

Hotel Information

The 2003 Southern Division Spring Meeting will be held February 12-16 at the Hilton Riverside in Wilmington, North Carolina. Rates at the Wilmington Riverside are \$79 per night, single or double occupancy, \$84 for triple, and \$89 for quad. **Hotel reservation deadline is January 12, 2003.** For reservations, call 910-763-5900 or 1-800-445-8667.

Student Rooms

The SDAFS Student Affairs Committee has reserved a block of rooms for free student lodging February 13-16. Each room will be shared by four students of the same gender. **Application deadline is January 10, 2003.**

The SDAFS Spring meeting provides an excellent opportunity for students to develop their professional skills. In addition to technical sessions addressing a variety of fisheries related issues, there are a number of workshops addressing specific topics, including a Friday afternoon workshop on job skills. The job skills workshop is sponsored by the SDAFS Student Affairs Committee. Take advantage of this opportunity to learn more about your profession!

If you are interested in obtaining free lodging, send your name, address, contact phone number, e-mail address, school, gender, status (graduate or undergraduate), AFS member number (located on your FISHERIES mailing label), a statement about why you wish to attend the meeting and the night(s) you will need lodging to:

Dr. Stuart Welsh (Swelsh@wvu.edu), West Virginia Cooperative Fish & Wildlife Research Unit, P.O. Box 6125, 333 Percival Hall, Morgantown, WV 26506, Ph #: 304-293-2941 X2419.

In the event requests exceed the number of spaces available, the following criteria will be used to determine those receiving rooms:

1. Is the applicant presenting a paper or poster?
2. Has the applicant attended the Spring meeting before?
3. Is the applicant a member of AFS?
4. Is the applicant an undergraduate or graduate?
5. What was the date of the room request?
6. What lodging dates are requested?

