



## *Gossage Glows and finishes 2012 in style!*

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*C&B Press* – The Department of Chemistry and Biology was extremely excited by the recent news that out that our very own has won the Faculty of Science Inaugural Dean's Teaching Award. This award is awarded annual for the Faculty educators who demonstrate an exception commitment to high-level education.

In her Christmas message Dean Coe said "There are many who should be recognized but most recently, I would like to congratulate the successful applicants for the just announced 2012-2013 Dean's Teaching, Service and SRC Awards. Professors Beauchemin (Physics) and Gossage



*Transformation Complete.* From the early days as an Assistant Professor at Acadia University to Associate Professor at Ryerson University, there has always been a commitment to education and mentorship.

(Chem/Biol) receive the Dean's Teaching Award, Professor Harley (Computer Science) receives the Dean's Service Award and Professor Pralat (Math) receives the Dean's SRC Award."

"We're all very proud of Rob", said Stephen Wylie, Chair of the Department. "Rob is a great mentor to his students and a wonderful colleague. He brings a deep and current knowledge of the chemical literature and plenty of hands-on experience to his teaching, as well as clear, articulate lectures delivered with an engaging sense of humor. This award is well-deserved."

"I would like to congratulate Dr. Gossage on being a recipient of the Dean's Teaching Award," said Khrystyna Herasymchuk, current graduate student in the department. "The knowledge, enthusiasm, encouragement and support that he consistently brings to each lecture have definitely made a mark on each

of the students he has taught, including myself. I can say, with great confidence, that having him as an educator and a mentor has helped me find myself as a chemist."

Well done Rob!!!



*The Gossage Gang celebrates a Movember Christmas (Nov 30<sup>th</sup>, 2012).*