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Entomological Society of America
Annual Meeting
Cincinnati, Ohio
Sunday, 26 October 2003

SPEAKERS:

1:00 **Introduction.** Andrew Smith, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

1:05 **Scarabaeoid higher phylogeny inferred from ribosomal DNA sequence data: Strong evidence for some interesting patterns, and many more questions to pursue.** Dave Hawks and John Heraty, University of California - Riverside

1:35 **Molecular phylogenetics research on phytophagous scarabs: tales of paraphyletic tribes and unanticipated lineages.** Andrew Smith, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

1:55 **Pest scarabs of North and Central America.** Ron Cave, University of Florida

2:15 **Lucanid classification: history, problems, and prospects.** Matt Paulsen, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

2:35 Break

2:50 **Oak barrens, pocket gophers, and the scarabaeoids who love them.** Nadine Kriska, University of Wisconsin- Madison

3:10 **A review of the tribes of New World Melolonthinae.** Art Evans, Richmond, VA

3:30 **What's in and what's out of the Macrodactylini.** Kerry Katovich, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

3:50 **Valgine vicissitudes: an overview of the Valgini of the New World.** Mary Liz Jameson and Katie Swoboda, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

4:10 **News, announcements, and open discussion.** Andrew Smith, University of Nebraska State Museum