Seminar schedule for the 2012 spring semester:

Date	Speaker	Institution	Title
Thursday Jan 5 15:00	Dr. Elizabeth Fernandez	Universit'e Paris Sud 11 & CNRS, France	The Cosmic Infrared Background – A Window into the High Redshift Universe
Monday Jan 9 15:00	Dr. Gencho Rusev	Los Alamos National Laboratory	Investigation of Nuclear Structure with Real Photons at TUNL
Thursday Jan 12 15:00	Dr. Stephen Powell	University of Maryland	Spin liquids and Higgs transitions in unconventional magnets
Jan 18	Prof. Jefferson Shinpaugh	East Carolina University	Experimental studies using ion beams: atomic collisions, microdosimetry, and materials analysis
Jan 25			
Feb 1	Dr. James Dent	Arizona State University	Dark Matter: Evidence, Candidates, and Recent Hints
Feb 8	Prof. Patrick Garrity	Loyola University, New Orleans	Dynamic Electron Scattering: An Emerging Technique to Measure Material Transport Properties
Feb 15	Prof. Cristina Torres	University of Texas at Brownsville	Facilitating Gravitational Wave detection with Advanced LIGO
Feb 29			
March 7	Prof. Carl Richter	Geology Dept, UL Lafayette	Chasing the Earth's Magnetic Field - With a Drill Ship
March 14	Prof. Roger Laine	Chemistry dept, Louisiana State University	The Formosan Subterranean termite (Coptotermes Formosanus)
March 21	Prof. Ravi Rau	Louisiana State University	Entanglement, discord and other quantum correlations, and their applications in quantum information
Monday March 26 15:00	Dr. Irina Rypina	Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution	Eddy-induced particle dispersion in the near-surface North Atlantic
March 28	Dr. Ilya Udovydchenkov	Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution	Propagation and scattering of broadband acoustic wave fields in the deep ocean

Apr 4			
Apr 18			
Apr 25	Student presentations	Our very own	Chase Gaudet: Determining RAM's Maximum Efficiency Caleb O'Connor: Calculations of Attenuation by Filter-Correlation Method

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