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Southern Methodist University, Dallas Texas

Banquet: Saturday, March 17th, 2007

SMU Faculty Club
3034 Daniel Avenue

Dinner Speaker: Amanda K. Neill

**Director of the Herbarium
(BRIT-SMU-VDB)**

**Co-Director:
Andes to Amazon Biodiversity
Program**



Amanda Neill, from College Station, Texas, joined the BRIT staff in 2003 as Collections Manager, and became Director of the Herbarium in 2006. She is also the Co-director of the Andes to Amazon Biodiversity Program.

Amanda earned a B.S. in horticulture and an M.S. in botany from Texas A&M University, based on a study of the flora of Madison County, Texas.

She has an active interest in floristics of Texas as well as of neotropical areas. She has extensive field experience in Texas, Costa Rica, Belize, Ecuador, and Peru.

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