

## December Meeting

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# Symposium New Technologies for Drug Discovery

Organized by the Medicinal Chemistry Group  
of the Northeastern Section, American Chemical Society

Wednesday - December 10th, 2008

Holiday Inn, 15 Middlesex Canal Park Road, Woburn, MA

- 3:00 pm Refreshments  
3:15 pm Welcome  
*Raj (SB) Rajur, Program Chair, CreaGen Biosciences, Inc. Woburn, MA*
- 3:20 pm Introductory Remarks  
*Norton Peet, International R&D Consultant, North Andover, MA*
- 3:30 pm **TBD.**
- 4:15 pm **New Approaches for Discovery of Chemical Reactions and Chemotypes**  
*John A. Porco, Jr., Professor and Director, Boston University Chemical Methodology and Library Development Center, Boston, MA*
- 5:00 pm **Selective Deuterium Chemistry in Drug Discovery: Improved New Chemical Entities from Clinically Validated Therapeutics**  
*Scott L. Harbeson, Vice President, Research, Concert Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Lexington, MA*
- 5:45 pm Social Hour  
6:30 pm Dinner
- 7:45 pm **Drug Discovery in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century -- The Collaborative Paradigm**  
*Christopher G. Newton, Senior Vice President, BioFocus DPI, Chesterford Research Park, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10, IXL, UK*

Dinner reservations should be made **no later than 12:00 noon on Wednesday, December 3, 2008**. Please contact Marilou Cashman at [mcash0953@aol.com](mailto:mcash0953@aol.com) or by phone at (800) 872-2054 or (508) 653-6329. Reservations not canceled at least 24 hours in advance must be paid. Anyone who needs handicapped services/transportation, please call a few days in advance so that suitable arrangements can be made. **Payment is made at the door by cash or check (no credit cards.) Members, \$28.00; Non-members, \$30.00; Retirees, \$18.00; Students, \$10.00.**

### Directions to Holiday Inn Hotel

**A. From Boston - Cambridge - Points North:** Take Route I-93 to Route 95/128 West. After 1 mile, take Exit 35 South to Route 38 (Main Street).

**\*After about 500 feet at the traffic light, turn right into Middlesex Canal Street to the hotel entrance.**

**B. From the West:** Take Route 95/128 North to Exit 35 South (Route 38 - Main Street. **Follow directions from \* above.**

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