

# Reproductive & Perinatal Biology Seminar Series

## Fall 2008

Wednesday 4-5 PM

D.H. Barron Conference Room  
Medical Sciences Building M-304

- September 10: Lannette Edwards, PhD; Associate Professor, Department of Animal Sciences University of Tennessee.  
The Birds and the Bees? Not Anymore! Possibilities, Problems and Concerns with Cloning Adult Animals and Humans
- September 17: Heather Hamlin, PhD; Post Doctoral Associate, Department of Zoology  
Siberian Sturgeon, Nitrates and Steroidogenesis: Are Aquatic Animals Sentinels of an Emerging Health Concern?
- September 24: Scott Grieshaber, PhD; Assistant Professor, Department of Oral Biology  
The Interaction of *C. trachomatis* with the Cytoskeleton
- October 1: Cliff Lamb, PhD; Associate Professor, North Florida Research and Educational Center.  
Estrous Synchronization with Human Chorionic Gonadotropin (hCG) in Beef Cows and Heifers.
- October 8: Alan Ealy, PhD. Associate Professor, Department of Animal Sciences.  
Functional Impacts of Fibroblast Growth Factors (FGFs) on Bovine Conceptus Development
- October 15: Sarah Fields, MS; Graduate Student, Department of Animal Sciences.  
Effects of an Injection of GnRH and Initiation of Standing Estrus on Initiation of LH Pulses, LH Release, and Subsequent Concentrations of Progesterone.
- October 22: Reinaldo F. Cooke, Graduate Student, Department of Animal Sciences.  
Effects of Disposition on Beef Cattle Reproduction.
- October 29: Jose E.P. Santos, DVM, PhD; Associate Professor, Department of Animal Sciences.  
Progesterone and the Ovulatory Follicle: Impacts on Embryo Quality and Fertility in Dairy Cows.
- November 5: Maureen Covelli, BSN, PhD; Associate Professor, College of Nursing, University of Central Florida.  
The Association of Low Birth Weight and Neuroendocrine Risk Factors of Hypertension in African Americans
- November 12: S. Ananth Karumanchi, MD; Associate Professor of Medicine, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center; Harvard Medical School. **[Donald H. Barron Lecturer]** Novel Therapeutic Approach for Preeclampsia
- November 19: Brandon Moore, Graduate Student; Department of Zoology.  
Post-Hatching Development of Alligator Gonads: Dynamic Morphologies and Gene Expression

November 26: Thanksgiving Holiday

December 3: Silvia Carambula, DVM, PhD; Post Doctoral Associate Department of Animal Sciences.  
The Gland that Gives Life Dies Through Programmed Cell Death – Apoptosis in the Corpus Luteum

December 10: Justin Fear, Graduate Student, Department of Animal Sciences.  
Yin and Yang of Apoptosis: Developmental Regulation of Apoptosis