

# BMI Affinity Network Spring Symposium 2024:

## Climate Change & Infectious Diseases

Infectious disease remains a global health challenge. It is predicted that climate change may exacerbate the frequency of zoonotic infectious diseases, in which pathogens from animals can switch host to cause diseases in human and vice versa. Continuing the success of the 2023 BMI/BMD Affinity Network Spring Symposium on "Heat and Health", this 2024 Spring Symposium is organized on the theme of "Climate Change and Infectious Diseases". Sponsored by the College of Health Solutions, we have invited a multidisciplinary group of innovative and thoughtful scientists globally to present their work and ideas in infectious diseases, zoonoses, and climate and health.

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Lunch provided for In-Person RSVP's.



Friday  
April 19, 2024  
12 pm - 4 pm MST



Health North  
Room 101/103  
550 N 3rd St, Phoenix  
Health Futures Center  
Room 206  
6161 E. Mayo Blvd,  
Phoenix  
On [Zoom](#)

## Featured Speakers

- **Pope Moseley**, MD, PhD, Professor, College of Health Solutions, ASU
- **Craig Woods**, DVM, MS, MBA, Director of Infectious Diseases projects, Complex Adaptive Systems Initiative, ASU
- **Mara Aspnall**, Professor, MBA, College of Health Solutions, ASU
- **Vivian Huang**, MD, MPH, Senior Medical Science Liaison, Novavax
- **Arvind Varsani**, PhD, Professor, School of Life Sciences, Center for Evolution and Medicine and Biodesign Center for Fundamental & Applied Microbiomics, ASU