

CALFED Brown Bag Seminars Lead Scientist Candidate Clifford Dahm

*Rivers and Floodplains: Linking Science and Society in
New Mexico, Florida, and Australia*

November 2, 2007

Noon - 1:00 pm

**CALFED Bay-Delta Program
650 Capitol Mall, 5th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814**

The CALFED Bay-Delta Program is conducting a search for a lead scientist to replace Dr. Michael Healey when his term expires at the end of the year. The Independent Science Board (ISB) recruited four lead scientist candidates that will be interviewed by a selection panel consisting of agency, stakeholder, and ISB representatives during October and November. Each candidate will present a noon Brown Bag Seminar to the public and will meet with the selection panel and CALFED staff.

Candidate Seminars:

- **Dr. Mark Bain, Cornell University – Oct 1**
- **Dr. James T. (Tim) Hollibaugh – Oct 9**
- **Dr. Nicholas Clesceri, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (Emeritus) – Oct 22**
- **Dr. Clifford Dahm, University of New Mexico – Nov 2**

Dr. Clifford Dahm is a Professor of Biology at the University of New Mexico (UNM). Since 1999, Dr. Dahm has served as the Director of the Integrative Graduate



Education Research and Training Program at UNM.

Additionally, he served as the Director for the Sevilleta Long-Term Ecological Research (LTER)

Program from 2002-2003. Dr. Dahm is a

broadly trained and experienced interdisciplinary scientist with research interests in the areas of climate, hydrology, biogeochemistry, ecosystem studies, river restoration, and geomicrobiology.

Dr. Dahm currently serves as President of the North American Benthological Society. Additionally, since 2002, he has served as a consultant to the Southwest Florida Water Management District recommending minimum flow levels for rivers and springs in the Tampa Bay area, and advising on river flow variability, and climate change.

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