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THIS WEEK IN Science

Rapid Planet Formation

To understand star and planet formation, the locations, spatial distribution, and properties of low-mass objects that could be proto-stars or young stars need to be determined. Briceño *et al.* (p. 93; see Perspective by Kastner) have begun a largescale photometric and spectroscopic survey of the Orion star-forming region. Their sur-

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DO NATURE RESERVES WORK? Globally, nature reserves are set aside for the protection of biodiversity, but despite much discussion, there are few data to indicate the effectiveness of these reserves in

slowing the pace of habitat destruction. Bruner *et al.* (p. 125) paint a guardedly optimistic picture of the position in tropical regions. Their survey of 93 parks in 23 countries shows that a degree of protection is achieved even if funding is scarce, but that there is also a direct correlation between the resources devoted to a park and its effectiveness.

vey indicates that there are 168 new pre-main sequence stars, smaller than one solar mass, in the Orion OB1b and OB1a molecular clouds with an age range of 1 to 10 million years. Many stars are found in regions without disks or gas, which suggests that any planet formation around these stars is complete and thus that these planets formed within a few million years.

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A Silver Setting for Fluorescence

Silver clusters with unusual fluorescence dynamics have been made on demand by a photochemical route. Peyser *et al.* (p. 103) photoreduced silver oxide nanoparticles with light to create small

fluorescent silver clusters stabilized within an oxide matrix. Excitation of these small silver particles with green light led to strong red fluorescence. Excitation with blue light led to unusual blinking dynamics with large spectral shifts—the same particle could switch between emitting green, red, or yellow light over time, with silver oxide likely transferring energy to the silver clusters. These results



offer possibilities for writing data with blue light (creating clusters) and reading it with green light (as red fluorescence).

Electrochemical Separation of Olefins

Olefins such as ethylene and propylene are basic feedstocks for the chemical industry, and most of their cost comes not from their synthesis but from expensive cryogenic separation. Electrochemical approaches for separation, in which an olefin could be bound selectively to a carrier and later released, have been explored but have suffered from poisoning by feedstream impurities or from irreversible reactions. Wang and Stiefel (p. 106; see the Perspective by Crabtree) show that certain nickel dithiolene complexes form olefin complexes. Binding appears to occur at sulfur instead of at the metal center, and thus aliphatic olefins could bind even in the presence of typical contaminants such as H_2S , H_2O , H_2 , and CO.

All Together Now

Most examples of quantum tunneling through barriers in molecules involve protons. Tunneling events can be synchronized in highly symmetric molecules, but environmental effects often break the symmetry and make such coherent tunneling difficult to observe. Horsewill *et al.* (p. 100) make a case for coherent proton tunneling in a network of four hy-

drogen bonds between the OH groups in calix[4]arene. They observed a peak at 35 megahertz in the proton spin-lattice relaxation rate in solid-state samples below 80 K, which they attribute to tunneling of excited state levels.

Topological Junctions in Nanotubes

Theoretical studies of carbon nanotubes have indicated that the chirality, and hence the electronic properties, can change along the length of the nanotube. Far from being unwanted defects, modeling data suggest that these intramolecular junctions may function as molecular-sized metal-metal and metal-semiconductor building blocks for applications in molecular electronics. Ouyang *et al.* (p. 97) use scanning tunneling microscopy to verify the existence of such intramolecular junctions.

Southern Warmth

Ice core records of surface air temperatures in Greenland and Antarctica show that both regions experienced many of the same oscillations between warmer and colder climates during the last glacial period. It has, however, become apparent that these events were not synchronous. Blunier and Brook (p. 109; see the Perspective by Shackleton) present a relative chronology for these regions, extending back to 90,000 years before the present, using the atmospheric concentration of methane as a correlative tool. During this period, seven millennial-scale interhemispheric warming events occurred. In each case, Antarctic warming preceded warming in Greenland.

Location Does Matter

Action potentials and excitatory post-synaptic potentials (EPSPs) interact during normal nervous system function. It has been assumed that action potentials always reset the membrane potential during an EPSP. However, the original data came from spinal cord motor neurons and may not apply to neurons with extensive dendritic trees. Häusser *et al.* (p. 138) have analyzed EPSP shunting produced by antidromic action potentials and found that synaptic events with a brief underlying conductance were shunted more effectively than longer-lasting responses. Synaptic potentials initiated in dendrites were less affected than somatic ones. Thus, the interaction between action potentials and EPSPs depends on the EPSP type and location.



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Grammar Acquisition

In evolutionary history, the emergence of language ranks as one of the most important breakthroughs. Linguistic research has suggested that humans possess a "universal grammar"—an innate set of mechanisms that is required for language learning. Nowak *et al.* (p. 114) formulate a mathematical theory for the population dynamics of grammar acquisition, showing how natural selection can determine the length of the learning period and limit the size of the searching space within which learning procedures evaluate sample sentences.

An RNA Snowplow

Processing of messenger RNA (mRNA) requires intervening sequences to be excised in a process mediated by the mRNA splicing machinery. An early step in assembling the spliceosome is forming a helical, double-stranded RNA-protein complex, which provides for sequence recognition, and then rearranging this structure. RNA helicases have been shown by genetic means to be involved in this rearrangement. Jankowsky *et al.* (p. 121) describe the biochemical role of NPH-II, an RNA helicase, in dislodging the protein (U1A) from the double-stranded RNA. The helicase appears to act as a snowplow either before or in concert with unwinding of the helix.

Breaking and Entering

Malaria parasites have complex life cycles. After inoculation of the parasite when a mosquito feeds on humans, the sporozoite stages motor around the body seeking out the liver. Mota *et al.* (p. 141; see the news story by Enserink) show that during this stage they are unfussy about which cells they invade and do so simply by breaking through the plasma membrane and then exiting the same way. However, the parasite will stop to replicate if it has entered by a pathway in which it becomes enfolded in host membranes, forming a parasitophorous vacuole. Perhaps the migratory phase allows the parasite to accumulate host factors on its surface, which in turn trigger signalling for a subtle form of host-cell entry that allows the parasite to reside under cover.



Fighting Mildew

Flor's gene-for-gene hypothesis has been seminal in describing plant responses: if the plant does have a resistance (*R*) gene for a specific pathogen, then that pathogen is arrested by induced local necrosis of host cells. But what farmers really want is broad-spectrum resistance to a range of plant pests. Xiao *et al.* (p. 118) have identified a new class of resistance genes in the model plant *Arabidopsis*, called the *RPW8* locus, which confers broad-spectrum resistance to a range of important agronomic fungal pathogens called the powdery mildews.

A Migration Signal

During normal animal development, cells often migrate from one area to another. Duchek and Rørth (p. 131) have examined a two-step cell migration event that occurs during oogenesis in *Drosophila*: a cluster of somatic follicle cells migrates posteriorly between the nurse cells toward the oocyte and then proceeds dorsally toward the germinal vesicle. The epidermal growth factor signaling pathway is involved, with the ligand Gurken specifically directing the dorsal migration.

Hair and Hair-after

Chemotherapy-induced alopecia (hair loss) is a frequent and emotionally distressing side effect of cancer treatment. The epithelial cells in the hair follicle are especially susceptible to cytotoxic drugs because they divide so rapidly. Davis *et al.* (p. 134; see the news story by Marx) used structure-based methods to design small-molecule inhibitors of cyclin-dependent kinase 2, a protein that promotes cell cycle progression. Topical application of these compounds to neonatal rats prior to administration of chemotherapy significantly reduced hair loss in the animals.



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The AAAS Annual Meeting is always one of the year's premier scientific events, and we expect the 2001 meeting to be truly exciting. The program is diverse, comprehensive and showcases some of the most exciting, cutting edge work in science and engineering. We are assembling lectures, symposia, seminars and other events that will challenge and inform you on a wide array of emerging issues in science, engineering and technology.

Many remarkable advances in science and engineering hold great promise for the future. With completion of the human genome, attention turns now to the application of this massive body of information. The 2001 Genome Seminar will examine many of the issues, including drug development, proteomics, data management and ethics that this new frontier presents. Equally exciting are the startling potentials that will be presented in a special seminar on nanotechnology. Leading researchers will present the opportunities and challenges of nanotechnology in materials science, medicine, electronics, and computing.

In addition to the outstanding sessions on cutting edge science and engineering, the meeting will provide the unusual opportunity to hear in-depth discussions on a wide range of issues that confront us all—from how to best educate our children to the role of science in government to international environmental initiatives.

With meeting co-chairs, Michael Bishop of the University of California at San Francisco and Goéry Delacôte of the Exploratorium, I invite you to be a part of a most exciting and intellectually stimulating week.

I look forward to seeing you in San Francisco!

Sincerely,

May I God

Mary L. Good AAAS President, University of Arkansas at Little Rock and Venture Capital Investors, L.L.C.

Thursday, February 15

Student Science Convocation

5:00PM-6:30PM

American Junior Academy of Science Poster Displays

AAAS President's Lecture and Reception

6:30PM-9:00PM

Mary L. Good, President, AAAS, Venture Capital Investors and University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Friday, February 16

Plenary Lecture

6:30PM-7:30PM

Karen Stephenson, Chair and CEO, NetForm and Anderson School of Management, UCLA

Saturday, February 17

Plenary Lecture

6:30PM-7:30PM

Francis Collins, National Center for Human Genome Research, National Institutes of Health

Sunday, February 18

Plenary Lecture

6:30PM-7:30PM

J. Craig Venter, President and CSO, Celera Genomics

Monday, February 19

Plenary Lecture

8:00AM-9:00AM

Alfred Berkeley, President, The NASDAQ Stock Exchange, Inc.

Plenary Lecture

6:30PM-7:30PM

David Malin, Photographic Scientist and Astronomer, Anglo Australian Observatory

Topical Lectures

Friday, February 16

Morning Lectures (8:00AM-8:45AM)

Daniel Kleppner, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Two Hundred Years of Quantum Physics

Duis Villarreal, University of California-Irvine Role of Persisting DNA Viruses and Retroviruses in Host Evolution

Special Lecture (12:30PM-1:15PM)

Hendrik Tent, Research Directorate General, European Union

Towards a European Research Area Opened to the World

Afternoon Lectures (1:30PM-2:15PM)

Troy Duster, University of California-Berkeley Human Genetic Technologies and Taxonomies: Old Wine in New Bottles and New Wine in Old Bottles

Judy Kegl, University of Southern Maine Language Emergence in a Language-Ready Brain

Norman Neureiter, U.S. Department of State

Lisa Randall, Massachusetts Institute of Technology New Dimensions to Einstein's Gravity

Saturday, February 17

Morning Lectures (8:00AM-8:45AM)

Lewis Branscomb, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University Setting the Standard for Scientific Integrity: 100 Years of NBS/NIST

Charles Groat, U.S. Geological Survey Natural Hazard Reduction: Is Our Science Bold

🥱 Maria Elena Zavala, California State University-Northridge Molecular Signals in Plants

Afternoon Lectures (2:00PM-2:45PM)

Donald Kennedy, Stanford University and Science Magazine New Tests for Science

Isaiah Warner, Louisiana State University Diversity: A Necessary Component of Science

Lectures

JOHN P. MCGOVERN AWARD LECTURE: Brenda Milner, Montreal Neurological Institute, McGill University

Sunday, February 18

Morning Lectures (8:00AM-8:45AM)

Susan Quinn, Author Marie Curie and the Nobel Committee

Mark Yim, Xerox PARC Rethinking Robotics: A Modular Reconfigurable Approach

Alison Gopnik, University of California-Berkeley The Scientist in the Crib: What Early Learning Tells Us about the Mind

■ Special Lecture (1:00PM-1:45PM)

Rita Colwell, National Science Foundation

■ Afternoon Lectures (2:00PM-2:45PM)

Margaret Johnston, National Institute for Allergy and Infectious Diseases, National Institute of Health

Progress in HIV/AIDS Vaccine Development

Jerry Nelson, University of California-Santa Cruz Astronomy and Adaptive Optics

GEORGE SARTON AWARD LECTURE: David A. Hollinger, University of California-Berkeley Why Are Jews Preeminent in Science and Scholarship? The Veblen Thesis of 1919 Reconsidered

Oynthia Kenyon, University of California-San Francisco The Regulation of Aging in C. elegans

Monday, February 19

Afternoon Lectures (2:00PM-2:45PM)

Goéry Delacôte, The Exploratorium Apoptosis: The Way for Science Centers to Thrive

Science Innovation

Enough?

NANOTECHNOLOGY

A New Frontier for Science and Engineering

Thursday, February 15 12:00NOON-5:30PM

Friday, February 16 9:00AM–12:00NOON 2:30PM–5:30PM

Organized by Philip H. Abelson, AAAS, Charles W. Clark, National Institute of Standards and Technology, James Ellenbogen, Mitre Corporation, Paul Alivisatos, University of California-Berkeley and Michael S. Strauss, AAAS

2001 GENOME SEMINAR

Beyond the Human Genome

Saturday, February 17 9:00AM-12:00NOON 3:00PM-6:00PM

Sunday, February 18 9:00AM–12:NOON 3:00PM–6:00PM

Organized by J. Craig Venter, Celera Genomics, Claire Fraser, TIGR and Barbara Jasny, AAAS and Science

The 2001 Genome Seminar is cosponsored by AAAS, *Science* Magazine and The Institute for Genomic Research (TIGR)

The emerging field of nanotechnology provides new opportunities to transform wide areas of science and engineering. The unique behavior of nanoscale materials enables them to serve as catalysts and to take advantage of giant magnetic resistance they afford. Further, new instrumentation is providing the tools for exploration and manipulation of the nanoscale environment. As a successor to the current technology employed in silicon and other semiconductor devices, nanoscale materials promise a new "computer revolution." Laboratories and research institutes in the U.S. have been increasingly active in studies related to nanotechnology and nanoengineering. However, these face a rapidly increasing global competition. To this end, recent government initiatives provide promise of much-needed funding for this work. This seminar will examine important opportunities presented by nanotechnology for engineering, technology, science and society. It will encompass several areas where this technology promises transforming innovations showcasing the work of leading scientists and engineers in this emerging field.

The recent sequencing of the human genome, although it represents an enormous landmark in the history of science, is not the end but the beginning of a new era of research. From microarray technology to DNA vaccines to taking the first steps into the new frontier of proteomics—this two-day seminar explores the new kinds of research that will be possible and the new technologies being developed.

Among the topics to be addressed are whole genome sequencing, comparative genomics regulatory regions, proteomics, microarrays, SNPs, functional genomics, genetic networks, pharmacogenomics, artificial chromosomes, DNA patenting and genetic discrimination. Speakers include:

Paul Alivisatos, UC-Berkelev Phaedon Avouris, IBM-Yorktown Charles Clark, NIST Harold G. Craighead, Cornell Univ Mildred Dresselhaus, MIT Donald Eigler, IBM Almaden Rech Cntr James Ellenbogen, MITRE Franz J. Himpsel, Univ of WI Phil Kuekes and Stan Williams, Hewlett-Packard Uzi Landman, GA Tech Neal Lane,* Asst. to President for Sci and Tech James Meindl, GA Tech Pierre Petroff, Univ of CA-Santa Barbara Mara Prentiss, Harvard Univ Mark Reed, Yale Univ Michael L. Roukes, Caltech Samuel Stupp, Northwestern Univ George Whitesides, Harvard Univ Ellen Williams, Univ of MD Bernard Yurke, Bell Lab, Lucent

* Invited, not yet confirmed

Speakers include:

Adam Arkin,* Stanford Univ Aravinda Chakravarti,* John Hopkins Univ Andrew Clark, Celera Genomics John Doll, U.S. Pat Off Bernard Dujon, CNRS Michael Eisen, Lawrence Berkeley Nat'l Lab Eric Green, NHGRI/NIH Leroy Hood,* Univ of WA Dennis Hochstrasser, Geneva Univ Hosp Mike Hunkapiller, Appl Byosyst Barbara Jasny, AAAS and Science Stuart Kim, Stanford Univ Med Cntr Gavin Macbeath. Harvard Univ Joe Nadeau, CWR Univ Greg Petsko, Brandeis Univ Wendell Weber, Univ MI Hunt Willard, CWR Univ Barbara Wold, Caltech J. Craig Venter, Celera Genomics

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2001 FORUM FOR SCHOOL SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

Addressing Critical Issues in K-12 Science, Mathematics and Technology Education: What Can Urban School Districts Do?

Monday, February 19 9:30AM—6:30PM

Organized by Shirley Malcom, Madeline Long and Betty Calinger, AAAS

The 2001 Forum for School Science and Mathematics will be devoted to issues identified by urban school districts in California and across the nation as critical to the teaching and learning of science and mathematics. These include: (1) strategic uses of technology to support children's cognitive development, (2) what mathematics should be taught to all students, (3) literacy and K-12 science education, and (4) recruiting, preparing, and retaining K-12 teachers of mathematics and science. Participants will discuss these topics in multi-hour sessions organized by practitioners and researchers. In addition to group discussions, a panel of superintendents from large urban districts will address these issues and others that they have faced while leading system-wide programs to improve mathematics and science education. Among those organizing panels and speaking are:

Louis Gomez, Northwestern University Elizabeth Stage, University of California System Jerry Valadez, Fresno Unified School District Maria Lopez-Freeman, California Science Project Martin Friedman, National School and Community Corps, Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation Santiago Wood, Fresno Unified School District

Brain, Mind and Behavior

| FRI | AM | Reading & Dyslexia: The Brain |
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| Fri | PM | Addiction Is a Brain Disease |
| Fri | РМ | Statistics in Natural Language |
| Sat | AM | Origin of Mathematical Thinking |
| SAT | РМ | Many Languages–One Grammar |
| Sun | AM | The Human Brain After Injury |
| SUN | AM | Wine & Conversation |
| SUN | РМ | Precursors to Human Communication |
| Mon | AM | Modality Effects on Language |
| Mon | РМ | Language Learning in Infancy |
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Communicating Science

| Fri | AM | Juggling, Magic, Sports and Combinatorics |
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| Fri | AM | Who Should Write the Story of Science? |
| Fri | РМ | Communicating the Future |
| SAT | AM | Science & the News Media |
| SAT | РМ | Science Is Fun! |
| SUN | AM | Science & Conflicts of Interests |
| SUN | РМ | Communicating Sustainability |
| Mon | AM | Biotechnology Communications |
| Mon | РМ | What Makes a Science Book Become a Best |
| | | Seller? |
| Tue | AM | Science Fiction & Science |
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Doing Science Globally

| Fri | AM | Int'l Efforts to Stop Invasive Species |
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| Fri | РМ | Science & Health Disparities |
| Fri | PM | Int'l Efforts to Stop Invasive Species |
| SAT | AM | Science at the Earth's Poles |
| SAT | AM | Drug Abuse Research: Latin America |
| SAT | РМ | Science at the Earth's Poles |
| SAT | РМ | Science & Technology in Latin America |
| SUN | РМ | Pollutants Without Borders |
| SUN | РМ | Agr Biotech & the Public Sector |
| Mon | AM | Globalization of Science |
| Mon | РМ | Global Perspectives on Emerging Research |
| Mon | РМ | Capital, Innovation & the Pacific Rim |

Education and Public Understanding of Science

- Science Education as a Subversive Activity? AM FRI
- PM Policy for Pre-College Science Education FRI Minority Outreach in Science & Math
- AM SAT Technological Literacy SAT PM
- SUN AM
- Beyond TIMSS: Professional Development Making Active Learning Successful SUN AM
- Journey Beyond TIMSS: New Insights SUN PM
- "Antievolutionism": What Changed? SUN PM
- Computerized Adaptive Testing MON AM
- Collaboration of Scientists & Museums MON AM
- The Literacy Crisis in Deaf Education MON PM
- Bringing Space Science to Earth MON PM
- MON PM Historical Sciences & Science Education
- Genetically Modified Foods TUE AM

Environment, Food and Natural Resources

Fri AM Prospects for Feeding 10 Billion People The Livestock Revolution Fri PM SAT AM Food Safety & the Tech Revolution AM Subglacial Lakes: Planetary Perspective SAT Carbon Mgmt, Energy & Environment SAT PM PM Natural Disasters Along the Pacific Rim SAT SUN AM Pre-European Landscapes of the West SUN PM Advances in Wine & Cheese The Aguaculture Paradox SUN PM Archaeology & Sustainable Development MON AM TUE AM Science & Water Issues of Northern CA

Life Science and the Science of Life

Deep-Sea Hydrothermal Vents: Life Fri AM Phylogeny, Evolution & Genomics of Plants Fri PM Sat AM Understanding Domestication SAT PM The Scientific Role of National Parks Biology Into Space: Gravity SUN AM The Future of Plant and Animal Biotech SUN AM Earth System Science: Quiet Revolution SUN PM Life is Complex SUN PM Influences on Biol Community Structure MON PM Looking Beyond Earth

AM Assembling the Universe: Star Formation FRI From Gas and Gravity to Galaxies SAT AM Rebuilding the Galactic Neighborhood SAT PM SUN AM A Telescope the Size of Earth Infrared Astronomy: Molecules of Life MON AM MON PM Human Exploration of Space MON PM Planetary Systems: Origin and Evolution

Medicine and Public Health

- FRI AM Support During Pregnancy & Birth
- Bioactive Lipids & Drug Discovery AM FRI
- Fri PM Non-Injectable Insulin-A Reality?
- Stem Cell & Parkinson's Disease Fri PM The Rebirth of Tetracyclines PM FRI
 - Malaria in Africa
- SAT AM SAT AM Screening for Inborn Diseases
- SAT PM The Autoimmune Diseases-Why Women?
- SUN AM Stress & Health
- SUN PM How Long Can Humans Live?
- MON AM Mathematics & Medicine
- Obesity: Causes & Solutions MON PM

Science and Society

- Cultivating the Civic Scientist FRI AM
- Language & the Criminal Law FRI AM
- РМ Visual Symbiosis of Art & Math FRI
- Statistics & Human Rights Fri PM
- Sat AM Bio-Technology & Bio-Weapons
- PM **Recruiting & Retaining Minorities** SAT PM
- SAT Technology & Cultural Heritage Materials Native American Human Remains SUN AM
- Music & Statistical Models SUN AM
- SUN PM Science for the Community
- SUN ΡМ The Return of 'Collegiality' to Science To Pledge or Not to Pledge MON AM
- Mathematics in Pricing & Hedging
- MON AM
- Mon PM The Research Museum

Science and the Biosphere

Sustainable Coasts: Counting the Costs FRI AM

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- SAT AM The Scientific Theory of Marine Reserves
- Science & Policy of Marine Reserves SAT PM
- Extinction Vulnerability SUN AM
- SUN PM Humans & High Altitude Environments Coral Reefs in Crisis MON AM
 - Science, Engineering and **Public Policy**
- Fri AM The Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty
- FRI PM Arms Control & Proliferation Concerns
- Standards & Rate of Technology Development SAT AM
- SAT AM Math of Apportionments
- Math Aspects of Intellectual Property SAT PM
- Shaping the Genetic Future of Man SUN PM
- Government's Role in the Commercialization MON AM
- MON AM Bench Scientists & Science Policy
- Patenting Genes & Business Methods MON PM
- TUE AM Implications of Minimal Genomes

Technology Impacts on Society and Engineering

| Sat | РМ | Simulations, Complexity & Ethics |
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| Mon | AM | Functional Genomics |
| MON | PM | Networking Technologies & Research |

Science Innovation

- Matter and Antimatter: Not Quite Opposites FRI AM
- Fri PM Accelerating Discovery: Supercomputers
- Coming Revolutions in Particle Physics FRI PM
- Learning and Plasticity in the Brain SAT AM
- SAT PM Signal Transduction
- Mathematics & Visual Cortex SUN PM
- Managing the Sea of Data MON AM
- Quantum Computing & Communication Mon PM

Seminars

| THUR PM | Nanotechnology Seminar |
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| Fri AM | Nanotechnology Seminar |
| Fri PM | Nanotechnology Seminar |
| SAT AM | 2001 Genome Seminar |
| SAT PM | 2001 Genome Seminar |
| SUN AM | 2001 Genome Seminar |
| SUN PM | 2001 Genome Seminar |
| Mon AM | 2001 Forum for School Science |
| MON PM | 2001 Forum for School Science |

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