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| **Department of Plant Science, Advanced Plant Science Seminar Schedule Winter 2024** | **A close-up of a logo  Description automatically generated** |

Seminars will be held on **Thursdays at 3:00pm** in Room 218 Agriculture Building

**Coffee will be served at 2:30pm** in the Agriculture Atrium

\* Exception: Dr. Lily Tamburic-Ilincic’s seminar will be held virtually on Zoom (no coffee served or viewing in Rm 218)

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| Date |  | Presenter | Seminar Title |
| Jan 25 |  | **Dr. Mohamed Samir Youssef**, Research Associate, Department of Plant Science, University of Manitoba | **Developing canola restorer lines without negative agronomic traits associated with the *Rfo* introgression from radish** |
| Feb 8 \*  *virtual* |  | **Dr. Lily Tamburic-Ilincic**, Research Scientist, University of Guelph, Ridgetown Campus | **Breeding Canadian Eastern Soft Red Winter Wheat (CESRW), challenges and approaches for cultivar and germplasm development** |
|  | <https://umanitoba.zoom.us/j/69081328632?pwd=NUUyR2c2eFpxalVWaUo3cDAwdXYydz09> | |
| Feb 15 |  | **Dr. Sally Vail**, Research Scientist, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Saskatoon | **Topic: Canola breeding and genetics** |
| Mar 7 |  | **Dr. Nasem Badreldin**, Assistant Professor, Department of Soil Science, University of Manitoba | **Topic: Digital Agronomy** |
| Mar 14 |  | **Dr. Martin Entz**, Professor, Department of Plant Science, University of Manitoba | **Natural systems agriculture: what does this mean for Plant Agricultural Scientists** |
| Mar 21 |  | **Anne Kirk**, Cereal Specialist, Manitoba Agriculture, Carman | **Best management practices for spring wheat** |
| Mar 28 |  | **Dr. Xiben Wang**, Research Scientist, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Morden | **Fusarium head blight of oat in western Canada – *Fusarium* species complex, mycotoxins and disease resistance** |
| Apr 4 |  | **Pratisara Bajracharya**, Pesticide Minor Use and Regulatory Specialist, Manitoba Agriculture | **Topic: Minor Use Pesticide Program** |