The Long Island Subsection of The New York American Chemical Society

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Holiday Zoom Celebration and Symposium

Thursday, Dec 1, 2022; 6:00 – 7:30 PM

zoom link: https://ncc-zoom.zoom.us/j/99966086571?pwd=NGNvZnRzTlFtZVluT09BZm12YndIdz09

Join us in LIACS’s last event of 2022!

There will be raffle prizes and a great seminar by Dr. Paris Svoronos from the Queensborough Community College

Title of Seminar: History of Mercury

Abstract of Seminar:

Mercury is the only metal on earth that is a liquid at room temperature and has been known for the last 35 centuries. Although extremely rare, it does not blend geochemically with other more abundant elements that makes its isolation easier than normal. The ways of purifying mercury through naturally existing compounds will be described. Mercury’s uses through the centuries, its toxicity to humans and current worldwide regulations will be presented with emphasis on historical documentation.

All are welcome!

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