UT SCIENCE FORUM
Fall 2016
Schedule of Speakers

Location: Thompson-Boling Arena: 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 9
Dr. Stephanie Drumheller-Horton
Lecturer, Earth & Planetary Sciences
"The Arlington Archosaur Site: Discovering a Cretaceous Lost World"

September 16
Dr. Steve Skutnik
Assistant Professor of Nuclear Engineering
“Trash or Treasure? Options for Managing Spent Nuclear Fuel”

September 23
Dr. Terry C. Hazen
UT/ORNL Governor’s Chair Professor
Civil & Environmental Engineering
"Methane: The New Paradigm"

September 30
Dr. Jessica M. Budke
Asst Prof of Ecology & Evolutionary Biology; TENN Herbarium Director
“Biodiversity Collections: A Record of the Past; A Resource for the Future”

October 7
NO MEETING – FALL BREAK

October 14
Dr. Jay Clark
Instructor in Biology
Maryville College
“Bears in the Smokies”

October 21
Dr. Ronald Kalafsky
Professor of Geography
“High-Growth Firms – Where Are They?”

October 28
Dr. Robert A. Washington-Allen
Assistant Professor of Geography
“What Are Rangelands and What Is Happening to Them?”

November 4
Dr. Thomas Pappenbrock
Professor of Physics and Astronomy
“The Atomic Nucleus: The Core of Matter, the Fuel of Stars”

November 11
Paul Osborne
Owner, All Creatures Wildlife Services
“The Birthday Party Snake – When Humans and Wildlife Collide”

November 18
Dr. Daniela Corbetta
Professor of Psychology
“How Do Infants Learn to Reach for Objects?”

November 25
NO MEETING – THANKSGIVING

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