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## COMMUNICATING OUR VISION OF NATURE Scientific Illustration Through the Ages

## David Maddison, Rice Professor in Systematic Entomology, Department of Integrative Biology

For centuries, illustrations have been a key means of communicating our scientific understanding of the world around us. They provide both beauty and clarity: the dialogue between the art and the science has itself influenced our understanding. Through his perspective as a practitioner of both science and of illustration, David Maddison will discuss the evolution and impact of scientific illustrations through time.

## THURSDAY, APRIL 26 4:00 P.M.

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