

2010 Walter and Helen Parke Loomis Distinguished Lecture and Plant Biology Mini Symposium

Theme: Plant Evolution

Date: April 22 & 23 (Thursday and Friday), 2010

Venue: Gallery Room, Memorial Union

Organizer: [Dr. Jonathan Wendel](#)

Walter and Helen Parke Loomis Distinguished Lecture in Plant Biology (8 pm, Thursday, April 22, 2010)



[Dr. Loren Rieseberg](#)

Professor

Indiana University, Bloomington

Title: *The Origin and Evolution of Plant Species*

Plant Biology Mini-Symposium

Speakers

(1-5 pm, Friday, April 23, 2010)

[Dr. Neelima Sinha](#), Professor
University of California, Davis

Title: *The Genetic regulation of leaf shape*

[Dr. Loren Rieseberg](#), Professor

Indiana University, Bloomington

Title: *The Evolutionary Genetics of Sunflower Domestication*

[Dr. Kirsten Bomblies](#), Assistant Professor

Harvard University

Title: *Resistance gene evolution and genetic incompatibility, the double-edged sword of plant immune system diversification*

[Dr. John Doebley](#), Professor

University of Wisconsin, Madison

Title: *Unraveling a developmental pathway involved in maize domestication*

Sponsors:

