UT SCIENCE FORUM
Fall 2013
Schedule of Speakers

Location: Thompson-Boling Arena: The Café in the Arena, Private Room C-D
Time: 12 noon to 1 p.m. on Fridays
Format: Eat and hear Guest Speaker. Bring your own lunch or purchase it at the Café. 40-minute presentation followed by Q&A discussion period

September 6
Dr. Neal Stewart
Professor, Racheff Chair of Excellence in Plant Molecular Genetics
“Scientific Misconduct: Is It Getting Worse?”

September 13
Amy Howard
Architect and Director of Development
and
James Rose
Architect and Adjunct Professor, Architecture and Design
“The UT Solar House – A Prototype for Zero-Energy Living”

September 20
Dr. Jill Mikucki
Assistant Professor of Microbiology
"Antarctica: Exploring Ecosystems Below Half a Mile of Ice"

September 27
Dr. Hap McSween
Chancellor’s Professor of Earth & Planetary Sciences
"Exploring the Asteroid Vesta: NASA’s Dawn Mission"

October 4
Dr. Stacy Clark
Research Forester, U.S. Forest Service
“American Chestnut Restoration: Can We Bring Back the Mighty Giant?”
CANCELLLED

October 11
Dr. Chad Duty
Group Leader, Deposition Science & Technology Group
Oak Ridge National Laboratory
"3D Printing: The Next Generation of Manufacturing"

October 18
NO MEETING – FALL BREAK

October 25
Kasey Krouse
Urban Forester, City of Knoxville
“Knoxville Urban Forestry – Year One”

November 1
Gerry Dinkins
Curator of Malacology & Natural History, McClung Museum
"Rediscovery of the Nearly Extinct Alabama Lampmussel in the Emory River"

November 8
Dr. Devin White
Senior Research Scientist, Geocomputation, Oak Ridge National Laboratory & Joint Faculty Assistant Professor of Anthropology, UT
“Archaeological Discoveries from Space”

November 15
Phil Colclough
Director of Animal Collections and Conservation Knoxville Zoological Gardens
"Eastern Hellbender Conservation and the New Role of Zoos”

November 22
Dr. Nathan Schmidt
Assistant Professor of Microbiology
“Infection with the Malaria Parasite: Malaria Is Only Half the Problem”

November 29
NO MEETING – THANKSGIVING

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