FRIDAY NIGHT'S PRESENTATION

"American Oystercatcher – 10 Years of Monitoring in the Cape Romain Region, South Carolina"

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The Cape Romain Region of South Carolina has the largest wintering concentration of American Oystercatchers on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts of the United States. For the past 10 years Felicia and her research team have examined nesting, feeding habitats, nocturnal roosts, and movement patterns of this charismatic shorebird. Felicia Sanders has a B.S. in Zoology from Duke University and M.S. in Biology from Clemson University. She joined the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources in 2001 and leads South Carolina's Coastal Bird Projects. She has worked on many avian species including redcockaded woodpeckers, bald eagles, wood storks, but is currently focusing on shorebirds and seabirds. Felicia is an Assistant Professor (adjunct) at Clemson University and the College of Charleston and works with many coastal bird research projects.