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## Seminar Calendar

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MONDAY, APRIL 17

No Seminars

TUESDAY, APRIL 18

**PRL Seminar:** Sigal Lechno-Yossef, MSU, “Orange Carotenoid Protein – A Modular Light Sensor Involved in NPQ in Cyanobacteria”

*12:00 PM, Room 168 Plant Biology*

**MMG Seminar:** Dick Baltz, CognoGen Biotechnology Consulting, “Microbial Genome Mining for Drug Discovery: Mythology, Reality, and Prospects”

*4:10 PM, Room 1415 Biomedical Physical Sciences*

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19

No Seminars

THURSDAY, APRIL 20

**BMB Colloquium:** Katayoon (Katie) Dehesh, University of California-Riverside, “Choreography of Plastidial Retrograde Signaling”

*11:00 AM, Room 101 Biochemistry*

**EEBB Seminar:** Ann Pringle, University of Wisconsin-Madison, “Reverse Ecology: Using Genomes to Understand the Natural Histories of Microorganisms”

*3:30 PM, Room 118 Eppley Center*

FRIDAY, APRIL 21

**SATE Seminar:** Rongling Wu CANCELLED

## Announcements

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**THANK YOU** to all who attended this year’s Annual BMB Banquet and Awards Ceremony! We had a great turnout, congratulations to all award winners!

For a list of award winners, click [here](#).

## Noteworthy News

### 2017 UURAF WINNERS

**Hope Hersh** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Oral Presentation

**Grant LeVasseur** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster

**Michael Das** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster

**Patricia Glover** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster

**Raghav Jain** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster

**Mirna Kaafarani** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster

**Cassie Dutcher** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Oral Presentation *and* 1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster

**Brendyn Smith** – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster

**Great Work!**