



# SOUP N' SCIENCE

## AUDUBON ALASKA:

### **BUILDING A BETTER BIRD MAP: AUDUBON ALASKA'S 2017 *Ecological Atlas of Bering, Chukchi, and Beaufort Seas***

UIC Science is excited to host Audubon Alaska as they introduce their *Ecological Atlas of the Bering, Chukchi, and Beaufort Seas*, a comprehensive, trans-boundary atlas that represents the current state of knowledge in a wide breadth of relevant Arctic marine domains within the North Pacific Arctic, ranging from physical oceanography to species ecology to human uses. Come learn about their maps and take part in a discussion on how data was gathered and synthesized. There will be homemade moose soup served!

**Presenters:**

**Max Goldman**, Project manager of the Atlas; Arctic Marine Ecologist, Audubon Alaska;

**Susan Culliney**, Policy Director for Audubon Alaska.

Let's have some homemade soup for lunch and learn about:

- *how the Ecological Atlas was compiled;*
- *methods of research;*
- *how the atlas portrays processes and specific species activity.*

**-Previous projects by presenters:** *Avian recolonization after wildfires; seabird studies following the Gulf of Mexico oil spill; marine foraging of Chacma Baboons; long-distance avian migrations.*

**Time:** 12 (noon) -1pm Friday, September 22

**Place:** BARC Large

**Conference room** (Barrow Arctic Research Center is located on the NARL campus).

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*Atautichiin Ilitchisa! – Let's learn together!*