

Friends of the Mizzou Botanic Garden presents the
2021 Jacquelyn K. Jones Lecture

Birding Without Borders: An Epic World Big Year

featuring bird man Noah Strycker



From top: crowned wood nymph, Ecuador;
spotted kingfisher, Philippines; chinstrap
penguin, Antarctica; Whitehead's trogon, Borneo
Photos courtesy Noah Strycker

In 2015, Noah Strycker became the first person to observe more than half of the planet's bird species in a single, year-long, birding trip to seven continents. Carrying only a pack on his back, Strycker enlisted the support of local birders to tick more than 6,000 species.

Strycker will share his inspiring story and humorous anecdotes at this **free and open to the public** presentation certain to leave you with a new appreciation for birds and birders of the world.

Friday, October 15, 2021

**6 p.m. • Monsanto Auditorium
located in MU's Bond Life Sciences Center**

Presentation suitable for middle-schoolers to adults

A selection of the bird man's books will be available for purchase and signing at the event.

Also on the program are presentations by the Missouri Department of Conservation about the reintroduction of the brown-headed nuthatch to Missouri, and an introduction to eBird, an online, publicly generated wealth of information about birds.

Audience questions will be addressed by a presenter panel at the end of Strycker's talk.



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