

# Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

## Fall 2025 Seminar Series

**Seminar: 11:15 am – 12:15 pm, Hixson-Lied 244**

**September 4<sup>th</sup>**



***Anti-bacterial Drug Discovery Informed by  
Structural Biology and Protein Chemistry***

**Don Ronning, Ph.D.**

Professor

Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences  
University of Nebraska Medical Center

**September 25<sup>th</sup> (virtual)**



***My Journey to Public Service:  
The Chemist Edition***

**R. Sydney McDonald, M.F.S.**

Explosives Chemist

Naval Surface Warfare Center  
Indian Head Division

**Student Lunches  
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm  
Hixson-Lied 259**

**October 2<sup>nd</sup>**



***Hidden Interfaces – How Microdomains  
Influence Solution Chemistry***

**Aurora Clark, Ph.D.**

Professor

Department of Chemistry  
University of Utah

**October 30<sup>th</sup>**



***Precision Labeling of Small Molecules***

**Joseph Clark, Ph.D.**

Assistant Professor

Department of Chemistry  
University of Tennessee, Knoxville