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| 9:30 am - 9:45 am | **Welcome Remarks**  
Ia Gomez, Ph.D.  
Assistant Dean of Science, NOVA-Manassas |
| 9:45 am - 10:05 am | “High Throughput Genetics Screening of Scape Behavior for Drosophila Melanogaster”  
Patrick Breads, B.A. Statistics; A.A.S. Biotechnology  
Research technician, Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) |
| 10:05 am – 10:25 am | “Multidisciplinary Skill for Startup Biotech”  
Ross Dunlap, B.S. Commerce; C.E.O.  
Benjamin Lepene, B.S. Materials Science and Engineering; Director of R&D  
Ceres Nanosciences |
| 10:25 am – 10:45 am | “Linking Endoplasmic Reticulum and Metastasis”  
Yien Che Tsai, Ph.D.  
Staff Scientist, National Institute of Health (NIH)/National Cancer Institute (NCI) |
| 10:45 am – 11:05 am | “Stop the YAPing in Human Cancer”  
Nina Nandakumar, M.S.  
Research Associate, Georgetown University |
| 11:05 am - 11:25 am | **Break**                                                               |
| 11:25 am – 11:45 am | “Forensic DNA Analysis”  
Andrea Gardner, M.S.  
Supervisor of Forensic Casework, Bode Technology Group |
| 11:45 am - 12:05 pm | “Mitochondrial Dynamics”  
Daniel K. Stringer, Ph.D.  
Postdoctoral Fellow, National Institute of Health (NIH)/National Cancer Institute (NCI) |
| 12:05 pm - 12:25 pm | “Evaluation of Autophagy as a Therapeutic Target for Ductal Carcinoma in situ (DCIS)”  
Virginia Espina, Ph.D.  
Research Assistant Professor, George Mason University (GMU) |
| 12:25 pm - 12:45 pm | “Advance Technologies for Modern Biosciences: Applications in High Throughput Analytical Methods and High Performance Computing”  
Sheryl Baldwin, Ph.D.  
Director of Special Programs, Virginia Commonwealth University |
| 12:45 pm - 1:30 pm | **Networking Lunch**                                                    |

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