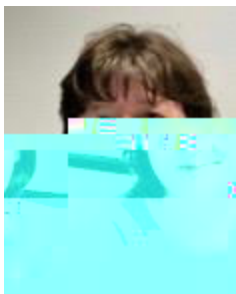


## ***Faculty Recognition***

### **FAAAS**

Dr. **Jennifer Lewis** (professor of Chemistry) was elected Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.



Dr. Lewis

Dr. **Paul Sanberg**, USF senior VP, be recognized as an AAAS Fellow is a significant career achievement. It honors the profound impact these individuals have in developing new knowledge and advancing the understanding of our World on every

### ***F C***

Dr. **Xiaopeng Li** was elected Fellow of the Royal society of chemistry.

Dr. **Wayne Guida** provided background information for this signal honor:



Dr. Li

The Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC) is the largest organization in Europe for advancing the chemical sciences. Supported

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Dr. Kesani

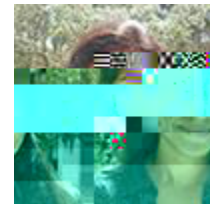


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**Dr. Alekhya Nimmagadda**  
(Dr. Jianfeng Cai)



Dr. Mahzamani



Dr. Nimmagadda

### **End-of-the term celebration**

This was scheduled for December 8<sup>th</sup> to be held under a tent in the Botanical Gardens to also welcome our honorary degree recipient President **Andrew Hamilton**, New York University. Owing to a delay in his arriving it was necessary to shift the arrangements to early January

**Dr. Kia Williams (Dr. Shengqian Ma)**  
**Dr. Justin White (Dr. Lee Woodcock)**

### **December Commencement**

Doctoral graduates (and their advisors in parentheses) are listed below



Dr. Williams



Dr. White

**Dr. Boliang Dong (Dr. Xiadong Shi)**



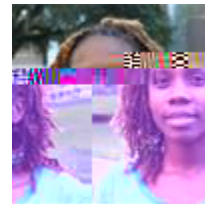
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**Dr. Katherine Forrest (Dr. Brian Space)**

**Dr. Josanne-Dee Woodroffe**  
(Dr. Jianfeng Cai), (Dr. Mark McLaughlin)



Dr. Woodroffe

## ***Honorary Degree***

On Saturday, December 9<sup>th</sup> Dr. Andrew Hamilton, 16th president of New York University became the ninth chemist to be awarded an honorary degree (D.Sc.

Frames were provided by the chair of the L&D Committee

## ***New Staff Member***

Mr. **Matt Castro** is the joined the Department in early December as the Fiscal and Business Specialist.

Originally from West Virginia, he attended school in Tampa and graduated from USF with a B.A. in Economics.

Mr. Casto

He worked a few years for Pasco County Schools, then moved to the corporate staffing world where he enjoyed supporting the financial operations several strategic clients.

Wanting more than just a corporate salary, he accepted his current role in order to support the exceptional individuals who are pursuing innovative research in their respective fields.

Mr. **Ryan Jahn**

tremendous showcase of knowledge and the\ Willing demeanor that we embrace within

## ***What are they doing?***

The Chemistry Department has tried to keep track of graduate advisors for a number of years creating the so- Project. Results may be found at our Web

recent additions follow:

**Zhenming An** Director, Ailu Pharmaceutical in Jinan City, Shandong, China. *Advisor:* Dr. **David Merkler**.

**Wenyang Cao** Powers Group, Chemistry, Texas A&M. *Advisor:* Dr, **Shengqian Ma**

**Todd Gatlin** at Greenhills School, Ann Arbor, MI. *Advisor:* Dr. **Sandi-Urena**.

**Yujan Liu** (Ph.D. Univ. Wisconsin-Lakeside *Advisor:* Dr. **Jennifer Lewis**.

**Christopher Lizardi** (15) is chief chemist and owner of Clear Waters Testing LLC in Tampa. In August 2017, at the Philadelphia ACS meeting, he described his work on arsenic testing in Bangladesh using kits that he had developed. *Advisor:* Dr. **Peter Zhang**.

**Mark McClure** (Ph.D.) professor of chemistry and physics UNC-Pembroke, recently wrote and sent greetings. *Advisor:* Dr. **Jay Worrell**

**Sreyra Mukharjee** ( Research fellow at Univer. of Maryland School of Medicine. *Advisor:* Dr. **Eric**

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time postdoc with Dr. Space in Chemistry.  
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**Tanise Shattuck** d at  
SSCI, West Lafayette, IN. *Advisor: Dr. Mike  
Zaworotko*

**Adrian Villarta-Cerdas** (Ph.D. 2014). Asst.  
Prof. Sam Houston State University, recently  
Received a five-year NSF grant (\$2 million,  
five years) that will support the formation of  
a STEM Center at SHSU. *Advisor: Dr.  
Santiago Sandi-Urena.*

**Xiaoying Xu**  
USF Muma College of Business. *Advisor:  
Dr. Jenifer Lewis.*

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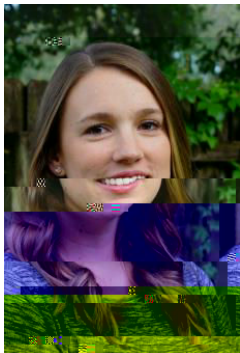
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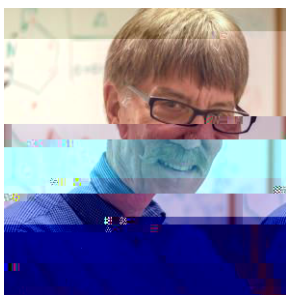
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**L&D:** Liaison and Development Committee

**AAAS:** American Association for the Advancement of Science

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