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College News

Governor’s Teaching Fellows Program

ATHENS, Ga – Edward Mondor, Ph.D. was selected as a 2017 Governor’s Teaching Fellow for the academic year symposium program. As one of 15 faculty members from institutions of higher education across the state, Dr. Mondor was selected after a highly competitive application and selection process.
The Governor’s Teaching Fellows Program was established in 1995 by Zell Miller, governor of Georgia, 1991-1999, to provide Georgia’s higher education faculty with expanded opportunities for developing important teaching skills. Governor Miller envisioned that this program would address faculty members’ pressing need to use emerging technologies and instructional tools that are becoming increasingly important for learning in today’s society.

The Governor’s Teaching Fellows Program is an outreach program of the Institute of Higher Education at the University of Georgia. To improve the quality of instruction in Georgia’s colleges and universities, the Governor’s Teaching Fellows Program assumes the complex challenge of moving college faculty members to the leading edge of instructional practice. This effort to enhance instruction in public and private higher education statewide is very much in keeping with the University of Georgia’s traditional mission as a land-grant institution committed to diversified outreach and public service.

To date, more than 84 different disciplines, professions and teaching areas have been represented by over 600 Fellows from more than 71 public and private institutions statewide. To learn more about the Institute of Higher Education and the Governor’s Teaching Fellows Program, including information on how to apply, go to http://ihe.uga.edu/outreach/governors-teaching-fellows/

Chemistry Professor published in PNAS

Ryan Fortenberry, Ph.D., of the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry recently had his work accepted for publication in PNAS as part of a collaboration with researchers from the University of Colorado. Visit the following link to view the paper and the early edition printed version of "Ultrafast 25 fs relaxation in highly excited states of methyl azide mediated by strong nonadiabatic coupling": http://www.pnas.org/content/early/2017/11/02/1712566114.abstract

Events

Let It Snow A Holiday Music Journey
When: Saturday, December 2, 2017
Where: Georgia Southern Planetarium (Math/Physics Bldg.)

“Let it Snow” features a new variety of festive classics from Frank Sinatra and Chuck Berry to Burl Ives and Brenda Lee, and includes a stunning multi-media finale by the Trans Siberian Orchestra. The soundtrack is visually enhanced with thematic animation, laser imagery, special effects and all-dome scenery.

This show is suitable for viewers of all ages. Showtimes are 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 7 p.m., and 8 p.m. Visit the Georgia Southern Planetarium website for ticket information. Admission is free!

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