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Teachers*

# Connecticut's Outstanding Biology Teacher Award Lecture & Reception

Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
The Jackson Laboratory for Genomic Medicine

**2015 Recipient**  
**Valerie May**  
**Woodstock Academy**

## ***The Human Microbiome: A New Frontier That Might Just Affect Everything***

**Guest Speaker: Dr. Blake Hanson,  
The Jackson Laboratory for  
Genomic Medicine**

The human microbiome is the collection of microorganisms—such as bacteria, archaea, and fungi—that live on and in the body. Dr. Blake Hanson will be discussing how these microbial communities play a role in both healthy and disease states through the presentation of cutting edge research and discoveries in the field of microbial genomics.

You must RSVP to attend, to RSVP go to <https://doodle.com/poll/ip5m9qwf7yftetix>

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