



CAES Seminar Series

“Birth of an Idea: A History of the First Agricultural Experiment Station”

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Wednesday, September 22, 2021
12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.

Food and coffee will be available at 11:45 a.m.

Jones Auditorium
The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station
123 Huntington Street, New Haven, CT

The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station (CAES) was founded in 1875 through the vision and work of Samuel W. Johnson. The current structure of the Station was modeled on the first agricultural research station, *Landwirtschaftlich Versuchsstation*, at the Möckern estate, near Leipzig, Germany that Johnson visited in 1854. This presentation will cover the founding of CAES and focuses on some of the physical changes in the institutional landscape over the years with pictures from our archives.