



# NEW HAVEN BIRD CLUB ANNUAL BANQUET



**Thursday, May 13, 2010, 6:00 PM**  
**Amarante's, 62 Cove Street, New Haven**

**6:00 PM — Social Hour & Raffle, with cheese & crackers and cash bar**  
**7:00 PM — Dinner, followed by speaker**

**Dinner Selections: Top Sirloin Filet, Chicken Florentine, or Vegetarian**  
**COST: \$35.00 per person; **Bring your wallet for the Cash Bar & RAFFLE!****

(for more information Contact Kris Johnson, Indoor Program Chair, (203) 288-3087)

## Birds of Paradise: Feathers of Seduction by **Tim Laman, Ph.D**

When Tim Laman isn't in the rain forests of Borneo, New Guinea, or some other remote place taking photographs and documenting little known or endangered wildlife, he's at The Harvard Museum of Comparative Zoology where he's a Research Associate. Field biologist and wildlife photojournalist, Tim is a regular contributor to *National Geographic* and has published many articles related to rainforest ecology and birdlife. He believes that promoting awareness through photography can make a difference for conservation.



**Wilson's Bird of Paradise**  
by *Tim Laman*

Tonight Tim will share some of his dazzling images of Birds of Paradise, brilliantly colored and adorned birds found in remote habitats. Males often sport plumages with ornaments such as ruffs, amazingly elongated feathers, head plumes and fans, and breast shields. Photographed in display postures, the birds show why "feathers of seduction" aptly describes their plumages as they engage in their elaborate dances, poses, and other ritual.



**Blue Bird of Paradise**  
by *Tim Laman*

Come be enthralled by these  
"divas of the avian world."

*For more information about Tim Laman, Ph. D. and his photography, go to [www.timlaman.com](http://www.timlaman.com)*

### New Haven Bird Club — Annual Banquet — Thursday, May 13, 2010

(NOTE: Reservations will close on May 6, 2010. No tickets will be sold at the door.)

**NAME(S):** (As they should appear on name tag)

**DINNER SELECTION:** (Check 1 for each person)

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# of Persons \_\_\_\_\_ X \$35.00 = Total Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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New Haven Bird Club Annual Banquet, P.O. Box 9004, New Haven, CT 06532-0004**