

Congratulations to:

Clarissa Sit whose research poster was awarded the first prize out of approximately 60 entries at the recent Annual Conference of the Advanced Food & Biomaterials Network of Centres of Excellence (AFMNet) held in Vancouver May 31 - June 3, 2008

Lindsay Hounjet (Cowie) received an honorable mention at the CSC mtg. in the poster section for the inorganic division

he following student successfully completed the Candidacy Exam component of his doctoral program:

Mr. Curtis Rieder - June 2, 2008 (Dr. Fred West) successfully fulfilled the candidacy component of his program.

Sandin Photo (prof. Larry Overman)

Orders are being taken for the 2007 Sandin Lecture photo which is posted on the bulletin board between W5-61 and W5-59. If you are interested in ordering a photo, please see Christine Otter in room W5-61A.

CUME Exams

The next cumulative examination will be held on Saturday, June 7 at 11:00 a.m. in E3-25.

Visiting Speakers

Zhifeng Ding, Department of Chemistry, University of Western Ontario, will speak on "Insight into grain structures and their reactivity of Ti, Zr Alloys by Scanning Electrochemical Microscopy" on Wednesday, June 11/08 in E3-25.

Prof. Nicholas Walker, School of Chemistry, University of Bristol, will speak on "Studies of laser ablation and gas phase metal ion complexes by infrared spectroscopy and Mass Spectrometry" on Tuesday, June 10/08 at 11:00 a.m. in E3-25.

Prof. Heinrich Maeder, Kiel University, Kiel, Germany, is giving a summer course on Molecular Symmetry and Spectroscopy (14 lectures).
Mo, We, Fr; 9:15 - 10:15; location: June 09: E3-49, June 11: E4-36, from then on in E3-25. Please contact Dr. Y. Xu (yunjie.xu@ualberta.ca) if you are interested in attending.

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>.

Western University is seeking a research scientist for Chemistry in the area of NMR spectroscopy. Please see employment board for more information.

Nagoya University (Global Center of Excellence) has several PhD and postdoctoral positions for international students and graduates that are available immediately in the course of the next years in this Global COE for highly talented young researchers, who look for a challenging and vibrant international research environment. Please see <http://gcoe.chem.nagoya-u.ac.jp> for more information.

Biotica is looking to recruit a Natural Products chemist to work on its drug discovery projects: Please see employment board for more information.

Mount Allison University invites applications for a one year term appointment in Biochemistry/Chemistry. Please see employment board for more information.

St. Francis Xavier University invites applications for a tenure track appointment at the Assistant Professor level beginning August 1, 2008. Please see employment board for more information.

University of Maryland has three postdoctoral openings in Barbara Gerratana's group. Please see employment board for more information.

Xerox Research Centre of Canada is seeking a candidate at a Ph.D. level to join a progressive materials science group for an exploratory research program. Please see <http://www.xerox.com/innovation/xrcc.shtml> for more information