

Spring 2026 Seminars: **Fridays at 4pm**

W&M Department of Biology



Location: ISC 1221

Contact the listed faculty host [in brackets] for more information

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| Feb. 6 | Arturo Casadevall (Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine)
<i>Title TBA</i> | [Murphy] |
| Feb. 13 | Geoff Zahn (W&M Applied Science)
<i>Building a better holobiont: toward reproducibility in microbiome coalescence</i> | [Leu] |
| Feb. 20 | Talia Backman (W&M Applied Science)
<i>Why don't the best competitors win? Tailocins and the limits of competitive dominance</i> | [Leu] |
| Feb. 27 | No Seminar – Space Available! | |
| Mar. 6, 13 | SPRING BREAK | |
| Mar. 20 | Samuel Harvey (Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine)
<i>Pixels and Probes: A tour through digital and molecular pathology</i> | [Forsyth] |
| Mar. 27 | Prosanta Chakrabarty (Louisiana State University)
<i>Title TBA</i> | [Scheerer] |
| Apr. 3 | Sam Kean (Independent Writer)
<i>Title TBA</i> | [Bestman] |
| Apr. 10 | Laura Grieneisen (Old Dominion University)
<i>Title TBA</i> | [Nesbitt] |
| Apr. 17 | Carlos Ferreria (National Inst. of Child Health & Human Development)
<i>Understanding mechanisms and repurposing drugs for skeletal dysplasias</i> | [Forsyth] |
| Apr. 2X | Anna Klompen (Stowers Institute for Medical Research)
Mangum Lecture – Title TBA | [Allen] |