PURDUE UNIVERSITY **Department of Earth & Atmospheric Sciences** Seminars for Spring 2011 Thursdays at 3:30 PM, room 1252 CIVL (unless noted)

- 27 "Cratered Terrain Evolution, Regolith Development, and Slope Jan. Processes on Rocky Asteroid Surfaces," Jim Richardson, EAS, Purdue University Feb. 3 "Gradients, Boundaries, and Anomalies: Mapping Sources and Transport of Water in the Earth System Using Isoscapes," Gabe Bowen, EAS, Purdue University 10 "Magma Generation, Flow and Emplacement in Plateau: Insights from the Coast Mountains of British Columbia," Chris Andronicus, Cornell University (Levandowski Lecture) (Host: Ridgway) "Water Beyond Earth: A Remote-Sensing Perspective on the Role of 17 Aqueous Processes in Our Solar System," Ralph Milliken, University of Notre Dame (Host: B. Bowen) 24 "A Guide to Lakefront Vacationing on Titan: Hydrocarbon Lakes and their Role in the Methane Cycle," Alex Hayes, California Institute of Technology (Planetary Science candidate interview) (Host: Melosh) March 3 "Mineralogy of the Atmosphere: Assessing Environmental and Health Impacts of Airborne Particulate Matter" Reto Gieré, University of Freiburg, Germany (Host: Granger) 10 "The second phase of the Verification of the Origins of Rotation in Tornadoes Experiment (VORTEX2): Scientific motivation and summary of the field campaign." Yvette Richardson, Penn State University (Host: Lasher-Trapp) - Spring Break -17 24 -Open-28 Mon. "From Dust to Planets, an Isotope Approach" Liping Qin, Center for Isotope Geochemistry, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (Host: Jay Melosh) **Planetary Science Faculty Candidate** 31 "River Anomalies on Earth, Mars, and Titan: Studies in Planetary Fluvial Geomorphology." Devon Burr, University of Tennessee (Planetary Science Candidate) (Host: Jay Melosh) April 7 "Hyperspectral Remote Sensing Evidence for Volcano-Ice Interactions in the Southern Highlands and Northern Lowlands of Mars." William Farrand, Space Science Institute (Planetary Science Candidate) (Host: Jay Melosh) 8 Fri. "How to become a Corporate Environmental Manager in the Petroleum Industry -Mid-career lessons with a view to the future." Paul Krishna, Distinguished Alumnus, CIVL 2201 14 Harshvardhan "Aerosols: Smoke and Mirrors of the Climate System." EAS, Purdue 21 (title TBA) Fred Carr (Host: Mike Baldwin) 28 *Crough Lecture*, (title TBA) Craig Jones, CIRES, University of Colorado (Host: Gilbert) Final Exam Week May 3-8