



NCR-101 Station Report - Montana State University

Cooperative / interdisciplinary projects

MSU researchers Tracy Dougher - Plant Sciences & Plant Pathology, Lisa Rew & Doug Dollhopf - Land Resources & Environmental Sciences, and Xianming Shi - Western Transportation Institute, recently acquired a grant from CALTRANS (California Department of Transportation) to study the use of California native grasses in sod production for environmentally sensitive highway sites. A portion of this research will be conducted in controlled environment facilities at MSU.

Publications

T.A.O. Dougher, and B.G. Bugbee (2004) Long-term blue-light effects on the histology of lettuce and soybean leaves and stems. *Journal of the American Society for Horticultural Sciences*. 129: 467-472.

T.A.O. Dougher, C. Moore, and B. Gough (2003) Effect of Light Quality on the Growth of Lettuce in Low Light. Proc. XXVI Inter. Hort. Cong. – Environmental Stress. *Acta Horticultura* 618:183-192.

Internet sites of interest

The NCR 101 site will be migrating to the server at Montana State University, Plant Sciences & Plant Pathology Department. This migration will be taking place shortly after the NCR 101 March meeting. Tracy Dougher will serve as webmaster for the site: <http://plantsciences.montana.edu/ncr101/>