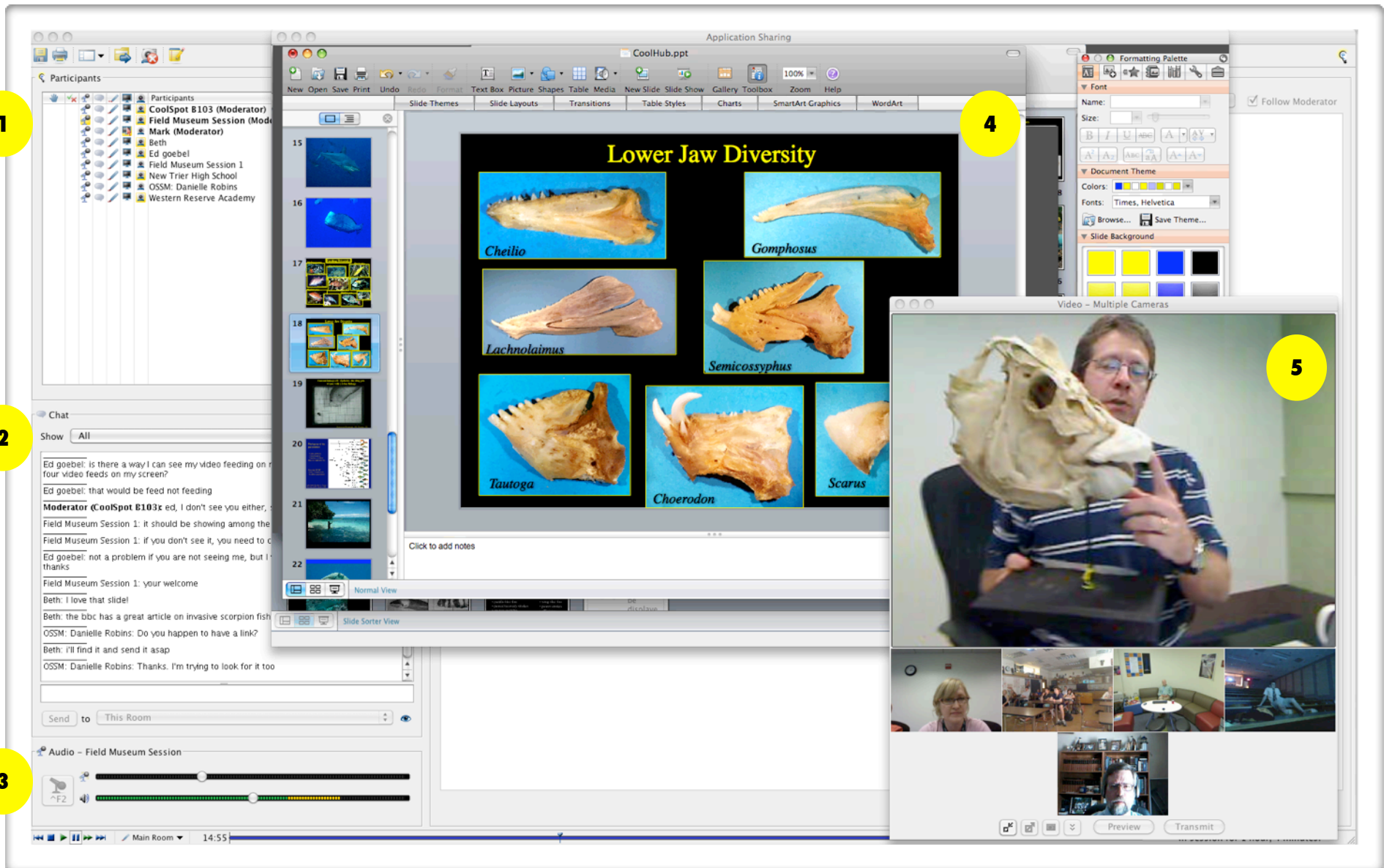
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**6** On the 20<sup>th</sup>, click here to join the seminar on Elluminate!

1. **What's Happening Now:** updates and news on past, current, and future seminars.
2. **Current Seminar:** title, speaker, date, and time for the upcoming seminar.
3. **Pre-Seminar Materials:** links to papers, articles and websites to prepare for the seminar.
4. **Post-Seminar Questions:** link to the message board to ask the speaker questions.
5. **Project Blogs:** additional information about the speaker and their research.
6. **Elluminate:** link to join the seminar on Elluminate, the web conferencing system.

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## For The Field Museum's Global Science Seminar - Elluminate Web Conferencing System



1. **List of Participants:** list of participants and moderators for the seminar.
2. **Chat Box:** type your questions and comments in the chat box.
3. **Speaker & Mic Volume:** bars to adjust volume for your speakers and mic (you may use your mic to ask questions, but do not need one to participate).
4. **Slides:** power points slides to accompany the seminar.
5. **Video Display:** video of the speaker and other moderators and participants using webcams (you do not need a webcam to participate).