Riddell Faculty Seminar Series presents:

**Genetic Engineering of Seeds**

**Hope or Hazard of the future?**

**Wednesday, July 23rd, 2014**

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**Debate**

Time: 1:00 - 3:00pm
Place: 221 Wallace Building

- **Dr. Curtis Rempel**, MBA, PhD, Pag. Dr. Rempel is the Vice President, Crop Production and Innovation, Canola Council of Canada. Dr. Rempel joined the Canola Council of Canada in July 2012. Dr. Rempel is also an adjunct faculty member in Department of Food Science.

- **Dr. Thierry Vrain**, worked for 30 years as a soil biologist and genetic engineer with Agriculture Canada where he was head of a research group of 40 professional and technical employees from 1996 to 2002. Dr. Vrain has also been the Vice President and President of national and international associations of soil biologists, and an Associate Editor of several scientific journals in Europe and the USA.

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**Speakers**

Time: 6:30 - 9:30pm
Place: Robert B. Schultz Lecture Theatre
(room 172 St John’s College)

- **Dr. Thierry Vrain**, see biography above.

- **Mr. Tony Mitra**, is a food security author and the activist spear heading the glyphosate testing initiative in Canada and working with internationally renowned scientists.