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April Dinner Meeting

Thursday, April 21, 2022

“Wine, Roses and Chocolate”

Nelson Ayala, Ph.D.,

NAPA Café

5101 Sanderlin, Suite 122, Memphis, TN

5:30 pm EST Registration/Cocktails

6:00 pm EST Dinner begins

7:00 pm EST Speaker

\$50 – SCC members

\$45 – Retired SCC members

\$60 – non-SCC members

Free for the first five Students with Valid ID

RSVP by Wednesday, April 13th:

Monica Austin, southeastsc@gmail.com or Text
Message (865)-309-4155.

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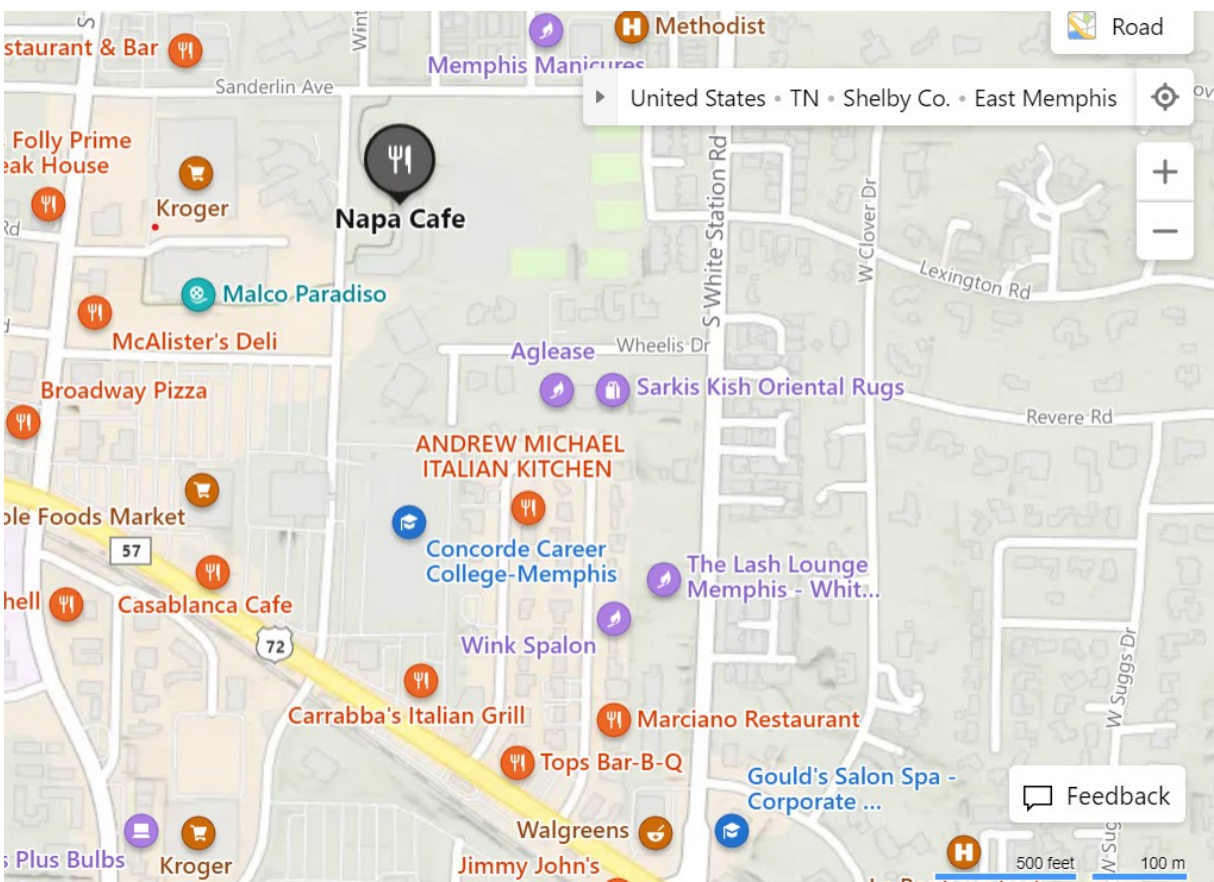
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“Wine, Roses and Chocolate”

Abstract

At this meeting we will be tasting a selection of fine red wines and dark chocolates from around the world. The science of sensory evaluation will be the focus of this highly interactive talk, which has been appreciated by many sections of the Society of Cosmetics over the past 20 years.



Biography

Nelson Ayala has been involved with presentations on this topic of sensory evaluation since he became a member of the Society of Cosmetic chemists in 1993. The tasting of wine and chocolate has been a hobby since serving as a tour guide for 9 years at the oldest continuously operating Brotherhood winery in Washingtonville, New York. In addition, he has discussed the many health benefits of red wine and dark chocolate, and to explain the role of antioxidants in a balanced healthy diet with multiple Chapters of the Society of Cosmetic Chemists.

Dr. Ayala was born in New York City and graduated from the Bronx High School of Science, Brooklyn College with a BS in chemistry, SUNY Stony Brook with a MS in chemistry, Lynchburg College with a MBA, and UVA with a Ph.D. in physical chemistry. As a Ph.D. graduate of University of Virginia, he got his first taste of Virginia in the 80's. His interest in sensory science has fed his creativity in his career; Nelson has worked to create new consumer products that either taste good, smell good, or feel good on the skin. He has worked in new product development on consumer products at Unilever, Westwood Chemical, Carter Wallace, Fleet Labs, and Prestige Brands. He is current. He has authored several papers in major journals. Nelson has been a member of the Society of Cosmetic Chemists in the New York and Mid-Atlantic sections.

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Chatting with the Chair

Dear All;

We were delighted to see many of you at our recent dinner meeting on March 24th in Chattanooga and missed those of you who couldn't make it. If you weren't there, you missed an exceptional presentation from Mr. Tony O'Lenick as well as a delicious meal and after-dinner entertainment. Once again, we proved to be expert axe throwers and the competition was fierce! Keep those skills sharpened!



As we move ahead, we hope that you will plan to join us at our next meeting in on April 21st at Napa Café in Memphis. Dr. Nelson Ayala will speak to us about "Wine, Chocolate, and the Many Benefits of Antioxidants in Cosmetics and Nutrition." Just when you thought it couldn't get better, let's add wine and chocolate! You will not want to miss this one!

We're also looking forward to our Suppliers' Day Social Event on June 16th at Old Dominick Distillery in Memphis. There will be more information coming soon but we hope that you will consider attending and sponsoring, if possible. It is a great networking opportunity for all!

As we push through our busy schedules, let us make the extra effort to stay involved in the SCC and get engaged. We hope that you are taking full advantage of our society's offerings. The SCC website is full of information, links and events, whether you're new to the industry, a veteran or a student. There is something for everyone!

And don't forget to answer this newsletter edition's trivia question! You may want to brush up on Chemistry 101 for our April meeting's trivia game.

See you at the April meeting!

Tami Thomas

2022 SESCC Chapter Chair

Congratulations!

We want to congratulate long time member and contributor to the Southeast Chapter, Christine Anderson Cooper and her husband Jack Cooper on the birth of their son, Alexander Steven Cooper, 7lbs 4 oz, on 12/27/2021. We congratulate the new family and wish them the best.

Christine has been a key player in the Southeast Chapter, helping us with our efforts to locate venues and move meetings to areas outside of Memphis, to allow those members in Chattanooga, Murfreesboro and Georgia the opportunity to attend chapter events.


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Check out the Southeast Chapter's New Social Media Links!

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OR the preferred Chapter Page: <https://www.linkedin.com/company/southeastsc>

IG: <https://www.instagram.com/southeastsc/> or you can use the IG tag @southeastsc

Finally, the Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/TheSoutheastSc>

Thanks to Monica Austin, our Chapter Secretary, for managing our Social Media!

**SCC WEBINAR
ARCHIVES**

The SCC Media Library & Resource Center now houses 20+ archived SCC Webinars, which are free for SCC members to watch. Members simply need to sign in with their regular SCC Portal login. If you have any issues signing in, please contact us at:

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SUBMISSION DEADLINE: April 4, 2022

It's that time again and we couldn't be happier to announce that we are now accepting abstracts for the Society of Cosmetic Chemists' **76th Annual Scientific Meeting & Showcase** (SCC76), convening December 12-14, 2022 in Los Angeles, California.

All scientists, academicians, policy makers and other stakeholders in the cosmetic and personal care community are invited to submit an abstract of original work, lab demonstration or case study for consideration to present as a podium lecturer.

The SCC is looking for submissions covering new or novel ingredient, process, and formulation technologies; sustainability; regulatory; safety; and/or testing and claims, covering both basic and advanced knowledge levels within topics relating to: Diversity in Beauty; Fragrance; Indie Beauty; Sustainability; and more.

Accepted speakers shall receive one (1) complimentary daily access registration to the Annual Meeting for their use the day of their presentation. A full access registration upgrade for speakers is available at a discount if they wish to attend the entire meeting. Additional registrations may be purchased at the then-current rate.

PLEASE NOTE: Any abstract not selected for a podium presentation will be eligible as a poster/tabletop in the exciting and ever-growing Exhibitor Showcase.

SCC Southeast Chapter 2022 Suppliers' Social Evening

June 16, 2022 – Old Dominick Distillery, Memphis, TN

Plan to join us for our 2022 Suppliers' Social Event, at Old Dominick Distillery. We will have the 3rd floor and terrace (rooftop) private for our event. Plan to join us for a night of great fellowship and fun including welcome cocktails, trivia, door prizes, dinner, drinks, and corn hole!

The levels of supplier sponsorship available for this event are:

Silver: \$250

Gold: \$450

Platinum: \$600

Cocktails: \$750

Sponsors will be recognized at the event, on our website, and in our Newsletter.

If you are interested in sponsoring this event contact Cathy Anglin at canglin@jstrickland.net, John Wagner, jwagner2020@comcast.net, or Monica Austin, southeastsc@gmail.com.

About Old Dominick's Distillery

Steps away from the site of the original building, Old Dominick's 150-year-old story is revived and ready to be shared. See the distillery for yourself and learn what makes Old Dominick and turn of the century Memphis so



2022 Southeast Chapter Scholarship



Undergraduate/Graduate Scholarship Applicants:

The Society of Cosmetic Chemists, Southeast Chapter will award one \$2,000 scholarship to an undergraduate or graduate student exhibiting academic excellence in any science-related discipline.

This scholarship is an achievement-based honor awarded to the student based on their leadership attributes; academic merits; extracurricular activities, and any applicable research projects related to the field of study, if applicable.

The Southeast Chapter's website, <http://www.southeastsc.org/scholarships.html> will display forms and instructions to assist in the application process.

The Southeast Chapter's Scholarship Committee is comprised of a panel of volunteers. The application period will span April 1st to June 1st to which our committee will initiate review of applications from June 15th – July 15th, 2022. The Scholarship winner will be notified by email on August 1st, 2022, with awarding of funds to the prospective educational institution occurring on or about August 15th. A short biography and photo of the Scholarship winner will be published in the next corresponding SESCC newsletter and on the website.

We look forward to receiving your application and wish you the very best in your future endeavors.

Best Regards,

Tami Thomas
2022 Southeast Chapter Chair

Employment Opportunities: Please check our website for detailed job listings at <http://www.southeastsc.org/Employment.html>



SCC Accepting Applications for Madam C.J. Walker Scholarship Generously Sponsored by Mary Kay Inc.

New York, NY (March 1, 2022) — The Society of Cosmetic Chemists (SCC) is pleased to announce the acceptance of applications for the Madam C.J. Walker Scholarship. First awarded in 2021, and funded by the generous support of Mary Kay Inc., the scholarship supports under-represented minority students of any gender identity pursuing an undergraduate or graduate degree in chemical, physical, medical, pharmaceutical, biological, or related sciences and technology, relative to the cosmetics and personal care industry. Two USD\$5,000 scholarships will be awarded again this year. The application period will open beginning March 1, 2022, and close on May 1, 2022. The Scholarship Selection Committee will select and notify the awardees on or about August 1, 2022.

Madam C. J. Walker (born Sarah Breedlove; 1867-1919) was an American entrepreneur, philanthropist, and political and social activist. She is regarded as the first female self-made millionaire in America. Walker made her fortune by developing and marketing a line of cosmetics and hair care products for black women through the business she founded, Madam C. J. Walker Manufacturing Company. At the time of her death, she had helped create the role of the 20th Century, self-made American businesswoman; established herself as a pioneer of the modern black hair-care and cosmetics industry; and set standards in the African-American community for corporate and community giving. Learn more at madamcjwalker.com/about.

“Madam C. J. Walker is an icon who spent her entire career breaking through barriers to become one of the nation’s greatest entrepreneurs despite the many obstacles that stood in her path,” said Dr. Lucy Gildea, Chief Innovation Officer, Product and Science at Mary Kay. “It is important that we continue to honor her legacy by supporting young, minority scientists. By partnering with SCC and creating the Madam C.J. Walker scholarship, we hope to inspire and empower the next generation of student scientists who want to follow in Walker’s footsteps.”

In addition to the \$5,000 scholarships, each awardee will receive a travel voucher, accommodations, student poster, and registration to attend the SCC 76th Annual Scientific Meeting & Showcase, December 12-14, 2022, in Los Angeles, CA, where they will be presented with a ceremonial scholarship check at the Awards Breakfast. Last year, the awardees had the pleasure of meeting Madam Walker’s great-great granddaughter and biographer, A’Lelia Bundles, at the breakfast.

“The SCC is grateful for the ongoing, generous support of our scholarship sponsor, Mary Kay Inc., as we pursue our efforts to support diversity and inclusion for under-represented populations in the cosmetics and personal care industry,” said Erica O’Grady, CAE, CEO of the Society. “We are thrilled to continue this important scholarship program and honor the legacy of the legendary Madam CJ Walker.”

About SCC

Having celebrated its 75th Anniversary in 2020, the SCC is the oldest and largest non-profit membership organization serving the cosmetics and personal care industry. Dedicated to advancing cosmetic science, SCC provides unparalleled education, resources, and networking for nearly 5,400 members globally and via 19 chapters across Greater North America. Learn more at www.sconline.org.

About Mary Kay Inc.

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[Read the complete program rules, eligibility rules and application requirements](#)



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(4) Real Lemons

(1) Block Cream Cheese - Soften

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March Trivia Winners

Congratulations to the winners of the March Trivia Contest:
Zechariah Avello– 2nd Place,
Sally Hatcher, Newsletter Trivia Game Winner and Laura Anderson, First Place Trivia Game Winner.



Southeast Chapter 2022 Calendar

April 21: Memphis, TN Napa Café – Nelson Ayala – See Page 1 for details.

June 16: Memphis, TN Suppliers' Social Event – Old Dominick's Distillery, Memphis TN.

September 15: Murfreesboro, TN - "Lunch Meeting" Speaker and Location TBD.

November 17: Memphis, TN Area – "End of Year Celebration and Officer Installation"

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Trivia Contest

Q: Who first discovered chemistry?

The first ten people to email the correct answer to southeastsc@gmail.com will be eligible for a drawing for a door prize at the April meeting.

You must be present at the April meeting in Memphis to receive the door prize.

Note: Officers in the SCC chapter or national organization are not eligible to compete in this contest. Participants are eligible for only one Newsletter Trivia Contest prize per year.



NATURALLY KIAWAH IS BACK!

The SCC Carolina Chapter is excited to return to beautiful Kiawah Island, SC in October, 2022 for the Naturally Kiawah event after a 4 year hiatus. The Carolina Chapter invites all to join us as we focus on the theme of **Creating a Sustainable Future of Consumer Products - Beauty & Beyond.**

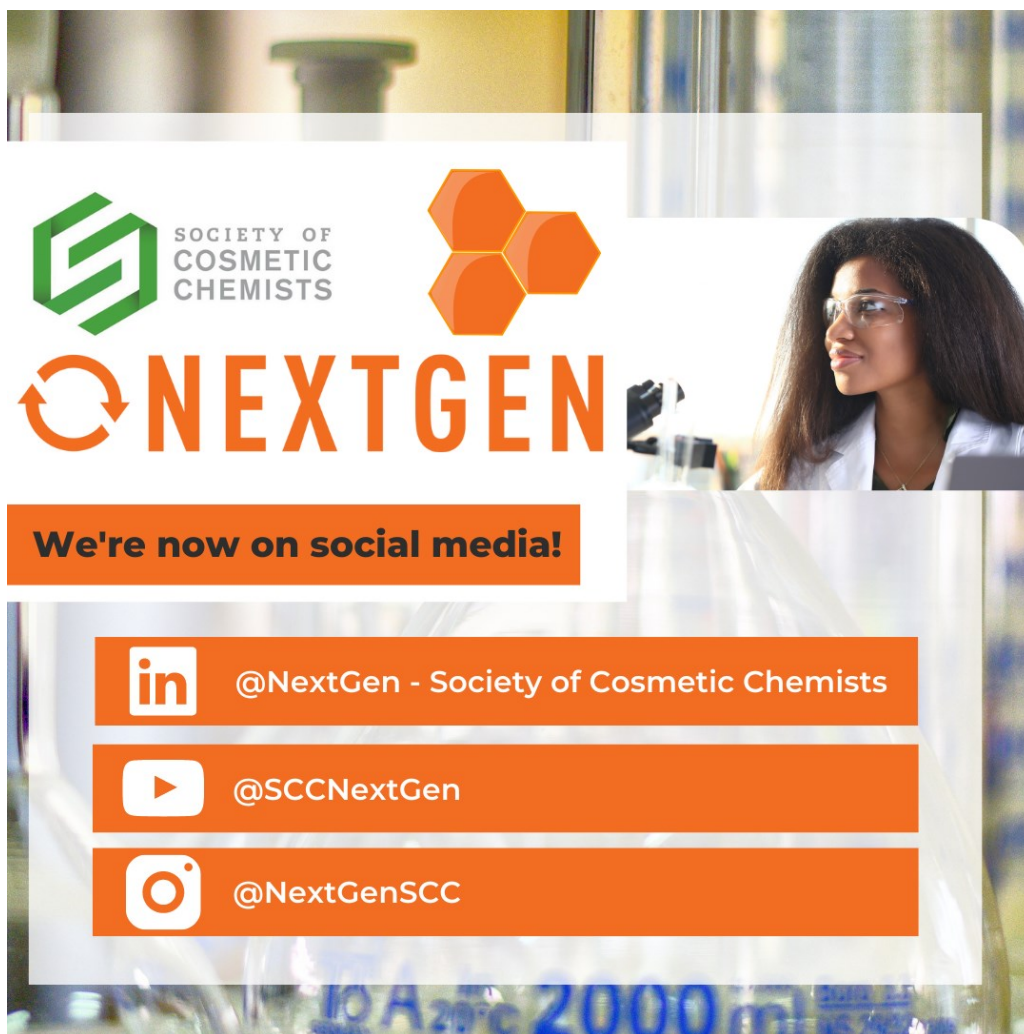
Increasing impacts to our environment as well as Brand and Consumer concerns demand that our industry continue to develop new and innovative solutions for beauty care products. We look forward to these 3 days to explore advances in clean and sustainable technologies, learn about regulatory updates impacting the industry, and last but not least gather and appreciate the natural beauty of Kiawah Island.

You're invited to submit an abstract of original work for potential podium presentation. To **Answer the Call for Papers** email scccarolinas@gmail.com with your abstract document attached.

TOPICS OF INTERESTS:

- Advances New Natural /Green Raw Materials and Products
- Eco Friendly Manufacturing (carbon footprints, alternate forms of energy, waste management techniques)
- Effect of Natural/Green Products on Skin Biology
- Update on consumer wipes market – ex: flushable wipe technology
- Marketing and Consumer Trends- color cosmetics, sustainability, natural trends
- Regulatory Updates- sun care, pet care, supplements, wipes
- Natural Pet Care
- Food Ingredients Technologies (crossover to personal care)
- Dietary Supplements Market Update-ex. beauty supplements, CBD
- New technology for Green/Natural Packaging-ex. biodegradable plastics , refillables
- Other topics related to Natural or Green Science

For more information, [click here](#) for the official Kiawah Announcement.



The Society of Cosmetic Chemists HQ's NextGen Advisory Group would like to invite your chapter to collaborate with us! The purpose of the NextGen Advisory Group is to assist with strategy development to increase program visibility, engagement, and impact of our programs to next generation of cosmetic chemists. Our efforts are currently focused on social media, outreach, education, and career development for Student, Junior, and early careerist General members.

We are seeking opportunities to talk with undergrad and grad students as well early careerists in cosmetic science to help keep the Society of Cosmetic Chemists' membership growing and help prepare them for careers in our industry. We are collaborating with the Chapters to produce career development-focused events in the coming months , including:

New York Chapter of SCC – Career Day at the [NYSCC Suppliers' Day](#), May 3-4, 2022.

Please check our Social Media pages:

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YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCnw7oaiDUQn3BBq6JYpxekg>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/nextgenscc/>

For additional information , contact the NextGen advisory group at nextgen@scconline.org



March Meeting

Special Thanks to Colonial Chemical for sponsoring the cocktails and Axe Throwing Event!

