

2013 Camp Monaco Prize

The call for proposals for the Camp Monaco Prize emerges from shared objectives of its core partners, i.e., the Buffalo Bill Historical Center's Draper Museum of Natural History in Cody, Wyoming; the University of Wyoming's Biodiversity Institute; and the Prince Albert II of Monaco Foundation-USA. We believe that the most significant advances in biodiversity conservation will spring from the creation and synthesis of information gained through robust, interdisciplinary (i.e., economic and social, as well as ecological) inquiry that addresses the transboundary stewardship challenges inherent in the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem and other coupled human and natural systems around the globe.



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At the Buffalo Bill Historical Center Cody, Wyoming



We also believe that an informed citizenry is more likely to provide important input and support sound stewardship strategies. Therefore, projects that integrate public outreach activities and multiple stakeholder involvement with scientific research activities are strongly encouraged. We also encourage cross-cultural collaborations that reflect multiple ways of knowing and experiencing biological diversity.

Toward these ends, we expect aspiring investigators to explore partnership opportunities with appropriate personnel at the Buffalo Bill Historical Center and University of Wyoming.

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