

March 2009 #3

Message from the coordinator

Dear friends,

In this newsletter you'll find a reminder on the annual seminar and more information on the Nordic course. Don't forget to check the webpage regularly. We'll try to update it more often!

I wish you a nice spring and I look forward meeting you in Trondheim in June!!

Good news is that Sven, Roger and Markus are planning their defense in 2009. Niels, Kim and Daniel defended their thesis successfully last year. We'll miss their presence in the school!

With kind regards, Maria Zevenhoven

The annual seminar

From Sunday, June 14th, 2009 - Tuesday June 16th, 2009 the school will organise its annual (obligatory) seminar.

This year we'll visit exiting Trondheim. The school will pay your stay and food in Trondheim. Your flights will be paid by your own university.

Preliminary program:

Sunday evening Bus from Værnes airport after arrival kl. 16:40 to Jægtvolden Fjordhotell (http://www.jegtvolden.no/),

BBQ in the park of the hotel

Monday

Student presentations in the morning Invited lecture (NTNU)

Lunchexcursion to Nils Aas Kunstverksted (http://www.nils-aas-kunstverksted.no/).



Lunch from the "Gyldne Omvei" (http://www.dgo.no/).

Afternoon: Student presentations

Dinner at Skjelvågen Kai

Tuesday Student presentations

Bus to Værnes airport Flight to Copenhagen kl. 17:20.

Information about flighttimes will be uploaded on the website

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION: May 8th to Anne-Leena

Please note that the structure of presentations is different compared to last year!

New students to the school present their research plan (10 minutes).

Other students can choose to:

- 1. present their research progress. The presentation ends with conclusions and future actions.
- or
- 2. to present a problem/subject they would need to get feedback on. The presentation ends with questions to be discussed with the audience

Presentation time will be 20 min+10 minutes discussion.

DEADLINE FOR YOUR PPT: June 10th to be send to Maria.

In this way we save time at the seminar when all presentations are ready for showing

All students connected to the school are very important for the success of the school and we really hope to meet you all in Trondheim.

Yearbook

It is also time again to collect all our work and write a new yearbook. This year the book will collect all your activities from June 2008-June 2009. New students will have to publish their research plan. The others will have to report their results. Please do not forget to include your publications you wrote/presented last year! All students connected to the school will have to give their contribution. This means all of you, also those who left the school during the last year!!!, that get their salary and those who are "connected" to the school.

If you doubt if you are part of the school please contact your supervisor at your university or the coordinator (mzevenho@abo.fi)

DEADLINE FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTION: May 25th to be send to Anne-Leena

Anne-Leena will send you a template in due time

Course in Analytical techniques in combustion

The Nordic course has started with a successful measurement campaign at CTH and a very intensive week at DTU.

The course concept will be $4x \ 1$ week of intensive lectures, practical work, exams and homework.

PUT A NOTE IN YOUR AGENDA!!

Part 3: May 4-8th at NTNU Morten Grønli (NTNU) will inform you soon about enrolment and course schedule

Part 4: September 21-25th Contactperson: Maria Zevenhoven

Webpage Nordic biofuelsGS-2

http://web.abo.fi/instut/biofuelsGS-2/New%20web/index.html

For the internal part we use the following : Username: biofuelsGS2 Password: nOrd1c

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A team of senior researchers is additionally tightly cooperating with the coordination to organize the program, planned to be performed in BiofuelsGS2.

Peter Glarborg, Jytte Boll Illerup, Flemming Frandsen (DTU), Henrik Thunman, Lars-Erik Åmand (CTU), Øyvind Skreiberg, Morten Grønli (NTNU) Maria Zevenhoven, Anders Brink (ÅA)

Participating universities and students 2008-2009

Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden Department of Energy and Environment

Students: Fredrik Lind Sven Hermansson Stefan Hjärtstam Johanna Olsson

Technical University of Denmark (DTU), Denmark, Combustion and Harmful Emission Control (CHEC) Research Center

Students: Niels Bech Kim Hougaard Pedersen Hao Wu Norazana Ibraham Linda Norskov Anders Rooma Nielsen

Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU), Norway, Department of Energy and Process Engineering

Students: Daniel Stanghelle Geir Skjevrak Liang Wang Roger Kahlil Kavitha Pathmanatan

Åbo Akademi University, (ÅAU), Finland, Process Chemistry Centre

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