Dinner Under the Winkler Vine is an annual fund-raising event sponsored by the Davis Enology and Viticulture Organization (DEVO). Proceeds go to DEVO's scholarship fund and the many enriching educational events that are held throughout the year.

The dinner is an elegant six-course meal prepared by outstanding California chefs who have donated their time and talents. Each of the courses will be paired with a carefully selected wine provided by a distinguished winemaker. In addition to donating their wines, these winemakers will attend the dinner as hosts to the guests. The dinner itself is served by the student members of DEVO. A fundraising auction, featuring many fabulous items, is held after the dinner. This unique fundraiser is held each year in late May.

The 2007 Dinner is on Saturday, May 26th, with aperitif sparkling wine starting at 4:30pm. Seats are available for a tax-deductible donation of $175 - a table of eight is $1250, and table of ten is $1500.

For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact DEVO, c/o UC Davis Dept. of Viticulture & Enology, One Shields Ave, Davis, CA 95616, tel. (530) 204-7036, email: jrrubin@ucdavis.edu
Moving Your Laboratory

It’s not too early to start thinking about moving your lab to the new building. While it seems the University doesn’t have a plan to assist departments with planning a move, EH&S has a plan to assist us with moving our labs. These Guidelines concentrate on moving lab equipment and hazardous substances. There are checklists for 6, 3, and 1 month prior to the move and 1 week prior to the move. There is also a plan for moving day. There are forms for inventories and moving notification for EH&S, especially if you have any permits for radioactivity, carcinogens, biohazards, etc. There is also information to help set up your new lab and clean out your old lab, including forms for waste pick up. EH&S includes packing tips and back injury prevention tips in the packet. If any of you are interested in getting a copy of the guidelines please contact me.

Scholarship Kudos

By the DEVO Scholarship Committee

This year’s recipients of the DEVO Scholarship Committee are: Scot Bilbro, Kevin Luther, and Kristy Melton. There were a number of strong applications and the final decision was difficult. Each recipient will receive $1,000 to be used for an international internship experience, and valid for one year (only).

Please note requirements of recipients.
2. Verification and documentation of international employment and/or confirmed travel plans will be required prior to disbursement of funds.

End of term requirements:
1. Written and/or oral presentation of experiences to DEVO members.
2. Provide a minimum of 5 contacts for future internship in Region of work location.

Again, congratulations.

DEVO Scholarship Committee