16:765:609 Scientific Communication in Plant Biology (2 credits)

Normally Offered:
Fall Semester, yearly

Instructor:
Dr. Stacy Bonos/Dr. Tom Leustek

Pre-requisites and other registration restrictions:
Open to Graduate Students only

Format:
One 80-minute lecture and discussion period.

Description:
Development of communication skills needed by professionals in the field of Plant Biology through student oral and poster presentations and grant proposal writing

Grading
Grades will be based on class participation as well as your presentations and grant proposal. Students will (anonymously) critique each other. You are expected to attend all classes and to be an active participant in class. If not, your grade will reflect this. One third of your grade will be based on class participation and the other two-thirds will be based on your presentations and grant proposal.

Other requirements:
Each student is required to prepare and deliver a professional 30 minute oral seminar and poster presentation that will be advertised to the Plant Biology and Pathology Department and the general public. Each student will also be required to write a grant proposal.