



Entomological Society of British Columbia

Annual General Meeting, October 16, 2015
Henry Grube Educational Centre, Kamloops, BC

8:15 – 8:50	REGISTRATION, COFFEE, TEA, SNACKS	
8:55 – 9:00	WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS	
9:00	Heather Coatsworth (PhD student), Paola Caicedo, Clara Ocampo, Carl Lowenberger SFU	Flipping Phenotype: Creating resistant <i>Aedes aegypti</i> to prevent dengue transmission
9:15	Paul MacDonald (MSc student), Judith Myers, Jenny Cory SFU, UBC	How climate and host behaviour influence nucleopolyhedrovirus infection dynamics in the western tent caterpillar
9:30	Tina Dancau (BSc student), Dave Gillespie, Peggy Clarke, Eleanor Stewart SFU, AAFC, UVic	Preliminary life table analysis on diamondback moth (<i>Plutella xylostella</i>) in B.C.
9:45	Michael Hrabar (PhD student), Huimin Zhai, Regine Gries, Robert Britton, Paul Schaefer, Gerhard Gries SFU	Sexual communication in <i>Xenos peckii</i> (Strepsiptera: Xenidae), a parasitoid of the paper wasp <i>Polistes fuscatus</i>
10:00	Amanda Chamberlain (MSc student) UBC-O	The spatial and temporal distribution of total drosophilids in a cherry orchard

10:15-10:45	COFFEE & SNACK BREAK	
10:45	Dan Peach (MSc student), Regine Gries, Huimin Zhai, Gerhard Gries SFU	Do multi-modal foraging cues attract mosquitoes (Diptera: Culicidae) to flowers?
11:00	Howard Thistlewood AAFC	Seasonal dynamics of spotted wing <i>Drosophila</i> , <i>Drosophila suzukii</i> (Diptera: Drosophilidae), on cherries and non-crop plants in British Columbia interior valleys, 2010-2014
11:15	Steve Perlman , Finn Hamilton UVic	Trypanosomatid parasites of <i>Drosophila</i>
11:30	Bob Lalonde , D. Bartkiewicz, Jordan Bannerman UBC-O	Population structure in <i>Diplolepis variabilis</i> : is <i>Wolbachia</i> present at low frequencies?
11:45 – 1:30	LUNCH (PROVIDED)	
1:30	Susanna Acheampong BCMA	Current insect pest issues in the Southern Interior of British Columbia
1:45	Tracy Hueppelsheuser BCMA	Balsam Woolly Adelgid, <i>Adelges piceae</i> : Slow But Deadly
2:00	Ward Strong MFLNRO	Host-tree selection by adult Spruce Budworm: adventures and misadventures
2:15	Dave Gillespie , Tina Dancau, Eleanor Stewart, Peggy Clarke AAFC	Development consequences for the diamondback moth (<i>Plutella xylostella</i>) in a warming world
2:30	Rob Higgins TRU	The European fire ant: an update on a growing issue
2:45 – 3:00	THANKS, WRAP-UP, SET UP FOR BUSINESS MEETING	
3:00	ESBC BUSINESS MEETING, including:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awards • Society Reports • New Business & Announcements • Elections 	
4:30-6:30	INSECT PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP	