

**College of Computer, Mathematical
& Physical Sciences**

**The Institute for
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**Department of
Atmospheric & Oceanic Science**

*Invite you to a Reception
honoring the University of
Maryland's first
Eugenia Brin Professor:*

***Professor
Eugenia Kalnay***

**Math Rotunda, Math Building,
University of Maryland,
College Park
Tuesday, March 4, 2008
3:00 - 3:50 p.m.**

Immediately preceding the Pai Lecture

Eugenia Brin Professorship

The Eugenia Brin Professorship in Data Assimilation was established at the University of Maryland in 2007 with the very generous support of Mrs. Eugenia Brin. The field of data assimilation lies at the heart of weather and climate prediction in which observations of the state of the atmosphere and ocean are combined with our knowledge of the equations describing their physics and chemistry.

The Professorship is to be awarded to an outstanding researcher in data assimilation methods aimed at improving weather prediction and/or climate studies. Funding for the Professorship will also support Graduate Fellowships to be known as Lev Gandin Fellows, named in honor of the great Russian meteorologist and applied mathematician whose work is central to the development of data assimilation theory.