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Joint Meeting with the American Nuclear Society (Long Island Section)

When Tuesday, January 9, 2007

Where The Brickhouse Brewery, Patchogue, NY

Topic: Brookhaven National Laboratory: Past, Present and Future

Speaker: Samuel Aronson
Director, Brookhaven National Laboratory

Social hour ... 6:00 pm Dinner ... 7:00 pm Meeting ... 8:00 pm.

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Our Speaker

Dr. Aronson earned his A.B. in physics from Columbia University in 1964, and a Ph.D. in physics from Princeton University in 1968. From 1968 to 1972, he worked at the University of Chicago's Enrico Fermi Institute for Nuclear Studies as a research associate. He then moved to the University of Wisconsin, where he was a faculty member until 1977. In 1978, Dr. Aronson joined the Accelerator Department at the Brookhaven National Laboratory (BNL) as an Associate Physicist, and was named Physicist in 1979. He moved to the Physics Department in 1982, was appointed Associate Chair of the department in 1987, and promoted to deputy chair in 1988. In 1991, Aronson relinquished this position and, as a Senior Physicist, served as the head of the PHENIX detector project during the construction of the Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider (RHIC), a challenge he successfully completed before he became Chair of the Physics Department in 2001. In 2005, Dr. Aronson was appointed as BNL's Associate Laboratory Director for High Energy & Nuclear Physics. He then served as BNL's Interim Director following former Director Praveen Chaudhari's decision to step down in April 2006. The announcement of his appointment as Director was made in August 2006 following a nationwide search and interview process. Dr. Aronson is a Fellow of the American Physical Society and of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

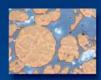
The Topic

As BNL approaches its sixtieth anniversary, Dr. Aronson will discuss the founding of the Laboratory (on the site previously occupied by the US Army's Camp Upton) and its subsequent development as one of the world's premier scientific research establishments. He will review its present status in the various fields of research and as the operator of user facilities such as the RHIC and the National Synchrotron Light Source, and talk about the plans for the Laboratory's future, including the establishment of the Center for Functional Nanomaterials and the design and construction of the proposed National Synchrotron Light Source II.

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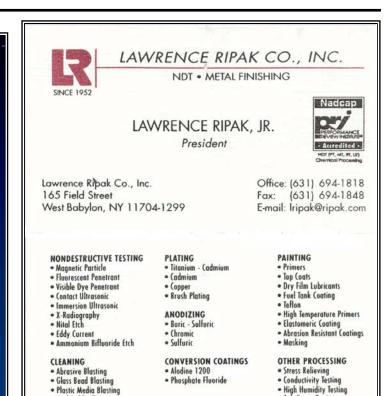






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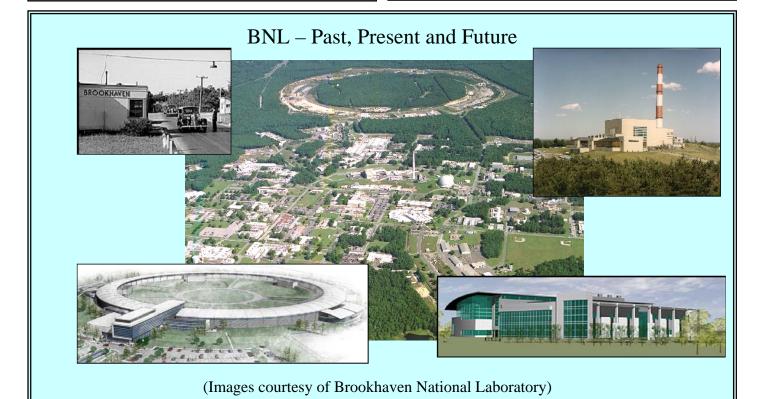
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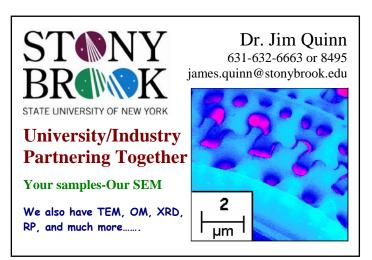
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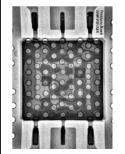
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CHAPTER MEETING SCHEDULE

Long Island Chapter

Feb. 15, 2007 Place: Sitar Restaurant, Huntington Speaker: Gary Elgort, Con-Ed

Topic: The Metallurgy of Steam Pipes

Mar.14, 2007 Place: Mauricio's, St. James

Speaker: Jeff Brogan, Mesoscribe

Topic: The Materials of Mesoscale Sensors

Apr. 11, 2007 Annual General Meeting

Place: TBD

Speakers: SBU Senior Students

Topic: Final design projects, concepts, etc.

May 6, 2007 Wine tasting at an East End Long Island

vineyard

Metro NY-NJ Chapter

(contact Rich Lynch @ 201-891-8399)

Feb. 6, 2007 Young Members Night

Place: L'Affaire Restaurant, Mountainside,

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Speaker: John Metzger

Mar. 20, 2007 Joint meeting with ASNT and AWSI

Place: L'Affaire Restaurant, Mountainside,

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Speaker: Robert Shaler, Penn State Univ.

Topic: DNA Testing for 9/11

Apr. 26, 2007 Family Night; Awards Night; Elections

Place: L'Affaire Restaurant, Mountainside,

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Speaker: Devinder Mahagan, BNL

Topic: Hydrogen Economy

May 15, 2007 Plant visit – Continental Airlines

Maintenance Facility

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