

Title: The Tree of Life Website project

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The Tree of Life Website project (<http://www.tolweb.org/tree/>) is a multi-author encyclopaedia of biodiversity, which aims to provide a complete guide to the world's species and their interrelationships.

It is closely linked to the Encyclopedia of Life project and will share information. A recent initiative to expand coverage (previously biased towards invertebrate animals) into the protists creates the opportunity for diatomists to contribute.

David Mann will outline the current position and initiate discussion on how ISDR might act to coordinate and encourage participation.

This project plans to be presented from **12:20-12:40 on Tuesday, September 9, 2008.**

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