

# The CUTTING EDGE

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## 2007 Lecture Series

The University at Buffalo College of Arts and Sciences presents The Cutting Edge – a series of five Saturday morning seminars where top UB professors give presentations aimed at increasing public awareness of rapidly advancing fields. The series is designed for high school students but is also open, and of interest, to the general public.

Students who attend at least three of the five lectures will receive souvenir gifts and an "Honorary Scholar" certificate.

A drawing for a 256mb jump drive will also be held at each lecture!

Registration and light refreshments at 10:00 a.m. Lectures begin at 10:30 a.m. and take place in the Center for the Arts, on UB's north campus.

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**February 24, 2007**

David F. Schmid  
Associate Professor, English Department  
**Homicide and American Popular Culture**



**March 3, 2007**

Jason P. Briner  
Assistant Professor, Geology Department  
**The Arctic Meltdown: The Past, Present, and Future of Arctic Warming**



**March 17, 2007**

Alan B. Newman  
Chief, Division of Imaging & Visual Services, National Gallery of Art, Washington D.C. and former UB Student  
**From Pyro to Pixels: How Digital Imaging has revolutionized Interpretation, Scholarly Research, Preservation and Access to Art in Museums**



**March 24, 2007**

Marieme S. Lo  
Assistant Professor, Women's Studies Department  
**The United Nation's Millennium Development Goals: Utopian Agenda or Realistic Commitment to Half Poverty by 2015?**



**March 31, 2007**

Mark W. Shepard  
Assistant Professor, Architecture and Media Study Departments  
**Media, Architecture and Computing in a Wireless World**

Lectures and parking are free. Free shuttle service from south campus Metro Station will also be available.

For more information, visit <http://www.cas.buffalo.edu/outreach/cutting-edge/> or call 645-2711 or email [mrbeuley@buffalo.edu](mailto:mrbeuley@buffalo.edu)