



JPL HIKING+

<http://www.jplhiking.org>

Eco-history hike on Bora Bora In French Polynesia

Thursday, October 30, 2008
Noon to 1pm in the 301-271 public conference room

SPEAKER: Samantha Infeld

DESCRIPTION: Hiking up twin-peaked Mount Pahia (2,159 feet) on the island of Bora Bora, we walked through newly discovered Polynesian orchards and temples, abandoned when the English and then the French missionaries arrived in the 18th century. The Polynesian settlers brought the plants that allowed them to thrive on the fern-covered islands in the 4th century.



NOTE: If you don't have a JPL badge and would like to attend this slide show, you need to contact Anna Stepanyan at (818) 393-0875 in advance to arrange for lab access!