De Moreno carries on teaching of teaching chemistry

Chemistry is one of those areas of science that some people find difficult – some even to the point of fearing it. Yet, there are those chemistry professors who instill such enthusiasm into the subject that it is not only easy to understand, but actually exciting. One such professor is Cristina De Moreno, an associate professor of chemistry at Southern Illinois University Edwardsville.

De Moreno was born in Catania, Sicily, Italy. She obtained her master’s degree in inorganic chemistry at the University of Catania and her doctorate in organic chemistry at the University of Milan. She taught at Catania and her doctorate in organic chemistry at the University of Milan.

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