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Lehman Hosts 39th Sweeny Memorial Lecture; Media Invited

Bronx, NY—This year's Arthur Sweeny Memorial Lecture at Lehman College, titled "From Complexes to Aerosols: New Insights into Atmospheric Chemistry," will be given by Dr. Joseph S. Francisco from the University of Pennsylvania. Media are invited to cover the lecture and a student scholarship awards ceremony at 5:15 p.m. on Friday, March 22.

The Sweeny Memorial Lecture is given annually by an outstanding scientist or person in a science-related field. The event is held as a tribute to the late Arthur Sweeny Jr., a Lehman professor who taught in the Department of Chemistry for 44 years.

Francisco is the President's Distinguished Professor of Earth and Environmental Science at the University of Pennsylvania, and a past president of the American Chemical Society. He was appointed a member of the President's Committee on the National Medal of Science by former President Barack Obama and is a former member of the Naval Research Advisory Committee for the Department of the Navy.

Media wishing to attend must notify Lisa Hirschfield at (718) 960-8044 or lisa.hirschfield@lehman.cuny.edu by Thursday, March 21.

Lehman College is located at 250 Bedford Park Blvd West in the Bronx. The lecture will be held in Room 306 of the Music Building.

For more information about the event, visit:

<http://www.lehman.edu/academics/chemistry/2019SweenyLecture.php>

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