



USF Chemistry NEWS

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Good news for Chemistry

New hires

A recent announcement in the *Chronicle* is inviting applications for
A Research Assistant Professor,
Core Facility Manager/Tech X-Ray
crystallography
Research Assistant Professor,
Research Lab/Equipment Technician
Assistant Professor, Materials/Bio-
Materials

Honorary Degree Awardees

Several chemists have been or will be recipients of honorary degrees from USF. The procedure is thorough, time-consuming, and involves extensive documentation with current CV, supporting letters from internationally recognized scientists, thorough justification and documentation of an association with USF. The sequence involves nomination by the Chair, approval by our College Dean, approval by the Provost, followed by consideration by the Faculty Senate Honors and Awards Committee, and, if each step is favorable, approval by the Faculty Senate, followed by consideration by President Genshaft.

If all decisions are positive, additional consideration goes in to planning for the awarding of the degree at a suitable commencement, as well as arrangements for hosting the recipient.

Chemistry may be unique for the number of successful nominees. Past recipients have been Nobelist **Gertude Elion** (dec) in 1993, **Joanna Fowler** "D0C0" ø86+" kp" 4232." and **Joseph Francisco** in 2012 (please s3.98 L Q

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The graduates and their advisors (in parentheses) are **Jeremy Beau** *B e*
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We are grateful to Staff members who made the enjoyable event possible **Ms. Kimberly Read** coordinated. **Ms. Linda Lowe** handled the food orders. She, **Ms. Victoria Mothershed**, and **Mr. Roberto Avergonzado** also help set up.

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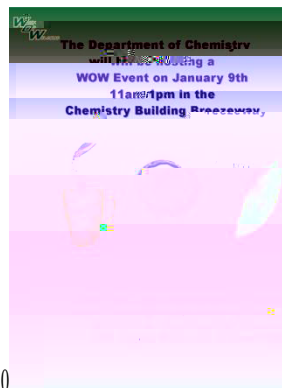
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ðXkevqtkc" ku" cp" gzc o rng" qh" c" WUH" tgugctej" administrator who is truly committed to advancing her competencies in the field. She is an active member of the Society of Research Administrators International (SRA) and helped organize a group of USF staff studying for the Certified Research Cf o kpkuvtecvqt" Gzc o kpcvkqpoö

Our sincerest congratulations on this latest recognition.

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Good Advice

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Kyle E Garland

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Col. Kyle Garland, USAF (ret), was the guest speaker at the Air Force ROTC Commissioning Ceremony of Detachment 158. Most recently he was detachment commander and the Professor of Aerospace Studies. The guidance given to the newly

AFROTC Parade

The annual change-of-command parade of Detachment 158 AFROTC unit was held December 6th at the Soccer Field. Pictured is the pre-parade gathering that includes members of the unit, **Col. Richard Y. Newton, Jr.** USAF (Ret), the honoree (red tie), a chemistry faculty member (striped tie), and three recipients of the annual

Martin AFROTC Leadership Award. Members in the white shirts and black

