

# Missouri University of Science and Technology Chemistry Department Seminar Schedule Spring Semester 2011



(All seminars are held on Monday at 4:30 p.m. in G-3 Schrenk Hall unless otherwise noted)

# Friday, January 7, 2011, Time and location TBA Environmental Health & Safety Department, Missouri S&T "Laboratory Safety Course"

# Monday, January 10, 2011

Dr. Philip D. Whitefield, Chair and Professor of Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"The Characterization of Ultrafine Particulate Matter from Combustion Processes"

#### Monday, January 17, 2011

No Seminar

Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

#### Monday, January 24, 2011

Dr. Yinfa Ma, Curators' Teaching Professor, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"The Study of Treatability of Environmental Contaminants and Removal of Disinfection By-Products in Drinking Water Using LC-MS/MS"

# Monday, January 31, 2011

Dr. Prakash Reddy, Associate Professor, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"Organofluorine Chemistry in the Design of Cell Cycle Inhibitors"

# Monday, February 7, 2011

Dr. Jeffrey G. Winiarz, Assistant Professor, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"Unprecedented Response Times in Photorefractive Composites Containing Semiconductor Nanocrystals"

# Monday, February 14, 2011

Dr. Richard Dawes, Assistant Professor, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"A General Scheme for Representing Potential Energy Surfaces for Multi-channel Reactions"

# Monday, February 21, 2011

Dr. Rex E. Gerald II, Senior Research Scientist, Chemistry, Missouri S&T and Argonne National Laboratory

"Topics in Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy and Imaging"

#### Monday, February 28, 2011

#### Dr. Jack Magruder, President, A. T. Still University

"Chemical Education"

#### Monday, March 7, 2011

### Dr. Wayne Huebner, Professor, Materials Science and Engineering, Missouri S&T

"Further Materials Research at Missouri S&T"

#### Monday, March 14, 2011

#### Joshua W. Carey, graduate student, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"*In vivo* Inhibition of *L*-Buthionine-(S,R)-Sulfoximine(BSO)-Induced Cataracts by a Novel Antioxidant, *N*-acetylcysteine Amide"

#### Monday, March 21, 2011

#### Dennis L. Whitney, Environmental Engineer, Retired, American Airlines

"Inorganic Chemistry for the Mineral Collector"

#### Monday, March 28, 2011

#### No Seminar

Spring Break

#### Monday, April 4, 2011

#### Sanjeewa Gamagedara, graduate student, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"Biomarkers for Noninvasive Early Cancer Detection"

# Monday, April 11, 2011

#### Dr. Matt O'Keefe, Professor, Materials Science and Engineering, Missouri S&T

"Corrosion Coatings Based on Rare-Earth Oxide Inhibitors"

# Monday, April 18, 2011

# Clarissa Wisner, Electron Microscope Specialist, Materials Research Center, and graduate student, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"The Art and Science of Microscopy"

# Monday, April 25, 2011

#### Cynthia Riddles, graduate student, Chemistry, Missouri S&T

"Nanoscale Acrylate Unimolecule Micelles"

# Monday, May 2, 2011

#### No Seminar

Finals Week