

# Current Student Events at BNL

- **ASAP: Association of Students and Post-Docs at BNL**
- **RHIC and AGS Thesis Award**  
*Provided by Battelle Memorial Institute and SUNY-Stony Brook*
- **RHIC/AGS UEC is adding a Student/Post-Doc representative**
- **The BNL Quality-of-Life committee now has a Student/Post-Doc representative.**
- **\$200 Award for the best Student Poster at this meeting!**
- **Students were invited to attend tonight's banquet at a reduced price.**

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Association of

Students

And

Post-Docs

ASAP Logo

Jeffery T. Mitchell & Susan White-dePace  
RHIC/AGS User's Meeting, 9/20/02

# What is ASAP?

**ASAP is a new BNL-wide organization for students and post-docs.**

- **The ASAP Mission:**
  - *Foster communications and interactions*
  - *Improve the quality of life for students and post-docs*
  - *Advocate for visiting and resident students and post-docs*
  - *Improve educational experience and opportunities at BNL*
  
- *ASAP was initiated by the RHIC & AGS User's Executive Committee and the BNL Quality-of-Life Committee.*
- *ASAP will organizationally be put under the BNL Quality-of-Life Committee*

# ASAP Happenings

- The ASAP Charter (drafted by the ASAP Organizing Committee) has recently been ratified by the BNL Policy Council.
- Elections for officers scheduled for November.
- A logo designing contest will be announced soon.



- Planning is already underway for the following:
  - *A Student & Post-doc lounge (billiards, foosball, stereo, television, coffee, ...a place to relax).*
  - *A web site with a BNL calendar of events for students/post-docs.*
  - *Activities including movie nights, pizza journal clubs, trips to local points of interest.*



# ASAP Organizing Committee

## Student and Post-doc Members:

Nina Nami (Office of Educational Programs), Anuj Purwar (Physics, RHIC-PHENIX), Edson Kudanko (NSLS), Anna Kulesza (Physics), Andrivo Rusydi (NSLS), Rainer Soika (Magnet Division)

## BNL Employee Members:

**Susan White-DePace (RHIC/AGS Users' Center)**, Jeffery Mitchell (Physics, RHIC & AGS UEC), Cecilia Sanchez-Hanke (NSLS), Gregory Smith (NSLS UEC Student Representative), Renee Flack (Educational Programs Administrator), Brian Murfin (Director of Educational Programs), Christine Ronick (QOL/Recreation Supervisor), Jeff Swenson (BNL Staff Services Administrator)