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Seminar Calendar

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19

[Molecular Plant Science Seminar](#)

Zhongchi Liu, University of Maryland

"Genomic and genetic analyses linking genes and gene networks to reproductive development in the wild strawberry"

4:00 PM, Room 1200 MPS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

[The Exchange](#)

Social Media in Science Communications

8:00 AM, Room 208

[MMG Seminar](#)

Matt Schrenk, Michigan State University

"Using Microbiological Approaches to Address Geologically Scaled Challenges"

4:10 PM, Room 1415 BPS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21

[The \(3M\) Interest Group](#)

No seminar

4:00 PM, Room 1455-A BPS (iCER)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Thanksgiving Break

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23

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Announcements

[Annual Series of "Thriving at Michigan State University" Workshops](#)

This year, the Academic Advancement Network in collaboration with Academic Human Resources will host their annual series of "Thriving at Michigan State University" workshops to provide faculty and academic specialists with important information and strategies on how to be successful in their careers at our institution. Content will be tailored for each appointment type's specific needs. Workshops will be held in January and February of 2019.

Noteworthy News



Dr. James K. Billman, Jr. celebrated the [groundbreaking](#) for an addition to the Music Building at Michigan State University. Dr. Billman's generous lead gift led to the naming of the new facility in his honor, now known as the [Billman Music Pavilion](#). Dr. Billman funded 19 scholarships and endowed professorships over the years, including the annual Dr. James K. Billman, Jr., Undergraduate Research Award. BMB faculty Amy Ralston and Kristin Parent were recent recipients of Dr. Billman's endowments.

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CMSE 801, Introduction to Computational Modeling

We will explore the tools required to design, build and utilize computational models that are applied to many problems from a wide range of scientific disciplines. The main goal is to learn the skills necessary to apply computational techniques to a dataset of interest. Creating models to describe and understand systems (in the physical, life, or social sciences, or in engineering) is the driving principle of this course.

Post-Doctoral Research Panel

The Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science (SACNAS) invites post-docs to discuss their experiences after graduation at a meeting on Monday, November 26, from 5:30 - 6:30 PM at room 110, Chittenden Hall.

Faculty Positions in the Department of Plant and Microbial Biology, UC Berkeley

The Department of Plant and Microbial Biology at the University of California, Berkeley, is searching for promising candidates for two positions - one in the area of plant biology, the other in the area of fungal biology. The plant biology search (deadline: November 26, 2018) is open rank, and the fungal biology search (deadline: December 4, 2018) is at the assistant or associate level.

Assistant Professor in Systems Biology, Iowa State University

The Department of Genetics, Development and Cell Biology (GDCB) at Iowa State University (ISU) invites applications for a tenure-track assistant professor position in Systems Biology. Responsibilities include building a nationally recognized research program that competes successfully for extramural funding, advancing the discipline through high quality publications, mentoring students, and effective teaching of undergraduate and graduate courses. Submit application by December 7, 2018.

Assistant Professor, Metabolism, Oklahoma State University

The Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology at Oklahoma State University is seeking applicants for a 9-month, full-time, tenure-track position (80% research and 20% teaching) in the area of Metabolism.

Assistant Professor Positions in Biology, Slippery Rock University

Three tenure track assistant professor positions in Biology are open at Slippery Rock University. Areas of research interest include genetics, plant biology and zoology.

Assistant/Associate Professor of Microbial Metabolism, University of North Texas

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Applications for an assistant or associate professor position in the BioDiscovery Institute at UNT are being accepted.

Tenure-track Biochemistry Faculty Position, Wayne State

The Department of Biochemistry, Microbiology & Immunology in the Wayne State University School of Medicine is building a sustainable, high-impact research unit that will employ modern methods to address critical problems in underserved populations in Detroit, across our country, and worldwide. We seek outstanding candidates who are using biochemical approaches to study problems associated with human disease.