Ann M. Wojtaszczyk joins Hauptman-Woodward Medical Research Institute Inc.

Ann M. Wojtaszczyk has joined Hauptman-Woodward Medical Research Institute Inc. as a long-term student intern.

She is working in Dr. Edward Snell’s lab. Dr. Snell is collaborating with the Spallation Neutron Source in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, and Ann will be part of that collaboration. She will be developing the techniques to grow large crystals of the biological machinery of life. These will be studied by neutron diffraction at the Spallation Neutron Source. This technique allows us to understand how the biological machinery functions, how it can fail, be repaired or made to work better. In medical research this translates to understanding a disease and providing the necessary first steps to a treatment and eventual cure.

Wojtaszczyk is a student at Canisius College in Buffalo, NY and plans to graduate in 2008.

She currently resides in Depew, NY.

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