

Department of Plant Pathology
Spring & Summer Semester 2020

Mondays 2:30 – 3:20 PM

Athens: 2401 Plant Sciences: Tifton NESPAL 201

1/13/2020	Dr. Brian Kvitko (P&T seminar)	New perspectives on plant-bacterial pathogen interactions in model and crop hosts
1/20/2020	MLK Day: No Seminar	
1/27/2020	Dr. Caterina Villari (Warnell School of Forestry & Natural Resources, Athens)	Loblolly, bays or sugarberries: What keeps forest pathologists busy in Georgia
2/3/2020	Dr. Hendrik Den-Bakker (Center for Food Safety, Griffin)	Bioinformatic approaches to epidemiology and microbiology
2/10/2020	Dr. Elizabeth Jeannette Cieniewicz (Clemson University)	Virus ecology in specialty crops: Progress, challenges, and plans for the plant virology program at Clemson
2/17/2020	Dr. Abolfazl Hajihassani (Third-year seminar)	Improving detection and management of plant-parasitic nematodes in vegetable landscapes through research and extension
2/24/2020	Dr. Li Yang (Third-year seminar)	Growing up in stress: Molecular crosstalk between plant defense and development
3/2/2020	Dr. Jonathan Oliver (Third-year seminar)	Biology and management of diseases affecting Georgia fruit crops
3/9/2020	Spring Break: No Seminar	
3/16/2020 Cancelled	Dr. Madeline Downing (Clemson University)	Learning by viewing: Using visual media for extension education
3/23/2020 Cancelled	Dr. William B. Rutter (USDA-ARS Charleston, SC)	Developing tools to monitor and manage root-knot nematodes (<i>Meloidogyne</i> sp.) in vegetable crops
3/30/2020	Dr. Tony Glenn (USDA-ARS, Athens)	Fungal endophytes and their secondary metabolites in agricultural systems
4/6/2020 Cancelled	Dr. Kerik Cox (Cornell University, Geneva, NY)	Efforts to mitigate fire blight of apple in New York: Tracking strains, growth regulation, and forecasting systems
4/6/2020	Dr. Madeline Downing (Clemson University)	Learning by viewing: Using visual media for extension education
4/13/2020	Dr. Timothy Satterlee (USDA-ARS, Athens)	Transcriptome analysis of <i>rmtA</i> and its implications in secondary metabolism, environmental stress, and virulence in the plant pathogen <i>Aspergillus flavus</i>
4/15/2020 3:30 to 4:20 PM	Ellison Clary (MS-PhD transition seminar)	Diversity and molecular interactions of soybean and <i>Phakopsora pachyrhizi</i>
4/20/2020	Dr. Babu Srinivasan (Department of Entomology, Griffin)	Whitefly-begomovirus interactions in vegetable pathosystems of Georgia
4/27/2020	Dr. Chang Hyun Khang (Department of Plant Biology, Athens)	Plant-fungal interactions at single-cell resolution: Blast fungal development and gene regulation in living rice cells
7/16/2020 2:00 Zoom	Nicole Crenshaw (Department of Plant Pathology, Athens)	Host-induced gene silencing of the fungal <i>CYP51</i> genes could confer resistance to <i>Fusarium verticillioides</i> in maize