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# SCIENCE NIGHT

Part of the College of Natural and Health Sciences Seminar Series

## Insect Migration



Birds aren't the only creatures that take flight when the weather starts to turn colder! Several different types of insects undertake impressive migration behaviors as well. Among the best known insect migrants is the Monarch Butterfly (*Danaus plexippus*) that travels from across North America to overwinter in parts of Mexico. This presentation will describe insect migration and highlight several insect migrants, including the Monarch and other butterflies, as well as recent evidence of migratory movements in dragonflies.

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Dr. Orlofske's research focus is community ecology and conservation biology of native invertebrates.

**Wednesday, November 11, 2015**

**7:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the Racine Public Library**

**Free parking - Everyone is invited**