Understanding the Tree of Life Conference
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Conference participant list (by working group)

**Working Group 1—Arthropod Tree of Life**
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- Erica Friesen—Co-Director of Education, Lawrence Hall of Science
- Christine Keefe—Graduate student, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
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- Janis Sacco—Director of Exhibitions, Harvard Museum of Natural History
- Mary Ann Steiner—Curator of Public Engagement, Carnegie Museum of Natural History
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- Sara Veloso—Graphics Supervisor, Henry Doorly Zoo
- Edward Wiley—Curator-in-Charge, University of Kansas Biodiversity Institute

**Working Group 2—Travels in the Great Tree of Life: A Succulent Convergence**
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- Jeff Holmes—Digital Learning Editor, Encyclopedia of Life Project
- Holly Hughes—Director of Education, Sam Noble Oklahoma Museum of Natural History
- Don Luce—Curator of Exhibits, Bell Museum of Natural History
- Camillia Matuk—Graduate Researcher, Northwestern University and University of California, Berkeley
- Laura Novick—Associate Professor, Vanderbilt University
- Jane Pickering—Deputy Director & Assistant Director for Public Programs, Yale Peabody Museum of Natural History
- John Pollock—Associate Professor, Dusquesne University
- Trisha Smercak—Evolution & Global Change Projects Manager, Museum of the Earth
- Jennifer Wolff—Manager of Interpretation, Missouri Botanical Gardens

**Working Group 3—Dinosaurs in Their Time: Apatosaurus**
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- Dennis A. Casey—Director of Education and Public Programs, Virginia Museum of Natural History
- Joel Cracraft—Lamont Curator and Curator-in-Charge, American Museum of Natural History
- Jeff Dodick—Lecturer, Hebrew University
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- Andy Jones—Curator, Cleveland Museum of Natural History
- Richard Kissel—Director of Teacher Programs, Museum of the Earth
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- Sam Taylor—Director, Carnegie Museum of Natural History
- David Temple—Associate Curator, Houston Museum of Science
- Linda Trueb—Curator-in-Charge, University of Kansas Biodiversity Institute
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