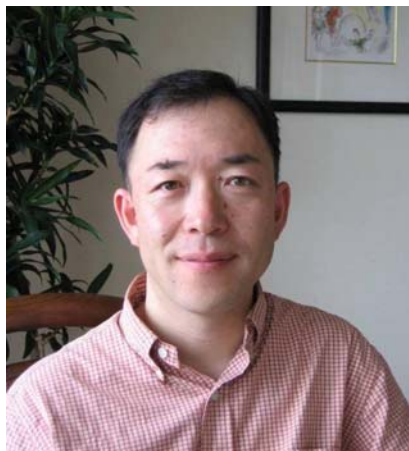


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April 16, 2008, Wednesday and April 17, 2008, Thursday
Chevron Science Center, Room 12B

Professor Yasuhisa Mizutani will deliver the 28th Annual Pittsburgh Conference Lectures, April 16 and April 17, 2008. Yasuhisa Mizutani is a professor at the Department of Chemistry, Graduate School of Science, Osaka University, Japan. His research interests are focused on biophysical chemistry with special emphasis on molecular structure and dynamics of proteins and spectroscopic approaches to them. His research group has done pioneering work on ultrafast dynamics of proteins by developing picosecond time-resolved resonance Raman spectrometers.

The titles of his lectures are:

April 16, 4:00 p.m.
Hemoglobin Allostery: Dynamics and Function

April 17, 2:30 p.m.
**Picosecond Protein Dynamics Revealed by Time-Resolved
Resonance Raman Spectroscopy**

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