BIOLOGY SEMINARS

Spring 2012

Mon., Feb. 13th

An introduction to multi-agent simulation and individual-based ecology with a case study on Killer Whale modeling
Matt Dickerson, Ph.D., Middlebury College

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Wed., Feb. 15th

Omega-3 fatty acids signal through GPR120 to prevent cardiac fibrosis: Implications for heart failure
Timothy O’Connell, Ph.D., Sanford Research

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Fri., Feb. 24th

Linked for life: the importance of sustaining hidden connections for conservation in streams
Kurt Fausch, Ph.D., Colorado State University

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Wed., March 14th

Research in athletic health and performance
Thayne Munce, Ph.D., National Institute for Athletic Health Performance; Sanford Health

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Sat., Apr. 21st

Academic malpractice? The ongoing popularity of creationism among high school biology teachers
Randy Moore, Ph.D., University of Minnesota

(Location TBA, 10 am, Part of the Augustana Symposium)

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Wed., May 9th

Cautionary tales on the evolution of virulence: sigma virus and Drosophila
Marta Wayne, Ph.D., University of Florida

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*Seminars will be held at 3:00 PM in Gilbert Science Center, Room 101 unless otherwise noted.