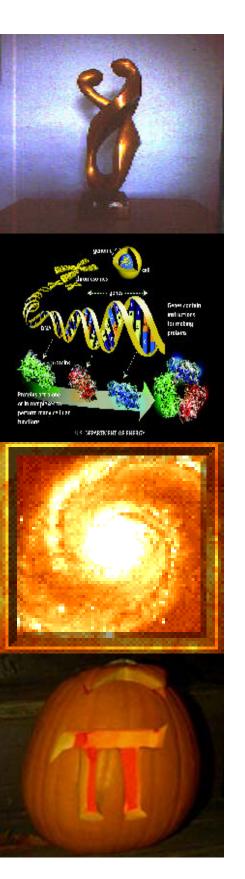


NEW YORK CITY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES



PROGRAM

The Second
Annual Poster
Session of Faculty
and Student
Research

Thursday, November 18, 2004 Room 225 N

Faculty and Student Presentations: 1 pm ~ 5 pm

Opening and Greetings

Dr. Joseph Rosen, Dean of the School of Arts & Sciences **Dr. Stephen Soiffer**, Special Assistant to the President

Biology

- 1. Niloufar Haque (co-authored with Gong, C-X., Sengupta, A., Iqbal, K. and Grundke-Iqbal, I.)- "Regulation of microtubule-associated proteins, protein kinases, and protein phosphatases during differentiation of SY5Y cells."
- 2. Isaac Barjis- "Modeling, Simulation and Biology."
- 3. Laina Karthikeyan (co-authored with Gl. Alexander and P. Shashidharan) "Glutamate Toxicity In Parkinson's Disease."
- 4. Sanjoy Chakraborty- "Is Obesity and reproduction linked phenomenon?"
- 5. Zongmin Li (co-authored with Regina Gussie, Lisette Arnaud, Patricia Rockwell, Maria E. Figueiredo-Pereira) "Linking Proteasomal Dysfunction and Neurodegeneration: A Genetic Approach."

Chemistry

- 1. Alyse Rich, Vincent Ong, Simon Dexter, Pamela Brown* "Kinetics and Purification of Microwave Induced and Conventional Synthesis of 3-Methylbutylacetate (banana oil) and Ethylacetate."
- 2. Pamela Brown and Janet Liou-Mark- "The Teacher Preparation Program for Mathematics and Science Majors."

Literature, Humanities and Linguistics

- 1. Stephanie Smolinsky- "Sound Patterns and Meaning in Keats' Bright Star."
- 2. Esther Goodman- "Forverts, Forward, Forverts, Forward: The Three Lives and Languages of Jewish Immigrants' American Newspaper."
- 3. Jane Mushabac "Being a Writer: Writing about Women, the Coordinates of Gender and Place."
- 4. Annette Saddik "Curtains of Fire: Fragmented Representations of American Identity in the Theater of the Vietnam War."

Mathematics

- 1. Nadia Benakli "Group actions on products of trees"
- 2. Ezra Halleck "Linear Diophantine systems of equations and the Elliott-MacMahon algorithm".
- 3. Zhao Chen- "A Linear Homomorphism of Displacement Structured Representation."
- 4. Urmi Ghosh-Dastidar- "A Hybrid Method for Global Optimization."
- 5. Alexander Rozenblyum- "Quantum Rotation Group and Discrete Orthogonal Polynomials"
- 6. Hans Schoutens "Limit singularities."
- 7. Zhao Chen, Janet Liou-Mark and Arnavaz Taraporevala "Exploring Calculus Using a Maple Approach."

Physics and Engineering

- 1. Gregory Matloff- "Perforated Light Sails and Nanotechnology."
- 2. Vladimir Boyko (with co-authors M. Chopra, Siu-Wai Chan, R.L. Meng, C.W. Chu) "Microstructure design by twinning and additions in YBCO crystals for enhanced Jc at high magnetic fields."
- 3. Vladimir Boyko (with co-authors O. White and S. Bhaskaran) "The atomic structure of the large-angle grain boundaries Sigma5 (misorientation angles 36.87^ and 53.13^) containing oxygen and yttrium vacancies in YBCO."
- 4. Vladimir Boyko (with co-authors R.Ya. Kezerashvili and A.M. Levine) "Transport propetrties of large-angle grain boundaries containing point defects in YBCO", Phys. Rev. B, v. 69, No. 21, p.21502, 2004.
- 5. Lufeng Leng (co-authored with Y. Wang et. al.) "Impact of Cascaded Thin-film Filters on Metro Networks Employing NRZ, LPF-DB and CSRZ Formats."
- 6. Santhees Nadarajan, Joe W. Yeol, Yeong Ryu "Behavior-based Path Decision and Obstacle Avoidance of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles."
- 7. Gilberto Valle, Joe W. Yeol Yeong Ryu "Autonomous Parking Algorithm of Car-like Robots with the Shortest Path."
- 8. Roman Kezerashvili "Computer Based Laboratory Experiments in College Physics." Presentation of a new book.
- 9. Reginald Blake (co-authored with Akini Bando, Rafael Pena) "Local Mercury Deposition from Coal-Fired Power Plants Case Study: Kincaid, Illinois."

Social Science

- 1. Hugh Mcdonald "Radical Value Philosophy as an Environmental Ethics."
- 2. Costas Panayotakis "Capitalism's Dialects of Society: Globalization and the Political Implications of Three Ecological Scenarios."