

Yale Department of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry
Seminar Program - Fall 2022 and Spring 2023

Central Campus

Bass 305: Bass Center for Molecular and Structural Biology at 266 Whitney Ave

Marsh Hall: Yale Science Building at 260 Whitney Ave

Medical School Campus

Brady Auditorium: Brady Building at 310 Cedar Street

Hope 110: Hope Memorial Building at 315 Cedar Street

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Zoom Link: <https://yale.zoom.us/j/95769534455>

Tuesday, September 6

Name	Poul Nissen
Department	Molecular Biology and Genetics - Neurobiology
University	Aarhus University, Denmark
Seminar Title	“Structure and regulation of membrane transporters”
Website	https://pure.au.dk/portal/en/persons/poul-nissen(f7a1f833-0117-497e-b031-37354c4a1fb2).html
Host	Yong Xiong
Time & Location	10 am in Brady Auditorium

Monday, September 19

Name	Carrie Partch
Department	Chemistry and Biochemistry
University	University of California Santa Cruz
Seminar Title	“Morning larks and night owls shed light on human circadian timekeeping”
Website	https://www.partchlab.com/people
Host	Sara Gelles-Watnick (Grad Student)
Time & Location	Via Zoom: https://yale.zoom.us/j/95769534455

Monday, September 26

Name	Wendy Gilbert
Department	Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry
University	Yale University
Seminar Title	“Dance with mRNA”
Website	https://medicine.yale.edu/profile/wendy_gilbert
Host	Enrique De La Cruz
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

Monday, October 3

Name	Mandy Muller
Department	Microbiology
University	University of Massachusetts Amherst
Seminar Title	“Going against the tide: a novel RNA element protects against viral-induced RNA decay”
Website	https://www.micro.umass.edu/faculty-and-research/mandy-muller
Host	Allison Didychuk
Time & Location	4 pm in Bass 305

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Wednesday, October 5

Name	Patrick Cramer (Richards Lecture)
Department	Molecular Biology
University	Max Planck Institute for Multidisciplinary Sciences
Seminar Title	"Transcription of the genome"
Website	https://www.mpinat.mpg.de/cramer
Host	Joan Steitz
Time & Location	3 pm in YSB Marsh Hall Auditorium

Monday, October 17

Name	Dylan J. Taatjes
Department	Biochemistry
University	University of Colorado
Seminar Title	"Understanding transcription regulation through transcriptomics and biochemical reconstitution"
Website	https://www.colorado.edu/biochemistry/dylan-taatjes
Host	Karla Neugebauer
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

Monday, October 31

Name	Eric Westhof (Steitz Lecture)
Department	Molecular and Cellular Biology
University	University of Strasbourg
Seminar Title	"RNA modifications and decoding"
Website	https://eric-westhof.ibmc.cnrs.fr
Host	Dieter Söll
Time & Location	4 pm in Marsh Hall

Monday, November 14

Name	Kirill Martemyanov
Department	Neuroscience
University	UF Scripps
Seminar Title	"Terra Incognita of Neuronal GPCR Signaling"
Website	https://scripps.ufl.edu/profile/martemyanov-kirill
Host	Michael Koelle
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

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Monday, November 28

Name	Eli Rothenberg
Department	Biochemistry and Molecular Pharmacology
University	NYU
Seminar Title	"PARP Inhibitors: Mechanisms of Action and Cancer Treatment Paradigms"
Website	https://med.nyu.edu/faculty/eli-rothenberg
Host	David Schatz
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

Monday, December 5

Name	Eva Nogales (Sigler Lecture)
Department	Biochemistry, Biophysics, and Structural Biology
University	UC Berkely
Seminar Title	"Molecular mechanisms in the regulation of the gene silencer PRC2"
Website	https://vcresearch.berkeley.edu/faculty/eva-nogales
Host	Tony Koleske
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

Monday, January 9

Name	Ben Prosser
Department	Physiology
University	University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	https://hosting.med.upenn.edu/prosserlab/people/benjamin-l-prosser-ph-d
Host	Enrique De La Cruz
Time & Location	4 pm in Bass 305

Monday, January 23

Name	Kathy Fange Liu
Department	Biochemistry and Biophysics
University	University of Pennsylvania
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	https://www.med.upenn.edu/apps/faculty/index.php/g275/p9023995
Host	Susan Baserga
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

Monday, February 6

Name	Yunsun Nam
Department	Biochemistry & Biophysics
University	UT Southwestern Medical Center (UTSW)
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	https://profiles.utsouthwestern.edu/profile/137693/yunsun-nam.html
Host	Wendy Gilbert
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

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Monday, March 27

Name	James Hudspeth
Department	Laboratory of Sensory Neuroscience
University	Rockefeller University
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	https://www.rockefeller.edu/our-scientists/heads-of-laboratories/1186-a-james-hudspeth/
Host	Joe Howard
Time & Location	4 pm in Bass 305

Monday, April 3

Name	Iain Cheeseman
Department	Biology
University	MIT
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	https://biology.mit.edu/profile/iain-m-cheeseman/
Host	Elizabeth Black (Grad Student)
Time & Location	4 pm in Bass 305

Monday, April 10

Name	Thomas Boothby
Department	Molecular Biology
University	University of Wyoming
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	http://www.uwyo.edu/molecbio/faculty-and-staff/thomas-boothby.html
Host	Karla Neugebauer
Time & Location	4 pm in Hope 110

Monday, April 24

Name	Wes Sundquist
Department	Biochemistry
University	University of Utah
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	https://faculty.utah.edu/u0030372-WES_SUNDQUIST/hm/index.html
Host	Yong Xiong
Time & Location	4 pm in Bass 305

Monday, May 1

Name	Andrea Musacchio
Department	Mechanistic Cell Biology
University	Max Planck Institute of Molecular Physiology
Seminar Title	TBD
Website	https://www.mpi-dortmund.mpg.de/research-groups/musacchio
Host	Joe Howard
Time & Location	4 pm in Bass 305