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Title: *“Geochronologic and geochemical paths to subsurface system science and solutions”*

Date: Friday, 27 February 2026

Location: Online/Virtual Meeting

Seminar: 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

Pete is a professor of geosciences who uses geochemistry and geochronology to explore a wide range of Earth, planetary, and environmental science, including subsurface fluid-rock systems. He is a Fellow of AGU and GSA, is lead author of the textbook *Geochronology and Thermochronology*, and was a member of the Earth Science Evolution Program of the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research (CIFAR) from 2004 until its end in 2014. He received his PhD from the University of Washington in 1997 and was a Postdoctoral Scholar at Caltech until 1999.

He is a Professor at the University of Arizona, where he has been since 2006. He leads the Arizona Radiogenic Helium Dating Lab, which serves geo/thermochronology researchers worldwide. His academic leadership positions include Head of the Department of Geosciences (2013-2018), Associate Dean for Research in the College of Science (2019-2021), Dean of Faculty of Environment at UNBC (2022), and Interim Associate Vice President for Research Centers and Institutes (2023-2024). In his spare time, he is an unabashedly bad garage-rock musician.