

School of the Coast and Environment
Spring 2016 Seminar Series

Seminars are held in the Dalton Woods Auditorium in the Energy, Coast, and Environment Building
on Fridays from 11:30a.m. - 12:15p.m. Lunch follows in the adjacent conference room.

January 22: **John Logan** (Host: D'Elia)

Professor of Sociology and Director of S4 Initiative, Brown University

“Trapped in Place? Segmented Resilience to Hurricanes in the Gulf Coast, 1970-2005”

January 29: **Phil Culverhouse** (Host: Benfield)

Associate Professor, Plymouth University

“Imaging and analysing 2481 cubic metres of the Atlantic Ocean for mesoplankton - AMT cruise 21”

February 12: **Jun Xu** (Host: Kam-bui Lui)

Professor of Hydrology, Louisiana State University

“Episodicity and non-uniformity in flow and sediment transport – Implication for Mississippi River diversions.”

February 19: **Carlos Gaitan** (Host: Victor Rivera)

Research Scientist, University of Oklahoma, South Central Climate Science Center

"Using Earth System Models and regional data in environmental studies"

February 26: **James Syvitski** (Host: D'Elia/Bentley)

Executive Director, CSDMS, University of Colorado, Boulder

"The Anthropocene --- From Concept, to Geological Epoch, to 21st Century Science and Public Discourse"

March 4: **Nan Walker and Mr. Haag**

Associate Professor, Director, LSU EarthScan Laboratory

“The LSU Earth Scan Laboratory: A Tool for Research”

April 1: **Kelton McMahon** (Host: Polito)

Assistant Research Faculty, University of California, Santa Cruz

April 8: **Allyse Ferrara** (Host: Cowan/Nieland)

Professor of Biological Sciences, Nichols State

April 15: **Pam Hallock Muller** (Host: D'Elia)

Professor, University of South Florida

“Cenozoic Trends in Shallow-Water Carbonate Production: Insights from Chemistry, Climate and Biology”

April 22: **Dr. David Wells** (Host: Cowan)

Assistant Professor, Texas A&M University

“Ecology of pelagic fishes”