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Welcome Summer Interns

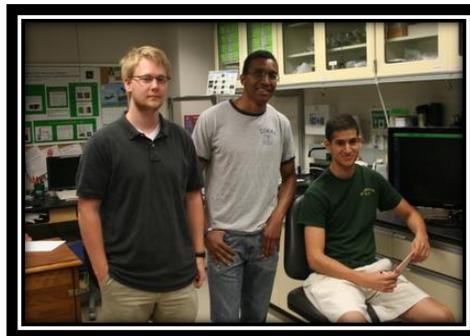
Ben Kincaid, a rising junior at William & Mary majoring in Chemistry, is working with us in the lab this summer. Ben completed his first two years of college at Thomas Nelson Community College in the “two-plus-two” program and has just finished the transfer process at William and Mary.



Samson Worrell, a rising junior at Virginia Union, has returned to the lab for the summer. Samson is majoring in Computer Information Systems and will be enlisting in the Army National Guard. After working at the lab and before returning to school, Samson will complete basic training for the Guard.



After completing the inventory process, lab personnel used their planning skills and muscles to move surplus equipment from the ARC to an offsite storage facility.



Thomas Dushatinski, an undergraduate in Chemistry at CNU and former lab intern, brought students Ruben De La Rosa (CNU) and Abdelrahman Aboulatta (William & Mary) to the lab for sample characterization using the Phenom microscope.

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Susan Donaldson who is interning with Kevin Jordan at BNNT LLC this summer stopped by the lab to analyze a sample using the Phenom microscope. Susan is a recent graduate of Cape Henry High School who will attend NC State in the fall as an engineering major.



Olga provided FT-IR training to Cecilia Thomas, a student at William & Mary. Silvina Pagola, a William & Mary Research Scientist in Applied Science, is also pictured here weighing her samples.



Olga is pictured here with her adorable 1 year old grand-daughter Mira who is visiting from Boston and wanted to see where grandmamma works.

A rat snake was a surprise visitor to Lab 114. Our lab personnel assisted with guarding the snake until Jefferson Lab Security arrived and captured the snake.



Natalie Brock, a Nuclear Engineer at Newport News Shipbuilding and former lab tech, made a quick visit to the lab when she was in the area.