

Chemist Explores Earth's Atmosphere, Mars

Titled, "From Earth's Atmosphere to Planetary Engineering of Mars: An Adventure in Chemistry," Francisco's talk was the inaugural [Lillian L.Y. Wang Yin, Ph.D. Endowed Lecture in Chemistry](#).

Francisco described the chemistry of the processes of the earth's ozone destruction by chlorofluorocarbons and research into the design of environmentally benign materials to replace these harmful materials. The talk also discussed planetary engineering and new chemistry exploration on Mars.

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