

Ecology and Evolution, School of Natural Sciences
Seminar Series 2010-11
Friday 2pm, Botany Lecture Theatre

| Date | Speaker | Affiliation | Title |
|------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|
| 08-Oct | Prof Bob McMahon | Department of Biology, The University of Texas at Arlington | Adaptation to periodic emersion in intertidal gastropods: implications for the evolution of terrestriality |
| 15-Oct | Dr Heather Whitney | School of Biological Sciences, University of Bristol | Invisible patterns: novel cues produced by flowers for pollinators |
| 22-Oct | Dr Bridget O'Neill | School of Natural Sciences, TCD | Indirect effects of elevated carbon dioxide on members of three herbivorous feeding guilds on soybean, <i>Glycine max</i> |
| 29-Oct | Dr Tom Wilkinson | School of Biology and Environmental Sciences, UCD | Aphid-plant interactions |
| 05-Nov | Dr Conor Meade, Maynooth | Department of Biology, NUI Maynooth | Biogeography of Ireland's Arctic-alpine Caryophyllaceae |
| 12-Nov | Dr Kevin Lafferty | Western Ecological Research Center, UC Santa Barbara | Parasites and food webs |
| 19-Nov | Prof Dan Bradley | School of Genetics and Microbiology, TCD | Adventures in Ancient DNA |
| 26-Nov | Dr Roosa Liemu | Department of Plant Sciences, University of Oxford | Evolution of plant-herbivore interactions in fragmented landscapes |
| 03-Dec | Dr Tas Crowe | School of Biology and Environmental Sciences, UCD | Biodiversity and the functioning of marine ecosystems |
| 10-Dec | Prof Jens Olesen | Department of Biological Sciences, Aarhus University | Spatio-temporal network dynamics |
| 17-Dec | Dr Nicola Marples | School of Natural Sciences, TCD | Biogeography on Sulwaesi islands: a second Galapagos? |
| CHRISTMAS BREAK | | | |
| 28-Jan | Dr Mike Speed | School of Biological Sciences, University of Liverpool | Honesty and cheating in chemically defended insects |
| 04-Feb | Dr Steve Waldren | School of Natural Sciences, TCD | Wildlife conservation and ecological management at Welgevonden Game Reserve, South Africa |
| 11-Feb | Dr David Bourke | School of Natural Sciences, TCD | Species distribution modelling - a conservation tool for tackling environmental change |
| 18-Feb | Dr Mark Brown | Royal Holloway, University of London | The evolutionary ecology of multi-host parasites |
| 25-Feb | Dr Patrick Wyse Jackson | School of Natural Sciences, TCD | Bryozoans as cool-water biological palaeoclimate indicators |
| 04-Mar | READING WEEK | | |
| 11-Mar | Prof Mike Siva Jothy | Dept of Animal & Plant Sciences, University of Sheffield | TBC |
| 18-Mar | Prof Mark Johnson | The Martin Ryan Marine Science Institute, NUI Galway | Marine biodiversity: linking regional and local patterns |
| 25-Mar | Prof Pete Coxon | School of Natural Sciences, TCD | Reconstructing the palaeoenvironment of Palaeolithic archaeological sites: a case study |
| 01-Apr | Dr John Finn | Teagasc, Johnstown Castle | Biodiversity and ecosystem function: is evenness more important than richness? |
| 08-Apr | Dr Geraldine Wright | School of Biology, University of Sheffield | TBC |