

# Crop Science Seminar Series

Crops 510, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, Spring 2006

January 9

No seminar (first day of classes)

January 16

No seminar (Martin Luther King holiday)

January 23

**Seungho Cho**, Research Associate, University of Minnesota  
Transcriptome Analysis in Barley Tillering Mutants

January 30

**Gail Timmerman-Vaughan**, New Zealand Institute for Crop and Food Research  
Toward Cloning of a Major Pea (*Pisum sativum*)  
QTL Determining Seed Weight/Seed Number

February 6

**Dennis Roe**, USDA-NRCS  
Opportunities for Brassica Crops

February 13

**Robert Brueggeman**, Ph.D. Candidate, Crop Science, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, WSU  
Rpg1 Mediated Resistance to Barley Stem Rust

February 20

No Seminar (President's Day)

February 27

**Chasity Watt**, M.S. Candidate, Crop Science, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, WSU  
Cloning QTLs in Rice Controlling Production Factors

March 6

**Matt Williams**, M.S. Candidate, Crop Science, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, WSU  
Selective Removal of *Agrostis stolonifera* from *Poa pratensis* Using Mesotrione

March 13

No Seminar (Spring Break)

March 20

**Suzanne Kopan**, M.S. Candidate, Crop Science, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, WSU  
Weed Management in Conservation Tillage Systems

March 27

**David Granatstein**, WSU Center for Sustaining Agriculture and Natural Resources—Wenatchee  
The Science Behind the Organic Standards

April 3

**Brad Till**, Dept. of Biology, University of Washington  
High Throughput TILLING for Plant Functional Genomics

April 10

**Jorgen Abellera**, M.S. Candidate, Crop Science, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, WSU  
Making Drought Tolerant Wheat Plants Using Directed Evolution for Increased ABA Sensitivity

April 17

**Robert E. Allan Plant Breeding Symposium**

**Dr. Jim Holland**, USDA-ARS Research Geneticist, North Carolina State University  
**Topic: Maize Plant Breeding, Genetics and Molecular Biology**

**Dr. Andrea Cardinal**, Assistant Professor, North Carolina State University  
**Topic: Soybean Genetics and Breeding**

**Dr. Tom Osborn**, Seminis  
**Topic: Brassicas**

April 24

**Sandro Loladze**, M.S. Candidate, Crop Science, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, WSU  
Identification of Stripe Rust Resistance in Wheat Relatives and Landraces

May 1

**Harpinder Randhawa**, Research Associate, Dept. of Crop and Soil Sciences, WSU  
Molecular Markers in Wheat

**Mondays  
3:10pm**

**Johnson Hall  
204**

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served prior

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