

Visiting Speakers

Prof. Millard Alexander, Distinguished University Professor, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of Maryland, will speak on "Aluminum atoms embedded in cryogenic helium and para-hydrogen: Potentials and dynamics" on Friday, February 24, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. in E3-25.

Prof. Josef Zwanziger, Professor of Chemistry and Canada Research Chair in NMR Studies of Materials, Department of Chemistry, Dalhousie University, will speak on "Glass under stress: Towards an atomic model of the stress-optic coefficient" on Friday, February 24, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. in E3-25.

Dr. Robert McKellar, Steacie Institute for molecular sciences, Natinoal Research council of Canada, Ottawa will speak on "High resolution infrared spectroscopy of quantum helium nanoclusters" in E3-25 at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, March 3/06

2006 Boehringer Ingelheim Lecture presents **Professor Scott Miller**, Department of Chemistry, Boston College who will speak on "A *Biomimetic* approach to asymmetric organic synthesis" on Monday, March 6, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. in V-107.

Prof. Eric Brown, Department of Biochemistry, McMaster University will speak on "Screening in academe: it's small molecule world" on Monday, March 13, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. in V-107.

Dr. Maurice Brookhart, Department of Chemistry, University of North Carolina, will speak on "Catalytic transformations based on transition metal carbon-hydrogen bond activation reactions" on Thursday, March 16, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. in V-106.

Cums: The next cumulative examination will be held on Saturday, March 4, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. in E5-36.

The Analytical and Instrumentation Laboratory (formerly known as Spectral Services and Microanalytical Lab) recently undertook the task of developing a long overdue webpage. Our webpage can be found by going to the Chemistry homepage - Other Resources - Analytical and Instrumentation Laboratory or you can use this link (<http://www.chem.ualberta.ca/~ailab/index.html>) to go there directly.

On our website you will find our submission forms, the analyses we routinely perform, the instrumentation in our lab and contact information. We hope that the up-to-date information provided on the website will be of use to department researchers as well as others wishing to use our services.

There will be a retirement party held for **Ken & Jackie Jorgensen** on Thursday, March 2, 2006. Anyone wishing to contribute toward a gift and sign their cards should see Kim in the Chemistry General Office (E3-44A)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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

There are several chemistry and non-chemistry jobs listed on the employment board for your viewing pleasure. These are the same job listings in the AcademicKeys' e-Flier for Natural and Physical Sciences.

University of Alberta, Department of Chemistry, secretary – competition #0602FTP1815LE, closing date: March 2, 2006. See <http://www.careers.ualberta.ca/Opportunities/index.aspx?Page=49> for application form.

Alpha Laboatory Services Ltd is currently seeking a recent chemistry graduate for a full time permanent position. Please contact Lisa Reinbolt at (780)489-9100. Please see employment board for more information.

Xerox Research Centre of Canada is seeking candidates to join a progressive materials science group.
<http://www.xerox.com/innovation/xrcx.shtml>.

Edmonton Pet Centre, Faculty of Medicine, U-A. Please see employment board for more information.

PDF/RA – lab on a chip biotechnology. Please see employment board for more information.

Inco Innovation Centre, is seeking a research laboratory coordinator II.
www.mun.ca/creait/maf/

California State University is seeking a forensic chemistry assistant professor (tenure track). Please see <http://www.csufresno.edu/aps/vacancy/sc1.pdf>.

Seaborg Institute Research Fellows for the summer of 2006. Please see employment board for more information.

University of Saskatchewan, Department of (organic) Chemistry, invites applications for a tenure-track position at the Assistant professor rank. <http://www.usask.ca/chemistry/>

Lakehead Unviersity seeks outstanding applicants for a tenure track appointment in chemistry or biochemistry and relevant postdoctoral or industrial experience. Please see employment board for more information.

University of Calgary has a postdoctoral fellowship position available in the Airway inflammation Group. Please submit a curriculum vitae and arrange to have two letters of reference sent directly to: Dr. David Proud dproud@ucalgary.ca.

University of Alberta, The Department of Chemistry invites applications for a faculty service officer position, Director of undergraduate organic chemistry laboratories.
http://www.chem.ualberta.ca/about/employment_opps.html

Outreach Activities can be accessed

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