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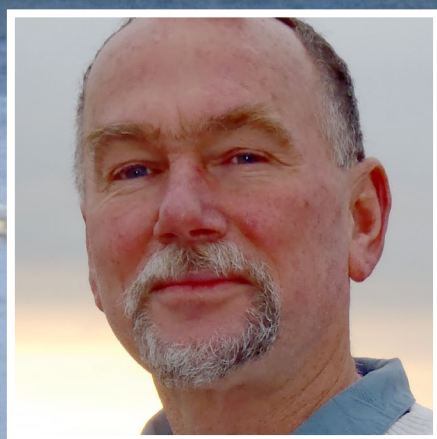
Fritz Stahr

School of Oceanography, University of Washington

Underwater Vehicles for Ocean Exploration

Dr. Stahr manages the Seaglider Fabrication Center at the University of Washington's School of Oceanography (College of the Environment). He co-founded the Ocean Inquiry Project in 2000, a nonprofit organization dedicated to teaching marine science through on-the-water experience while conducting research in Puget Sound.

MARCH 1



James Bodkin

Research Wildlife Biologist, USGS, Alaska Science Center

What Can Sea Otters Tell Us About the Ocean?

Jim brings over 35 years of experience in the field of marine science to his current position as a team leader in the Pacific Nearshore project, which was designed to improve our understanding of the relative influences of oceans and watersheds on nearshore ecosystems.

APRIL 5



Lynda Mapes

Reporter, Seattle Times

The Elwha River Undammed: Restoring an Ecosystem

A reporter at the Seattle Times covering nature, natural history, environmental news and Indian tribes, Lynda recently completed a special report on the Elwha River restoration effort. She is the author of the book *Breaking Ground*, about the discovery of an ancient Indian village on the Port Angeles waterfront in 2003.

MAY 3



Join us in the Seattle Aquarium for insights into the health of the world's ocean and marine life.

Participate in the dialog as local and international experts talk with KING 5's chief meteorologist **Jeff Renner** about the challenges faced by marine creatures – and opportunities to heal and conserve our marine environment now and for generations to come.

7pm

Seattle Aquarium

1483 Alaskan Way, Pier 59

Tickets \$10 each. Purchase online at seattleaquarium.org

A reception with light refreshments will precede each program.

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