



# **cWIDR Pilot Grant Program Annual Research Seminar & Awards Presentation**

**Thursday, December 1, 2016  
3:00pm**

**Eric P. Newman Education Center  
Seminar Room B**

**3:00pm ~ Wine and Cheese Reception**

**3:30pm ~ Announcement of 2016 Pilot Grant Awardees**

**3:40pm ~ Presentations by 2015 Awardees:**

**Deborah Lenschow, M.D., Ph.D.**

“Impact of Chikungunya viral infection on lupus  
pathogenesis”

**Larissa Thackray, Ph.D.**

“The role of the microbiome in host immunity and flavivirus  
infection”

**Haina Shin, Ph.D.**

“Role of autophagy in regulating HSV-2 reactivation”

*Hosted by Scott Hultgren and Michael Caparon*