Thursday, Oct. 28


Physics Seminar: Workman 101, 4 p.m. Dr. Peter Hofner from NMT Physics Dept. and NRAO, will speak about "The Search for Accretion Disks Around Young Massive Stars"

Geoscience Seminar: 4 p.m., MSEC 101. Speaker: John Bloch. Sponsored by Dept. of Earth & Environmental Science and NM Bureau of Geology.


Swing Dance: 8 - 10:30 p.m., SAC. The New Mexico Tech Ballroom Dance Club sponsors a weekly swing dance. Open to everyone; includes short lesson, if requested.

Friday, Oct. 29

SHPE Latin Costume Party: 9 p.m., Val Verde Bar & Steakhouse. $5 cover, $3 with Tech ID. Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers hosting a costume contest for sexiest, scariest, and best overall costumes with great prizes.

Saturday, Oct. 30

AAUW Workshop: all day, Macey Center. Theme: "Progress toward Peace." Registration begins at 8 a.m. At 10 a.m., Dr. Daniel H. Lopez speaks on "Is Peace in the Middle East Possible?" At 11 a.m., Dr. Michael Hensley speaks on "Homeland Security and Anti-Terrorism." Artist Sharon Fullingim is the luncheon speaker. Several afternoon break-out sessions to choose from. Registration fee is $40, and includes a buffet lunch and continental breakfast. You do not need to be an AAUW member (or a female) to attend. For details, see http://www.nmt.edu/~aauw/special_events.htm

Rugby Match: 1 p.m., St. Pius X High School in Albuquerque. Tech Pygmies vs. Adams State University

Sunday, Oct. 31
**Fall Back:** Daylight Savings Time ends. Please set clocks back one hour.

**Soccer Match:** 3 p.m., Albuquerque. NM Tech Women's Soccer Team vs. Kickin It. For more information contact tiff@nmt.edu

**FREE Dinner for Tech Students:** 5:30 - 6 p.m., Hope Lutheran Church. Come and enjoy some home cooking! Hope Lutheran Church is on Leroy Place across from the Joseph Skeen Library. For more information call Pastor Doug May at 835-9648 or email dougmay@sdc.org

**Monday, Nov. 1**

**Hydrology Seminar:** 3:30 p.m., MSEC 101. Dave Gutzler of the Univ. of New Mexico speaks on "Seasonal predictability of the North American monsoon."

**Career Information Session:** 6 p.m., Tripp Room, Skeen Library. Presented by Baker Hughes.

**Tuesday, Nov. 2**

**Election Day:** Don't forget to vote! New Mexico voters should keep in mind that GO Bond B includes funding for higher education projects in New Mexico, including $5 million for New Mexico Tech.

**Swimming Pool Re-opens:** 6:30 a.m.

**Last day to Change Grading Option:** Last day to choose Audit, S/U, or letter grade. Last day to withdraw from a class with a "W." Registrar's Office, Brown 100.

**Geoscience Cyber Seminar:** 1 p.m., MSEC 202. Bill Johnson, Univ. of Utah, speaks on "Watersheds and Urbanization."

**Faculty Council Meeting:** 4 p.m., Workman 101.

**Wednesday, Nov. 3**

**Chemistry Seminar:** noon, Jones Annex 101. Liliana Lopez-Aguilar speaks on "Biogenic emissions of volatile organic compounds (VOC)"

**Geoscience Cyber Seminar:** 1 p.m., MSEC 202. Mark Bain, Cornell, speaks on "Forecasting Change in Hydrologic-Ecologic Systems."
Materials Engineering Department Seminar: 2 p.m., Jones 106. Dr. Jill Glass of Sandia National Laboratories will speak on "Glass Fracture: Can We Control It?"

Thursday, Nov. 4

Geoscience Seminar: 4 p.m., MSEC 101. Fraser Goff of LANL and Cathy Goff of USGS speak on "The South Mountain lava dome and resulting lake, Valles Caldera, New Mexico." Sponsored by Dept. of Earth & Environmental Science and NM Bureau of Geology.


Swing Dance: 8 - 10:30 p.m., SAC. The New Mexico Tech Ballroom Dance Club sponsors a weekly swing dance. Open to everyone; includes short lesson, if requested.

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

SCOPE Notices

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

----Ft. Craig, the Civil War-era fort located 32 miles south of Socorro, needs volunteers to help prepare for 150th anniversary celebration on Nov. 5 - 7. Work includes raking, clearing pathways, helping park cars. BLM is flexible with student schedules. Rewards for volunteers, including camp area during the anniversary re-enactments. Transportation available. To volunteer, contact Mike Bilbo, Mike_Bilbo@blm.gov or call 838-1278.

For details on the Civil War re-enactments scheduled for Nov. 5 - 7, and 2nd Fort Craig Conference, Nov. 8 & 9, see http://www.nm.blm.gov/sfo/fort_craig/fort_craig_special_events.htm

GO BOND ON NOV. 2 ELECTION BALLOT:
--On Nov. 2, New Mexico voters will be asked to vote on GO Bond B. This bond will allocate over $90 million to higher educational institutions throughout New Mexico. If GO Bond B passes, New Mexico Tech stands to receive over $5 million for various projects.

- $3.5 million for the renovation and additions to Jones and Kelly Halls. (Mechanical and electrical upgrades to Jones and a 9,000 square foot addition to Kelly)
- $750,000 for infrastructure improvements, which will be used to expand the Chiller Plant and other smaller projects
- $850,000 for Information Technology projects throughout campus

CAREER SERVICES (WELLS 111):

--Information Meetings: Baker Hughes has scheduled an information meeting for students who might be interested in working for them. It will be held in the Skeen Library, Tripp Room on the 2nd floor. Mon. Nov. 1, 6 to 8 p.m.

--Career Services is on the web at http://www.nmt.edu/~stuaffs/CareerServices/index.htm

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE (BROWN 100:)

Important Academic Dates:

Tuesday, Nov. 2: Last day to Change Grading Option: Last day to choose Audit, S/U, or letter grade. Last day to withdraw from a class with a "W."
Registrar's Office, Brown 100.

Thurs., Nov. 25 and Fri., Nov. 26: Thanksgiving holiday: Tech offices closed; classes not in session.

Friday, Dec. 10: Last day of classes

Saturday, Dec. 11: Finals begin

Thursday, Dec. 16: Last day of finals

Monday, Jan. 17: Orientation, registration, validation

Tuesday, Jan. 18: Classes begin

--Students, are you planning to finish your degree in December 2004? If so, please check the spelling of your name and the name of your degree at
This is how your name and degree will appear on your diploma! If you have any changes, please contact Linda Cole at the Registrar's Office, lcole@admin.nmt.edu. If your name does not appear on the list, please turn in an Intent to Graduate Form ASAP.

--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. New Mexico Tech is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution.

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