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## **MEDIA ALERT**

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**WHO:** Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi College of Science and Technology

**WHAT:** Sigma Xi Scientific Research Society Distinguished Lecture: "The Value of Research – A Clinical Laboratorian's Perspective" by Dr. Danyel Hermes Tacker

**WHEN:** Friday, Oct. 9, at 6 p.m.

**WHERE:** University Center, Lone Star Ballroom

## **Texas A&M-Corpus Christi Alumnus Returns to Present at Sigma Xi Scientific Research Society's Distinguished Lecture**

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas – The South Texas Chapter of the Sigma Xi Scientific Research Society will present the Distinguished Lecture "The Value of Research – A Clinical Laboratorian's Perspective" by Dr. Danyel Hermes Tacker on Friday, Oct. 9, at 6 p.m. in the University Center, Lone Star Ballroom.

Tacker, who received her bachelor of science in chemistry and cellular biology from Texas A&M-Corpus Christi in 1999, is a clinical chemist and a project leader in chloridometry at Ochsner Medical Center in New Orleans, La.

She earned her Ph.D. and completed her post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston and has also completed a clinical trials research fellowship through DAAD/Roche Diagnostics in Penzberg, Germany in 2006. The event is free and open to the public.

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