CHEMISTRY SENIORS
ANNUAL PRIZE COMPETITIONS

Each spring the Chemistry Department sponsors a competition for two large monetary prizes to be awarded to graduating chemistry majors on Commencement weekend. These endowed prizes are now worth several hundred dollars each and deserve serious competition.

The **William E. Fitch Prize** is awarded to the graduating major with the best-written comprehensive examination (Analytical, Inorganic, Organic, and Physical) in chemistry.

The **Byrne Thurtell Burns Memorial Prize** is awarded to the graduating major who shows the greatest proficiency in organic chemistry as demonstrated by written exam.

We will offer the exams during the period from March 3-7. You can take either or both exams during this period. Please sign up in the Dept Office with Ms. Shanna Roth, and advise her as to which exam you are taking and which day you will be taking the exam.

If you have a conflict with any of the dates, please let us know and we will endeavor to accommodate your schedule. These are valuable prizes and we would very much like to see some serious competition for the prizes. They are a great way to conclude a terrific year at GW. (Please note that the exam scores are not published and only the winner is announced, so no one need feel embarrassed by a bad day.)