



DR. MAELI MELOTTO

Cross-kingdom molecular battles in the phyllosphere

Our research is focused on understanding the molecular and genetic mechanisms of plant immunity against pathogens and virulence strategies employed by bacteria to overcome plant defenses that allow them to infect edible leaves.

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LECTURE

SERIES

March 14, 2022

**PLSC Building: RM
1140**

Time:

12PM

[UMD Zoom](#)

**Graduate student
lunch w/ speakers**

1PM

PLSC RM 2107/2109

Dr. Maeli Melotto is a Professor and Vice-Chair of the Department of Plant Sciences at the University of California, Davis. She has a PhD in Plant Breeding and Genetics from Michigan State University. Her research is focused on understanding the interactions between plants and microbes, with emphasis on bacterial pathogens of plants and humans.



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