

Visiting Speakers

Dr. Jan Weigand, Department of Chemistry, Dalhousie University, will speak on "High energy density materials based on molecules with high nitrogen content and *catena*-Phosphorus cations" on Monday, December 18, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. in CEB 321.

The next cumulative examination will be held on Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 11:00 in Room E3-25.



A big thank you goes out to all of those who helped make the Chemistry Social Christmas Party a big success. We couldn't have done it without you.

As per a request from the Dean, Faculty of Science, the Chemistry building hours have been extended. The doors will now be locked at 8 p.m. Monday to Thursday instead of the former 6 p.m. The building will remain closed to general traffic on the weekends. This should help accommodate individuals attempting to detour around campus during the ongoing construction particularly in the arctic weather conditions such as we experienced last week.

There is a box for the campus food bank in the mailroom that will be going over to the campus food bank office on Wednesday, December 20/06. If you would like to make a donation for those less fortunate on campus please feel free to drop your donation at the mailroom or if you have a small cash donation, you can drop it at the Chemistry General Office (E3-44). Thank you.

LOST: If you left a sweater at the interviews on Monday, December 11/076, in E3-38, I have it in the Chemistry General Office (E3-44)

Clearance Exams will be held as follows:

Organic	Tuesday, January 9th
Physical	Wednesday, January 10th
Inorganic	Thursday, January 11th
Analytical	Friday, January 12th

All exams are 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. in E3-49. Please register with Ilona in E3-44 during the first week in January.

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>

University of Western Ontario, requires an NMR instrument specialist responsible for cryogen fills and liquid helium into magnets
<http://www.uwo.ca>

R&M Chemicals Ltd. seeks an enthusiastic, chemist to join their growing team as a senior research and development chemist responsible for developing and modifying product formulations. See employment board for more information.

Edmonton PET Centre, has a post-doctoral fellowship available.
www.edmontonpetcentre.com

University of California, Berkeley, Applications are invited for the position of Lecturer in the Department of General Chemistry.
<http://apo.chance.berkeley.edu/evalltr.html>.

McMaster University John Jay College of Criminal Justice (City of New York) has two tenure track positions available (Chemistry and Toxicology for instructor/assistant/associate/full professor.
<http://johnjay.jjay.cuny.edu/info/calendar/>

John Innes Centre requires a project leader <http://www.jic.ac.uk>.

University of Manitoba has an opening for an instructor II position in Chemistry. <http://umanitoba.ca/chemistry/>

McGill University, Department of Chemistry, has an immediate postdoctoral position available in the area of histone deacetylase inhibitor synthesis. <http://gleason.chem.mcgill.ca>

Outreach Activities can be accessed at: www.ualberta.ca/Outreach/whats%20new.htm#science 'Archived Outreach activities can be found at <http://www.mailman.srv.ualberta.ca/pipermail/fgsr-outreach/>.



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Would like to wish everyone a happy holiday and best wishes for a prosperous New Year.