

*The Physics and Astronomy Departments at the University of Virginia
and the National Radio Astronomy Observatory Present:*

THE ACCELERATING UNIVERSE



Nobel Laureate Adam Riess will speak on the fascinating topic of The Accelerating Universe. For almost a century, the Universe has been known to be expanding as a consequence of the Big Bang about 14 billion years ago. However, the discovery that this expansion is accelerating is astounding! Prof. Riess will discuss the excitement of this discovery, its implications, and current ongoing work to help answer remaining questions.