

Lake Geneva Biological Interest Group

Program Spring 2018

20 Feb	Organizational meeting (for Masters students)
27 Feb	Maria Ferreira Ruiz: Dealing with the Changeable and Blurry Edges of Living Things: A Modified Version of Property-Cluster Kinds
6 March	Carl Gillet: Using Compositional Explanations to Understand Compositional Levels: Why scientists talk about “levels”
13 March	Marcel Weber: Causal Specificity, Biological Possibility and Non-parity About Genetic Causes
20 March	Raphael Scholl: Bridging the Gap Between Populations and Individuals by Network Reconstruction
27 March	Rawad El Skaf: On the Notion of Possibility at Play in Scientific Thought Experiments
10 April	William Bausman: Why Do Biologists Use the Methodologies They Do?
17 April	Christine Clavien: title TBA
24 April	Tiberiu Popa: Necessity and ‘for the most part’ in Aristotle’s biology
8 May	Gregorio Demarchi: Biological Fitness as Dispositional Property – Metaphysical Foundations and Empirical Applications
15 May	Martin Wasmer: Operationalizing the Naturalness-based Definition in the European GMO Directive
22 May	Lorenzo Casini: title TBA