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| **Date** | **Speaker & Affiliation** | **Title** | **Host** |
| **September 9** | **Robert Zarr**  *Park Rx America*  **Don Rakow**  *Horticulture Section, Cornell* | “Nature Prescriptions as a Component of Nature Rx  Programs” | Don Rakow |
| **September 16** | **Jeff Perry**  *Horticulture Section, Cornell* | “Intersections between School Agriculture Education and Horticulture“ | Don Rakow |
| **September 23** | **Sarah Taylor Lovell**  *University of Illinois* | “The Role of Agroforestry in Promoting Landscape  Multifunctionality in Rural and Urban Areas” | **SIPS Seminar**  GSA |
| **September 30** | **Peter Davies**  *Horticulture Section, Cornell* | “The Return of Peas as a Model Plant for Plant  Development” | Don Rakow |
| **October 2**  **Wednesday 12:20 PM PS404** | **Donald Ort**  *University of Illinois* | “Optimizing Antennae of Crop Canopies“ | **SIPS Seminar**  Bob Turgeon |
| **October 7** | **Tradd Cotter**  *Author, Mycologist* | “Mushroom Farming in the 21st Century” | Steve Gabriel |
| **October 14** | **No seminar** |  |  |
| **October 21** | **Christopher Currey**  *Iowa State University* | “Improving Controlled Environment Culinary Herb  Production” | Neil Mattson |
| **October 28** | **Zachary Stansell**  *Horticulture Section, Cornell* | “Deconstructing Broccoli: Complex Traits  are  Illuminated by an Immortal Mapping Population” | Thomas Bjorkman |
| **November 4** | **Kim Vallejo**  *Ag & Markets, NYC* | "Connecting Dots: Working within Urban Food Systems to Support Agricultural Producers" | Chris Watkins |
| **November 11** | **Myla Aronson**  *Rutgers University* | “Biodiversity in the Concrete Jungle: Ecology,  Management and Design for Plant Diversity in Urban Landscapes” | Jenny Kao-Kniffin |
| **November 18** | **Anya Osatuke**  *Horticulture Section, Cornell* | “The Strawberry Special: An In-Depth Look at Strawberry Quality when Comparing between Growing Practices in New York State“ | Marvin Pritts |
| **November 25** | **Bryan Brown**  *IPM, Cornell University* | “Developing an Integrated Approach to Manage  Agricultural Weeds “ | Don Rakow |
| **December 2** | **Juana Munoz Ucros**  *Horticulture Section, Cornell* | “How Rhizosphere Processes Change under Drought Stress” | Taryn Bauerle |
| **December 9** | **Todd West**  *North Dakota State University* | “Woody Plant Ornamental Breeding” | Brandon Miller |

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| **September 3** | **Hai Wang**  *Visiting Professor, Cornell University* | "Deep learning for plant genomics and crop improvement" | Ed Buckler |
| **September 10** | **Lucia Gutierrez**  *University of Wisconsin* | “Improving Plant Breeding efficiency with Quantitative Genetics” | Liz Jones |
| **September 17** | **Lindsay Clark**  *University of Illinois* | “Novel genomic approaches for polyploids, and their application to Miscanthus breeding” | GOBii |
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| **October 8** | **Geoffrey Morris**  *Kansas State University* | “GoHy: A Goal-directed Hypothesis-driven method for impactful crop improvement“ | Ed Buckler |
| **October 15** | **No Seminar** | Fall break |  |
| **October 22** | **Andrew Farmer**  *National Center for Genome Resources* | “Approaches to Factoring Out Complexities of Polyploid Genomes: or, what's so hard about n > 2 anyway?" | GOBii  Liz Jones |
| **October 29** | **Julie Dawson**  *University of Wisconsin* |  | Synapsis |
| **November 5** |  |  |  |
| **November 12** | **No Seminar** | Tri-Society Annual Meeting San Antonio TX |  |
| **November 19** | **Jessica Rutkoski**  *University of Illinois* | “Revolutionizing Global Wheat and Rice  Breeding: Insights, Realities, and Untold  Stories” | GOBii  Liz Jones |
| **November 26** | **Grad Student** |  |  |
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| **~~September 11~~** | **~~Robert Schmitz~~**  *~~University of Georgia~~* | ~~“Discovery of cis regulatory elements using chromatin structure in plant genomes”~~ | **~~Genome Biology Initiative~~**  ~~Adam Bogdanove~~ |
| **September 18** | **No Seminar** |  |  |
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| **October 2** | **Donald Ort**  *University of Illinois* | "Optimizing antennae of crop canopies" | **SIPS Seminar**  Bob Turgeon |
| **October 9** | **Tobias Doerr**  *Microbiology, Cornell* | “Regulation of cell wall turnover in gram-negative pathogens” | Teresa Pawlowska |
| **October 16** | **Richard O’Connell**  *French National Institute for Agricultural Research* | ‘How to subdue your host: Plant manipulation by the Anthracnose Fungi’ | **Whetzel Westcott Dimock**  Maria Harrison |
| **October 23** | **Stewart Gray**  *USDA/PPPMB* | “Getting plant viruses were they need to go: Who knew it could be so complicated” | PPPMB exit/career recap  Bill Fry, Michelle Heck |
| **October 30** | **Angela Kruse**  *PPPMB Exit seminar* | “A road map to control Huanglongbing:  Tissue-specific, molecular analyses of the  vector-pathogen interface” | Michelle Heck |
| **November 6** | **Matt Tancos**  *USDA ARS, Fort Detrick* | ”Microbial-based biological control of invasive weeds: Learning from the past and looking to the future “ | Chris Smart |
| **November 13** | **Patrick Gibney**  *Food Science, Cornell* | “Investigating the physiological roles of trehalose metabolism in *S. cerevisiae*” | Gillian Turgeon |
| **November 20** | **Awais Khan**  *PPPMB, Cornell* |  | Chris Smart |
| **November 27** | **No seminar** | Thanksgiving break |  |
| **December 6**  **Friday– 12:20 pm**  **PS404** | **Maria Harrison**  *Boyce Thompson Institute* | “Development and function of AM symbiosis” | Bob Turgeon |

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| **August 29** | **Sonam Sherpa**  *Graduate Student, SCS* | “Infrared Spectroscopy for Soil Carbon  Accounting and Soil Quality Assessment” | David Wolfe |
| **September 5** | **Deborah Ngunengen Oluwasanya**  *Graduate Student, SCS* | “Cassava flowering - contrasting environmental responses” | Tim Setter |
| **September 12** | **Rachel Bezner Kerr**  *Cornell University* | “Agroecological approaches to sustainable food systems: Evidence from Malawi” | Olena Vatamaniuk |
| **September 19** | **Tatyana  Dokuchayeva**  *Graduate Student, SCS* | “Toxic Metals in Soil and Their Effects” | Murray McBride |
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| **October 10** | **Janani Hariharan**  *Graduate Student, SCS* | “Understanding Streptomyces Biogeography and Trait Evolution in the Soil Ecosystem” | Dan Buckley |
| **October 17** | **Jiaming Wen**  *Graduate Student, SCS* | “Understanding and predicting the interannual variability of global carbon cycles“ | Ying Sun |
| **October 24** | **Terry Rose**  *Southern Cross University* | “An alternative approach for improving  phosphorus use efficiency in cropping systems“ | Matt Ryan |
| **October 31** | **Behrooz Azimzadeh**  *Graduate Student, SCS* | "Fate of agrochemicals at organic-metal oxides interfaces: mechanistic and kinetic insight" | Carmen Enid Martinez |
| **November 7** | **Fatma Rekik** *Graduate Student, SCS* | “Connecting Soil Health to Human Health“ | Harold van Es |
| **November 14** | **No Seminar** | Tri-Society Annual Meeting San Antonio TX |  |
| **November 21** | **Bram Govaerts**  *Cornell University* | “MasAgro: From Science and Farmer Innovation to Impact and Country Contributions to the  Sustainable Development Goals” | Johannes Lehmann |
| **November 28** | **No seminar** | Thanksgiving break |  |
| **December 5** | **Lewis Ziska**  *Columbia University* | “Carbon dioxide, climate change and plant  biology: The Good, The Bad, and the OMG“ | Tony DiTommaso |

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| **July 12**  **12:20 pm – Wednesday**  **BTI Auditorium** | **Junsik Choi**  *Plant Biology Exit seminar* | “Nuclear Lamina Proteins in Plants and Their Involvement in Pathogen Response and Development” | Eric Richards |
| **July 25**  **12:20 pm - Thursday**  **135 Emerson** | **Heather Meyer**  *Carnegie, Department of Plant Biology* | “Investigation of Intrinsically Disordered Proteins as Possible Thermo-Sensors to Time Flowering in Arabidopsis Thaliana” | Adrienne Roeder |
| **July 26**  **12:20 pm**  **135 Emerson** | **Yuling Jiao**  *Chinese Academy of Sciences* | "A Self-Activation Loop Maintains Meristematic Cell Fate for Shoot Branching" | Adrienne Roeder |
| **August 29**  **12:20 am – Thursday**  **404 Plant Science** | **Dan Grimanelli**  *Institut de Recherche pour le Developpement, Plant Genome and Development Laboratory* | |  | | --- | | “Deciphering the Role of Heterochromatin in Maize Reproductive Development” | | Michael Scanlon |
| **September 6**  **Career Seminar** | **Li Li**  *USDA, Cornell* | “Working for USDA to Harness Carotenoid Metabolism” | Adrienne Roeder |
| **September 13**  **4:00 pm**  **G10 Biotech** | **Life Science Lecture Series**  **Elliot Meyerowitz**  *California Institute of Technology* | “Mechanical Feedbacks in Plant Morphogenesis” | Michael Scanlon |
| **September 20** | **Joyce Chery**  *Penn State University* |  | Jeff Doyle |
| **September 23**  **Monday – 12:20 pm**  **404 Plant Science** | **Sarah Taylor Lovell**  *University of Illinois* | “The Role of Agroforestry in Promoting Landscape Multifunctionality in Rural and Urban Areas” | **SIPS Seminar**  GSA |
| **September 27** | **Yunde Zhao**  *University of California, San Diego* | “Gene Editing Technology in Plants: Optimization and Applications in Auxin Biology” | Li Li and  Adrienne Roeder |
| **October 2**  **Wednesday – 12:20pm**  **404 Plant Science** | **Donald Ort**  *University of Illinois* | “Optimizing Antennae of Crop Canopies” | **SIPS Seminar**  Bob Turgeon |
| **October 11** | **Lloyd Sumner**  *University of Missouri* | “Integrated Metabolomics Technologies and Applications” | Gaurav Moghe |
| **October 15**  **Tuesday**  **Weill Institute Symposium** | **Dominique Bergmann**  *Stanford University* | “Making a Difference: Flexible Development in a Changing World” | Weill Institute |
| **October 18** | **Sijin Li**  *Chemical Engineering Cornell* | “Metabolic Engineering for Understanding and Harnessing Nature’s Biosynthetic Potential” | Adrienne Roeder |
| **October 25** | **Chris Pires**  *University of Missouri* | “Impact of Polyploidy and Domestication on Genome and Network Evolution” | Margaret Frank and Gaurav Moghe |
| **November 1** | **Kyle Martin**  *Plant Biology Exit Seminar* | “When Flowers Play Dead: The Evolution of  Brood-Site Deceptive Floral Scent in the Common Pawpaw Asimina Triloba” | Rob Raguso |
| **November 8** | **Jesse Lasky**  *Penn State* | “Local Adaptation to Environment in Crop Landraces” | Jian Hua |
| **November 15** | **Paula Cohen**  *Biomedical Sciences, Vet, Cornell* | “The Office of the Vice Provost for Research: Life Sciences Activities and How We Can Help You” | Wojtek Pawlowski |
| **November 22** | **Shayla Salzman**  *Postdoc seminar, Cornell* | “Ecology and Evolution of a Cycad-Weevil Pollination Mutualism” | Chelsea Specht |
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