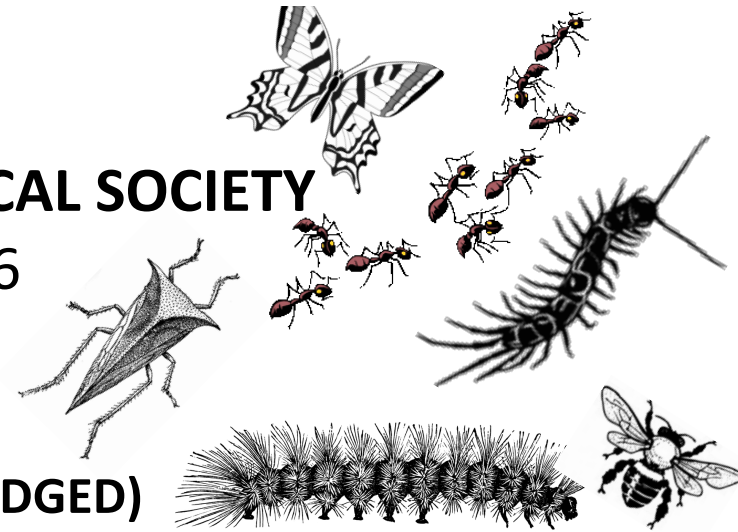


CONNECTICUT ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY

February 19TH, 2016

525TH MEETING



STUDENT COMPETITION (JUDGED)

10 MINUTE TALKS

Sabrina Couceiro

Eastern Connecticut State University, undergraduate
Phylogeography of the California Dune Scorpion, *Smeringurus mesaensis*

Ronald Kaiser

Eastern Connecticut State University, undergraduate
Scorpion Venom: The Yin and Yang of Toxin Application to N2a cells

Matthew Nochisaki

High school student
The morphology and ecology of Mantodea

5 MINUTE TALKS

Miranda Squillace

University of Connecticut, undergraduate
Identifying the defense mechanisms of lacewings as it relates to ant predation

Ben Gagliardi

University of Connecticut, graduate student
Secrets of the canopy: non-nectar feeding and false rarity of hairstreak butterflies

Joe DeSisto

University of Connecticut, undergraduate
Appalachian Adventures with Centipedes

Rebecca Beilinson

Yale University, undergraduate
Developing Species Distribution Models for North American Dragonflies