

# March 23 and 24, 2019 at The University of Western Ontario

**TALK SCHEDULE** 

2:30 - 3:30

## Cell and Molecular Biology A BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0153

### 2:30 – 2:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0153 cancelled, 15 minute break

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 0153

Jasika Bashal - Ryerson University
SUBSTRATE SPECIFICITY OF OMPTIN PROTEASES OF ENTEROBACTERIACEAE

#### 3:00 – 3:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0153

Pislaru, Alexandra – University of Western Ontario GENOMIC SIGNATURES PROVIDE A UNIQUE PERSPECTIVE IN CLASSIFYING THE HETEROGENEITY IN SPECIES OF *BACILLUS* USING ALIGNMENT-FREE METHODS.

#### 3:15 - 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0153

Abuzar Zainul - Ryerson University
INVESTIGATING THE QUEE STRUCTURE AND BACTERIAL VIABILITY ASSOCIATED WITH QUEE
MEDIATED FILAMENTATION IN *ESCHERICHIA COLI* 

2:30 - 3:30

## Cell and Molecular Biology B BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0165

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 0165

Supriya Aryal - University of Windsor ROLES OF SKP2 AND SAC IN PRESERVING GENOMIC INTEGRITY

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0165

Madison Curtis - University of Windsor THE ROLE OF SPY1 IN THE CELL CYCLE AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF HEPATOCELLULAR CARCINOMA

#### 3:00 – 3:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0165

Alexander Rodzinka - University of Windsor DISSECTING HETEROGENEOUS NATURE OF BRAIN TUMOURS

#### 3:15 - 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0165

Dan Wilsdon - University of Western Ontario
THE EFFECTS OF METFORMIN AND BERBERINE ON MEDULLOBLASTOMA CELL VIABILITY IN VITRO

2:30 - 3:30

## Cell and Molecular Biology C BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 1056

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 1056

Saher Ahmed - Ryerson University EXAMINING THE DIVERSITY OF METABOLIC CAPABILITIES IN BACTERIA ISOLATED FROM WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 1056

Jacqueline Diaz? - Ryerson University
Hipolito, V.E.B., Botelho, R.J.
INVESTIGATING THE SOURCE OF LIPIDS DURING TUBULAR LYSOSOME FORMATION IN BONE-MARROW DERIVED MACROPHAGES FOLLOWING ACUTE LPS STIMULATION

#### 3:00 - 3:15, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 1056

Luna Guiot - University of Western Ontario
DECIPHERING THE ROLES OF LDH AND PDK IN XEN DIFFERENTIATION

#### 3:15 – 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 1056

Saba Khuffash - Ryerson University LYCAT REGULATES PIP2 SIGNALLING THROUGH MEDIATING FATTY ACYL CHAIN PROFILES

## Physiology and Biochemistry A PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 34

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 34

Paul Boersma - University of Western Ontario EFFECTS OF SILVER NANOPARTICLES ON GROWTH OF SOYBEANS (*GLYCINE MAX*) AND BRADYRHIZOBIUM JAPONICUM USDA110

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 34

Leah Mindorff - Wilfred Laurier University
ASSESSING THE QUALITY OF DISSOLVED ORGANIC MATTER IN NORTHERN FRESHWATER
ENVIRONMENTS

#### 3:00 - 3:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 34

Joseph Moryousef-Abitbol - University of Western Ontario EXPOSURE TO  $\Delta 9$ -TETRAHYDROOCANNABINOL DURING GESTATION LEADS TO MITOCHONDRIAL DYSFUNCTION IN POSTNATAL LIFE

#### 3:15 - 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 34

Jessica Sinka - Nipissing University WOUND HEALING AND SUBERIZATION IN SOLANUM TUBEROSUM IS NOT EFFECTED BY APPLICATION OF REVUS FUNGICIDE

2:30 - 3:30

## Physiology and Biochemistry B PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 36

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 36

Pritha Banerjee - Laurentian University
THE BIOLOGICAL AND BIOPHYSICAL EFFECTS OF LAUGHTER ON SALIVARY CORTISOL

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 36

Olivia Hayhurst - Laurentian University ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS CAUSE HOMOGENIZATION OF PH VARIABILITY IN ARTIFICIAL CEREBROSPINAL FLUID

#### 3:00 - 3:15, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 36

Hope Lachapelle - Laurentian University SYNERGISTIC EFFECTS OF ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS PAIRED WITH LIDOCAINE AND NATURAL REMEDIES AS AN INTERVENTION FOR NICOTINE ADDICTION AND WITHDRAWAL: A PLANARIAN MODEL

#### 3:15 - 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 36

Farah Morris - Laurentian University
INVESTIGATING THE INDUCTION EFFECTS OF ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS ON NON LIVING BRAINS

2:30 - 3:30

## Ecology and Evolution A PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 148

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 148

Mckenzie Cervini - University of Windsor INTERACTIVE EFFECTS OF MATERNAL PRENATAL GLUCOCORTICOIDS AND ELEVATED REARING TEMPERATURES ON COPING STYLES IN CHINOOK SALMON FRY

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 148

Mohamed Elshikh - University of Windsor EFFECTS OF ACUTE ALARM CUE EXPOSURE ON EMBRYONICALLY PRIMED JUVENILE ATLANTIC SALMON

#### 3:00 - 3:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 148

Lily (Yijun) Xiong - University of Toronto SEA LICE, SOCKEYE SALMON, AND PARASITE HOST PREFERENCE: THE INDECISIVE CALIGUS

#### 3:15 - 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 148

Ian Smith - University of Windsor PERSONALITY AND SOCIAL LEARNING OF PREDATOR CUES IN ATLANTIC SALMON

2:30 - 3:30

### Ecology and Evolution B PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 106

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 106

Justin Aoun - University of Windsor SENSORY HAIR CELL REGENERATION IN BLACK BULLHEAD (AMEIURUS MELAS) AFTER NOISE EXPOSURE

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 106

Alaa El-Cheikh Mohamad - University of Windsor THE INFLUENCE OF SOUND ON ROUND GOBY (NEOGOBIUS MELANOSTOMUS) FORAGING BEHAVIOUR

#### 3:00 - 3:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 106

Enxhi Kotrri - University of Windsor AUDITORY EVOKED POTENTIALS (AEP) TO QUANTITATIVELY ASSESS HEARING ABILITIES IN BLACK BULLHEAD (*AMEIURUS MELAS*)

#### 3:15 - 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 106

Deena Oozeer - University of Windsor EFFECT OF AGE AND SOUND ON HAIR CELL DISTRIBUTION IN MEMBRANOUS LABYRINTH OF THE SEA LAMPREY (*PETROMYZON MARINUS*)

2:30 - 3:30

## Ecology and Evolution C PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 150

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 150

Meghan Dilliott - Wilfrid Laurier University SEEDLING SURVIVAL AND SEED SIZE IN CUSCUTA

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 150

Alicia Banwell - University of Western Ontario
WHITE VARIANTS OF EDIBLE GOLDEN CHANTERELLES

#### 3:00 – 3:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 150

Jerret Johns - Nipissing University
COPPICE GROWTH OF RED OAK, RED MAPLE AND SUGAR MAPLE AFTER 14 YEARS UNDER
UNIFORM SHELTERWOOD AND GROUP SELECTION TREATMENTS IN THE GREAT LAKES-ST.
LAWRENCE FOREST REGION

#### 3:15 – 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 150

Katie Talbot - Nipissing University
DIFFERENCES IN THE FOLIAR CONCENTRATION OF ANTIHERBIVORE ALLELOCHEMICALS OF
ADJACENT BALSAM FIR SAPLINGS GROWING IN DISTURBED FOREST GAPS IN WESTERN
NEWFOUNDLAND

2:30 - 3:30

## Ecology and Evolution D PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 117

#### 2:30 - 2:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 117

Hiba ElMiari - Wilfrid Laurier University SEED STORY: ARE DRY, INDEHISCENT FRUITS AND SMALL SEEDS ADAPTED TO INTERNAL DISPERSAL BY WATERFOWLS?

#### 2:45 - 3:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 117

Anna Basu - University of Western Ontario SYSTEMATICS OF THE GENUS *HOHENBUEHELIA* 

#### 3:00 - 3:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 117

Breanna Craig - Nipissing University
DEFOLIATION OF BOREAL FOREST STANDS DURING SPRUCE BUDWORM OUTBREAKS IN
RELATION TO SITE QUALITY

#### 3:15 - 3:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 117

Heather Patterson - Laurentian University CHRONOSEQUENCE ANALYSIS OF CARBON SEQUESTRATION IN RECLAIMED FOREST SOILS IN SUDBURY, ONTARIO

4:00 - 5:00

### Cell & Molecular Biology D BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0153

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0153

Mario Filice - University of Toronto
THE ROLE OF DROSOPHILA HEAT SHOCK FACTOR IN THE REGULATION OF KEY DEVELOPMENTAL
GENES

#### 4:15 - 4:30, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 0153

Sarah Nafal - University of Windsor THE EFFECTS OF REDUCED PHOSPHATIDYLSERINE ON NERVE TERMINAL GROWTH AT DROSOPHILA LARVAL NEUROMUSCULAR JUNCTIONS

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 0153

Arif Sarowar - University of Toronto
EFFECT ON NEURAL DEVELOPMENT BY SPECIFIC TYPE IS MOTOR NEURON EXPRESSION
PATTERNS IN DROSOPHILA MELANOGASTER

#### 4:45 – 5:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0153

Yordan Stoyanov - McMaster University
UNDERSTANDING THE ROLE OF CONSERVONS IN STREPTOMYCES VENEZUELAE DEVELOPMENT

4:00 - 5:00

## Cell and Molecular Biology E BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0165

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 0165

Nathalie Abikou - Laurentian University
MALE WALLEYE REPRODUCTIVE FITNESS FROM WASSI FALLS, NIPISSING LAKE

#### 4:15 – 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0165

Tianhui Chen - University of Toronto CHARACTERIZATION OF THE MOLECULAR MECHANISMS REGULATING EPITHELIAL MORPHOGENESIS DURING ZEBRAFISH EMBRYONIC DEVELOPMENT

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 0165

Sharbel Najm - University of Windsor DETERMINATION OF GENE FLOW AND CONNECTIVITY AMONG TOURIST-FED AND UNFED HYPANUS AMERICANUS POPULATIONS AT GRAND CAYMAN

4:00 - 5:00

## Cell and Molecular Biology F BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 1056

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 1056

Raymond Huynh - Ryerson University
ROLE OF PMRD PROMOTER ALTERATIONS IN HDP RESISTANCE

#### 4:15 – 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 1056

Laura Orofiamma - Ryerson University AMP-ACTIVATED PROTEIN KINASE CONTROLS B1-INTEGRIN VIA A NOVEL ARF6-DEPENDENT SIGNALING PATHWAY

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, B&GS 1056

Gayashan Tennakoon - University of Ottawa NKG2D AND DNAM-1: THE KEY TO REVERSING POSTOPERATIVE NK CELL DYSFUNCTION?

#### 4:45 - 5:00, Saturday, March 23rd, B&GS 1056

Dafne Vural - Ryerson University REGULATION OF EPIDERMAL GROWTH FACTOR RECEPTOR SIGNALING BY ACK1

4:00 - 5:00

## Ecology and Evolution F PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 34

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 34

Chelsea Frank - University of Windsor POLAR BEARS' (*URSUS MARTIMUS*) TERRESTRIAL BEHAVIOURS DURING THE ICE-FREE SEASON ON EAST BAY ISLAND, NUNAVUT

#### 4:15 – 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 34

Marlee Pyott - Laurentian University
A DIVISION OF LABOUR IS CAUSING SEXUAL SIZE DIMORPHISM IN THE CANIDAE FAMILY

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 34

Rushiraj Vansiya - McMaster University IMPACT OF SPATIAL CONSTRAINT ON THE SKELETAL GROWTH OF *STRONGYLOCENTROTUS PURPURATUS*, PURPLE SEA URCHINS

#### 4:45 - 5:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 34

Alexis Wilder - University of Windsor ECOLOGICAL FACTORS INFLUENCE PRIMATE VOCAL BEHAVIOUR IN A NEOTRPOICAL DRY FOREST: HABITAT AND BEHAVIOUR IN THREE SPECIES OF MONKEY

4:00 - 5:00

## Physiology and Biochemistry C PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 36

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 36

Fatimatzahra Muhammad - Laurentian University
THE EFFECTS OF PH AND CHLORPROMAZINE ON DIFFERENTIATION AND VIABILITY OF PC12 CELLS

#### 4:15 - 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 36

Andrew Pellegrini - Laurentian University
A QUANTITATIVE ELECTROENCEPHALOGRAPHIC ASSESSMENT OF MYALGIC ENCEPHALOMYELITIS
/ CHRONIC FATIGUE SYNDROME IN 46 ADULTS

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 36

Rahul Ravindran - Laurentian University BIOMARKERS FOR DISEASE

#### 4:45 - 5:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 36

Taylor Roy - Laurentian University
THE EFFECTS OF EXAM INDUCED STRESS OF MEMORY SCORES AND EEG PROFILES

4:00 - 5:00

## Ecology and Evolution G PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 148

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 148

Nikita Frizzelle - University of Western Ontario DISPERSAL ABILITY & FLIGHT MORPHOLOGY IN THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN APOLLO BUTTERFLY, PARNASSIUS SMINTHEUS

#### 4:15 – 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 148

Jonathan Gootgarts - University of Western Ontario
USING STABLE ISOTOPES TO DETERMINE NATAL ORIGIN AND LARVAL HOST PLANT USE BY THE
WESTERN BEAN CUTWORM, *STRIACOSTA ALBICOSTA* (LEPIDOPTERA: NOCTUIDAE)

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 148

Aranya Iyer - McMaster University. LONG TERM TRENDS IN ABUNDANCES OF AERIAL INSECTIVORES ACROSS STOPOVER SITES IN ONTARIO

#### 4:45 - 5:00, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 148

Nilram Jalilian - University of Western Ontario
THE EFFECT OF THERMAL STRESS ON MYTHIMNA UNIPUNCTA

4:00 - 5:00

## Ecology and Evolution H PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 106

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 106

Arshpreet Bassi - University of Windsor
THE FISH PERSPECTIVE OF ARTIFICIAL LIGHT AT NIGHT

#### 4:15 - 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 106

Riley Beach - University of Windsor BIOLOGY OF THE ROUGHHEAD GRENADIER (*MACROURUS BERGLAX*) IN THE EASTERN CANADIAN ARCTIC

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 106

Amy Dao - University of Toronto SEASONAL PLASTICITY IN THE GUT OF *SALVELINUS NAMAYCUSH* AND *MICROPTERUS DOLOMIEU* 

#### 4:45 - 5:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 106

Eric Kuindersma - University of Windsor EFFECTS OF HABITAT COMPLEXITY ON PERFORMANCE AND SURVIVAL OF DIFFERENT BEHAVIOURAL PHENOTYPES IN FISH USING AGENT-BASED MODELLING

4:00 - 5:00

## Ecology and Evolution I PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 150

#### 4:00 – 4:15, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 150

Luc LaRochelle - Laurentian University
MATERNAL INFLUENCES ON LAKE WHITEFISH (*COREGONOUS CLUPEAFORMIS*) EMBRYONIC
FITNESS FROM AN EXPLOITED STOCK WITH A RECENT FOOD WEB CHANGE IN LAKE HURON

#### 4:15 - 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 150

Monica Sokolowski - University of Windsor GETTING DEEP INTO SKATES: BIOLOGY OF *AMBLYRAJA HYPERBOREA* (ARCTIC SKATE) IN THE EASTERN CANADIAN ARCTIC

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 150

Madison Sturba - University of Windsor AN INTEGRATIVE APPROACH TO QUANTIFYING SENESCENCE IN SPAWNING FEMALE CHINOOK SALMON DURING FRESHWATER RESIDENCY

#### 4:45 – 5:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 150

Shelby Wright - University of Windsor EFFECTS OF ALARM CUE PRIMING ON ANTI-PREDATOR BEHAVIOUR AND PHENOTYPIC VARIATION IN ATLANTIC SALMON (*SALMO SALAR*)

4:00 - 5:00

## Ecology and Evolution J PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 117

#### 4:00 - 4:15, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 117

Natalie Burgess - Laurentian University
TERRESTRIAL MAMMALIAN PREDATOR/PREY RATIOS IN SOUTH AMERICA

#### 4:15 – 4:30, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 117

Sian Milne - University of Toronto DATING *CUSCUTA* (CONVOLVULACEAE): EXPLORING A MOLECULAR CLOCK APPROACH IN THE DIFFICULT CASE OF PARASITIC PLANTS

#### 4:30 - 4:45, Saturday, March 23rd, P&A 117

Cassidy Sullivan - Laurentian University
THE ROLE OF POPULATION DENSITY IN BIRTH SEX RATIOS OF DEER MICE (*PEROMYSCUS MANICULATUS*)

#### 4:45 - 5:00, Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, P&A 117

Tiger Wu – University of Toronto
Balgobin, J., Havelka, M., Richter, C., Wu, T., Younen, T.
THE IMPACT OF WHITE-TAILED DEER (*ODOCOILEUS VIRGINIANUS*) ON THE DIVERSITY, GROWTH, AND SPECIES ABUNDANCE OF URBAN PLANT COMMUNITIES

9:00 - 10:30

## Cell and Molecular Biology G BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0153

#### 9:00 – 9:15, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 0153

Jazlyn Borges - Ryerson University
REGULATION OF STAT5 ACTIVATION BY CLATHRIN-MEDIATED ENDOCYTOSIS

#### 9:15 – 9:30, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0153

Cancelled, 15 minute break

#### 9:30 – 9:45, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 0153

Yupeng Liu - University of Toronto PROTEINS ASSOCIATED WITH NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASE REGULATE RNA POLYMERASE II TRANSCRIPTION AT RIBOSOMAL DNA REPEATS

#### 9:45 - 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0153

Anna Maria Mapili - Ryerson University
IDENTIFYING THE REGULATION OF OMPT OMPTIN PROTEASE ACTIVITY BY THE EXPRESSION OF
RNA POLYMERASE SIGMA FACTOR 54 IN ESCHERICHIA COLI

#### 10:00 – 10:15, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0153

Amandeep Sandhu - University of Western Ontario.
THE SPECIFIC ROLES OF DNAJ CHAPERONES IN CELLULAR PROTEIN QUALITY CONTROL

#### 10:15 – 10:30, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0153

Anne Semaan - University of Windsor VALIDATING DROSOPHILA MELANOGASTER AS A TOOL TO STUDY TUBERIN CELL CYCLE REGULATION

9:00 - 10:30

## Cell and Molecular Biology H BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0165

#### 9:00 – 9:15, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0165

Disha Acharya - Ryerson University EXAMINATION OF BACTERIAL SURVIVAL FOLLOWING PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INFECTION IN MAMMALIAN MACROPHAGE CELLS

#### 9:15 – 9:30, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0165

Emily Miraglia - Ryerson University
THE EFFECT OF ADHERENT-INVASIVE ESCHERICHIA COLI ON HOST MACROPHAGES

#### 9:30 – 9:45, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 0165

Meghan Pepler - McMaster University POTENTIAL FOR ANTIBIOTIC DISCOVERY AND PRODUCTION BY THE GENERATION OF A STREPTOMYCES VENEZUELAE-DERIVED CHASSIS STRAIN

#### 9:45 - 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0165

Elliott Somerville - Ryerson University ROLE OF PHAGOLYSOSOME FRAGMENTATION IN THE REFORMATION OF LYSOSOMES WITHIN MURINE MACROPHAGES

#### 10:00 - 10:15, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0165

Hiu-Ki (Rachel) Tran - McMaster University EXPANDING THE VIRULENCE ONTOLOGY (VIRO) TO DETERMINE THE VARIABILITY OF SECRETION SYSTEM EFFECTORS

#### 10:15 – 10:30, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 0165

Bianca Valente – University of Western Ontario INTRIGUING SEQUENCE SIMILARITIES BETWEEN VIRAL GENOMES AND THEIR HOSTS

9:00 - 10:30

### Cell and Molecular Biology I BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 1056

#### 9:00 - 9:15, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Zaleena Akheralie - University of Toronto CHARACTERIZING EMBRYONIC OPTIC NEUROBLASTS IN THE DEVELOPING DROSOPHILA MELANOGASTER BRAIN

#### 9:15 – 9:30, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Gianluca Calcagno - Ryerson University TESTING CANCER CHEMOTHERAPY SENSITIVITY AND RESISTANCE RELATIONSHIPS FOR A PANCREATIC CANCER DRUG

#### 9:30 – 9:45, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Kurt Clemmer - University of Western Ontario EXPLORATION OF EVOLUTION IN B-CELL LEUKEMIA: IDENTIFYING POTENTIAL GENES THAT ENABLE CLONAL EVOLUTION BY WHOLE EXOME SEQUENCING AND MOUSE MODELS

#### 9:45 – 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Colin Curran - University of Windsor MEASURING THE EFFECTS OF BMAL1 ON TUMOR CHARACTERISTICS AND INCIDENCE RATES IN APC MIN/- MICE

#### 10:00 - 10:15, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Devon Knight - University of Western Ontario INVESTIGATING AIOLOS MUTATIONS AS DRIVERS OF B CELL ACUTE LYMPHOBLASTIC LEUKEMIA IN MICE

#### 10:15 - 10:30, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Fatima Nadeem - University of Windsor

THE ROLE OF THE MICROENVIRONMENTAL LANDSCAPE IN GBM PROGRESSION AND THERAPY RESISTANCE

9:00 - 10:30

## Cell and Molecular Biology J PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 34

#### 9:00 - 9:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Lamia Akbar - University of Toronto

AN EXPLORATION OF EPIGENETIC EFFECTS IN DUTCH AND BANGLADESHI HISTORICAL FAMINE POPULATIONS: A LITERATURE REVIEW

#### 9:15 - 9:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Shahnawaz Butt - Laurentian University

FROM MOUSE TO HUMAN: AN IMPERATIVE KEY TO UNLOCKING THE INTERACTION BETWEEN THE STB TOXIN AND AN INTESTINAL CELL SURFACE RECEPTOR

#### 9:30 - 9:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Cori Lau - University of Western Ontario

COMPARISON OF THE GENE EXPRESSION IN THP-1 CELLS INDUCED BY NORMAL, PRE-FIBROTIC AND DUPUYTREN'S DISEASE MYOFIBROBLASTS

#### 9:45 - 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Cancelled, break for 15 minutes

#### 10:00 - 10:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Daniel Olteanu - University of Western Ontario
INSIDE THE LUNGS OF CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE PATIENTS: A
METAGENOMIC MICROBIAL RE-ANALYSIS

#### 10:15 - 10:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Nikita Thakkar – University of Western Ontario CHANGES IN BRAIN MORPHOLOGY AND MICROGLIAL ACTIVATION FOLLOWING MATERNAL IMMUNE ACTIVATION

9:00 - 10:30

## Cell and Molecular Biology K PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 36

#### 9:00 - 9:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Amritpal Garha

University of Western Ontario

ROLE OF O-GLCNACYLATION IN EXTRAEMBRYONIC ENDODERMAL DIFFERENTIATION OF THE F9 MOUSE CELL LINE

#### 9:15 – 9:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Marco Herrera - University of Western Ontario INVESTIGATING THE ROLE OF P66SHC IN OXIDATIVE STRESS SENSITIVITY IN AB-RESISTANT PC12 CELLS

#### 9:30 – 9:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Melissa Huestis - Ryerson University

INVESTIGATING THE INTERPLAY BETWEEN AMP-ACTIVATED PROTEIN KINASE, P38 MAPK AND O-LINKED B- N-ACETYLGLUCOSAMINE IN RESPONSE TO CELL STRESS

#### 9:45 - 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Vanessa Montemurri - University of Windsor
THE ROLE OF G9A AND PUMILIO ON THERMAL NOCICEPTION

#### 10:00 - 10:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Naomi Mishan - University of Western Ontario THE CYTOPLASMIC DOMAIN OF MT1-MMP ASSISTS IN THE REGULATION OF AEROBIC GLYCOLYSIS

#### 10:15 - 10:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Jordan VanderBurgt - University of Western Ontario
IDENTIFYING THE CINNAMATE 4-HYDROXYLASE ENZYME FAMILY IN SOYBEAN AND
DETERMINING THEIR SUBCELLULAR LOCALIZATION IN *NICOTIANA BENTHAMIANA* 

9:00 - 10:30

## Physiology and Biochemistry D PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 148

#### 9:00 - 9:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 148

Peter Denezis - University of Western Ontario DOES PARKIN REGULATE MITOCHONDRIAL DEGRADATION AND METABOLIC SUPPRESSION IN DIAPAUSING COLORADO POTATO BEETLES?

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Michael Dunphy - Wilfrid Laurier University
THE EFFECTS OF TEMPERATURE ON ANOXIA-INDUCED BRAIN SWELLING IN GOLDFISH
(CARASSIUS AURATUS)

#### 9:30 - 9:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 148

Michel Grossauer - Laurentian University
2. University of Massachusetts Boston
BRAIN SIZE IN BRACHYHYPOPOMUS OCCIDENTALIS FROM PANAMA

#### 9:45 - 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 148

Sydney Neufeld - University of Western Ontario
CAPACITY FOR PLASTICITY OF CARDIAC PERFORMANCE IN ATLANTIC SALMON PARR, SALMO
SALAR

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Adam Smith - University of Western Ontario METABOLIC COSTS OF FREEZING AND RECOVERY IN THE SPRING FIELD CRICKET, GRYLLUS VELETIS

#### 10:15 - 10:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 148

Rachel Wise - University of Western Ontario
THE EFFECT OF ELEVATED REARING TEMPERATURE ON GILL MORPHOLOGY IN JUVENILE
ATLANTIC SALMON (SALMO SALAR)

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## Physiology and Biochemistry E PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 106

#### 9:00 - 9:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Emma Barbu - University of Western Ontario
THE EFFECTS OF WESTERN DIET IN UTERO AND POSTNATALLY ON HEPATIC MITOCHONDRIAL
FUNCTION IN GUINEA PIGS

#### 9:15 - 9:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Melanie Denomme - University of Western Ontario CAN BIRDS CARB LOAD? USING STABLE ISOTOPES TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTS OF DIET ON PREFERENTIAL FUEL USE IN THE YELLOW-RUMPED WARBLER (*SETOPHAGA CORONATA CORONATA*)

#### 9:30 - 9:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Dominique Gatti - University of Windsor ALARM CUE STIMULATION OF GILL PORE PAPPILLAR CHEMOSENSORY RESPONSES IN THE ADULT SEA LAMPREY (*PETROMYZON MARINUS*)

#### 9:45 – 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Spencer Matt - University of Western Ontario
UPTAKE AND TRANSLOCATION OF CADMIUM IN SOYBEAN (*GLYCINE MAX*) IN RESPONSE TO
SULFUR ADDITION

#### 10:00 - 10:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Dana Nguyen - University of Western Ontario EFFECT OF DIET MANIPULATION AND WING MORPHOLOGY ON BURST FLIGHT PERFORMANCE IN YELLOW-RUMPED WARBLERS (*SETOPHAGA CORONATA CORONATA*)

#### 10:15 – 10:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Alyssa Stephens - University of Windsor STUDYING THE IMPACT OF PHOTOPERIOD AND FEEDING TIME ON CIRCADIAN RHYTHMS IN CHINOOK SALMON

9:00 - 10:30

## Physiology and Biochemistry F PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 150

#### 9:00 – 9:15, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, P&A 150

Saloni Aggarwal - University of Western Ontario
THE ROLE OF ENHANCER OF ZESTE HOMOLOG 2 (EZH2) IN REGENERATION OF ADULT ACINAR
CELLS FOLLOWING CERULEIN-INDUCED PANCREATITIS IN MICE

#### 9:15 – 9:30, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, P&A 150

Lauren Culmone - University of Windsor
UBISOL-Q10 (A NANOMICELLAR WATER-SOLUBLE FORMULATION OF COQ10)
SUPPLEMENTATION REDUCES BEHAVIOURAL AND PATHOLOGICAL SYMPTOMS IN DOUBLE
TRANSGENIC MOUSE MODELS OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

#### 9:30 – 9:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 150

Benjamin Scaria - University of Windsor

EVALUATING THE EFFICACY OF ETHANOLIC LEMONGRASS EXTRACT (CITRATUS CYMPBOPOGON) IN TREATMENT OF COLON CANCER AND DRUG-DRUG INTERACTIONS OF LEMONGRASS EXTRACT AND CHEMOTHERAPEUTICS FOR TREATMENT OF COLON CANCER

#### 9:45 – 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 150

Iryna Shchybyvolok - Ryerson University
THE POTENTIAL FOR DNA DAMAGE EFFECTS IN HIV ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY

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## Science Education A PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 117

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Sandy Chau and/or Haya Habib? - University of Toronto
HOW FEAR OF FAILURE AFFECTS STUDENTS' ATTITUDE TOWARDS LEARNING

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Ahmed Akhlaq and/or Hasnaan Katal? - University of Toronto DEVELOPING CAREER RESOURCES FOR BIOLOGY UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

#### 9:30 - 9:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Nicole Pereira - Ryerson University EFFECTIVENESS OF VIDEOS USED AS A PEDAGOGICAL TOOL TO TEACH BASIC LABORATORY STATISTICS

#### 9:45 - 10:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Gavin Ridgeway - Ryerson University
INCORPORATING VIDEOS AS A PEDAGAGICAL TOOL IN UNDERGRADUATE BIOLOGY
LABORATORIES

#### 10:00 - 10:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Shiza Shaikh - University of Toronto

CAN FIRST YEAR NON-MAJOR BIOLOGY STUDENTS ACCURATELY PREDICT THEIR ABILITY TO APPLY THE SCIENTIFIC METHOD? EXPLORING THE CORRELATION BETWEEN METACOGNITION AND DISCIPLINE-BASED LEARNING.

#### 10:15 - 10:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Jaiden Tu - University of Western Ontario

STUDENTS' PERCEPTIONS OF THE PEER REVIEW PROCESS IN ACADEMIC WRITING IN A SECOND-YEAR UNDERGRADUATE SCIENCE COURSE

11:00 - 12:00

### Cell and Molecular Biology L BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0153

#### 11:00 - 11:15, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0153

Liam Brown - University of Western Ontario
CHASING THE NEUROLIGINS: QUANTIFICATION OF LOW COPY TRANSCRIPTS IN *DROSOPHILA MELANOGASTER* 

#### 11:15 – 11:30, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 0153

Anuj Kaushal - University of Toronto DETERMINING GENETIC INTERACTIONS WITH NSF IN *DROSOPHILA MELANOGASTER* 

#### 11:30 – 11:45, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0153

Sara Kulinski - University of Western Ontario
THE ROLE OF FRUITLESS P3 AND P4 TRANSCRIPTS IN *DROSOPHILA MELANOGASTER* 

#### 11:45 – 12:00, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0153

Megan Stewart - University of Western Ontario DETERMINING THE ROLE OF DOPAMINERGIC FRUITLESS NEURONS ON THE SOCIAL SPACE OF DROSOPHILA MELANOGASTER

11:00 - 12:00

## Ecology and Evolution K BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 0165

#### 11:00 – 11:15, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0165

Natasha Sacka – McMaster University EXPLORING COMPETING THEORIES OF THE ORIGINS OF THE GENETIC CODE THROUGH STATISTICAL ANALYSIS

#### 11:15 – 11:30, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 0165

Andrew Crozier - University of Toronto
PROBLEM-SOLVING IN BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEES, *POECILE ATRICAPILLUS*, ACROSS AN
URBANIZATION GRADIENT ALONG THE CREDIT RIVER OF MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO

#### 11:30 – 11:45, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 0165

Nanxi Huang - University of Western Ontario SEX-SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE OF AN ALLOCENTRIC SPATIAL MEMORY TASK IN BROWN-HEADED COWBIRDS

#### 11:45 - 12:00, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 0165

Dariusz Wojtaszek - University of Western Ontario
IDENTIFYING SITES OF PRODUCTION OF WATERFOWL HUNTED IN THE GREAT LAKES REGION,
USING STABLE HYDROGEN ISOTOPES

11:00 - 12:00

## Ecology and Evolution L BIOLOGICAL & GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES BUILDING, RM 1056

#### 11:00 – 11:15, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, B&GS 1056

Haylee Begin-Dyck - University of Windsor HABITAT, SEASON, AND VOCAL BEHAVIOUR OF NOCTURNAL BIRDS IN A NEOTROPICAL DRY FOREST

#### 11:15 - 11:30, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Brighten Ching - Wilfrid Laurier University
MODELLING SONG ASSIMILATION AND TRANSMISSION IN WHITE-THROATED SPARROWS
(ZONOTRICHIA ALBICOLLIS)

#### 11:30 - 11:45, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Charlotte Kruger - University of Western Ontario
THE EFFECTS OF PHOTOPERIOD AND TEMPERATURE ON REPRODUCTIVE READINESS IN BLACKCAPPED CHICKADEES (*POECILE ATRICAPILLUS*)

#### 11:45 – 12:00, Sunday, March 24th, B&GS 1056

Rebecca Whiley - University of Western Ontario CARRY-OVER EFFECTS OF CHRONIC STRESS AND ENVIRONMENTALLY RELEVANT MERCURY EXPOSURE ON MIGRATORY BEHAVIOUR IN SONG SPARROWS, *MELOSPIZA MELODIA* 

11:00 - 12:00

## Ecology and Evolution M PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 34

#### 11:00 – 11:15, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, P&A 34

Jona Gjevori - University of Toronto POTENTIAL EVIDENCE SUPPORTING *HALICTUS CONFUSUS* AS AN OBLIGATELY SOCIAL SPECIES FOUND AT ITS NORTHERNMOST RANGE IN ALBERTA

#### 11:15 - 11:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Tanya Irani - Wilfrid Laurier University

DETERMINING SPECIES LEVEL COMPLIANCE IN COMPLETE GENOMES OF *E.COLI* 

#### 11:30 – 11:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 34

Emily Purvis - University of Western Ontario DON'T BE A BUZZ KILL: AGRICULTURAL FIELD MARGINS AS BUMBLEBEE HABITAT

#### 11:45 - 12:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Breanna Pyott - Laurentian University
HOW ARE CANADIAN ZOOS AND AQUARIUMS CONTRIBUTING TO PEER-REVIEWED LITERATURE?

11:00 - 12:00

## Cell and Molecular Biology M PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 36

#### 11:00 - 11:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Maverick Aradanas - Ryerson University CONSTRUCTING PLASMID MAPS USING DNA SEQUENCE DATA FROM WILD-TYPE CULTURES ISOLATED FROM WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS

#### 11:15 - 11:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Alycia Crooks - University of Western Ontario
CERTAIN GENE REGIONS OF THE HUMAN GENOME HAVE A DISTINCT SEQUENCE COMPOSITION

#### 11:30 - 11:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Donovan McDonald - University of Western Ontario NOVEL BIOINFORMATICS APPROACH TO EXAMINE THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN HETEROZYGOSITY AND NEW DELETIONS AND DUPLICATIONS

#### 11:45 – 12:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 36

Mary Anne Panoyan - Laurentian University CHARACTERIZATION OF SPECIES – DIAGNOSTIC ISSR AND SCAR DNA MARKERS DIFFERENTIATING RED MAPLE (*ACER RUBRUM*) AND SILVER MAPLE (*A. SACCHARINUM*)

11:00 - 12:00

## Physiology and Biochemistry G PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 148

#### 11:00 - 11:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 148

Andrew Bell - University of Western Ontario
INVESTIGATING THE ROLE OF NAD SYNTHETASE 1 IN EARLY XENOPUS LAEVIS DEVELOPMENT

#### 11:15 - 11:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 148

Abdulrahman Hamdoon - University of Windsor ELECTROPORATION OF CELLS IN THE PERIPHERAL OLFACTORY ORGAN IN *PETROMYZON MARINUS* 

#### 11:30 - 11:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 148

Agatha Tymczak - University of Toronto Mississauga SPECTROSCOPIC CHARACTERIZATION THE REGULATORY REGION OF YEAST CADMIUM FACTOR 1

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## Physiology, Behaviour and Science Education O PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 106

#### 11:00 - 11:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Caroline Luszawski – University of Western Ontario
IF YOU GIVE A RAT AN IPAD: OPTIMIZATION OF A MULTIMODAL TEMPORAL ORDER JUDGEMENT
TASK USING TOUCHSCREENS

#### 11:15-11:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Alina Tsimbaliouk - Ryerson University
BEEF FROM GRASS-FED CATTLE CONTAINS A HIGHER CONTENT OF ALPHA-LINOLENIC ACID (ALA),
AND CONSEQUENTLY A HIGHER RATIO OF OMEGA-3: OMEGA-6 FATTY ACIDS, THAN BEEF FROM
GRAIN-FED CATTLE

#### 11:30 - 11:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Princess Vergara - University of Windsor BEHAVIOURAL ANALYSIS OF SEA LAMPREY (*PETROMYZON MARINUS*) UPON EXPOSURE TO DEAD TROUT WATER

#### 11:45 - 11:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 106

Parmveer Mundi - University of Western Ontario
IS THERE A GENDER ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN INTRODUCTORY SCIENCE COURSES AT WESTERN?

11:00 - 12:00

## Physiology and Biochemistry H PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 150

#### 11:00 – 11:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 150

Maryum Chaudhry - University of Windsor ROLE OF FRAGILE X MENTAL RETARDATION PROTEIN IN DROSOPHILA COURTSHIP CONDITIONING

#### 11:15 – 11:30, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, P&A 150

Fu-Tsuen Lee - University of Toronto
USING FEV1/FVC AS A PREDICTOR TO SKIP EARLY DOSES IN METHACHOLINE CHALLENGE

#### 11:30 – 11:45, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, P&A 150

Mickenzie Martin - University of Western Ontario LOSS OF ACTIVATING TRANSCRIPTION FACTOR 3 REDUCES THE SEVERITY OF INDUCED CHRONIC PANCREATITIS IN MICE

#### 11:45 – 12:00, Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, P&A 150

Mark Zaidi - Ryerson University USE OF IMAGE ANALYSIS TO QUANTIFY HYPOXIA AND PROLIFERATION RELATIVE TO VESSEL DISTANCE

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## Ecology and Evolution N PHYSICS & ASTRONOMY BUILDING, RM 117

#### 11:00 - 11:15, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Jen Baron - University of Western Ontario SECONDARY INVASION? INTERACTING EFFECTS OF THE EMERALD ASH BORER (*AGRILUS PLANIPENNIS*) AND ECOLOGICAL INTEGRITY ON INVASIVE SHRUB ESTABLISHMENT

#### 11:15 - 11:30, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Lindsay Daly - University of Western Ontario TIMING AND FREQUENCY OF AVIAN PREDATION ON GOLDENROD GALL FLIES (*EUROSTA SOLIDAGINIS*)

#### 11:30 - 11:45, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Jordan deBoer - McMaster University MODELLING INVASIVE *PHRAGMITES* BIOMASS AND LIVE:DEAD SHOOT RATIO USING WORLDVIEW-3.

#### 11:45 - 12:00, Sunday, March 24th, P&A 117

Emilie Mikhail - University of Windsor MATERNAL STRESS EXPOSURE AND CLIMATE CHANGE EFFECTS ON SOCIAL BEHAVIOURS IN CHINOOK SALMON FRY