



School for Marine Science and Technology

Department of Fisheries Oceanography

Fall 2015 Seminar Series



Join us!

Seminars are free and open to the public.

When?

Wednesdays at 3:30pm

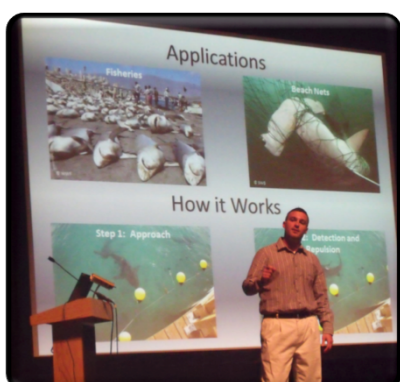
Where?

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2 September

Douglas Sigourney

NOAA Fisheries NEFSC

Developing species distribution models for large whales to inform marine spatial planning

9 September (joint DEOS/DFO, 12:30pm*)

James Bisagni

SMAST, UMass Dartmouth

Salinity variability along the eastern continental shelf of Canada and the United States, 1973-2013

*At New Bedford, will be broadcast to Fairhaven.

16 September (two short talks)

Judith Rosellon Druker

SMAST, UMass Dartmouth

Description of echinoderm populations on Georges Bank and the potential modifying role of Marine Protected Areas on these populations

Corey Eddy

Biology, UMass Dartmouth

The feeding ecology of invasive lionfish (*Pterois volitans* & *P. miles*) in Bermuda

23 September

Michael Bednarski

Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries

Responses of diadromous fishes to passage improvements in the Mill River, Taunton, Massachusetts

30 September

Jason McNamee

Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management

Creating tools for ecosystem management: Development of a multi-species statistical catch-at-age model for a mid-Atlantic species complex

7 October

Janet Nye

Stony Brook University

What can climate change tell us about ecological processes on the Northeast US shelf?

14 October

David Bethoney

SMAST, UMass Dartmouth

River herring bycatch characterization and avoidance in the Atlantic herring and mackerel fishery

21 October

Tracey Dalton

University of Rhode Island

Evaluating the social and ecological performance of MPAs in the Caribbean

28 October

John Walden

NOAA Fisheries NEFSC

Measuring capacity utilization in the New England groundfish fishery: How has it changed and what does it mean?

4 November

Jennifer Brewer

University of New Hampshire

Alternate futures for the New England groundfishery? Social learning, Accountability, and Polycentrism

18 November

Jamie Tam

NOAA Fisheries NEFSC

Thresholds of ecological indicators in multiple ecosystems: Determining reference points for ecosystem based management

2 December

Olaf Jensen

Rutgers University

Meta-analysis of marine fisheries using the RAM Legacy Stock Assessment Database

9 December

Pingguo He

SMAST, UMass Dartmouth

Selective fishing and balanced fishing: Where are we going from here?