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--- 3rd circular to FORUM HERBULOT 2010 --- Memento

Dear Colleagues and Friends:

Preparations are well under way for the next **Forum Herbulot** on *The Geometridae* of the Western Hemisphere: current knowledge and problems waiting to be addressed to be held in **Gainesville**, Florida, U.S.A. at the McGuire Center for Lepidoptera and Biodiversity.

22-23 June 2010

with two concurrent post-conference collecting tours 24 to ca. 27 June 2010 in Florida and 24 June to 2 July 2010 to Honduras.

- 1. If you intend to participate, please, email your registration or interest in attending as soon as possible to Dr. Charlie Covell, covell@louisville.edu (see attached registration form). Since we suppose, that many registrations are kept 'in pectore' but haven't been realised, so far, we would like to encourage you all to do this in the next days. That would be very helpful for us to be able to go on with the more detailed planning of the meeting.
- **2.** Participants who wish to present a talk or poster should send their <u>abstracts</u> to Charlie Covell by <u>1 June</u> <u>2010</u> if possible earlier. Please note that the above given title **does not exclude** presentations of any other kind or discipline. Non-geometridology presentations can be allowed, too, if they are of common interest.
- **3.** We are planning a post-conference collecting tour to interesting habitats in Florida. Participants who wish to take part in that post-conference tour are kindly requested to make their reservation for that definitely via email and attached registration form until <u>31 March, 2010</u> (to Charlie Covell: covell@louisville.edu).

An alternative post-conference collecting tour to Honduras is planned in parallel. In case of interest, please make your reservation via email and attached registration form to Charlie Covell as soon as possible.

4. Please start as soon as possible to apply for your visa. We had a lot of troubles in the last FH because of problems and delays in visa applications. The U.S.A. authorities may similarly be restrictive.

Please, feel free to contact us, if you want more information about the forum or need assistance in any way. (see also http://www.herbulot.de/Herbulot_Reg/for_herb.htm)

Looking forward very much to see you all in Gainesville, with best wishes

Axel Hausmann and Charlie Covell Munich & Gainesville, February 4th, 2009