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# Peak Kluk nearby České Budějovice: the top rock with 1968 & 1989 magic year signs engraved.







### Here we are!; České Budějovice, November 21 - ..., 1989





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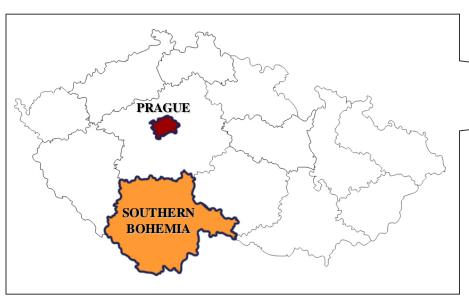
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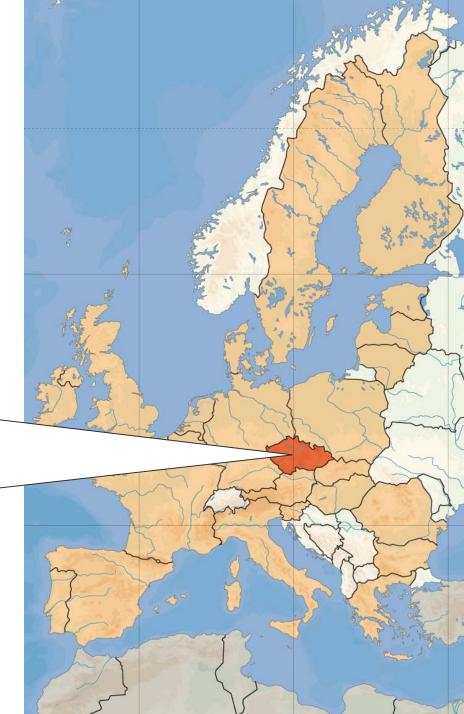




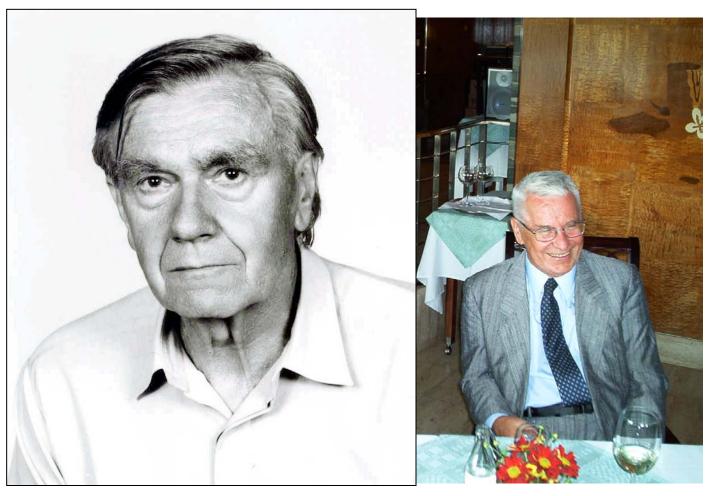
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#### First USB Vice-rectors for international relations



Milan Straškraba

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- Faculty of Economics
- Faculty of Fishery and Water Protection
- Faculty of Philosophy
- Pedagogical Faculty
- Faculty of Science
- Faculty of Theology
- Faculty of Health and Social Studies
- Faculty of Agriculture
- Institute of Physical Biology



# The University of South Bohemia in České Budějovice and following

#### Non-European Universities in Co-operation:

**University of Newcastle, Australia** 

**Kochi University, Japan** 

Kagawa University, Japan

**University of Tsukuba, Japan** 

**University of Manitoba, Canada** 

York University, Canada

**Iowa State University, U.S.A.** 

University of Arizona, U.S.A.

Georgia Southern University, U.S.A.

Winona State University, U.S.A.

**Armstrong Atlantic State University, U.S.A.** 

**University of New Orleans, U.S.A.** 

**Clemson University, U.S.A.** 

**National Taiwan University, Taiwan** 

University of Pretoria, S. Africa
University of Namibia
University of Zambia



### The University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, U.S.A.



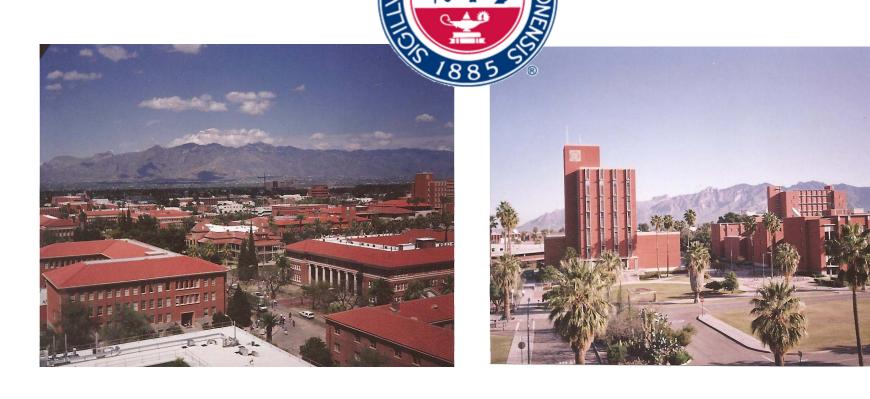
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# Tucson, Arizona, U.S.A.









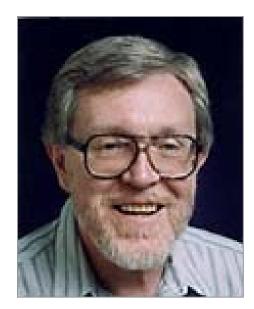
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UofA faculty and students on work placement in České Budějovice



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# Professor John H. Law USB Honorary Doctor, 2004



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Statesboro, GA, U.S.A.







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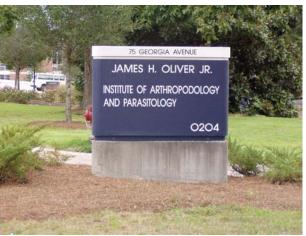
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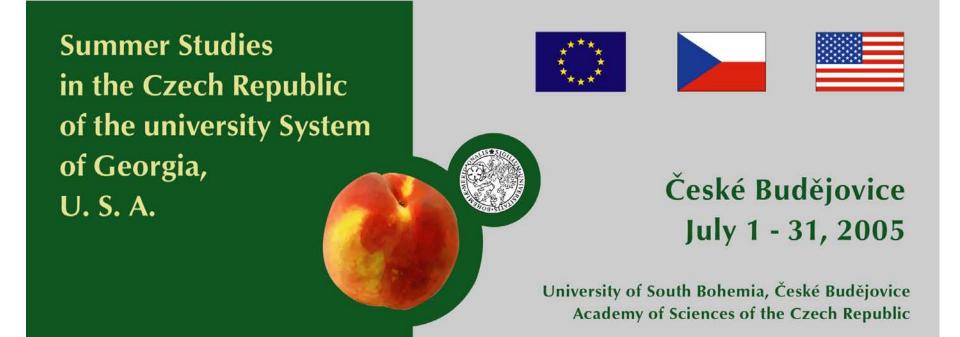
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## Summer semester of Georgia students

České Budějovice: 2005; 2006



## Summer semester of Georgia students

Moravia expedition (Lednice, Valtice, Mikulov)





# Summer semester of Georgia students Moravia expedition (Palava Hills)





# Summer semester of Georgia students

Moravia expedition (Třebíč, Jewish history)





## Professor James H. Oliver Jr USB Honorary Doctor, 2008



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# JIHOAFRICKÁ REPUBLIKA POTCHEFSTROOM

## **North - West University**

Září – listopad 2007

Kotková Michaela



# Praxe v hospicu pro HIV pozitivní děti v Promose





# NAMIBIE Keetmanshoop

# Pavlína Sedláčková duben - červen 2008





Wake centrum



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sklad výrobků



Keetmanshoop



Brukkaros



Fish River Canyon



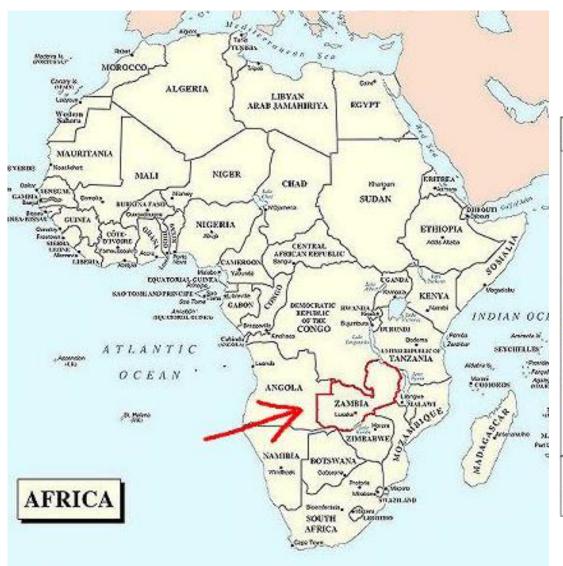
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Pavlína Sedláčková a Alena Maršálková





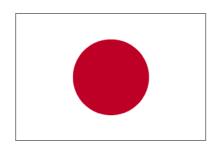












# INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH PROJECT "DIURNAL AND CIRCADIAN RHYTHMS AND LIFE STYLE HABITS – BEHAVIORAL SPECIFICS"

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### The research cooperation started in 2007

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Thank you for your attention...

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- Carol Bender, University of Arizona, Tuscon, AZ, USA "Educating Students for the 21th Century through Research Abroad Experiences"
- **Steven D. Mims**, Aquaculrure Reasearch Center, Kentucky State University, Frankfort, USA "Owerview of Reproductive Biology on Paddlefish between the University of South Bohemia and Kentucky State University"
- **Fahim Quadir**, York University, Toronto, Canada "The Dilemmas of the New Aid Paradigm: what prospects for human development in The new millennium?"
- **Vladimír Krčméry**, Vysoká škola zdravotnictva a sociálnej práce sv. Alžběty, Bratislava, Slovensko "Cooperation between czech and slovak humanitarian aid personell (SEU and SBU) in tropical projects"
- **Kazuo Inaba**, Shimoda Marine Research Center, University of Tsukuba, Japan "International Collaboration Between Two Institutes for Hydrobiology and Marine Biology: Knowledge Exchange in Research, Education and Administration"



- **Katsutoshi Arai**, Faculty of Fisheries Sciences, Hokaido University, Hakodate, Japan "*Bridging Japan and Czech by Bilateral Collaboration in Fisheries Science*"
- Jacky Cosson, Centre National de Recherche Scientifique, Villefranche sur Mer, France "The long walk of two scientists starts in Taiwan: 20 years of Czech-French collaboration in Fisheries Reasearch"
- Milos V. Novotny, Indiana University, IN, USA "Glycoscience: A Frontier in New Landscapes"
- **How-Jing Lee**, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan "Beyond Scientific Cooperation between Czech Republic and Taiwan"
- Petra Vojtová, PF JU, "International Research project Diurnal and Circadian Rhythms and Life Style Habits Behavioral Specifics"

## **Biological Chemistry:**

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