**School of Biological Sciences Seminar Series - Fall 2019**

**Moulton 210, Thursday 4:00 - 5:00**

**Pre-Seminar Snacks 3:30 - 3:55 in FSA**

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| **Date** | **Speaker/Association** | **Title** | **Host** |
| Aug 22nd | Graduate Studies Committee | Welcome & Introduction: SLB121 | SBS + Phi Sigma |
| Aug 29th | Tanya Josek  Illinois State University | One tick closer to a better understanding of tick physiology and how to incorporate tick biology in a classroom | Darner Lab |
| Sept 5th | Robin Warne  SIU Carbondale | Roles of gut microbiota in amphibian development, physiology, and disease | Juliano/Bowden Labs |
| Sept 12th | Adam Dolezal  University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign | Interactive effects of environmental stressors on bees: nutritional physiology, disease, behavior, landscape | Sadd Lab |
| Sept 19th | Charles Brown  University of Tulsa | Costs and benefits of coloniality in cliff swallows: insights from a 38-year study | Strickler/Dugas |
| Sept 26th | Robin Tinghitella  University of Denver | 2nd Annual Weigel Seminar: Grand gestures and love notes: Animal communication in a changing world | Phi Sigma |
| Oct 3th | Alysia Vrailas Mortimer  Illinois State University | The role of p38 in regulating oxidative and tenure induced stress | SBS + Phi Sigma |
| Oct 10th | Jennifer Koehl  Saint Vincent College | Alumni Seminar in Genetics: Biology Scholars: Literature, Laboratory and Leadership Program | Wilkinson Lab |
| Oct 15th  \*Tuesday | Christy Fornero  Illinois State University | Dissertation Defense: Regulation of the microtubule cytoskeleton and cell wall development in *Arabidopsis thaliana* | Kirik Lab |
| Oct 17th | Dwayne Estes  Austin Peay State University | ISU Horticultural Center Speaker  \*\* 6:00pm, FSA 133 | Horticultural Center/SBS |
| Oct 24th | ISU Alumni | Alumni Career Seminar | PR Committee |
| Oct 31st | Andres Vidal-Gadea  Illinois State University | Of magnets and muscles: using worms to study the genetic and cellular underpinnings of natural behavior and disease | SBS + Phi Sigma |
| Nov 7th | Candidate 1 | Director Search | SBS |
| Nov 14th | Candidate 2 | Director Search | SBS |
| Nov 21st | Candidate 3 | Director Search | SBS |
| Nov 28th | No Seminar | Happy Thanksgiving |  |