

Department of Biology - Fall 2017 - Seminar Speakers

Tuesdays 4 – 5:15 pm, Sci 214

Open to the Public- All Welcome!

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HOST

August		
22	Organizational Meeting: Enrolled students only (BIO 490/ BIO 690)	Hews
29	Dr. Bradley Carlson <i>Dept Biology, Wabash College</i> The ecology and physiology of personality in box turtles.	Hews
September		
5	Dr. Dennis Tarasi <i>Saint Mary of the Woods College</i> Community interactions and impacts of exotic plant species in Eastern North American forests.	Hews
12	Dr. Lara D. LaDage , Dept Biology, <i>Penn State University -Altoona</i> Factors modulating neural plasticity: A top-down approach studying learning & memory	Hews
19	Dr Kenneth Kellner , Dept Forestry & Natural Resources, <i>Purdue University</i> . Wildlife in managed forests: demographic patterns and trophic interactions.	O'Keefe
26	Dr. Peter D Dijkstra Dept Biology, <i>Central Michigan University</i> Male-male competition and evolutionary diversification in body coloration and stress physiology in East African cichlids.	Hews
October		
3	Dr Melody Bernot Dept Biology, <i>Ball State University</i> Pharmaceuticals and personal care products in freshwater ecosystems: Abundance, fate and effects.	Hews
10	Dr Jason Hocherstem , Dept Forestry & Natural Resources, <i>Purdue University</i> Integrating ecology, evolution & toxicology to understand disease risk in amphibians.	Hews
17	Dr. Cassandra Martin Dept. Biology, <i>Ball State University</i> Silent but not safe: female field crickets risk parasitoid infestation when associating with males.	Hews
24	Dr. Anna Brueniche-Olsen , Dept Forestry & Natural Resources, <i>Purdue University</i> . Inferring gray whale population characteristics from whole-genome sequences.	Hews
31	Dr. Alexandra Bentz , Dept. Biology, <i>Indiana University</i> The role of maternal hormones in programming offspring aggression	Hews
November		
7	Dr. Shaun Lee , <i>Dept Biological Sciences, Notre Dame University</i> Inhibitors of posttranslational modifying enzymes: targets for anti-pathogenic drugs.	Cho
14	Dr. Heather A. Bruns , <i>Dept Biology, Ball State University</i> The effects of herbal supplements on immune function.	Dannelly
21	<i>Thanksgiving Holiday Week</i> <i>No CLASSES</i>	
28	Dr. Ximena Bernal , <i>Dept Biological Sciences, Purdue University</i> Unraveling the ecology & evolution of interspecific eavesdropping: Lessons from frog-biting midges.	Hews
December		
5	Required student meeting; SLO Assessment	Hews