2010 Grandfather Mountain International Workshop

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Pursue new heights in education.
- Visit Grandfather Mountain, designated a U.N. International Biosphere Reserve, home to 47 rare and endangered species.
- Stay at Lees-McRae College in Banner Elk.

Study unique mountain ecosystems.
- Discover how air and water quality, invasive species and development affect fragile habitats.
- Local environmental problems can have global significance.
- Research scientists share their expertise and passion.
- Hike mountain trails and search for indigenous salamanders and anils.

In 2010, focus on STEM initiatives, methods and strategies for future global economies.
- Scientists cultivate woodland medicinal plants for worldwide export.
- Local authors tell how earlier people coped in the harsh environment.
- Learn culture and history of the area.

Develop activities for work or school, based on current research.
- Field work, lectures by experts and informal discussions with scientists and participants.
- Share with educators from North Carolina, other states, Brazil and other countries.

Researchers and experts from:
- Grandfather Mountain
- Appalachian State University
- Lees-McRae College
- NC State University

Join us in 2010 for the best of the best!

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