

## Department of Botany & Plant Sciences

### 250 Seminar Series – Fall 2016

Wednesdays from 4:10 - 5:00 PM, Genomics Auditorium

Date	Speaker	Title
<b>Sept 28</b>	Dr. Peggy Mauk UCR	Greenhouse and field research facilities at UCR
<b>October 5</b>	Irma Ortiz Graduate Student UCR	Leucyl Aminopeptidase Substrates - the Regulators of Defense Retrograde Signaling
<b>October 12</b>	Dr. David Nelson Graduate Student UCR	How fire-followers and freeloaders know when to grow
<b>October 19</b>	Michael Pena Graduate Student UCR	Impact of biochar on the biological nitrogen fixation of legume crops
<b>October 26</b>	Jon Montgomery Graduate Student UCR	Effects of Biochar and Compost Amendments on Tall Fescue Establishment Rates
<b>November 2</b>	Elizabeth Luscher Graduate Student UCR	Molecular Characterization of <i>LATERAL ORGAN FUSION1 (LOF1)</i> in <i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i> .
<b>November 9</b>	Aleyda Acosta-Rangel Graduate Student UCR	Environmental stress in avocado. Flowering and physiology
<b>November 16</b>	Dr. Andrei Smertenko Washington State University	How plants conquer space: the cell's flying plate
<b>November 23</b>		<b><i>Thanksgiving break-no seminar</i></b>
<b>November 30</b>	<b>BPSC 200A</b>	