

# Plant Pathology

## Spring 2021 Seminar Series

DATE		New Format?
Mar 30	<p><b>“Evolution of the Mode of Nutrition in Symbiotic and Saprotrophic Fungi in Forest Ecosystems”</b></p> <p>Francis Martin, Distinguished Research Director, INRAE, France  <i>*International speaker: Department coffee open to all 10:00am</i></p>	No
Apr 6	<p><b>Exit Seminar: “A social-ecological systems perspective of huanglongbing management in California”</b></p> <p>Sara Garcia Figuera, UC Davis PhD Candidate, McRoberts Lab  <i>*Exit seminar department coffee with graduate students 10:00am</i></p>	No
Apr 13	<p><b>“From Fruit Rots to Mysteries: Never a Dull Moment in Pennsylvania Apple Orchards”</b></p> <p>Kari Peter, College of Agricultural Sciences, Penn State</p>	Yes
Apr 20	<p><b>“Rooting for Resistance: Defense Strategies in Tomato against Ralstonia solanacearum”</b></p> <p>Anjali Iyer-Pascuzzi, Interdisciplinary Life Science, Purdue University</p>	Maybe
Apr 27	<p><b>“Leveraging multi-omic platforms and analyses to expand our understanding of plant stress responses”</b></p> <p>Cory Hirsch, Plant Breeding and Plant Genetics, University of Minnesota</p>	Yes
May 4	<p><b>“YinAnd Yang In The Rhizosphere: Interplay Between Root Exudation and Microbiome Forces in the Tomato Underground World”</b></p> <p>Asaph Aharoni, Department of Plant and Environmental Sciences, Weizmann Institute of Science  <i>*International speaker: Department coffee open to all 10:00am</i></p>	Yes
May 11	<p><b>“Adaptations of herbivores and their natural enemies to root secondary metabolites in maize”</b></p> <p>Matthias Erb, Biotic Interactions, Institute of Plant Sciences, Switzerland  <i>*International speaker: Department coffee open to all 10:00am</i></p>	Yes
May 18	<p><b>“Xylella genomics in Europe and Olive Quick Decline Syndrome”</b></p> <p>Pasquale Saldarelli, Institute for Sustainable Plant Protection, National Research Council of Italy  <i>*International speaker: Department coffee open to all 10:00am</i></p>	No
<b>Thurs May 20 4:00pm</b>	<p><b>“Connections and common threads: Reflections on four decades of plant pathology”</b></p> <p>Rick Bostock, Distinguished Professor, Department of Plant Pathology, UC Davis</p>	No
May 25	<p><b>“TBD” Mycology</b></p> <p>Cathy Aime, Purdue University Herbaria, Purdue University</p>	Yes
Jun 1	<p><b>“Viral manipulation of plant-vector interaction”</b></p> <p>John Carr, Virology &amp; Molecular Plant Pathology, Department of Plant Sciences, University of Cambridge  <i>*International speaker: Department coffee open to all 10:00am</i></p>	Yes



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**WHEN**  
**Tuesdays**  
**9:00 – 9:50 AM**

**LOCATION**  
**Zoom**

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**New Format:**  
**Q&A sessions**  
**15 & 45 min**