



## Queens College

### Biology Department Colloquium Schedule

Spring 2009 — Wednesdays at 11:15am, NSB D-139

|   | <u>Host</u>  |
|---|--------------|
| Feb 4 <b>Kathryn Kavanagh</b> , Harvard University - <b>Developmental Bias in Evolutionary Patterns: The Tooth about Toes</b>   | Ma           |
| Feb 11 <b>Sean Murphy</b> , CUNY Graduate School & College of Staten Island - <b>Investigating the Demographics of a Shorebird Near the Northern Limit of its Range</b>                                     | Waldman      |
| Feb 18 <b>Dianella Howarth</b> , St. John's University - <b>The Attraction of Flowers: The Evolutionary Genetics of Symmetry</b>  | Michels      |
| Feb 25 <b>Amanda Dickinson</b> , Whitehead Institute - <b>Primary Mouth Formation</b>   | Dennehy      |
| Mar 4 <b>Timothy Hoellein</b> , Baruch College - <b>The influence of Restoration on Rates of Nutrient Cycling, Ecosystem Metabolism, and Secondary Production in Headwater Streams of Northern Michigan</b> | Waldman      |
| Mar 11 <b>Jeremy Davis</b> , Vassar College - <b>Time, Preference &amp; Size: How Insect Mothers Influence their Offspring's Choice of Host</b>   | Baker        |
| Mar 18 <b>Jimmie Fata</b> , College of Staten Island - <b>Analyzing the Mammary Gland using Mouse and 3D Culture Models</b>   | Rotenberg    |
| Mar 25 <b>Stavroula Sofou</b> , Polytechnic Institute of NYU - <b>Lipid Membrane Heterogeneities Controlled by pH: Basic Studies and Potential Applications in Liposome-based Drug Delivery</b>             | Tsiola       |
| Apr 1 <b>Alla Grishok</b> , Columbia University - <b>Targets of Endogenous RNAi Processes in <i>C. elegans</i></b>  | Melendez     |
| Apr 22 <b>Steve Franks</b> , Fordham University - <b>Plant Evolutionary Responses to Climate Change</b>   | Fjerdingstad |
| Apr 29 <b>Elizabeth Archie</b> , Fordham University - <b>Genes and Germs from Dung: Approaches to Understanding the Evolution of Social Behavior</b>  | Hickerson    |
| May 6 <b>Dan Eshel</b> , Brooklyn College - <b>The Hunt for Regulators of Microtubule Stability</b>   | Fath         |
| May 13 <b>Ivana Vancurova</b> , St. John's College - <b>Gene Specific Regulation of NFkB Activity by Nuclear Ikbα in Inflammation and Cancer</b>  | Michels      |

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Refreshments will be served  
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