## Department of Entomology Seminar Series, Spring 2004 Thursdays, 4:00 p.m. Minnie Belle Heep Center, Room 103

Date		Speaker, Title, Host					
Jan.	29	<i>Joan Strassman</i> , Rice University, Houston (http://www.ruf.rice.edu/~evolve/joancv.html)					
		Title: TBA					
		Hosted by: Deborah Siegele (siegele@mail.bio.tamu.edu, 862-4159)					
		Co-hosted with Genetics (Seminar will be held in Room 108 Bio/Bio)					
Feb.	5	<u>Sumana Datta</u> , Texas A&M University, College Station					
		(http://www.bio.tamu.edu/facmenu/faculty/datta.htm)					
		Title: "Insect Biology, Stem Cells and Cancer: The Periecan Link"					
		Hosted by: Spencer Johnston (845-8295, spencerj@neo.tamu.edu)					
	12	John Jackman, Texas A&M University, College Station					
		(http://insects.tamu.edu/people/faculty/jackmanj.html)					
	10	Title: "The Evolution of http://insects.tamu.edu - the Greatest Entomological Resource in the Southwest!"					
19		Ron Stinner, North Carolina State University, NSF Center for IPM, Raleigh, NC					
		(http://www.cals.ncsu.edu/entomology/stinner/) Title: "IPM in the Southern Perion In Transition"					
		Citle: "IPM in the Southern Region: In Transition"  Hosted by: Brian Urbain (bku@tamu.edu, 845-9719)					
Mar.	4	James Butler, Texas A&M University, College Station					
IVIAI.	4	Title: "Impact of the Boll Weevil Eradication Program on Beneficial Insects in Cotton: Is There a Canary in					
		the Coal Mine"					
	11	Johnny Chen, Texas A&M University, College Station					
	11	Title: "Pathophysiology and Transmission of <i>Thelohania solenopsae</i> in Fire Ants, <i>Solenopsis invicta</i> "					
	25	<u>Keerti Rathore</u> , Texas A&M University, College Station (http://ipgb.tamu.edu/rathore/rathore.html)					
		Title: "Genetic Engineering of Cotton for Pest Resistance and Seed Quality Improvement"					
		Hosted by: Keyan Zhu-Salzman (ksalzman@tamu.edu, 458-3357)					
Apr.	1	<u>Deby Cassill</u> , University of South Florida, St. Petersburg (http://www.stpt.usf.edu/cassill/)					
<b>r</b>	Title: "Skew Selection: Nature Favors and Trickledown Distribution of Resources in Ants"						
		Hosted by: Brad Vinson (845-9754, bvinson@neo.tamu.edu)					
	8	Bill McCutchen DuPont Research Fellow, Insect Control and Herbicide Resistance					
		Title: TBA					
		Hosted by: Kevin M. Heinz (845-2516, t-gold@tamu.edu)					
	15 <u>Dirk Hays.</u> Texas A&M University, College Station						
		(http://soilcrop.tamu.edu/cgi-bin/showfaculty.cgi?faculty_oid=807177&research=1)					
		Title: "Host Plant Resistance Mechanisms to Hessian Fly and Greenbug in wheat"					
		Hosted by: Keyan Zhu-Salzman (458-3357, ksalzman@tamu.edu)					
	22 <u>Grady Glenn,</u> Texas A&M University, College Station						
		Title: "Subterranean Exploitation Xylophagous: Applied Research in Detection and Management Str					
	for Formosan Subterranean Termites"						
	29 <u>Brenda Oppert</u> , USDA ARS Grain Marketing and Production Research Center						
		http://bru.gmprc.ksu.edu/sci/oppert/					
		Title: "Design of Inhibitor Strategies for Pest Insects"					
		Hosted by: Keyan Zhu-Salzman (458-3357, ksalzman@tamu.edu) Co-hosted with Genetics (Seminar will be					
		held in Room 108 Bio/Bio)					
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Pre-Seminar Social and Refreshments at 3:30 p.m., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Atrium, Minnie Belle Heep Center

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