

Fusion Energy Science & Technology (FEST) Seminar Series: *Year in Review, 2009*

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FEST Seminar Series 2009

- “First” seminar on 8/03/2009
- 24 seminars delivered since then (not including today) in 21 weeks: ~1/week
- 11 outside speakers
- FEST Seminars posted to ORNL Technical Calendar
 - <http://www.ornl.gov/info/technical/calendar.cfm>
 - RSS feed available (My Yahoo and Google Reader)
- Most talks available on the FEST website
 - http://info.ornl.gov/events/fest_seminar/default.aspx
- Recorded versions of the talks are also archived on the FEST website: *Thanks to Russ Overbey!*

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Announcements

Welcome to the Fusion Energy Science and Technology Seminar
 by Biewer, Theodore M.
When: 9-10 AM, 1st and 2nd floors of the ORNL X10 campus
Where: ORNL X10 campus
Why: To keep FED scientists and students up to date on the seminar
What: A 30 minute to 1 hour presentation

Seminar Archiving
 by Biewer, Theodore M.
 Speakers are asked to provide a 30 minute presentation. Also, the seminar presenters are asked to provide a 30 minute presentation.

Calendar

12/10/2009 3:00 PM	FES	Deb
12/17/2009 3:00 PM	FES	Rau
12/21/2009 9:00 AM	FES	Brie
1/4/2010 9:00 AM	FES	BBC
1/18/2010 12:00 AM	MLK	ORNL
1/21/2010 3:00 PM	FES	Don
2/1/2010 9:00 AM	FES	
2/15/2010 9:00 AM	FES	
3/1/2010 9:00 AM	FES	Dev
3/15/2010 9:00 AM	FES	

(More Events...)

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	2009_09_02_Ryutov	9/2/2009 10:49 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.
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	2009_09_10_Martin	9/10/2009 12:06 PM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_09_28_Chacón	9/28/2009 11:18 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_10_05_Srinivasan	10/5/2009 3:16 PM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_10_08_Klepper	10/8/2009 11:15 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.
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	2009_10_28_Leachman_QT	10/28/2009 3:47 PM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_10_29_Li	10/30/2009 11:21 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.
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	2009_11_12_Lumsdaine	11/12/2009 1:20 PM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_11_16_delCastillo	11/30/2009 10:02 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_11_16_delCastillo_QT	11/30/2009 10:22 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_11_23_Chen	11/23/2009 2:50 PM	Biewer, Theodore M.
	2009_11_23_chen_QT	11/30/2009 10:05 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.
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	2009_11_30_spong_QT	12/1/2009 11:56 AM	Biewer, Theodore M.

FEST Seminar paradigm

- **“Regular” seminars on 1st, 3rd (5th) Mondays at 9AM**
 - Implies ~2/month (actually hosting ~5/month)
- **“Overflow” seminars on Thursdays at 3PM**
 - Attendance at Thursday seminar is ~50% higher than Monday AM.
- **Change the paradigm for 2010?**
 - Weekly seminar on Thursdays?
 - Data supports this.
 - Let it ride as is?
 - My inclination, since initial “success” could wane.

FEST Seminar Schedule for 2010

- **Need volunteers for next year!**

Monday Dates	Name
1/4	BBC "Star on Earth"
1/18	MLK Holiday
1/21	Don Batchelor
2/1	
2/15	
3/1	Devon Battaglia
3/15	
4/5	
4/19	

FEST Seminar Schedule for 2010

- Need volunteers for next year!
- List of ~30 names in semi-alphabetical order to conscript speakers

Monday Dates	Name
1/4	BBC "Star on Earth"
1/18	MLK Holiday
1/21	Don Batchelor
2/1	Larry Baylor
2/15	Lee Berry
3/1	Devon Battaglia
3/15	Ted Biewer
4/5	John Caughman
4/19	Steve Combs

Discussion

- **Weekly Thursday v. Bi-weekly Monday**
 - ~50 seminars v. ~25 seminars
 - Individuals speak 2/year v. 1/year
- **Suggestions for speakers? (No budget)**
 - Outside the FED
 - Solar power, bio-fuels, materials, etc.
 - Outside ORNL
 - UT-Knoxville?
 - Visiting scientists
- **Up next: “Little Howard’s Big Question”**