### Seminar Series | Fall 2016

**Location:** Public Health Research Center, Auditorium Room 107  
**Time:** 3:30pm - 4:30pm (unless otherwise noted)

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<td>Aug. 19</td>
<td>Overview of the Exercise Science Department Research: Lab Tours</td>
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| Aug. 26    | The relationship between skeletal muscle function and inflammation during the progression of cancer cachexia | Brandon VanderVeen, BS  
University of South Carolina, Department of Exercise Science, Applied Physiology  
PhD Student  
Advisor: Dr. Carson |
| Sept. 2    | Cancelled                                                              | Cancelled                                                                     |
| Sept. 9    | Examination of energy need and hormone levels in male endurance athletes | Erin Moore, MS, ATC  
University of South Carolina, Department of Exercise Science, Rehabilitation Sciences  
PhD Student  
Advisor: Dr. Torres-McGehee |
| Sept. 16   | If I Were The ‘PA Czar’ – Ten Steps to Building a Physically Active Nation | R. Mark Fenton, MS  
Associate Professor, Tufts University  
Public Health, Planning, and Transportation Consultant |
| Sept. 23   | International Collaboration Development                                 | J. Larry Durstine, Ph.D.  
Distinguished Professor, University of South Carolina, Norman J. Arnold School of Public Health, Department of Exercise Science  
Ryan Porter, MS  
PhD Candidate, University of South Carolina, Department of Exercise Science, Applied Physiology  
Advisor: Dr. Wang and Dr. Durstine |
| Sept. 30   | Examination of energy availability with or without an eating disorder among collegiate and recreational athletes | Toni Torres-McGehee, PhD, ATC  
University of South Carolina, Department of Exercise Science, Rehabilitation Sciences  
Assistant Professor |
| Oct. 7     | Cancelled due to Weather                                                | Cancelled due to Weather                                                     |
| Oct. 14    | **No Seminar** - Fall Break                                            | **No Seminar** - Fall Break                                                  |
| Oct. 21    | Some like in Hot – Effects of Spice-TRP Activator Drink on Performance | Leanna Ross, MS  
University of South Carolina, Department of Exercise Science, Applied Physiology  
PhD Student  
Advisor: Dr. Davis |
| Oct. 28    | Understanding NIH Fellowship Proposal Content and Evaluation           | James Carson, PhD FACSM  
Professor & Chair Exercise Science, Arnold School of Public Health  
University of South Carolina |
| Nov. 4     | Psychosocial Influences on Pain Perception                             | Max Jordon, BS, DPT  
University of South Carolina, Department of Exercise Science, Rehabilitation Sciences  
PhD Student  
Advisor: Dr. Beattie |
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| Nov. 11| Theory, Potential Pitfalls, and Politics in Sports-related Concussion Research | Zachary Y. Kerr, PhD, MPH  
Assistant Professor, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Department of Exercise and Sport Science |
| Nov. 18| Children’s Obesogenic Behaviors During Summer versus School           | Keith Brazendale, MS  
University of South Carolina, Exercise Science Department, Health aspects of Physical Activity  
PhD Student  
Advisor: Dr. Beets |
| Nov. 25| Thanksgiving Break - No Seminar                                      | Thanksgiving Break - No Seminar                                                                  |
| Dec. 2 | Breast Cancer Rehabilitation: What is the Current Evidence?           | Shana Harrington, PT, PhD, SCS, MTC  
Associate Professor, Physical Therapy  
Creighton University |