



**ANSC 5694: ANIMAL SCIENCE SEMINAR SERIES**  
**Fall 2020 - Fridays at 12:20 PM**

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SEPT 4

**Mark H. Johnson, IACUC Specialist**  
*EHS, UConn*  
IACUC Re-Training

SEPT 11

**Dr. Maria-Luz Fernandez**  
*Department of Nutritional Sciences, UConn*  
Dietary Strategies to Reduce Metabolic Syndrome

SEPT 18

**Dr. Dong-Hun Lee, D.V.M.**  
*Department of Pathobiology and Veterinary Science, UConn*  
Evolution, Spread and Global Threat of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Viruses

SEPT 25

**Dr. Joanne Conover**  
*Department of Physiology and Neurobiology, UConn*  
Development and Aging of a Brain Neural Stem Cell Niche

OCT 2

**Dr. Breno Fragomeni**  
*Department of Animal Science, UConn*  
The Inclusion of Causative Variants in Genomic Prediction Models

OCT 9

**David Cavallaro, Biological Safety Manager**  
*EHS, UConn*  
Blood-Borne Pathogen Re-Training

OCT 16

**Mr. Yue Su**  
*ANSC Ph.D. Student*  
Development of Bovine Induced Pluripotent Stem Cells

OCT 23

**Dr. Charles Giardina**  
*Department of Molecular and Cell Biology, UConn*  
Development of Chemical Probes to Study Cell Death Regulation in Colon Cancer Cells

OCT 30

**Ms. Amanda Reiter**  
*ANSC Ph.D. Student*  
The Effects of Maternal Diet on Offspring Inflammation and Oxidative Stress

NOV 6

**Dr. Leighton Core**  
*Department of Molecular and Cell Biology, UConn*  
Multiple Modes of Transcription Regulation During the Cell Cycle

NOV 13

**Ms. Jiaqi Zhu**  
*ANSC Ph.D. Student*  
Screening of Small Molecule Inhibitors for Preventing PRRSV Infection

NOV 20

**Ms. Mia Kawaida**  
*ANSC Ph.D. Student*  
Effects of Astaxanthin on Oxidative Stress in Muscle during Detraining and Retraining in Polo Ponies

NOV 27

**Thanksgiving Break**

DEC 4

**Ms. ShyAnn Williams**  
*ANSC M.S. Student*  
The Effects of Maternal Nutrition in Fetal Development in Muscle and Adipose

DEC 11

**Ms. Nicole Gonzalez**  
*ANSC M.S. Student*  
The Microbiome in Horses

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