

CBI News June 2006

Congratulations to our CBI Trainees for 2006-2007

Brad Pearse, MCB, Hebert lab
Rochelle Arvizo, Chemistry, Rotello lab
Rob Smock, MCB, Gierasch lab
Sharon Leitch, Chemistry, Maroney lab
Sarvesh Agrawal, Chemical Engineering, Bhatia lab
Fe Consolacion, Chemistry, Thompson lab
Annie Marcelino, Chemistry, Gierasch lab

Congratulations to all the nominees – it was great to see a good number of well-qualified students nominated! Of course, this made the selection difficult, but there will be more opportunities for those not selected: we encourage everyone to continue your good work and stay active in the CBI program to be eligible for Traineeships (NIH and UMass) that will be awarded in spring 2007.

Welcome also to our **newest CBI faculty member**, Lianhong Sun, from Chemical Engineering.
<http://www.ecs.umass.edu/che/faculty/sun.html>

Mark your calendars and check out the new CBI Chalk Talk lunchtime format this fall...

On Wednesdays 12-1:30 pm, join us for informal interactions and cross-interface discussions:

Noon pizza

12:15 Lab #1

Professor – overview + discussion

Student - a sample of your experiments

Both - more discussion

12:50 Lab #2

Professor – overview + discussion

Student - a sample of your experiments

Both - more discussion

Have lunch with the CBI community on:

September 20, 2006

January 24, 2007

October 11, 2006

February 21, 2007

November 8, 2006

March 14, 2007

December 13, 2006

April 11, 2007

Get those **CBI requirements** done promptly!

In order for everyone to get maximum benefit from your cross-training in Chemistry & Biology, CBI members will be expected to complete their courses chosen from each of these 2 lists by the end of the second year. This means all CBI Members reading this email should complete their courses from the Chemistry and Biology lists in the coming academic year!

Join us for a midsummer break at the **CBI in July Ice Cream Social**.

Wed July 26, 2pm in LGRT 1634...

Have a productive and enjoyable summer!

Lynmarie