

Spring 2007 Seminar Series

Jan 8	"Microbes and Madness - Terror by Design or Accident? A Review of Emerging Diseases in Agriculture and the Threat of Agroterror" Corrie Brown, Professor, Veterinary Pathology, University of Georgia
Jan 22	"Systemin: A defense hormone unique to Solanaceous crops" Brijesh Karakkat , UGA Plant Pathology, Ph.D. Topic Seminar
Jan 29	"Will the giant return to the forest? Progress with American chestnut restoration" Scott Merkle, Professor, Forest Biology, Warnell School of Forestry & Natural Resources
Feb 5	"Microfungal symbiosis: From life in forest canopies to life in slime" Julia Kerrigan, Mycologist, Plant Pathology & Physiology Dept., Clemson University
Feb 12	"Role of autophagy in plant immunity and programmed cell death" Nadia Chacko, UGA Plant Pathology Ph.D. Topic Seminar
Feb 19	"From the lab to the field: engineering novel nematode resistant crops" Richard Hussey, UGA Plant Pathology, Athens
Feb 26	"Defending Georgia's turf: implementing disease management strategies, research and technology transfer" Alfredo Martinez, UGA Plant Pathology, Griffin
Mar 5	"Dissecting geminivirus disease in <i>Arabidopsis</i> " Linda Hanley-Bowdoin, Molecular & Structural Biochemistry and Genetics, N. C. State Univ. (PATH Graduate Student Invited Speaker)
Mar 19 CANCELED	"Plant virus transmission mechanisms of <i>Olpidium</i> spp." Murat Seyran, UGA Plant Pathology, M.S. Topic Seminar
Mar 26 CANCELED	"Isolation and identification of Phytophthora species from forest and nursery water sources" Stephanie Adams, UGA Plant Pathology, M.S. Defense
Apr 2	"Be careful what you wish for, you just might get it: Public Policy and Plant Pathology" John Sherwood, UGA Plant Pathology
Apr 9 CANCELED	"Tip blight of pine in south Georgia caused by <i>Diplodia</i> and <i>Lasiodiplodia</i> spp." Emily House, UGA Plant Pathology, M.S. Defense
Apr 16	"Identification of <i>Ralstonia solanacearum</i> exoproteins secreted by the type two secretion system" Carolina Zuleta, UGA Plant Pathology, M.S. Defense
Apr 23	"Determining the action and function of the Geminivirus C4 protein" Katherine Mills, UGA Plant Pathology, Ph.D. Proposal Seminar
Apr 30	"Contributions to management of diseases of peanut (<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>) through Bolivian-derived host resistance, integrated disease management and knowledge of pathogen variability" Sara Gremillion, UGA Plant Pathology, Ph.D. Defense