



Caribbean Natural History Conference

An online forum for research

First call for

Abstracts and Session Proposals

December 2-3, 2025. Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

The Caribbean Natural History Conference (CNHC) will be structured much like an in-person conference, but will instead be offered live, online-only, over Zoom by way of non-overlapping thematically-focused sessions. The conference will be hosted online to encourage and emphasize global participation. It will serve as a forum for presentations by researchers, natural resource managers, students, and naturalists about aspects of field biology and the natural history of the Caribbean (terrestrial, freshwater, and marine). The conference will help promote research, foster collegial relationships, and encourage a greater region-wide and global interest in the natural history of the Caribbean by bringing people together to learn from each other.

For the sake of simplicity, the Caribbean Natural History Conference will not have overlapping sessions, but will instead feature a continuous schedule of 2–3 afternoon themed sessions, thus allowing participants to sign in whenever a session is of interest to them. The timing of each session will be tightly orchestrated, i.e., they will each start and end on time, without an option to extend a session. Presenters are asked to be there for the duration of their session, since this will allow sessions to be compacted if a presenter is not signed on in time to give their presentation.

Each session will be 1.5 hours long and will start with a 5-minute period for introductions and general discussion, followed by five PowerPoint presentations each lasting 15 minutes, including time for questions, and will end with 5 minutes for closing remarks. This will be followed by a 30-minute break before the next session. Presentations may be offered in English, Spanish, or French; with presentation slides in English.

The conference is scheduled to start on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 2nd and 3rd, 2025, and can continue for additional days, depending on the number of sessions that need to be scheduled.

A 20% discount applies to participants who are being sponsored by their organizations.

Registration fees (US \$)

Caribbean Island and Latin American Residents

Regular	\$40
Students	20
Retired	30

Elsewhere

Regular	\$60
Students	30
Retired	40

Deadlines

Submissions of session proposals	Tuesday, November 3
Submissions of abstract proposals	Tuesday, November 10
Registration	Tuesday, November 18 and 25
First day of the conference	Tuesday, December 2

Mailing list: https://www.eaglehill.us/CNHC_2025/mail-list-form.shtml

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