

Biology Seminar Series Fall 2009

Thursdays, 4pm - Room 231, Foster Hall (except as noted below in bold)

Time+Place	Speaker	Host	Affiliation	Title
Sep 10 4pm FH 231	Linda Perez		NMSU Biology	Biology Department Annual Evacuation Plan and Departmental Safety Policies Review
<i>Sep 17</i>	<i>Open date</i>			
Sep 24 4pm FH 231	Alexander Tchourbanov	Houde	NMSU Biology	Predicting effect of SNPs and <i>de novo</i> mutations on splicing
Oct 1 4.10pm Sci. Hall 102	George Dimopoulos	HHMI/ Hansen	Malaria Research Institute, Johns Hopkins University	Mosquito immunity to human pathogens
Oct 8 4pm FH 231	David Shearer	Perez	NMSU Environmental Health and Safety	Lab Standard and Hazardous Waste Management Refresher
Oct 15 4pm FH 231	Hanna Lee	Throop	NMSU Biology	Carbon cycling in changing ecosystems
Oct 22 4pm FH 231	John Gustafson	Dawe	NMSU Biology	Paso Del Norte <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> demonstrating reduced vancomycin susceptibility
Oct 29 4pm FH 231	Shirley Luckhart	Xu	UC Davis, Dept. of Medical Microbiology and Immunology	<i>Anopheles</i> and <i>Plasmodium</i> : a systems biology approach to understanding signal transduction
Nov 5 4pm FH 231	Shelley Lusetti	Dawe	NMSU Chem/Biochem	Investigating the role of SMC proteins in bacterial DNA double-strand break repair through the biochemical characterization of the RecN protein
Nov 12 4pm FH 231	Brad Shuster	Dawe	NMSU Biology	
Nov 19 4pm Sci. Hall 102	Barry Kreiswirth	HHMI/ Gustafson	Public Health Research Institute, UMDNJ	
Dec 3 4pm FH 231	Scott Santagata	Nishiguchi	Long Island University	What minor phyla have taught us about the phylogenetic relationships among invertebrate animals and the evolution of the nervous system