### Obesity & Nutrition Seminar Series

**Spring 2018 (NS 6118); Human Sci. Bldg., room 216**  
Coordinator: Dr. Latha Ramalingam

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| 01/22 | **Dr. Vivian Haley-Zitlin.** Associate Professor, Food, Nutrition, & Packaging Sciences, Clemson University  
Childhood Obesity in South Carolina: Prevention and Treatment |
| 02/05 | **Dr. John Dawson,** Assistant professor, Nutritional Sciences  
Power and Sample Size Calculations: Considerations beyond plug-n-chug |
| 02/12 | **Dr. Preethi Gunaratne**  
Associate Professor, Biology & Biochemistry and Director, UH Seq-N-Edit Core (SNEC), University of Houston  
Role of Non-Coding RNAs in the Evolution of Precancerous Lesions and Drug Resistance |
| 03/19 | **Dr. Andrew Shin.** Research Assistant Professor, Nutritional Sciences. TTU  
Branched-chain amino acids (BCAAs) in health and diseases |
| 03/26 | **Dr. Karina Alvina.** Assistant Professor, Department of Biological Sciences TTU  
TBA |
| 04/02 | No seminar |
| 04/09 | **Dr. John Bradley.** Professor and Gordon W. Davis Regent’s Chair in Meat Science and Muscle Biology. Department of Animal and food Sciences TTU  
TBA |
| 04/16 | **Jie Liu, Huang Wei Lin and Ana Moyeda.** Nutritional Sciences. TTU  
Ketogenic Diet and obesity |
| 04/23 | **Zara Fiezy and Sufain Hazera Binte.** Nutritional Sciences. TTU  
Cancer, Obesity and Diabetes |
| 04/30 | **Rana Ziaul and Khan Md Shahjalal.** Nutritional Sciences. TTU  
Sugar addiction and weight gain |
| 05/07 | **Zara Mostofinejad and Zahid Mdkhurshidul.** Nutritional Sciences. TTU  
TBA |