



CHEM CLUB TRAVEL GRANTS

The Chem Club has now awarded the March 2016 Travel and Research grants: Four Research Grants (for a total of \$2,000 awarded) and seven Travel Grants (for a total of \$6,125 awarded) have been funded. Congratulations to the recipients of these grants!

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Professor Emeritus C. Frank Shaw III, who is celebrating 50 years as a member of the American Chemical Society!



CHEM CLUB RECEIVES AWARD

The Chem Club picked up the Student Affiliate Award for last year's Honorable Mention Award at the 251st ACS National Meeting held in San Diego, CA. Keep up the good work, Chem Club!

SPRING 2016 SEMINAR SERIES

3:00 p.m. in Julian Hall room 225

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| March 18 | Dr. Sergiy Rosokha (Roosevelt University), "Halogen Bonding: From Crystal Engineering to Electron and Halogen Transfer" |
| March 25 | Dr. Justin Bergfield (Illinois State University) |
| April 1 | Dr. Alex Lippert (Southern Methodist University) |
| April 8 | Dr. Ryan Bailey (University of Illinois), "Silicon Photonics: A Versatile Platform for Solving Problems in Bioanalytical Chemistry, Clinical Diagnostics, and Molecular Biology" |
| April 15 | Dr. Belgin Canturk (Dow Agrosciences) |
| April 22 | Mark Servos (Research) |
| April 29 | Daniel Hart (Literature) |

UPCOMING EVENTS!

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| April 8 | Student Research Symposium – Bone Student Center |
| April 12 | Spring College Address – 3:30 p.m., Old Main Room |
| April 29 | Chemistry 50th Anniversary & Senior Awards Banquet – 6 p.m., Marriott Redbird Room C |
| April 30 | Chemistry 50th Anniversary Golf Outing – 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Weibing Golf Club, Normal (Details coming soon...) |



ACS CALENDAR

- March 13-17 251st ACS National Meeting (San Diego, CA)
- March 26 Battle of the Chemistry Clubs (Illinois State University). Contact Victoria Nguyen at vhnguyen3@gmail.com for more information.
- March 31 DEADLINE for title and abstract submissions for the poster session at the Illinois Heartland ACS Awards Banquet
- April 1 DEADLINE to RSVP to Dean Campbell (campbell@fsmail.bradley.edu) about the Illinois Heartland ACS Awards Banquet regarding choice of main entrée (TBA)

DATES AND DEADLINES

- March 17 Last day to drop a second-half semester course with no withdrawal grade and a full adjustment of charges. Financial aid may be reduced.
- March 18 -Deadline for Oral Defense of Dissertation for May 2016 graduates.
-Transfer Day
- March 21 -Deadline (2:00 p.m.) to file final dissertation copies with the Graduate School for May 2016 graduates.
-Deadline to file Right to Defend Thesis materials with the Graduate School for May 2016 graduates.
-Fall 2016 advanced registration begins at 8 a.m.
- March 22 Transfer Day
- March 30 -Spring 2017 class schedules requested. Due July 1st.
-Listing of all Spring courses and instructors sent to departments to verify for Spring final grade submission.
- April 1 -Transfer Day
-Deadline for Thesis Oral Defense for May 2016 graduates.

STUDENT, FACULTY and STAFF ACTIVITIES

Student Presentations

1. ^(G)Jade M. Katinas, ^(UG)Rachel Epplin, Christopher G. Hamaker, Marjorie A. Jones, "Investigation of Unique Sulfonamides on *Leishmania* Cell Viability and Pathway of Inhibition" (poster presentation), 251st ACS National Meeting, San Diego, CA, March 12-15, 2016.
2. ^(UG)William T. Darrow, ^(UG)Alexandra B. Mandl, ^(UG)Alissa N. Latham, "Illinois State University Chemistry Club Year in Review" (poster presentation; authors: ^(UG)William T. Darrow, ^(UG)Erasmus Jugovic, ^(UG)Taylor J. Arledge, ^(UG)Leah M. Stateman, ^(UG)Darrick A. Emery, ^(G)George A. Van Den Driessche), 251st ACS National Meeting, San Diego, CA, March 12-15, 2016.

