

TO: All Faculty and Staff

Colleagues,

On Friday, February 10th the Provost's Lecture Series will commemorate the birthday of Charles Darwin with a special advance screening of "Flock of Dodos: The Evolution-Intelligent Design Circus."

The screening will be followed by a special panel discussion including the filmmaker Randy Olson and a group of journalists, filmmakers and scientists.

Randy Olson's new feature documentary film probes the great communications struggle around evolution vs. intelligent design being waged in today's mainstream media. Olson's humorous, enlightening and sometimes sobering journey includes in-depth interviews with top experts on intelligent design, school board members, and lawyers, and footage from an evening with evolutionists who gather for a game of poker and evolution debate.

This special event, which is co-sponsored by the Department of Ecology & Evolution and the Undergraduate Colleges of Arts, Culture and Humanities, and Science and Society, will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Activities Center Auditorium.

Please pass along this invitation to any students or community members you feel may be interested in attending.

- Robert McGrath, Provost & Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs