

Marine Algae of the Santa Barbara Coast and Channel Islands: A One-day Workshop

November 18, 2017 at the Cheadle Center for Biodiversity and Ecological Restoration – UC Santa Barbara

Learn about the diversity, biogeography, evolution, and identification of our region's amazing seaweeds

- Learn to identify the common seaweeds of the Santa Barbara Coast
- Gain an understanding about:
 - the biogeography of algae in the Point Conception region
 - seaweeds in a changing environment
 - the importance of documenting the diversity of seaweeds
 - the uses of biodiversity informatics in research
- Learn how to collect and prepare specimens

Who should attend? People interested in learning about seaweeds!

- The workshop will be conducted by **Kathy Ann Miller, Ph.D.** from U.C. Berkeley. Dr. Miller has spent her career studying the diversity, distribution, and evolution of California's marine algae.
- We will begin at 8:00am at the Cheadle Center on the campus of UCSB. The workshop will consist of a variety of short talks, hands-on demonstrations, and expert help with identifying the common seaweeds of the Santa Barbara region. At 4:00pm, we will reconvene at a local beach at low tide to observe seaweeds in their native environment (transportation not provided).
- There is a \$30 registration fee, and the workshop is limited to 25 people. Lunch will be provided, along with coffee and tea; a parking permit is included in the fee.

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