

REU Seminar series, Monsanto Center 1st floor Lecture Room (Wednesdays, 12:00pm)

- 3 June **Robbie Hart** (MBG, Brown Center [recent PhD, UMSL])
"Flowers in space-time: ecological, evolutionary and ethnobotanical approaches to Himalayan Rhododendron phenology"
- 10 June **Rico Holdo** (U Missouri - Columbia)
<http://biology.missouri.edu/people/?person=130>
"Soil moisture partitioning and tree-grass interactions in South African savannas"
- 17 June **Quinn Long** (MBG, Center for Conservation & Sustainable Development)
"Invasive Species Ecology"
- 24 June **Allison Miller** (St. Louis U) (<http://millerlabatslu.weebly.com/>)
"Developments in the search for new perennial crops"
- 1 July **Jean Ponzi** (Missouri Botanical Garden/ EarthWays Center)
"Biodiversity: Rethinking Urban Life"
- 8 July **John Willman** (Washington U, Dept of Anthropology)
"Hunters and Gatherers: New Perspectives on plant use and consumption among Neanderthals and early modern humans."
- 15 July no seminar – visit to Danforth Plant Science Center
- 22 July **Leighton Reid** (MBG, Center for Conservation & Sustainable Development)
"Bat Natural History and Restoration Applications"
- 29 July **Wendy Applequist** (MBG, William L. Brown Center)
"Botanical Research for Human Health "