CLASS DISCUSSION SESSIONS

Wednesdays, beginning Feb 1, 2011 from 3:10 - 4:00 PM in Industrial Education 2, room 101

Wed February 1: ORIENTATION. Students enrolled in GENET 591 will meet with instructor, Diane Birt, to discuss expectations for course. Students must sign up for one chalk talk at this time.

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<td>Wed Feb 8</td>
<td>Eric Henderson</td>
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<td>Wed Mar 7</td>
<td>Susan Carpenter</td>
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SEMINARS & CHALK TALKS

Tuesday, March 20, 2012, Shawn Ahmed, Associate Professor
The University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, Department of Biology
1414 Molecular Biology, 4:10 p.m.
Chalk Talk: Wednesday, March 21, 2012 at noon in the Carver Co-Lab

Friday, March 30, 2012, Michael Scanlon, Professor
Cornell University, Department of Plant Biology
1414 Molecular Biology, 4:10 p.m.
Chalk Talk: Friday at 11:45 a.m. in the Carver Co-Lab conference room

Tuesday, April 3, 2012, Axel Elling, Assistant Professor
Washington State University, Department of Plant Pathology
1414 Molecular Biology, 4:10 p.m.
Chalk Talk: Wednesday, April 4, noon, Carver Co-Lab

Tuesday, April 10, 2012, Kimberly Hammer, Research Associate
University of Wisconsin, School of Pharmacy
1414 Molecular Biology, 4:10 p.m.
Chalk Talk: Wednesday, April 11, noon, Carver Co-Lab

Tuesday, April 17, 2012, Yuxing Li, Adjunct Assistant Professor
Scripps Research Institute, IAVI’s Neutralizing Antibody Center
1414 Molecular Biology, 4:10 p.m.
Chalk Talk Wednesday, April 18, noon, Carver Co-Lab
EXPECTATIONS & GRADING

Course is graded Satisfactory (S) and Failed (F).

To Satisfactory complete this course.

- Students must attend all Wednesday discussion sessions and read all papers that pertain to that speaker prior to coming to class. The class will be divided into small groups for discussion and will present the results of the discussion to the rest of the class. Students who fail to attend discussion sessions must read all papers and write an acceptable 1-page discussion of the major points for each paper. These papers should be submitted to the faculty member listed as contact for the speaker by Wednesday, March 14.

- Students must attend all speaker seminars. Students who miss a seminar must read all papers and write an acceptable 2-page discussion of the major points for each paper. These papers should be submitted to the faculty member listed as contact for the speaker by Wednesday April 25.

- Students must attend one chalk talk