# **Chemistry Newsletter**

Archived newsletter website – <u>http://www.chem.ualberta.ca/news\_seminars/2009/newsletter/contents.html</u> To submit an item for inclusion in the departmental weekly newsletter, please email the item to <u>newsletter@chem.ualberta.ca</u>. University buildings closed Dec. 25, 2009-Jan. 3, 2010 incl.

#### University buildings closed Dec. 25, 2009-Jan. 5,

## Visiting Speakers/Seminars:

**Ronald Soong**, Department of Chemistry, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mi, USA will speak on *"Structural and dynamical NMR studies of membrane-associated Cytochrome b5(an accomplice of Mother Nature's blowtorch"* on Thursday, January 7/09 @ 10:00 a.m. in E3-25.

**Prof. Stephen Clark**, Department of Chemistry, University of Glasgow, will speak on *"Total Synthesis of bioactive ether-bridged marine Cembranoid natural products"* on Tuesday, January 12, 2010, at 11:00 a.m. in E3-25.

### **Congratulations to:**

**Professor Derrick Clive** for receiving the Canadian Society for Chemistry 2010 R. U. Lemieux Award. This CSC award acknowledges an organic chemist who has made a distinguished contribution to any area of organic chemistry, and it will be presented to Prof. Clive at the 93rd Canadian Chemistry Conference in Toronto, May 29-June 2, 2010.

#### **PhD Seminar**

**Yujuan Hua** will speak on "*The use of microfluidics for Multiplexed protein analysis*" on Monday, December 21, 2009 @ 1:00 p.m. in E3-25.

## **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: <u>http://www.careerowl.ca</u>.

**Brandon University** invites applications for a Tier 2 Canada Research Chair in Env. Chemistry or Env. Geochemistry. For more information regarding this position, please see www.brandonu.ca.

**ABIC Foundation Inc.** is accepting applications for travel bursaries for the forthcoming ABIC 2010 Conference to be held in Saskatoon, Sask. From Sept. 12 through 15, 2010. The deadline for submission of applications is Feb. 15, 1020 with award announcement set for April 2010. To learn more about the ABIC 2010 conference, please visit the website at http://www.abic.ca/abic1020.

**University of Alberta**, Oncology Department is looking to recruit graduate students interested in organic and medicinal chemistry to perform research in the field of radiopharmaceutical sciences. Please see <a href="http://www.oncology.med.ualberta.ca/faculty/facultymember.cfm?id=139">http://www.oncology.med.ualberta.ca/faculty/facultymember.cfm?id=139</a> for more information.

**Private entrepreneur is** seeking is someone who would be interested in developing a cologne/perfume scent. It could be a practicum, and as well doesn't necessarily have to be a student. Perhaps even a teacher/prof would be interested. Regardless, I have the registered name, marketing, advertising, some connections (daughter is computer graphic grad)...essentially everything except the scent. Potential for profitable partnership. For further info, Kelly (male) @ 780-756-7878 or e-mail kkadla@shaw.ca.

**University of Winnipeg** has a faculty position available in the area of Biochemistry. See employment board for more information.

**University of Saskatchewan** has an opening for a PhD student position in materials chemistry or physics. Please see <u>www.lightsources.ca</u> for more information.

**University of Saskatchewan** has a postdoctoral position: X-Ray spectromicroscopy of strained silicon devices. Please see <a href="http://www.lightsource.ca">www.lightsource.ca</a> for more information.