

ARARE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET THE PRESIDENT!

Please join us for the
**American Institute of Chemical Engineers – New
Mexico (AIChE-NM),
American Chemical Society (ACS), and
Society of Women Engineers (SWE)
Dinner Meeting**

When: Wednesday, August 5, 2009, 6:00-9:00 pm

Where: Flying Star (Downtown)

723 Silver Avenue SW 87103

(505) 244-8099

Cost: \$20 professional

\$10 collegiate

(includes meal & all-you-care-to-drink coffee & tea)



Very Special Guest: H. Scott Fogler, National AIChE President

Topic: "If we don't know where we are, then how do we know which way to go?"

Briefly: "The next decade will be filled with challenges for chemical engineers ranging from access to clean water to meeting the world's energy need to regenerative medicine to improving the environment. Chemical engineers will be at the center of many alternative energy sources such as fuel & solar cells. They have the technical training to address the problem that 1 in 6 people of the world that do not have access to clean water. As we consider the path ahead, we need to inventory not only our resources & needs, but also the skills of our current graduates to see how they relate to upcoming technological & societal needs. Current graduates are well trained in the fundamentals of chemical engineering & they are as bright as any who have come before them. However, as part of the millennium generation, they have their own characteristics & ideas significantly different from the previous X generation. Consequently, we will see changes not only in the demand for technology & societal needs, but also in the way recent graduates perform/interact in the workplace & the way they prioritize problems. This presentation will discuss current & projected energy needs, the coming world wide water needs, & chemical engineers' participation in regenerative medicine & the skill sets necessary to succeed in the next decade." – H. Scott Fogler

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(Space is limited! RSVP today!)