Connecting conservation science and practice through large-scale, long-term experiments

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Time: 4:10 - 5:30 p.m.
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Nick Haddad is Director of the Long-Term Ecological Research site at Michigan State University’s W.K. Kellogg Biological Station. He conducts long-term, large-scale experiments, and for all of them stakeholders are essential. Dr. Haddad’s 30-year experiment on landscape corridors and biodiversity conservation is conducted with the USDA Forest Service on land owned by the Department of Energy. His 20-year restoration experiments for a rare butterfly occurs on land owned by the Department of Defense. And his 30-year experiment on the effects of land-use intensity and landscape diversity on ecosystem services in agriculture has relevance for management of working landscapes. The impact of his discovery-based research is magnified by interactions with social scientists and decision-makers.