



**Plant Pathology 290
Graduate Seminar Series
Spring 2016**

**Seminars: 9:00 to 9:50 AM - Mondays
1150 Hart Hall**

Date	Speaker	Title
March 28	Dr. Patrik Inderbitzin, Project Scientist, UC Davis Plant Pathology	Microbiomes associated with alternative strategies to manage the soilborne plant pathogenic fungus <i>Verticillium dahliae</i>
April 4	Dr. Niklaus Grunwald, Research Plant Pathologist, USDA-ARS, Horticultural Crops Research Lab, Corvallis, OR	Inferring pattern and process of emergence in <i>Phytophthora</i> pathogens (<i>Sponsored by the National Plant Diagnostic Network</i>)
April 11	Dr. Morten Peterson, Univ. of Copenhagen	Recycling systems in cell state switching
April 18	Dr. Dave Crowder, Associate Professor, Washington State Univ.	
April 25	Dr. H. Corby Kistler, Research Geneticist and Adjunct Professor, USDA ARS CDL, University of Minnesota	Cellular compartmentalization of mycotoxin synthesis and export
May 2	Kamyar Aram, UC Davis Plant Pathology	Two if by water: <i>Phytophthora ramorum</i> encounters competition with native species in decomposing stream leaf litter (Ph.D. exit seminar)
May 9	Dr. Jan Leach, Distinguished Professor, Colorado State University	<i>Sponsored by the Storer Endowment</i>
May 16	Isaac Greenhut, UC Davis Plant Pathology	Comparative genomics and functional characterization of bacterial <i>iac</i> genes underlying the catabolism and sensing of the plant hormone indole-3-acetic acid (Ph.D. exit seminar)
May 23	Dr. Patricia Manosalva, Assistant Professor, UC Riverside	
May 30	Memorial Day Holiday	No seminar

June 6	Sara Robinson, UC Davis Plant Pathology	Eicosapolyenoic fatty acids induce plant defense responses to <i>Phytophthora capsici</i> and alter oxylipin metabolism in tomato and pepper (Ph.D. exit seminar)
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