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Two Weeks Notice



THIS WEEK

September 29

4:10 PM - NSRIC 1131
Agronomy Seminar

Long-term Cropping Systems Research at UC-Davis: Coordinating Multidisciplinary Research

Presenter: **Kate Scow**,
University of California–Davis

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7:00 PM - NSRIC 1131

Film Screening

Symphony of Soil

Presenter: **Deborah Koons Garcia**, Filmmaker

September 30

8:00 PM - Great Hall, Memorial Union

Pesek-Pierre Colloquium on Agricultural Sustainability and Soil Science

Communicating Science through Stories in Film: A Dialogue about Agricultural Sustainability and Soil

Presenters: **Deborah Koons Garcia**, Filmmaker;
Kate Scow, UC-Davis

October 1

10:00 AM - Commons

Departmental Cookie Social

7:00 PM - Sun Room, MU

Sustainable Agriculture Colloquium

Rural Life, Rural Iowa, and the Making of American Character

Presenter: **Claude Fischer**,
University of California–Berkeley

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NEXT WEEK

October 8

10:00 AM - Commons
Departmental Cookie Social

3:10 PM - 2020 Agronomy Hall
Sustainable Agriculture Colloquium
TBA

Presenter: **Matt Russell**,
State Food Policy Project Coordinator,
Drake University Agricultural Law Center;
Owner, Coyote Run Farm

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October 9

4:10 PM - 2050 Agronomy Hall
Agronomy Seminar

Evolution of Crop Insurance from Insurance to Social Welfare Program

Presenter: **Bruce Babcock**,
Department of Economics, Iowa State University

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Agronomy Blotter

Happy to you...

Happy Birthday:

- October 1 -
Madan Bhattacharyya
Professor

“Public speaking is the art of diluting a two-minute idea with a two-hour vocabulary.”
— Evan Esar

Pesek–Pierre Colloquium Sept 30; Seminar, Film Sept. 29

The Pesek Colloquium on Sustainable Agriculture, the Pierre Soil Science Lecture, and the Science Communication Project at ISU will be collaborating to explore the craft and discipline of science communication – with a focus on sustainable agriculture and soil science.

The main event of the Colloquium is *Telling the Stories of Agricultural Sustainability in Film: A Dialogue with Deborah Koons Garcia & Kate Scow*. This event will be held on September 30, 2014 in the Great Hall of the Memorial Union.

Pesek–Pierre Colloquium

Location: Great Hall, Memorial Union
Communicating Science through Stories in Film: A Dialogue about Agricultural Sustainability and Soil

Presenters: Deborah Koons Garcia &
Kate Scow

Tuesday, September 30, 2014 at 8:00 PM

Agronomy Seminar

On Monday, September 29, Dr. Scow will be speaking in a special Agronomy Department seminar, “Long-term cropping systems research at UC-Davis: Coordinating multidisciplinary research.” The seminar will be at 4:10 PM in 1131 NSRIC.

Film Screening

Also on Monday, September 29, there will be a screening of Ms. Garcia’s 2012 film, *Symphony of the Soil*, at 7:30 PM, in 1131 National Swine Research and Information Center (NSRIC).