Located on the corner of Big Springs Road and East Campus Drive, the Physical Sciences 1 Building is one of UCR’s newest state-of-the-art research facilities and the new home of the Department of Chemistry. This building, which was completed in January 2005, was constructed to the highest standards to attract students and faculty, and was designed to adapt to evolving changes in program demands and teaching/research methodologies. It contains office space and research labs for faculty, upper division class labs, as well as the Analytical Chemistry Instrumentation Facility.
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University of California, Riverside

Dean Steven R. Angle  
College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences

Professor Christopher Switzer  
Chair, Department of Chemistry

cordially invite you to the  
grand opening celebration of  
Physical Sciences I Building  
Department of Chemistry  
University of California, Riverside

Grand Opening and Reception  
Friday, December 2, 2005  
2:30 - 5:00 pm  
Physical Sciences I Courtyard

Banquet  
Friday, December 2, 2005  
6:00 - 9:00 pm  
University Extension

Alumni Symposium  
Saturday, December 3, 2005  
7:30 am - 5:00 pm  
University Extension

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Grand Opening & Reception

Friday, December 2, 2005
2:30 - 5:00 pm
Physical Sciences I
Courtyard
Cost: no charge

Featured Speaker:

Michael C. Pirrung
“Chemistry in 2020”
Professor and UC Presidential Chair
Department of Chemistry
University of California, Riverside

Reception immediately following on the Second Floor of Physical Sciences I, which will include special tours of Physical Sciences I and Pierce Hall.
Chemistry
Alumni Banquet

Friday, December 2, 2005
6:00 - 9:00 pm
University Extension
Banquet Rooms D&E
Cost: $45 per person

Featured Speaker:

Arthur D. Riggs, Ph.D.
CEO Beckman Research Institute
City of Hope Medical Center
Duarte, California
Class of 1961

Parking is free; however permits are required. For the Grand Opening & Reception on Friday, please stop at the Kiosk. For the Banquet and Symposium, pick up permits from the attendant at University Extension.
Chemistry Alumni Symposium

Saturday, December 3, 2005
7:30 am - 5:00 pm
University Extension Center, Rooms D&E
Cost: $30 per person

Featured Speakers:

Professor William Fenical
Scripps Institution of Oceanography
University of California, San Diego
Class of 1968

Professor Anne Myers Kelley
School of Natural Sciences
University of California, Merced
Class of 1980

Professor Richard R. Schrock
Department of Chemistry
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Class of 1967

Professor Donald Sawyer
Department of Chemistry
University of Kentucky

Professor Michael Rettig
“The History of the Chemistry Department – 1970 - Present”
Department of Chemistry
University of California, Riverside