## 2017 Fall Semester Seminars

Department of Plant, Soil and Microbial Sciences/Department of Horticulture

Location: A149, Plant and Soil Science Building. Time: Thursday 4:10-5:00 pm.

| Date  | Speakers   | Title  |
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| 9/7   | Dr. Greg Bonito, Department of<br>Plant, Soil and Microbial Sciences<br>P&T seminar    | "Fungal and Bacterial Consortia in Soils and Plants"   |
| 9/14  | Dr. Kurt Steinke, Department of<br>Plant, Soil and Microbial Sciences<br>P&T seminar   | "Propaganda, Prophylactics, and Politics: 21 <sup>st</sup><br>Century Soil Fertility"              |
| 9/21  | Dr. Wei Zhang, Department of<br>Plant, Soil and Microbial Sciences<br>P&T seminar      | "Environmental Processes and Impacts of Emerging<br>Contaminants in Soil, Water and Plant Systems" |
| 9/28  | Dr. Roger Chetalat, UC-Davis   | "Chasing the Wild Tomato: Charley Rick and the<br>Invention of Tomato Genetics"                    |
| 10/5  | Mr. Jon Dahl, Department of Plant,<br>Soil and Microbial Sciences<br>P&T seminar       | "Soil Testing: Old Has Become New Again"   |
| 10/12 | Dr. Marty Chilvers, Department of<br>Plant, Soil and Microbial Sciences<br>P&T seminar | ""Sudden death and rotten roots"   |
| 10/19 | Speaker not available  | No seminar   |
| 10/26 | ASA meeting  | No seminar   |
| 11/2  | Dr. David Gilstrap, Department of<br>Plant, Soil and Microbial Sciences                | "Bringing Greener Grass to a Computer Near You:<br>World of Turf Online"                           |
| 11/9  | Dr. Clarence Swanton, U. of Guelph   | "An alternative view of plant competition"   |
| 11/16 | Dr. James Tiedje   | "Insights from 54 Years of Soil Microbiome<br>Science, and the Future"                             |
| 11/23 | Thanksgiving   | No seminar   |
| 11/30 | Dr Eva Weltzien, U. of Wisconsin   | "Seed systems and breeding for low phosphorus adaptation"  |
| 12/7  | Dr. Ray Hammerschmidt  | "Does glyphosate break plant pathogen defenses? It depends."                                       |
| 12/14 | Dr. Steve Pueppke, Plant, Soil and<br>Microbial Sciences                               | "Water, energy, and food in a fragile Central Asian ecosystem"                                     |