Anniversary Greetings

“Congratulations! I have memories of listening to Dr. Halenz excellent lectures and working in his laboratory. I remember once having to use a glass pipette to get some HCl for a lab test. By accident I lifted the pipette out of the HCl and immediately my mouth was burning. I rinsed my mouth immediately with water, but the damage was done. I didn't have any treatment, but I could not taste anything for a while including the meal I was invited to the following Sabbath, first and only time I was invited out all year.”

*Raymond Mayor, 1951, Retired*

“Congratulations. And thanks for a good foundation. From teaching Chemistry and Math I morphed into music and French and Educational Administration (receiving a MEd from the University of Victoria in 1980 only to move into Pastoral Ministry in 1989 from which I retired in 2013. My wife and I have spent a total of 7 years as missionaries—3 in Zaire (1971-1974); 3 in Rhodesia (1974-1977) and 1 in Morocco (2013-2014).”

*Doug Pond, 1965, Retired*

“Greetings to past and current faculty and staff. Keep up the good work!”

*Wanda Sheppler, 1988, Retired*

“Greetings to the department of chemistry and Andrews University. You have created many fond memories, lifelong friends, and a solid education. Sincerest thanks, and kind regards.”

*Atuhani Burnett, 2001, Surgery Fellow, Allegheny General Hospital*

“Congratulations on these two milestones. I am confident that Andrews Chemistry will celebrate their 100th even stronger. I am very grateful to have been part of the seminar series and I remember my visit fondly. Best wishes.”

*Paul W Huber, Professor of Biochemistry, University of Notre Dame*

“I am delighted to pass along my congratulations on the 75th 'diamond' anniversary of your department and the 50th 'golden' anniversary of your excellent seminar course. I clearly recall a very enjoyable and stimulating visit to Andrews in 2002, shortly after my move to Notre Dame. Many happy returns!”

*Ken Henderson, Chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of Notre Dame, 2002*

“Congratulations on the 75th anniversary of the Andrews University Chemistry Department! I would be interested in your complete schedule of guest speakers. I cannot say for sure whether or not I would be available on any given Thursday but would like to know what lectures are scheduled so that I could join if time permits. Thanks for thinking of me! Best wishes for a successful celebration event!”

*Wayne L. Cook, Ph.D., Ink Development Scientist, Eastman Kodak Company*
Congratulations to the Chemistry Department at Andrews University on the 50th anniversary of the start of their seminar course! I presented a seminar at Andrews way back in October 2003, where it was one of the first talks I gave as a new assistant professor at Eastern Michigan University. It was a long drive to and from Ypsilanti to Berrien Springs on a sunny autumn day, but presenting at Andrews was a great opportunity to make connections with chemists in a different part of my new home state. Thank you for giving this junior faculty member a chance to talk about my research in archaeological chemistry, and best wishes for the future of the program!

**Ruth Ann Armitage, Professor of Chemistry, Eastern Michigan University, 2003**

“Congratulations to you and all of your department on your "double anniversary"! It was an honor to come a be part of your seminar series a couple of years ago and I wish you continued success for the future.”

**Clive R. Neal, Professor, Dept. of Civil & Env. Eng. & Earth Sciences, University of Notre Dame**

“Congratulations on two anniversary milestones! I am honored to have been a part of your seminar series, and will remember my visit to Andrews fondly because it was one of the first seminars that I presented after starting at Wayne State. Enjoy the celebrations!”

**Matthew J. Allen, Associate Professor of Chemistry, Wayne State University**

“Greetings. My name is Shawn Hitchcock and I am a professor of chemistry at Illinois State University located in the Bloomington-Normal twin cities in central Illinois. I had the good fortune to visit Andrews University in 2013 to meet the students and faculty of the Department of Chemistry and give a presentation on the chemistry that my students and I had conducted. My host was Dr. Desmond Murray and I had a grand time. I was very pleased with the technology set-up and I was very pleased that my students in Illinois, and my colleagues around the country could watch my presentation in real time. I have given presentations at academic institutions that were smaller in size, and institutions that were larger in size. I can safely say that my experience at Andrews University was one of my best. Happy 75th anniversary to your Department and happy 50th anniversary on its seminar program. I wish you many more years of success!!!”

**Shawn Hitchcock, Professor of Chemistry, Illinois State University, 2013, 200**

“Congratulations on your significant milestones; 75 years of providing students an excellent Chemistry experience and 50 years of facilitating the seminar course. Thank you for allowing me to be a participant as you educate the next generation of scientists.”

**Novella Bridges, Ph.D., Senior Research Specialist, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory**

Greetings from Normal, IL and congratulations on both anniversaries! I truly enjoyed my interactions with faculty and students back in Feb. 2015. Thanks again for inviting me to be a part of your excellent program!

**Andy Mitchell, Assistant Professor of Chemistry, Illinois State University, 2015**