

**SCHEDULE**  
**Thursday, Oct. 28, 2010**  
**Alerus Center, Grand Forks, ND**  
**Ballrooms 1-4**

- 7:30 am      **Registration** (Continental Breakfast)  
**Poster set-up**
- 8:00 am      **Welcome & Introductions**  
Don Sens, Ph.D., Principal Investigator, UND, ND INBRE
- 8:30 am      *The Heavy Metals Problem in North Dakota: a Cretaceous Connection*  
Donald Schwert, Ph.D., Program Coordinator, NDSU, ND INBRE
- 8:45 am      **Faculty Presentations**  
*Reconnaissance-scale Studies of Metal Enriched Soils in Northeastern North Dakota*  
David Hopkins, Ph. D., North Dakota State University  
Bernhardt Saini-Eidukat, Ph.D., North Dakota State University
- 9:20am      *Capabilities of the ND INBRE Metal Analysis Core*  
Donna Jacob, Ph.D., North Dakota State University
- 9:35 am      *Activities of the ND INBRE Metal Analysis Core*  
Marinus Otte, Ph.D., North Dakota State University
- 10:10 am     **Break**
- 10:40 am     *Characterization of Erionite and Related Fibrous Zeolites in Western North Dakota*  
Bernhardt Saini-Eidukat, Ph.D., North Dakota State University
- 11:10 am     *Moving Metals: Evaluating the Role of Migratory Birds*  
Wendy Reed, Ph.D., North Dakota State University
- 11:30 am     *Metals and Renal Disease*  
Scott Garrett, Ph.D., University of North Dakota
- 12:00 pm     *Metals, Biomarkers and Bladder Cancer*  
Seema Somji, Ph.D., University of North Dakota
- 12:30 pm     **Lunch – Alerus Center**  
**Questions to Presenters**
- 1:45 – 4:30 pm **Student Posters**
- 5:15 pm      **Dinner – Alerus Center**  
Speaker: Don Sens, Ph.D.  
*Current Status and Activities of ND INBRE*