

*Department of*  
***Chemical Engineering***  
university of massachusetts amherst

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## Fall 2011 Seminar List

*Department Seminars are held Tuesday at 11:15 in LGRT 201, unless otherwise noted. Coffee is available at 11:00 in LGRT 201. The public is cordially invited to attend. Student Seminars are held on Thursday at 11:15 in LGRT 201.*

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| Tuesday, September 13  | <b>Chinedum Osuji</b> , Yale University<br>"New Directions in Directed Self-Assembly of Block Copolymers and Polymer Nanocomposites"<br>Host: Jessica Schiffman                                                                      |
| Tuesday, September 20  | <b>Harry Bermudez</b> , Department of Polymer Science, Univ. of Massachusetts<br>Host: Shelly Peyton                                                                                                                                 |
| Thursday, September 22 | Student seminars: Charlie Swofford (Forbes Lab)                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Thursday, September 29 | Alumni Lecture: <b>Matthew Tirrell</b> , University of Chicago<br>"Protein Analogous Micelles: Versatile, Modular Nanoparticles for Biomedical Applications"<br>Host: T.J. Mountziaris                                               |
| Friday, September 30   | Alumni Lecture: <b>Matthew Tirrell</b> , University of Chicago<br>"Molecular Engineering: Building an Innovative Engineering Program"<br>3:00 in Campus Center 163C, Reception to follow in the Amherst Room, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor |
| Tuesday, October 4     | <b>Aaron Deskins</b> , Worcester Polytechnic Institute<br>Host: Wei Fan                                                                                                                                                              |
| Thursday, October 6    | Student seminars: Joe White (Bhatia Lab) and Ray Sehgal (Maroudas/Ford Labs)                                                                                                                                                         |
| Thursday, October 13   | <b>Matt Kipper</b> (sponsored with the Department of Chemistry), 1634 LGRT at 11:15<br>"Sweet Nanomaterials for Tissue Engineering: The Secret Lives of Polysaccharides"<br>Host: Shelly Peyton                                      |
| Tuesday, October 25    | <b>Michael Klein</b> , Delaware<br>Host: George Huber                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Thursday, October 27   | Student seminar: Ronen Weingarten (Conner lab) and Jin Yang (Dauenhauer Lab)                                                                                                                                                         |
| Thursday, November 3   | <b>Matthew W. Liberatore</b><br>Host: Surita Bhatia                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Tuesday, November 15   | <b>Bruce Cook</b> from BP + 1 hr with students<br>Host: Paul Dauenhauer                                                                                                                                                              |
| Thursday, November 17  | Student seminars: Timothy Hanly (Henson Lab) and Will Herrick (Peyton Lab)                                                                                                                                                           |
| Thursday, December 8   | Student seminars: Ryan Reeves (Mountziaris Lab) and Whitney Stoppel (Roberts Lab)                                                                                                                                                    |