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Seminar Calendar

MONDAY, APRIL 9

PRL Seminar

No seminar this week

TUESDAY, APRIL 10

MMG Seminar

No seminar this week

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

3M Interest Group

No seminar this week

THURSDAY, APRIL 12

Boezi Lectureship

Rodrigo Gutierrez, Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile "Systems biology to dissect nitrogen regulatory networks in plants"

11:00 AM, Room 101 Biochemistry

EEBB Seminar

Chris Sutherland, University of Massachusetts - Amherst "Spatially explicit models for ecological inference" 3:30 PM. Room 1420 BPS

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

SATE Seminar

Yuanfeng Guan, University of Michigan
"Generalizing right-censored data into standard regression
problem through complete ranking"
11:30 AM. Room 1400 BPS

Noteworthy News

Awards:

- Aiko Turmo (Kerfeld Lab), NSF Graduate Research Fellowship
- Gaurav Moghe (Last Lab), American Society of Plant Biologist (ASPB) Early Career Award
- Tomomi Takeuchi (Benning Lab), 1st place poster presentation, ASPB Midwest Meeting
- Nick Fekaris (Benning Lab), 2nd place oral presentation, ASPB Midwest Meeting

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BIOCHEMISTRY & MOLECULAR BIOLOGY 2018 ANNUAL BANQUET

Thursday, April 12th 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. The University Club Michigan State University

Announcements

Checkout the <u>Grad/Postdoc News</u> page on the BMB website for the latest events and opportunities.

University Graduate Certification in College Teaching Institute

A two-day course leading to a certification is being offered to doctoral students and postdocs. The course will be held May 10 - 11 at the MSU Union Ballroom. Registration is required.

J-1 Scholar Poster Fair, Blog, and Scholar of the Semester Events

The Office for International Students and Scholars is hosting events to showcase the work of J-1 scholars, professors, and student interns conducted while at MSU. A poster fair is scheduled for April 20, 2018.

Volunteers Needed - Fascination of Plants Day

The second edition of Fascination of Plants Day will be held on Saturday, May 19th, 2018. Contact Aparajita Banerjee (banerj12@msu.edu) to volunteer.

Postdoctoral Position in Polly Hsu's Lab

A postdoctoral position is available immediately in Polly Hsu's Lab at Michigan State University to study translational regulation in plant responses to the environments. The candidates should have a background in plant molecular biology. Strong interests in either stress response or translational regulation is preferred.