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A Graduate Student Returns

A former lab employee, Kelly Sullivan (on the right in both pictures), came back to visit the lab before she left for California, where she will be doing graduate work at the University of California at Santa Barbara. Kelly worked at the lab for 3 years during her undergraduate career at William and Mary.

Ryan Mendenhall's Presentation

Ryan Mendenhall, a Tabb High School student and current lab employee is pictured here preparing and presenting a talk about his visit to the United States Air Force Academy.

This was a “training session” for him. This same day, September 1st, Ryan gave this presentation to the Society of American Military Engineers at the Langley O-Club as a thank-you for sponsoring him.

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Lab Visitors

Dr. Michael Smith a Free Electron Laser scientist visited Ron Quinlin and Dee Dee Hopkins in the ToF-SIMS lab.

Dr. John van Rosendale the W&M Computational Science Director visited our labs and was given a guided tour, along with Michael Barnes (left image, center), CPD Systems Administrator for the ARC and Systems Engineer for the CWM Information Technology department.

LAB TOUR

The first day of September was really busy. A group of economic and scientific administrators, listed below, received a guided tour around the W&M ARC labs, conducted by Amy Wilkerson, lab employees and students.

Pictured left, listening to Nimel Theodore’s presentation on his current project for the Jlab/FEL group are Ted Settle, Director of Economic Development at Virginia Tech; Lee Beach, Executive Director of HRRP; Mike Marcolini, NASA Langley Engineer on assignment at Jlab; Paula Shaw, Director of sponsored Programs at NSU; and Bill Good, Director of the University Center Program in the Philadelphia Region working for the Department of Commerce/Economic Development Administration. In the right picture Olga Trofimova is explaining the principles of how the AFM works.