



PRESS RELEASE: Ferris' Herron Recognized by Cambridge Who's Who for Work Higher Education and Research

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Included below is a press release regarding recognition received by Ferris State University's Scott Herron, an associate professor of Biology. Herron was recognized for his dedication, excellence and leadership in higher education and research by Cambridge Who's Who. Any questions about this press release can be directed to Sandy Gholston, interim assistant director of News Services.

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BIG RAPIDS – Scott Herron, an associate professor of Biology at Ferris State University, was recognized by Cambridge Who's Who for his dedication, excellence and leadership in higher education and research.

Herron teaches Horticulture, Biology, Ecology, Botany and various field courses at Ferris. He also serves as coordinator for FSU's Biology Education program and is an instructor at the University of Michigan Biological Station as a visiting professor.

Herron's academic specialty is ethnobotany, the study of how indigenous peoples use plants. He currently is engaged in research on wild rice. Specifically, his research focuses on the production of sustainable wild rice for communities in Michigan.

Herron earned a Ph.D. in 2002 from Southern Illinois University-Carbondale in plant biology with specialization in ethnobotany, taxonomy, ecology, morphology and cultural anthropology. He served as vice chair of the Traditional Ecological Section of the Ecological Society of America, as a senior fellow of the Environmental Leadership Program and is the current North American editor of Ethnobotanical Leaflets. His additional affiliations include the Society of Ethnobiology and the Society for Economic Botany. From 2007 to 2009, Herron was a political engagement scholar at the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, and in 2010, he was selected as a VIP member by Cambridge Who's Who. He is co-chair of the Native Wild Rice Coalition.

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Learn more about Herron's honor from Cambridge Who's Who:

<http://www.24-7pressrelease.com/press-release/scott-m-herron-phd-lauded-for-achievements-in-higher-education-and-research-223937.php>.

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