

The Center for Southwest Studies Delaney Research Library recently opened a new paleontology exhibit, curated by six FLC Geoscience students. Caleb Craft, Hunter Cole, Jeremy Koch, Nick Risedorf, Emma Rodgers, and River White researched and prepared the exhibit as a capstone project for their Fall 2016 Paleontology Class taught by Dr. Jon Powell. The display includes casts of very rare fossils such as *Archaeopteryx*, the first bird, as well as an actual dinosaur femur and other fossils collected in the Durango area. The new exhibit is designed to show visitors and students (of all ages) some of the amazing geologic history of Southwest Colorado.