

Medical Microbiology & Immunology (MMI) Track Seminar Series ~ 2017-2018 / Current Topics MMIM 603/803

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<u>September</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	6	<i>No Seminar: Labor Day</i>	---	---	---
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	27	James H. Morrissey, Ph.D.	U. of Michigan	Polyphosphate and Nucleic Acids Modulate Blood Clotting	Worth
<u>October</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	4	Nicholas Lukacs, Ph.D.	U. of Michigan Medical School	RSV infection and development of allergic Pulmonary disease	Chattopadhyay
	11	David Severson, Ph.D.	U. of Notre Dame	Genomics and Innate Immune Response to Pathogens - In a Mosquito?"	Taylor
	18	John-Demian Sauer, Ph.D.	U. of Wisconsin-Madison	Life on the Inside: Dealing with Stress in the Macrophage Cytosol	Huntley
	25	Shannon D. Manning, Ph.D., MPH	Michigan State University	Impact of evolution on the pathogenesis and virulence of bacterial pathogens	Wooten
<u>November</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	1	Neal Hammer, Ph.D.	Michigan State University	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> fine-tunes aerobic respiration in order to colonize and persist	Huntley
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	15	Jade Wang, Ph.D.	U. of Wisconsin-Madison	(p)ppGpp mediates stress-signaling in Gram positive bacteria	Blumenthal
	22	<i>No Seminar: Thanksgiving</i>	---	---	---
	29	Kevin Theis, Ph.D.	Wayne State University	Perinatal Medicine through a Hologenomic Lens	Matson
<u>December</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
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	22	<i>No Seminar: End of Semester</i>	---	---	---
	29	<i>No Seminar: Christmas Break</i>	---	---	---

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<u>January</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	3	No Seminar: New Year	---	---	---
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	17	No Seminar: Martin Luther King Day	---	---	---
	24	Ping Zhang, M.D., Ph.D.	NEOMED	Hematopoietic Stem Cells in Host Defense Against Septic Infection	Pan
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<u>February</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	7	Saravanan Thangamani, Ph.D.	University of Texas (UTMB)	Vector-Host-Pathogen Interface: Nidus of Arbovirus Transmission	Taylor
	14	Haidong Gu, Ph.D.	Wayne State University	Migration and Interaction of ICP0, Active Offense as the Best Defense?	Chattopadhyay
	21	Evan Snitkin, Ph.D.	U. of Michigan	Genomic insights into the epidemiology and evolution of antibiotic resistant organisms	Blumenthal
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<u>March</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	7	No Seminar: Spring Break	---	---	---
	14	Felix Yarovinsky, Ph.D.	University of Rochester	Toxoplasma Gondii Infection: From Innate Immunity to Inflammatory Disease	Ferreira
	21	Jon S. Blevins, Ph.D.	University of Arkansas	Studying global gene regulation and virulence in pathogenic Borrelia	Huntley
	28	Linden Hu, Ph.D.	Brown University	Preaching Tolerance: Can ignorance be bliss in host-pathogen interactions with Borrelia burgdorferi?	Wooten
<u>April</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	4	Chuanfu Li, M.D.	ETSU	Trained innate immunity and sepsis	Pan
	11	Seema Mattoo, Ph.D.	Purdue University	From Bacterial Pathogenesis to Mammalian Stress Response - Fic Protein in Cellular Signaling	Matson

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	18	Andrew Darwin, Ph.D.	NYU School of Medicine	A <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> proteolytic complex targets cell wall hydrolases to impact virulence	MMI Students (Cara DeAngelis)
	25	Stacey Gilk, Ph.D.	Indiana University	Targeting host cholesterol metabolism during <i>Coxiella burnetii</i> infection	Huntley
<u>May</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Seminar Title</u>	<u>Host</u>
	2	Zihai Li, M.D., Ph.D.	MUSC	Platelet-Targeted Cancer Immunotherapy: Hype or Hope?	MMI Students Claire Meikle
	9	<i>No Seminar: AAI Meeting May 4-8</i>			---
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