# CHEMISTRY NEWSLETTER

## First Day of Spring — March 20/04



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#### **VISITING SPEAKERS**

#### \*\*\* TODAY \*\*\*

The Department of Chemistry, University of Alberta Analytica Division presents **Prof. Richard Oleschuk**, Department of Chemistry, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario who will speak on "Low cost polymeric microfluidic devices: Fabrication, surface modification and detection" on Friday, March 19, 2004 at 4:00 p.m. in V-106

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**Dr. Roduner,** Institut fur Physikalische Chemie, Universitat Stuttgart, will speak on "ESR studies of the chemistry of Pt nanoclusters and of running fuel cells" on Wednesday, March 24, 2004 at 1:00 p.m. in E3-25.

**Dr. Hanadi Sleiman,** Department of Chemistry, McGill University will speak on "Self-assembly of DNA and biomimetic polymers" on Thursday, March 25, 2004 at 1:00 p.m. in E3-25.

The Department of Chemistry, University of Alberta Analytica Division presents **Prof. Kevin Thurbide**, Department of Chemistry, University of Calgary who will speak on "Chromatographic detection using acoustic signals from an oscillating frame" on Friday, March 26, 2004 at 4:00 p.m. in V-106.

#### **502 SEMINAR**

**Mulu Gebre**.will speak on Immobilization of Histidine-Tagged Proteins on Nickel by Electrochemical Dip Pen Nanolithography" on Wednesday, March 24/04 in V-107 at 11:00 a.m.

#### Ph.D. SEMINAR

**Brian Rowsell,** will speak on "Carbon-carbon Bmd formation promoted by adjacent Rh & Ru centres on Wednesday, March 31/04, at 1:00 p.m. en E3-25.

#### **Notices**

**Looking for your March pay cheque later this month?** The remittance advices given out at the end of each month will now be accessible through Bear Tracks.

#### EMPLOYEE PAY INFORMATION (EPI) is coming.....

All staff members and students with direct deposit will retrieve their pay advices through EPI starting this month.

The department will hold 2 drop-in information/demonstration sessions on the following dates:

 Wednesday
 Mar. 24
 11:00 AM
 11:50 AM
 V-124

 Thursday
 Mar. 25
 1:00 PM
 1:50 PM
 V-125

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The next cumulative examination will be held on Saturday, April 3, 2004 at 11:00 a.m. in Room E5-36.

#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

ARE POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD ACROSS FROM THE ELEVATORS ON THE THIRD FLOOR PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE THE EMPLOYMENT NOTICES FROM THE BULLETIN BOARD

# Employment opportunities are posted on a new internet site: http://www.careerowl.ca

Amgen has 12 summer intern positions available in the area of organic synthesis.(jianc@amgen.com)

**Isotechnika Inc.**, has a full time opeing for a Quantitative Analytical Technologist. hr@isotechnika.com

Two Postdoctoral positions, in organometallic and mechanistic Chemistry in Peter Legzdins group (legzdins@chem.ubc.ca)

**Graduate Student/Post-doc Career Advice**: The UofA Library has a subscription to Science's Next Wave, a weekly online publication that covers scientific training, career development, and the science job market. It can be accessed through the library or at nextwave.sciencemag.org/ca/

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Students interested in Pharmaceutical Sales and Marketing jobs should search for vacancies online at http://www.sciencejobs.com

**National Institute for Nanotechnology** requires a Electron Microscopy Technical Officer. Contact person Thelma Finch, Human Resources Systems Coordinator (780492-8695

**University College of Cariboo** requires full-time, ongoing faculty position for chemical biology.

**University of Kansas**, Lawrence KS has post doctoral positions in biochemistry/biophysics and microbiology, Department of Medicinal Chemistry. Send application to <a href="mailto:sdavid@ku.edu">sdavid@ku.edu</a>.

**Brandon University**, the Department of Chemistry has an opening for a tenure track position for biochemistry. E-mail <a href="wrightj@brandonu.ca">wrightj@brandonu.ca</a>

**Alberta Sulpher Research Ltd.** Located in the Department of Chemistry at the University of Calgary is seeking to appoint a physical chemist.

**Bayer Pharmaceuticals Corporation,** Department of Chemistry, West Haven facility is seeking a synthetic organic chemist.

Outreach Activities can be accessed at:

www.ualberta.ca/Outreach/whats%20new.htm#science

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### **Key Deposits**

As of March 1, 2004 the Department of Chemistry adopted a new policy regarding the issuing of keys. The department will now request a deposit for keys. Any incoming students, Postdocs, Research Associates and all temp staff will be required to pay \$25.00 deposit. The deposit will be refunded upon return of the keys. If you have any questions, please see Lori Paul in the General Office.

