

## ANIMAL SCIENCE SEMINAR SERIES: FALL 2023

Fridays from 12:20 - 1:10 PM - George White 209

SEPTEMBER 1

**NO SEMINAR - STUDENTS ENROLLED IN ANSC 5694 TO MEET WITH DR. MANCINI TO DISCUSS THE SYLLABUS**

SEPTEMBER 8

**MARK H. JOHNSON, B.S., M.B.A., LATG**  
IACUC SPECIALIST/ POST APPROVAL MONITOR  
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RESEARCH COMPLIANCE SERVICES  
IACUC RE-TRAINING ([VIRTUAL VIA WEBEX](#))

SEPTEMBER 15

**DAVID CAVALLARO, MS, CBSP**  
BIOLOGICAL HEALTH AND SAFETY MANAGER, UCONN EHS  
BIOSAFETY GENERAL TRAINING ([VIRTUAL VIA WEBEX](#))

SEPTEMBER 22

**KELLY (KALI) WENDORF, MCC, MECD**  
FOUNDER & CEO, EQUUS  
TURNING TO NATURE'S WISDOM FOR TOUGH CONTEMPORARY CHALLENGES ([VIRTUAL VIA WEBEX](#))

SEPTEMBER 29

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OCTOBER 6

**BRINDHALAKSHMI BALASUBRAMANIAN, ANSC PHD STUDENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE, UCONN  
APPLICATION OF NANOTECHNOLOGY IN CONTROLLING LISTERIA MONOCYTOGENES ON FOOD AND FOOD CONTACT SURFACES

OCTOBER 13

**ELIAS UDDIN, PHD**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE, UCONN  
SEMINAR TITLE TO BE ANNOUNCED

OCTOBER 20

**PETER HANSEN, PHD**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCES, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA  
TENTATIVE TITLE: THE SLICK GENE AND IDENTIFICATION OF GENETIC VARIATION IN THERMOTOLERANCE IN HOLSTEINS ([VIRTUAL VIA WEBEX](#))

OCTOBER 27

**RAGINI REDDYVARI, ANSC PHD STUDENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE, UCONN  
A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO PROMOTING LAYER PERFORMANCE, HEALTH, AND EGG SAFETY

NOVEMBER 3

**TRUSHENKUMAR SHAH, ANSC PHD STUDENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE, UCONN  
DEVELOPING PHYTOCHEMICAL NANOEMULSIONS FOR REDUCING SALMONELLA ENTERITIDIS COLONIZATION IN BROILER CHICKENS

NOVEMBER 10

**ELSIO WUNDER, DVM, PHD**  
DEPARTMENT OF PATHOBIOLOGY AND VETERINARY SCIENCE, UCONN  
LEPTOSPIROSIS: PUTTING A NEGLECTED DISEASE ON THE SPOTLIGHT ONE EXPERIMENT AT A TIME

NOVEMBER 17

**RUIFENG ZHAO, ANSC PHD STUDENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE, UCONN  
EVIDENCE AGAINST THE ROLE OF TOLL-LIKE RECEPTORS 7/8 IN SEX SELECTION IN THE MOUSE

NOVEMBER 24

**NO SEMINAR - THANKSGIVING BREAK**

DECEMBER 1

**CHETNA SHAH, ANSC MS STUDENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE, UCONN  
DEVELOPING PHYTOCHEMICAL-BASED DIETARY STRATEGIES TO REDUCE LISTERIOSIS RISKS IN HUMANS

DECEMBER 8

**NICHOLAS BARNELLO, ANSC MS STUDENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE, UCONN  
THE EFFECTS OF POOR MATERNAL NUTRITION ON RAM LAMB REPRODUCTIVE CHARACTERISTICS

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