

# TODAY IN CHEMISTRY HISTORY

19<sup>TH</sup> APRIL – GLENN SEABORG'S BIRTHDAY (1912)



GLENN SEABORG

**BORN**

19 April 1912

**DIED**

25 February 1999

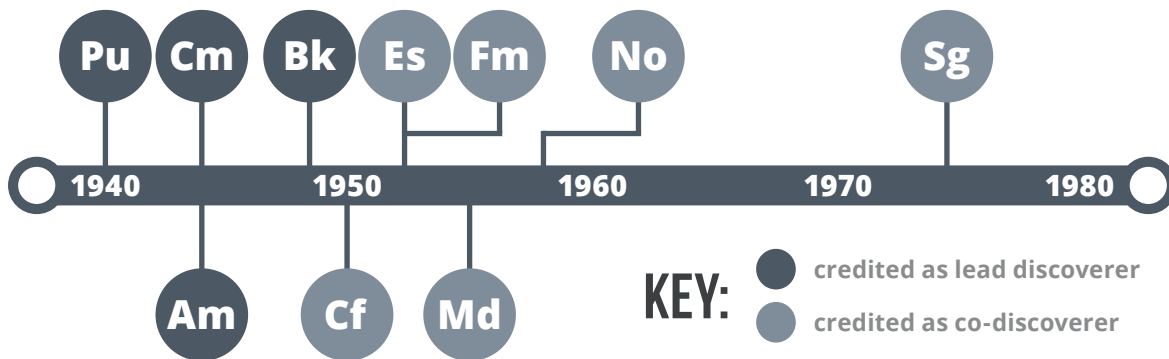


1951



Seaborg was involved in the discovery of ten transuranium elements, including Seaborgium (named after him). He was a joint winner of the 1951 Nobel Prize in Chemistry for his work.

## SEABORG'S ELEMENT DISCOVERIES



As well as discovering elements, Seaborg and his colleagues discovered over 100 isotopes of different elements in the Periodic Table. He also participated in and contributed to the Manhattan Project, the U.S. research that helped develop the first nuclear weapons.



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