**October 9, 2020: North Central Coordinating Committee Workshop (NCCC307) "Genetics and Biochemistry of Plant-Fungal Interactions"**

We are pleased to invite you to the 2020 North Central Coordinating Committee Workshop (NCCC307) "Genetics and Biochemistry of Plant-Fungal Interactions". We sincerely hope you will join us.

The workshop this year will be entirely virtual, held on Zoom on Friday, October 9th starting at 4:00 pm Central Time Zone.  Below is the agenda. This workshop is informal and interactive to help foster open discussions and establish new collaborations.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Lorang and Daren Brown

Co-chairs, NCCC307

**October 9, 2020 North Central Coordinating Committee Workshop NCCC307 "Genetics and Biochemistry of Plant-Fungal Interactions”**

**Location: Zoom**

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Talks:

15-minute talks: 11-minute presentations with 4 minutes for questions.

Lightening talks: 3-minute presentations with 2 minutes for questions.

Meeting Itinerary – Friday October 9, 2020

4:00 – 4:15 pm – Roll call and light banter

4:15 – 4:30 pm - Welcome to NCCC-307. Future directions and workshop plans by Co-Chairs, by Jenny Lorang and Daren Brown

4:30 – 4:45 pm – Kamaldeep Bansal: Cytology and gene expression in *Monilinia vaccine-corymbosi*.

4:45 – 5:00 pm – Rebecca Shay: Biofilm formation in *Fusarium graminearum*

5:00 – 5:15 pm – How is Covid-19 affecting your research? Your favorite Covid-19 story…

5:15 – 5:30 pm – Pei-Ling Yu: The early phase of *Sclerotinia* infection

5:30 – 5:45 pm – Lightening talks:

Zhaohui Liu: Wheat tan spot

Patricia Santos: Polyacetylenes and Carrots

Jessica Lohmar: *Fusarium verticillioides* Spore killer

5:45 – Open panel discussion, questions, and closing remarks.