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## **AWIS-HOI Research and Career Brown Bag Forum:**

# **“Small Bodies of the Solar System”**

**by Linda French, Assoc. Professor of Physics, IWU**

**11:30am, Tuesday, October 12, 2004**

**Illinois State University, Bone Student Center (2nd West Lounge)**  
(11:30am bring your lunch; 12noon speaker; 12:30pm open forum)



Linda French, Associate Professor of Physics at Illinois Wesleyan University, earned her A.B. at Indiana University and her Ph.D. in astronomy at Cornell University. There she began her teaching career as a teaching assistant for Carl Sagan. Prior to coming to IWU in 2002, she taught and did research at Bates College, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Wheelock College. Her primary research area is planetary astronomy and the photometry of asteroids, with a particular interest in objects of primitive composition. In 1988 the asteroid 3506 French was named for her in honor of her “research and educational accomplishments.”

Admission is free to this event and open to the general public as well as the academic and business community. If you would like to learn more about these and other AWIS-HOI programs, please contact the 2004-05 AWIS-HOI Officers. If you will need a special accommodation, please contact us.

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