



# CHEM ENG NEWS

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

### **Graduate Orals/Reading Committee Meetings:**

Ph.D. Reading Committee – S. M. Sarathy, Wednesday, July 29, 2009, MB101, 9:00 a.m.  
Research Topic: STUDYING THE SUSTAINABILITY AND COMBUSTION OF BIOFUELS  
Committee: Chair - D.W. Kirk; Supervisor - M.J. Thompson; Other Member - J.S. Wallace

### **Server Training Courses:**

Tuesday, August 25, 2009 OR Wednesday, August 26, 2009 from 6:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m., Sandford Fleming Building, 10 King's College Circle, Room 3201.

Anyone serving alcohol on campus should register to take this course. The purpose is to ensure that anyone serving alcohol is aware of their responsibilities. The University's Alcohol Policy requires all staff and volunteers involved in alcohol service to be certified through this program. Registration is limited to 35 participants, so if you would like to take the course register early.

Registration takes place at Ancillary Services, 500 University Avenue, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room 536 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Registration closed at 4:30 p.m., Monday, August 24, 2009. The cost is \$20.00 for server training and \$25.00 for manager training. Cash only please.

### **Postdoctoral Position Wanted:**

Dr. Niladri Maity is seeking a postdoctoral position. He is currently doing postdoctoral research work under the supervision of Professor Alexander Katz at the Department of Chemical engineering, University of California, Berkeley. The work is designing Surface Organometallic Catalysis for Epoxidation Reaction. Dr. Maity received his Ph.D. from the Indian Institute of Technology in Bolmbay, India in August 2008. Anyone interested can contact him directly at [niladri@berkeley.edu](mailto:niladri@berkeley.edu). A copy of his curriculum vitae is available in Room 217 for anyone who is interested.