



Columbia Chemistry Careers Committee



Career Perspectives: Teaching Science

Join us for an afternoon with Marco Pagnotta, PhD: Teacher Extraordinaire

Love science and love teaching? Perhaps a career at a teaching oriented institution may be right for you. Dr. Pagnotta will share with us his own career trajectory and will give his perspective on what it is like to teach and do research at a liberal arts college *versus* high school, how to find great teaching positions, and how to learn more about research and other opportunities at the high school level.

Dr. Marco Pagnotta received his Ph.D from Harvard in 1984 for his research studying the conjugative interactions in olefins and then went on to become an Assistant Professor of Chemistry at Barnard College where he received the Emily Gregory Award for Excellence in Teaching. He then transitioned to Dwight-Englewood School, a private college preparatory high school where he now presides as Chair of the Science Department. Here he keeps his students engaged through creative hands on experiences such as the New Jersey Chemistry Olympics and the "Watershed Project", among others.

Friday, December 15th

4:30 pm

209 Havemeyer Hall

Reception to follow

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