

Autumn 2010 Newsletter

Firstly apologies about the lack of Sept/Oct Newsletter as I have been snowed under.

Conference

Kathleen is helping with the organisation of this year's conference so please follow her instructions on the talks/poster titles. The full programme will be sent out to guests/industrial supervisors in January. A prompt reply will help me in deciding which wines to have at the conference dinner.

New Students

We have started numerous students in the last few months, so a big welcome to:

- David Lloyd and Daniel Kurukji who are working with Syngenta.
- Angad Rihal working with Unilever
- Suzanne Pinkney working with Imerys
- Robert Blisset working with Rocktron
- David Bell working with Dupont Teijin Films
- Christine Rowan working with Campden BRI.
- Tom Avery working with Mast Carbon
- Raul Perez Mohedano working with P&G

There will be another batch of five students starting in January and another one at the end of the month. This makes 31 new students in the first 15 months of funding.

Vivas

Paul Wilson will be having his examination in early December and two more research engineers are awaiting viva dates to be confirmed.

Exams

Once the exam programme has been finalised I will forward to you all, but please do not book any holidays for mid/late January.

Xmas Holidays

Please remind all your supervisors of your plans for the festive period.