Media Advisory

WHAT: Media preview for “Transitions: Photographs by Robert Creamer,” a new exhibition showcasing the remarkable photography of Robert Creamer

WHEN: Wed., Nov. 1; 9-11 a.m.

WHERE: Smithsonian’s National Museum of Natural History
10th Street and Constitution Avenue N.W.
Washington, D.C.

WHO: Robert Creamer, photographer

Acclaimed contemporary photographer Robert Creamer will be available to answer question about his new exhibition, “Transitions: Photographs by Robert Creamer.” Creamer is renowned for employing contemporary digital technology to create images that convey the awesome beauty of nature. In creating the works for this stunning exhibition, Creamer traded his usual camera for a flatbed scanner. His compositions use flora and fauna that are placed directly on the scanner in aesthetic arrangements or suspended over it. The resulting detail is eerily lifelike and incredibly expressive. Creamer’s subjects were drawn from the research collections at the Smithsonian’s National Museum of Natural History, the Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden in Florida and the Echo Hill Outdoor School in Maryland.

“Transitions: Photographs by Robert Creamer” is now on view at the Smithsonian’s National Museum of Natural History where it will continue through June 24, 2007.

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