

Evolution Learning Community
Meeting of Executive Council representative Kelley with Karel Dutton
8/1/07
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., DL 117

ELC Executive Council member Tricia Kelley met with Karel Dutton, Continuing Studies, to discuss Continuing Studies collaboration with ELC.

Dutton has secured a \$1 million grant to endow the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute. Goal is to promote and enhance educational outreach in our region to 50+ audience through non-credit university courses, seminars, lectures, and travel excursions. Diversity programming is also emphasized. Continuing Studies would be interested in collaborating with the ELC in a variety of venues, including the following.

- Galapagos trip
 - Dutton interested in organizing a Galapagos tour either independently or in conjunction with Honors trip being planned (would need separate guide from student group)
 - Continuing Studies trip already planned for spring break 2008, so CS Galapagos trip would have to be later
- Course offerings for community
 - Courses offered at different venues in community (e.g., history course to be offered at Southport Presbyterian Church; offerings also at Plantation Village/Porter's Neck)
 - Would be happy to support evolution-related course in spring or fall 2008
- Dutton has contacts at Cape Fear Museum, if ELC needs assistance in developing collaboration with CFM (Roer contacting Ruth Haas at CFM to discuss possibilities)
- ELC events can be publicized in Pathways (published in September and January; copy deadline for January issue is November)