

Soil 500 Seminar Series
 Term 2 (Jan-Apr 2017)
 3:00-4:00 pm room 154 MacMillan

Month	Day	Speaker	Topic
January	6	Jilmarie Stephens, PhD student, supervisor Andy Black	Influence of tent tree caterpillar disturbance on carbon and water fluxes
	13	Acadia Tucker, MLWS 2015	Alternative water resources for small scale and urban agriculture
	20	Marieta Marin Bruzos, PhD student, supervisor Sue Grayston	Cuban agriculture
	27	Connor Fitzpatrick, PhD student, Biology, University of Toronto Mississauga	How plant variation and soil ecosystems reciprocally interact at different evolutionary scales
February	3	Dave Polster, MSc, RPBio, Polster Environmental Services	Reclamation and restoration in BC (field trip to UBC cliff reclamation site 2:00-3:00)
	10	Emma Avery, MSc student, supervisor Maja Krzic	Long-term impacts of biosolids application on soil quality and vegetation at the OK Ranch, Jesmond, BC
	17	Anthony Leung, MSc student, supervisors Suzanne Simard, Les Lavkulich	Mount Polley Mine: reviewing the regeneration, response and copper uptake of lodgepole pine and blue bunch wheatgrass in copper rich mine tailings
	24	Reading Week	
March	3	Marney Isaac, Environmental Science, University of Toronto, Scarborough	Plant-soil interactions: root functional traits in agroecosystems across a range of environmental and soil conditions
	10	Elana Evans, MSc student, supervisor Les Lavkulich	Metal Release from Mount Polley Mine Tailings
	17	Zineb Bazza, MSc student, supervisor Sean Smukler	High-throughput in-vessel compost and its effects on crop productivity and soil health
	24	Jason Lussier, MSc student, supervisor Maja Krzic	The Effects of Short-Term Grassland Set-asides on Soil Physical Properties and Organic Matter Dynamics
	31	End of term gathering	

*Last day of classes term 2 = Thursday April 6