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The **Center for Ocean Sciences Education Excellence-West** invites you, your colleagues and students, family and friends to learn more about seabirds! Admission is FREE.

COSEE-West presents

the fifth free public lecture in the 2008-2009 series

Asking the Auks about Climate Change in the Arctic

Speaker: Dr. Nina Karnovsky

Assistant Professor of Biology, Pomona College

THURSDAY, May 28, 2009

at The Huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens

1151 Oxford Road, San Marino, CA 91108

6:00 pm: exhibits open (we are working on this)

6:30 - 7:30 pm: Public lecture and Q&A

7:30 - 8:30pm: Educators' Session

Since 2001, Dr. Karnovsky has studied the effects of global warming on the marine food web of the Greenland Sea. She studies how Arctic seabirds (auks) respond to warmer ocean temperatures. While at-sea, she and her undergraduate students make oceanographic measurements. While on land, they determine how the foraging and reproductive behavior of seabirds are influenced by those oceanographic conditions.

Nina Karnovsky is an assistant professor of Biology at Pomona College. She has been conducting research on the responses of Arctic and Antarctic top predators to climate change since 1992. Nina received a PhD in ecology and evolutionary biology from UC Irvine and has a Master's of Science degree from Montana State University.



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K-12 teachers may get documentation for Professional Development hours upon request. This event counts toward credit for the COSEE-West UCLA Extension course.

**Teachers and other educators: Pre-register to receive content materials and/or course credit.**

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