

Biology Science Speaker Events Spring 2013

Communication – genes, cells, & organisms

BSD Science Speaker Series

4:00 – 5:00 Science 106 (open to the public)

Each semester the BSD hosts a series of Science Speaker events to address a theme or support investigation of a topic from multiple perspectives. This spring's theme will focus on biological communication at all levels – from the gene to the cell to the organism.



Wednesday Jan. 16th

“Moving, Walking, and Talking Bacteria”

Dr. Josh Shrout, Associate Professor of Environmental Engineering and Earth Sciences

Eck Institute of Global Health

Departments of Engineering/Earth Sciences and Biological Sciences

University of Notre Dame (South Bend, IN)

Wednesday Jan. 30th

“p190B Rho GAP Overexpression Disrupts Mammary Gland Morphogenesis by Altering Stromal-Epithelial Interactions”

Melissa Gillette, PhD Candidate

Department of Biological Sciences

University of Notre Dame (South Bend, IN)



Wednesday Feb. 13th

“Navigating the Immune Response: UNC-53/NAV2 Mediates Multiple Aspects of Innate Immunity”

Dr. Kristopher Schmidt, Assistant Professor of Biology

Department of Biological Sciences

Goshen College (Goshen, IN)



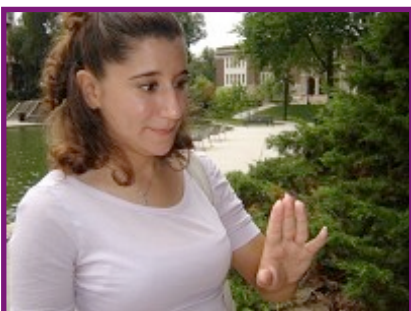
Wednesday Mar. 20th

“Reproductive and Immunity Function Trade-Offs Against Behavioral Energy Investment in *Drosophila*”

Georgina Mancinelli, MS Candidate

Department of Biology

Central Michigan University (Mount Pleasant, MI)



Wednesday Apr. 10th

“Searching for a Connection Between the Insect Circadian Clock and Seasonal Clock”

Megan Meuti, PhD Candidate

Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center

Department of Entomology

The Ohio State University (Wooster, OH)