



# BIOSPHERE

## The Weekly Bulletin of Biology

### Biology Colloquium

Friday Nov. 14, 2 PM in EH2132

#### Dr. Beronda Montgomery-Kaguri

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*“Sensing Light: Phytochrome Signaling and Photomorphogenesis in Photosynthetic Organisms”*

- **Student Internships Available** — A Baxter representative will be on campus Thursday (Nov. 13) from 9 am to 1 pm in EH2102 to recruit Bio, Chem, and Biochem students for a 12-week Internship Program. The internship provides supervised and practical work experience in areas such as drug manufacturing, research and development, marketing and regulatory affairs. Interns are often hired as full-time employees. At least one year of college is required and a GPA of at least 3.0 is preferred.
- **Student Awards** — The office of Graduate Studies has awarded Thesis Support Grants to the following graduate students: Valentina Korchagina and Wilber Excorcia from Dr. Summers' lab; Nick Colvard and William Goldenheim from Dr. Edmunds' lab; Kelly Sakaguchi and Jen Paur from Dr. Gray's lab. Congratulations!
- **Faculty Grants** — Dr. Pete Edmunds received an NSF-Research Experience for Teachers supplement to allow Mr. Craig Didden (Viewpoint School teacher) to work with his team in French Polynesia on a research project, develop outreach activities at the schools there, and to enhance lesson plans for California schools.