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Seminars are held in Conference Room 120 at the Food Science Building on Cook Campus at 11 a.m. (unless otherwise noted). Seminars run approximately 1 hour. Light refreshments are served.

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| Oct. 17, 2013 | Michael H. Alderman, M.D., Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY | Guidelines for Dietary Sodium after the Institute of Medicine (IOM) Report | Paul A.S. Breslin, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |
| Nov. 21, 2013 | Vikas Nanda, Associate Professor, Department of Biochem. & Molecular Biology CABM and UMDNJ – Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Rutgers | Molecular Origins of Shellfish Allergy - A Tale of Two Tropomyosins | Paul A.S. Breslin, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |
| Dec. 12, 2013 | Teresa M. Reyes, PhD, Research Assistant Professor, University of Pennsylvania, Perelman School of Medicine | High Fat Diet Affects Brain Development and Behavior: Importance of Critical Periods | Paul A.S. Breslin, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |
| Feb. 13, 2014 | CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER Leslie Leinwand, Ph.D., BioFrontiers Institute Molecular, Cellular & Developmental Biology, University of Colorado at Boulder | Redefining Snake Oil: Translating Python Biology to Cardiac Therapies | Paul A.S. Breslin, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey Go-sponsored by Rutgers Center for Lipid Research |
| Feb. 20, 2014 | Guoyao Wu, Ph.D. University Distinguished Professor, Texas AgriLife Senior Faculty Fellow, University Faculty Fellow, Department of Animal Science, Texas A&M University | Dietary requirements of synthesizable amino acids by animals: A new paradigm shift in protein nutrition | Malcolm Watford, D.Phil., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |

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| Feb. 27, 2014 | Erin R. Vogel, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology and Center for Human Evolutionary Studies, Graduate Program in Ecology and Evolution, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey | Orangutan Nutrition and Energetics in Response to Fluctuating Fruit Availability | Paul A.S. Breslin, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |
| March 27, 2014 | Susan K. Fried, Ph.D., Department of Medicine, Section Endocrinology, Diabetes and Nutrition, Boston University School of Medicine | Shades of White: Heterogeneity among adipose tissues and relationships to metabolic disease | Judy Storch, Ph.D. Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |
| April 3, 2014 12:30 pm in the Food Science Auditorium | Gary Taubes, NuSI - Nutrition Science Initiative, Author of <u>Why We Get Fat</u> and <u>Good Calories, Bad Calories</u> | Carbohydrates vs. Calories in Obesity & Metabolic Disorders: The History and Science of Competing Hypotheses | Paul A.S. Breslin, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |
| May 1, 2014 | Eldar Shafir, Ph.D., Department of Psychology, Princeton University | The Psychology of Scarcity | Paul A.S. Breslin, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |
| May 8, 2014 | Elizabeth Parks, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Nutrition and Exercise Physiology, Associate Director, Clinical Research Center, Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, School of Medicine, University of Missouri | Dietary Fat Absorption in Humans: Quantitation and New Questions | Joseph Dixon, Ph.D., Professor, Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey |

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