## MARM 2007 CHEMAGINATION CONTEST



"Chemagination" is a contest in which High School students are asked to *imagine* that they are living 25 years in the future and have been invited to write an

article for <u>ChemMatters</u>, a magazine for high school students that focuses on the role of chemistry in everyday life. The subject of the article is: "Describe a recent breakthrough or innovation in chemistry and/or its applications that has improved the quality of people's lives today." The article is written to fit in one of four categories (either Alternative Energy Sources, Environment, Medicine/Health, or New Materials.)

In addition to the article, students are asked to design a cover for the magazine. The article must be written as if the student is living in the year 2032, looking back at innovations that have occurred since 2007.

The Regional Chemagination Competition will take place on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at at Ursinus College, Collegeville, PA 19426. The time and meeting room have not yet been determined.

## The contest coordinators are:

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First place category winners from local ACS section competitions are eligible to participate. If a first place winner cannot participate for any reason, sections can elect to send an alternate team. If your section did not hold a local competition, interested students could participate directly at the regional level (contact coordinators for more details).

If your section is planning on participating, please contact Louise Lawter at <u>louise.lawter@gmail.com</u>. This information will be helpful for further planning.

Student articles need to be submitted for initial judging by April 27, 2007.

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If you have questions contact Allene Johnson at <u>AJoh817466@aol.com</u> or Louise Lawter at louise.lawter@gmail.com