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Central North Carolina Section American Chemical Society

March Local Section Meeting

Speaker: Panel Discussion

When: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 (Note Date Change)

Where: Couch Hall, Room 127, High Point University

6:30 Social, 7:00 Meeting



Upcoming Events

March 20, 2019: Local Section Meeting; High Point University April 6, 2019. Stream Cleanup 9am to noon April 16, 2019: 19th Annual Poster Vendor Night, Syngenta May 6, 2019: Local Section Meeting, Stonefield Cellars Winery June 14, Family Picnic, Bur-Mil Park, Greensboro 6:15-8:15 pm

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MARCH CENTRAL NORTH CAROLINA ACS MEETING

CNC-ACS: University/College Chemistry Departments Panel Discussion

High Point University - Couch Hall (Formerly Congdon) Room 127

Wednesday, March 20, 2019
6:30PM Refreshments/ 7:00PM Meeting



Hear from the Chemistry Chairs from Guilford College, High Point University, NC Agricultural and Technical State University and the University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

The March local section meeting will provide a networking event for our section's universities and colleges. The discussants on the panel will address issues such as pedagogical advances in chemistry departments, research, and will highlight student success from their departments. We want this to be an interactive forum to build relationships between our institutions of higher education and our local section.

Senior Chemist News—by Robert Yokley

Dear Senior Chemists,

We had a good turn-out last night (20) for Dr. Wayne Hale's presentation "The Evidence for Supplements". His talk was interesting and educational and we had excellent food and lots of camaraderie. Thanks to Bruce and Carol for hosting. The slide show during dining last night was from mine and Phyllis' recent trip to Iceland. Please let me know if you would like to prepare a slide show of one of your vacations and we will include it during the July 8 Senior Chemists meeting.

Note, the next Senior Chemists meeting is on May 6 in conjunction with the regular CNC-ACS meeting at Stonefield Cellars winery in Stokesdale. There will be a hospitality, a wine making presentation by Dr. Robert E.M. Wurz, and some wine tasting activities. Fun for all. Mark your calendars now to be sure you are available on this date.

Additionally, a Senior Chemists day trip is planned for Friday, May 10 and includes coffee at CounterCulture Coffee in Durham, followed by lunch, and a visit to Duke Homestead and Bennett Farm. Details will follow. Many thanks to Cynthia Williard for organizing this adventure.

Advance note – The May 6 Senior Chemists meeting will be held in conjunction with the regular CNC-ACS May meeting at Stonefield Cellars winery in Stokesdale, NC. We will have hospitality, a wine chemistry presentation by Dr. Robert E.M. Wurz, and a wine tasting. Spring time is already looking pretty good.

Save the Date: Stream Cleanup, Saturday, April 6, 2019 (9am-noon)

The CNC-ACS will be participating in the Great American Cleanup of a stream area near the ballpark in downtown Greensboro. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact TJ Mayer (timayer@carringers.com). Click the link below, then click "Community Cleanups", then click "Great American Cleanup."

http://www.greensborobeautiful.org/index.php

Central NC ACS 19th Annual Poster Vendor Night (PVN) News

Poster Vendor Night will be held on Tuesday, April 16th at the Syngenta Auditorium in Greensboro from 3 to 7 pm. Easily the biggest event of the year, PVN is a unique opportunity to showcase your industrial or academic research to chemists, faculty, graduate and undergraduate students in the Piedmont Triad area, while at the same time taking in some of the great research from groups in the region. PVN is a fantastic opportunity for networking and for having in-depth discussions with a variety of vendors.

Confirmed Vendors Include:

Thermo-Fisher Instruments Agilent Instruments Bruker Daltonics

Southern Scientific Instruments ABSciex Instruments IKA Works

Waters Corporation JEOL Macherey Nagel

YMC America Buchi EN-CAS Laboratories

Thermo-Fisher Lab Supplies VWR

Councilor News

As your Local Section Councilor, I have been asked by ACS to submit the following question to our membership:

"There are likely many ways to improve the ACS value proposition. Prior to the Council meeting in Orlando, Councilors are asked to engage with ACS members from their local sections or divisions and to bring that input to the Council discussion."

If you have thoughts/ideas/recommendations/etc on how to improve the value of ACS membership, please send those to me at ryokley1@triad.rr.com by March 29 at the latest. I will take your comments to the Council meeting in Orlando on April 4. Or, convey your comments to me directly at either the Senior Chemists Meeting on March 4 or the CNC-ACS meeting on March 20.

Thank you for taking the time to collect and share your ideas with me for the Council meeting. Your input is valued and needed.

Robert A. Yokley
Councilor, CNC-ACS

19th Annual Poster Vendor Night



Call for Posters

What: Posters (Academia and Industry), Vendors

When: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 from 3-7 pm

Where: Syngenta Crop Protection - Auditorium

410 Swing Road

Greensboro, NC 27409

Trade Show Networking
Refreshments Research Posters
Cash Prizes for Best Student Posters

Please contact Bill Eberle (<u>bill.eberle@syngenta.com</u>, 336-632-7569) or Sarah Sihvonen (<u>sarah.sihvonen@syngenta.com</u>, 336-632-2369) for general information.

Additional information available at: http://cnc-acs.sites.acs.org

Register to present a poster here by April 8th: https://goo.gl/forms/KQegLTX3gSPu3zLf1

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