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Career Challenges & Choices : Negotiating a Career in Science

The **Women in Chemistry Group** invite you to our first event for 2013 – a panel discussion and networking breakfast entitled *Career Challenges and Choices*.



Men and women both face significant and unexpected challenges in negotiating a career in the chemical sciences. Many individuals experience career interruptions as a primary care giver to young children, caring for aging family members, coping with personal illness, or due to other unpredictable events. Join us for a networking breakfast and share in our panel's stories and anecdotes, as they discuss their own strategies for not only negotiating some of life's tough choices, but surviving and thriving. This open and honest discussion is open to all members of the community. We encourage everyone to attend.

The Women in Chemistry Group is grateful for the generous support provided by sponsors **CSIRO** and the **Monash University School of Chemistry**. The event is open to both RACI members and non-members (\$15 per head), register online at the RACI website.


**When:** 8.30 – 10.30 am, Tuesday 12 February 2013

**Where:** Ian Wark Laboratories, CSIRO, Clayton, Victoria

**Cost:** \$15 per head, register online with the [RACI](#).

For further information, please do not hesitate to contact the [Women in Chemistry Committee](#).

ChemBeers : The Chemistry Networking Event of the South-East Corridor



The poster features a background image of a bar area with a counter, stools, and various bottles. Overlaid on this image is the event title and details in white and yellow text.

**• ChemBeers •**  
**The Chemistry Networking Event of the South-East Corridor**

**Where:** Taste Baguette, Menzies Building,  
Monash University, Clayton Campus

**When:** Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2013, 5:30-7:30 pm

**Cost:** Free! Canapés and refreshments provided courtesy of our sponsors

**RSVP:** Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February - registration essential

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We invite you to an evening networking event on **Thursday 21st February, 2013** at Taste Baguette, Menzies Building, Monash University.

Melbourne's South-East Corridor is the heartland of Australian manufacturing and is heavily reliant on innovative and competitive chemical technologies. In addition, Clayton is the home of Monash University and CSIRO's Materials, Manufacturing, and Mining Portfolio - both world leaders in science and engineering.

Please join us to mix with scientists and executives from industry, manufacturing and academia.

The event will run from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm, canapés and refreshments will be provided, courtesy of our sponsors **Davies Collison Cave**, **CSIRO** and the **Australian Journal of Chemistry**.

### **Registration is essential**

We look forward to seeing you there!

For further information, please contact [The ChemBeers Organising Committee](#).

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#### Women Sharing a Chemical Moment in Time Photos

We had a very successful breakfast meeting last Tuesday and it was wonderful to see such a large turnout - over 90 women, so really a big thank you to all that made the effort to come and in particular to our speakers who regaled us with their personal stories.

Although the technology wasn't quite as inspirational as our guest speakers we managed a quick wave to Adelaide and Tasmania through the miracle of Skype. The feedback so far has been overwhelmingly positive.

Carly has uploaded [photos taken with Marie Curie](#) from the morning on the re-science website at <http://re-science.org.au/science-event/2847/photos>

