JUNE 16 - 27, 2005

SCOPE is a twice-weekly newsletter for the New Mexico Tech community, provided as a service by the Office for Advancement.

Monday, June 20

Auction Open House: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Property Yard. Same time through Friday. Auction will be held on Saturday, June 25.

Dissertation Defense: 2 p.m., MSEC 103. Huade Guan, graduate student in hydrology, will defend "Water above the mountain-front -- Assessing mountain-block recharge in semiarid regions"

Intramural Rosters Due: 5 p.m., Gym office. Summer Intramurals will consist of softball, soccer, and INDOOR volleyball and dodgeball. If you have questions, contact agabaldon@admin.nmt.edu or 835-5852

Tuesday, June 21

Hydrology Seminar: 2 p.m., MSEC 105. Dr. Aleksandra Dakovic, of the Institute for Technology of Nuclear and Other Mineral Raw Materials, Serbia and Montenegro, speaks on "Mycotoxin Adsorption on Organo Zeolites."

Friday, June 24

Auction Open House: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Property Yard. Auction will be held on Saturday, June 25. For further information, please call Property Office at 505-835-5835.

Dulce Flamenco: 8 p.m., Macey Center. Tickets $12 at the door or in advance by calling 1-866-441-0950. Come early and enjoy the exhibit of santeros in Macey Gallery.

Saturday, June 25

Public Auction: Property Yard, New Mexico Tech. Surplus equipment, office supplies, etc. For further information, please call Property Office at 505-835-5835.

Monday, June 27

Art Exhibit: Macey Center Gallery, open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Leo Gonzales
Memorial Art Show, through July 24. Reception on July 5.

*For events further in the future, see the New Mexico Tech Calendar, http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/calendar/mastercal.html*

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**SCOPE Notices**

**NEW ON THE WEB:**


--Montoya Receives New Mexico Tech’s Top Undergrad Award, http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/commencement/c2005/jmontoya.html

--Mukkamala Chosen for Founder’s Award, Highest Grad Award, http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/commencement/c2005/srinivas.html


**KUDOS**

--Congratulations to Dr. Fred Phillips, Professor of Hydrology, for being selected as one of two 2005 recipients of the Kirk Bryan Award for Excellence by the Geological Society of America. The award is given annually in recognition of outstanding contributions to the interdisciplinary field of Quaternary geology and geomorphology. Dr. Phillips will receive the award during a ceremony at the GSA Annual Meeting this October in Salt Lake City. (6/17)

**HOST FAMILY WANTED:**

--The International Office is looking for a host family, couple, or individual who would like to host a student from Germany for 6 or 11 months, beginning in mid-August. Upon request a modest monthly stipend is available to host families to defray living expenses. If you are interested, please contact Brandon Samter, Director of International & Exchange Programs, at 505-835-5022 or at bsamter@admin.nmt.edu. (6/28)

**BLOOD DRIVE:**

--On Friday, July 15, United Blood Services will be on campus for a blood drive,
held in the SAC from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. To sign up for an appointment, go to https://www.bloodhero.com/index.cfm?Sponsor=NMT. Sponsored by Residential Life.

**SOCORRO COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND:**

--Anyone with a band instrument and the desire to play is invited to join the Socorro Community Concert Band, meeting Thursday nights at 7 p.m. in Socorro City Hall. Bring your instrument and a music stand. No age limits; no audition. (6/17)

**COMMUNITY GROUPS WANTED:**

--The Fourth of July Extravaganza offers Socorro-area non-profit and youth groups the opportunity to set up booths and sell snacks or small items as a fundraiser. This will be during the annual series of band performances, on the afternoon of July 4, south of Macey Center.

--If your group would like to set up a booth, please call the Performing Arts Series at 835-5688.

**MISSOULA CHILDREN’S THEATER:**

--Mark your calendars! This year, Missoula Children's Theater will come to Socorro on Aug. 1 through 6. Socorro-area kids are invited to audition for a play based on stories of Hans Christian Anderson. Audition information will be announced as the time approaches. Sponsored by Performing Arts Series, 835-5688.

**PERFORMING ARTS SERIES 2005-06**

Mark your calendars!

- **Club Swing:** Friday, Sept. 23. Celebrate the 1937-1955 swing movement with songs from Benny Goodman, Louis Prima, Nat King Cole, Cole Porter, and more!
- **Presidential Chamber Music Series I:** Monday, Sept. 26. Willy Sucre & Friends perform string quartets.
- **Einstein:** A Stage Portrait: Friday, Sept. 30. Go back to 1946 and spend an evening of humor, introspection, and a little violin with Einstein.
- **Jesse Cook:** Friday, Oct. 7. Fusion of rumba-flamenco with world music and percussion.
- **Ollabelle:** Saturday, Oct. 22. Rural American roots music. Opening for Ollabelle: the Vigilante Band, New Mexico Tech's alumni band, celebrating
their 30th anniversary.

- **Urban Ballet Theater**: Friday, Nov. 4. This fusion of classical and contemporary dance styles. Performances include "La Llorona," "Mambo," and "Of Dust ..."
- **Presidential Chamber Music Series II**: Friday, Nov. 18. Willy Sucre & Friends perform string quartets by Latin American composers.
- **Babes in Toyland**: Sunday, Nov. 27. Fantasy and reality are interwoven in a land where toys walk, talk, and sing. Troupe America delights the whole family.
- **Presidential Chamber Music Series III**: Monday, Jan. 23. Willy Sucre & Friends perform bassoon chamber music.
- **Circus Luminous**: Friday, Jan. 27. Breathtaking "new circus," heartwrenching clowning, and more come together with an original score.
- **Eric Bibb and Ruthie Foster**: Friday, Feb. 3. Blues/Folk soulmates.
- **Tenth Annual Arts Party**: Saturday, Feb. 11. Hands-on arts for the whole family.
- **Presidential Chamber Music Series IV**: March 6. Willy Sucre & Friends.
- **The Three Musketeers**: Thursday, March 23. Swashbuckling theatrical event from The Acting Company.
- **Somei Yoshino Taiko**: Friday, April 28. Japanese traditional drumming.

**REGISTRAR’S OFFICE (BROWN 100):**

**Important Academic Dates:**

Friday, July 1: **Orientation**: for students starting Fall 2005. For information, see http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/orientation/ or call Admission at 1-800-428-TECH.

Monday, July 4: **Academic and Staff Holiday**

Friday, August 5: **End of summer session**

Friday, August 19: **Orientation**. See http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/orientation/homepage.html#aug19 or contact Admission, 1-800-428-TECH or admission@admin.nmt.edu.

Tuesday, Aug. 23: **Classes begin**

Monday, Sept. 5: **Labor Day**, Academic and Staff Holiday

--Questions concerning academic policies, degrees, grades, etc. are welcome at our office. Come by and see us at Brown Hall, room 100.
JOB OPENINGS AT TECH:

Full descriptions of job openings are available at Job Openings, http://externalweb.nmt.edu/hr/. New Mexico Tech is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution.

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- e-mail scope@nmt.edu
- send your type-written notice in campus mail to SCOPE
- fax (505) 835-5825