HORTICULTURE SEMINAR SERIES: Spring 2015

Jan. 22  Dr. Shasha Wu  Lecturer, Department of Landscape Architecture, Fujian Agriculture and Forestry University, Fuzhou, Fujian Province, China  
*Source-Sink Relationships during Growth of 'Sorbonne' Lily*

Jan 27  Dr. William Colglazier  Visiting Scientist, Center for Science Diplomacy, AAAS, Washington, DC (former Science & Tech Advisor to US Secretary of State)  
*Science & Diplomacy*  (Tues 12:20, 1017 Allen Bld., Bush School of Gov. & Public Ser.)

Feb 5  Dr. Robert Geneve  Professor, Department of Horticulture, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY  
*Seed Germination in the Ancient Crop, Chia (Salvia): A Sticky Situation*

Feb 19  Ms. Lisa Whittlesey  Extension Program Specialist & Coordinator International Junior Master Gardener Program, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Dept. Horticultural Sciences, TAMU, College Station, TX  
**The Junior Master Gardener Program - Learn, Grow, Eat & GO! School Curricula: Combining Gardening, Nutrition, and Physical Activity for Improved Youth and Family Health Behaviors**

Mar 5  Dr. John Bowman  [Joint seminar with Hort & Borlaug Institute of International Agriculture]  
Senior Agriculture Advisor, USAID Bureau for Food Security (BFS), Office of Agricultural Research & Policy (ARP), Washington, DC  
*Career Opportunities in International Agriculture: Perspectives from a USAID Project Officer*

Mar 26  Dr. Jon Colton, PE, Jefferson Science Fellow  
Professor of Manufacturing, Georgia Institute of Technology, Schools of Mechanical Engineering, Industrial Design and International Affairs, Atlanta, GA  
*Challenges and Opportunities of Agricultural Mechanization in Developing Countries*

April 2  Dr. Mike Arnold  
ASHS President, Professor, Dept. of Horticultural Sciences, TAMU  
*Evolve or Become Extinct - The Challenge for ASHS*

April 16  Dr. Jean Ristiano, Jefferson Science Fellow  [Joint seminar with Hort & Plant Path & Microbiology]  
William Neal Reynolds Distinguished Professor, Director Global Plant Health Program, Department of Plant Pathology, NC State University, Raleigh, NC  
*Emerging Plant Diseases: A Threat to Global Food Security*

April 30  Dr. Luis Cisneros  
Associate Professor (Food Science), Dept. of Horticultural Sciences, TAMU  
*Integrative and Pragmatic Strategies Can Impact International Horticulture from Production to Market*

Seminars will be held in HFSB 102, at 4 p.m.  
- Contact Fred Davies (845-4524; f-davies@tamu.edu) to meet with a visiting speaker.  
- Sponsored Graduate Student luncheon with speakers the day of their seminar: contact Holly Smith Holly.Smith@ag.tamu.edu