



The Marine Aquarium Society of Toronto

is proud to present

Dr. Bruce Carlson

*Vice President for Education, Exhibits and
Conservation,
The Georgia Aquarium*

*“The Georgia Aquarium - with a focus on its Reef Tank”
and
“An extensive Q. & A. on all aspects of Reef Keeping”*

**Saturday, November 17, 2007
1:30 - 4:30 p.m. (doors open at 1:00)**

**Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College
6100 Leslie Street, Toronto (south of Steeles Ave.)**

Bruce was a key player in the design of the Georgia Aquarium, a \$300 million facility that opened two years ago. He is now in charge of its exhibits and research program. He is uniquely qualified to give us an authoritative view of the aquarium's inner workings. He is an accomplished educator and fine speaker. His presentation will focus on keeping corals in captivity, a subject he knows is dear to our hearts.



Bruce earned his PhD at the University of Hawaii, and started work at the Waikiki Aquarium in 1976. He was the first in the USA to keep chambered nautilus, cuttlefish, living corals and giant clams. He was appointed Director of the Waikiki Aquarium in 1990. His \$3 million renovation has resulted in the Waikiki Aquarium being considered one of the finest “small” aquariums in the world.

In 2002, Bruce joined the Georgia Aquarium project in Atlanta, which opened in 2005. He is responsible for all of the new exhibits and research programs for this \$300 million facility.

Bruce is an avid scuba diver and underwater photographer, and in recent years has taken up underwater videography. He has published numerous scientific articles ranging from descriptions of new species of reef fishes, to telemetry work on chambered nautilus, to culture methods for corals in aquariums.

MAST members \$10 Non-members \$15

Bruce's Presentation will be followed by a Reception & Dinner.



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Reception & Dinner
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On November 17, there will be a seminar featuring Bruce Carlson, Vice President for Education, Exhibits and Conservation, at the Georgia Aquarium.

This will be followed by a Reception and Dinner, at which Bruce will be a guest of honour.



The MidTown Restaurant & Bar

40 Eglinton Ave. East,
Toronto.

Reception 6:30 p.m.
Dinner 7:30 p.m.

Tickets: \$45 per person, includes tax and tip.

The MidTown Restaurant & Bar is the same place where we held our Twentieth Anniversary dinner. It is a cosmopolitan bar and grill, featuring fine food. MAST will have a private room for this event. Tickets include pre-dinner nibbles, and dinner with choice of appetizer, main course and dessert. Cash bar.

Limited Seating! To order tickets, send a cheque, payable to MAST, to:

Debbie James, Secretary, MAST,
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Thornhill. L3T 4R2

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