

Free Family Day! Free Admission!

Marian Koshland Science Museum

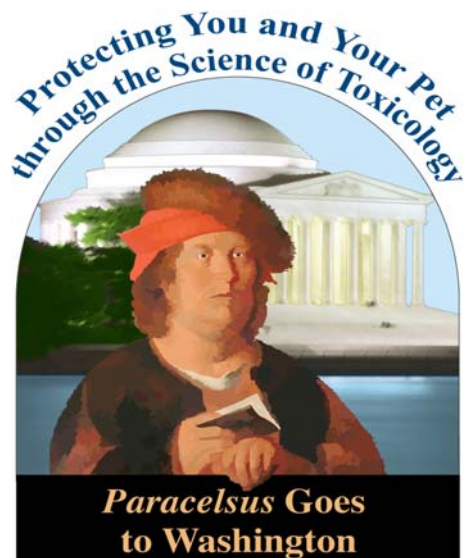
525 E. Street NW, Washington, D.C.

Sponsored by the Society of Toxicology

Protecting You and Your Pet through the Science of Toxicology

Saturday, March 5, 2011

10 AM-5 PM



Explore interactive exhibits related to toxicology

- **Wonders of Science**
- **Safe Drinking Water**
- **Global Warming**
- **Infectious Diseases**

Meet the Toxicologists--Investigate toxicology and careers with scientists from government, industry, and academia

Special Lecture 12:00 Noon

Poisoned Pet Food-Unraveling the Melamine Mystery—Dr. Renate Remschuessel, VM.D., Ph.D., U.S. FDA, Laurel, MD

This special day at the Marian Koshland Science Museum of the National Academy of Sciences will include hands-on activities related to the interactive museum exhibits to highlight the importance of dose and other aspects of toxicology. Targeted especially to middle and high school students through adults, participants will be equipped to better evaluate how to safeguard their family and community from environmental and occupational health risks.

Toxicologists are scientists who study the effects of chemical, physical, or biological agents on people, animals, and the environment, and make recommendations about safe exposures to these agents. Toxicology experts will be on hand throughout the day to discuss toxicology-related issues, answer questions, and explore career paths.

Representing government, industry, and academia, these scientists will share their enthusiasm for their work and stories of how they came to work in the discipline.

Special arrangements can be made for school or community groups—contact the Society of Toxicology.

Society of Toxicology

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The Society of Toxicology is a scientific association of toxicologists who work together to create a healthier and safer world through the science of toxicology. This event precedes the 50th SOT Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C., March 6-10, 2011.

Koshland Science Museum of the National Academy of Sciences

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The mission of the Marian Koshland Science Museum of the National Academy of Science is to engage the public in current scientific issues that impact their lives and provide insight into how science supports decision-making.