

# **Agenda**

# **Detecting Radiation in Our Radioactive World**

The American Nuclear Society's Teacher Workshop on Nuclear Science & Technology Saturday, November 9, 2013
Omni Shoreham Hotel -- Executive Room

7:30 AM	Registrant Check-in (Continental Breakfast available)
8:00	Welcome & Introductions; Workshop Overview - Chuck Vincent
8:05	Seeing the Unseen (activity) - Ms. Candace Davison
8:40	Introduction to Radiation - Dr. Mary Lou Dunzik-Gougar/Ms. Candace Davison Related Activities - Modeling radiation types; half-life activities (licorice; M&M) Paper half-life; modeling radioactive decay (demo)
10:00	BREAK
10:15	Brief History of Particle Physics – Dr. Eric Loewen
11:00	Nuclear Fuel Cycle: An Overview - Dr. Mary Lou Dunzik-Gougar
11:30	Nuclear Power/Electricity Generation – William "Art" Wharton
12:15	LUNCH (provided)
1:00	Other Applications of Nuclear - Ms. Candace Davison
1:45	Isotopes/Chart of Nuclides (activity/demo) - Bill Wabbersen
2:30	Cloud Chambers activity & Irradiated Salt demo - Chuck Vincent/Candace Davison Radiography info
3:00	BREAK
3:15	Understanding Risk – Dr. Richard Denning
4:00	Radiation Monitors and How to Use Them in Your Classroom -Chuck/Candace/staff
4:30	Opportunities/Careers for Students
4:45	Summary & Evaluation "Geiger Counter Coupons" collected Evaluations completed and collected Certificates of Attendance distributed
5:15	Workshop Ends

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Photos of participants will be taken as they are involved in workshop activities.



# **Presenters**

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#### Dr. Eric P. Loewen

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## Mr. William Wabbersen

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