

Entomology Seminar Spring 2026

Every Fridays at 2:30 p.m. in Waters Hall 231 unless noted otherwise. Zoom information is sent via seminar announcement, and the recordings are available upon request. For most up to date seminar schedule, visit entomology.ksu.edu/seminar

Spring 2026 Seminar Schedule

Date	Speaker	Title
	Kiffnie Holt	
30-Jan	Insect Zoo Coordinator, Department of Entomology, Kansas State University	K-State Insect Zoo Update
	Aaron Harries	
6-Feb	Vice President, Research and Operations, Kansas Wheat Commission	Kansas Wheat: Their Story
	Christos Athanassiu	
13-Feb	Research Professor, Department of Entomology, Kansas State University	Insects as Food and Feed
	Larry Buschman	
20-Feb	Firefly Expert and Former Professor, Department of Entomology, Kansas State University	A lifetime of lightning bug observations
	Lilly Conteh	
27-Feb	DVM/PhD Dual Degree Student, College of Veterinary Medicine, Michigan State University	Research Proposal
	Lydia M. Nicholson	
6-Mar	Educational Design Technician, Perennial Cultures Lab, The Land Institute	Education Design at the Land Institute

13-Mar **Spring Break** from 9-15 March!

NO SEMINAR!

Justin Talley

20-Mar Professor and Department Head, Entomology and Plant Pathology, Oklahoma State University

Distinguished Alum Award Seminar

Jiwoo Jung – M.S. Proposal Seminar

27-Mar Graduate Student (M.S.), Department of Entomology, Kansas State University

An Atlas of Midgut Cells of the Red Flour Beetle at the Single-Cell Level

May Berenbaum

3-Apr Head and Professor, Entomology; Swanlund Endowed Chair; Director, Center for Advanced Study, Department of Entomology, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Popenoe Invited Speaker

Mary Gardiner

10-Apr Professor of Entomology, Professor of Entomology, Ohio State University

Ted Hopkins Distinguished Colloquium Speaker Seminar

ESA Practice

17-Apr Students may email ENTOM--Seminar@KSUemailProd.onmicrosoft.com to sign up for practice.
The North Central Branch Meeting is April 19-22.

Come support students who are practicing for the regional meeting.

Amaya Hawkins – M.S. Proposal Seminar

24-Apr Graduate Student (M.S.), Department of Entomology, Kansas State University

Research Proposal

Junepyo Oh

1-May Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Entomology, Kansas State University

Research at Texas A&M University

Emily Sur – M.S. Proposal Seminar

8-May Graduate Student (M.S.), Department of Entomology, Kansas State University

Research Proposal