

Department of Biological Sciences Seminar Series
Southeastern Louisiana University – Spring 2015

All seminars are held on Thursday at 4pm in Meade Hall Room 112 unless otherwise indicated.

An additional seminar may be added – Stay Tuned!!

- 22 Jan Dr. Andrew L. Mack, Executive Director
Indo-Pacific Conservation Alliance
Cassowaries, seed dispersal, and conservation in the New Guinea rainforest.
- 29 Jan **New Grad Student Presentations – Group 1: Anjer, Cahal, Clarkson, Donini, Elias**
- 5 Feb **New Grad Student Presentations – Group 2: Foster, Leggett, Rupp, Van Gorder**
- 12 Feb Dr. Robert Espinoza, Professor
California State University – Northridge, Dept of Biology
Heat, prey, love: A lizard's world view through the lens of integrative and comparative biology.
Mardi Gras Super Speaker
- 6 March **FRIDAY**
11:00am Dr. Adam Summers, Professor
University of Washington, Dept of Integrative Biology
Slippery, sticky, and shedding bullets - a natural historian draws inspiration from the sea.
BGSO Super Speaker – Student Union Theatre, Room #216
- 19 March Dr. Steven Pearson, Biological Supervisor
Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
Diamondback terrapin (*Malaclemys terrapin*): abundance, distribution and reproductive ecology across the Louisiana coastline.
- 26 March Dr. Charles Ross, Associate Professor
Hampshire College, School of Natural Sciences
The particulate and personal of speciation.
- 16 Apr Dr. Kathryn D. Feller, Postdoctoral Researcher
University of Bristol, United Kingdom
From the eyes of babes: Characterizing the visual ecology of stomatopod larvae.
- 23 Apr Dr. Jason Bond, Professor of Biological Sciences
Director, Auburn University Museum of Natural History
Untangling the spider tree of life.
- 30 Apr Dr. Alix Myers, Instructor of Biological Sciences
Southeastern Louisiana University
Got Lyme? A 3-D culture approach to modeling infectious disease.