## **Better Food Futures**

## **Colloquium Series**

Agricultural Research Opportunities

## At SDSU's Santa Margarita Ecological Reserve

**Dr. David Lipson**, Professor of Biology and Director of the FSP, will present past, present and future agricultural research at SMER, and highlight opportunities for engagement of students and faculty across multiple disciplines.

Santa Margarita Ecological Reserve (SMER) is managed by the San Diego State University Field Stations Program (FSP) for research, education and preservation of native habitat. Within this 5000-acre nature reserve, the FSP maintains a 20-acre grove including citrus, avocado and wine grapes. The grove originated from a private inholding within the reserve, but has now been integrated into the FSP research and education mission, and serves as an outdoor laboratory for research into sustainability and climate-smart agriculture. Dr. David Lipson, Professor of Biology and Director of the FSP, will present past, present and future agricultural research at SMER, and highlight opportunities for engagement of students and faculty across multiple disciplines

Held At The
Gold Auditorium
of the Donald P. Shiley
Bioscience Center

Wednesday, Dec 4th 11:00 am to 12:30 pm



Please RSVP by Nov 27th

Lunch Provided!







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