

# Weekly Bulletin



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## CONGRATULATIONS

Steven Lade of the Nonlinear Physics Centre has won the physics category of the international Dance Your PhD competition, sponsored by Science magazine. For more information and to see his dance go to <http://bit.ly/8Zsp4z>

## STAFF MOVEMENTS

Dr Andre Carvalho, Department of Quantum Science will be visiting the Centre for Quantum Technologies (CQT) at the National University of Singapore for collaborative work and an invited Seminar from 21 September - 1 October 2010.

## TOM RHYMES AWARD – NOMINATIONS REMINDER

Nominations have been sought from areas within the School for the award instituted in memory of the late Dr Tom Rhymes. The closing date for applications is **24 September 2010**. The winner will be announced at Founders Day. For clarification please see members of the Selection Committee: Professor Ken Baldwin, Graeme Cornish, Tom McGuinness, David Anderson or Gareth Crook.

## PUBLIC LECTURE

**Friday, 15 October 6pm**

Leonard Huxley Theatre

*How physics can contribute to the study of fossils and music*

Please come along to join our alumni, donors, staff, students and friends of the School to listen to the lecture by Associate Professor Tim Senden on 'Fossilised Physics' and Professor Neville Fletcher on 'Fiddling with Physics'. For more info:

[http://physics.anu.edu.au/Development/\\_files/Tunes\\_in\\_time\\_Public\\_Lecture\\_flyer.pdf](http://physics.anu.edu.au/Development/_files/Tunes_in_time_Public_Lecture_flyer.pdf)

## SCHOOL SEMINAR

Nonlinear Physics Seminar

**Wednesday, 29 September 11am**

Link Building Seminar Room, Oliphant Building  
*Electromagnetic Approach to Conventional and Non-Classical Plasmonic Nanoantennas*

Dr Ivan Maksymov

Laboratoire Charles Fabry de l'Institut d'Optique,  
CNRS, Univ Paris-Sud, France

**\*ALL WELCOME\***

## SCHOOL SEMINAR PROGRAM

**Thursday, 7 October 4pm**

Oliphant Link Seminar Room

*The Leidenfrost effect and superhydrophobicity*

Dr Vince Craig, Applied Mathematics

Drinks and light refreshments will be provided  
in the RSPE Link Tea Room, after the Seminar

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<b>REMINDER Founder's Day Friday 15 October</b>
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