Graduate School News

Congratulations Heather!!

Heather Eggleston ran her first half marathon! Pictured are Heather and her classmate and also volunteered at the Cap City Half Marathon in the Snowville Creamery tent.
Summer Term Deadlines 2015

The deadlines for Summer Semester 2015 are here. *Note: the fee payment deadline is I 11th.*

Stipend Increase

We wanted to communicate an update regarding the stipend amount for the Biomedical PhD students. The College of Medicine's standard stipend amount will be $27,576 ($2298.00/month) effective August 17, 2015. This represents a 2% increase over the current stipend amount.

Our Program Director Amy Lahmers will be communicating this change to the HR staff in departments where the students are working so that they can implement this change effective August 2015.

The Ohio State Science Day - Judges Needed

The Ohio State Science Day for middle school and high school kids will be held on Saturday, May 16th at St. John's Arena (right on Campus)!

I am coordinating the Future Physician Scientist Award, which seeks to identify and recognize seventh grade students who have potential as future physicians, scientists, or physician-scientists. This award is highly competitive and is one of the most-sought awards of the day- 154 competitors this year! This is a great opportunity to give back to the community while encouraging young people to consider a career as a physician and/or scientist. Who better to judge than students who have already decided to become scientists?
I am looking for volunteers to help judge the projects. The commitment would be minimal to the Arena, pick up your judging packet before 8am, view the projects you are assigned you think are best. Then we'll talk about them all, and decide on winners. Once the judging is done, you're good to go! Parking is provided.

Last year, judges had a great time and got to hear about some really impressive projects.

If you think you are interested, please email me! Also email me with any questions! Your help would be greatly appreciated!

More details about the day can be found here: http://www.ohiosci.org/ssd-2015/
- Ellen Lubbers

**MVIMG 8845 Course Offering**

**Course Rationale:** To understand immunological research, students must understand it appreciate where the field of immunology started, the progress and discoveries made any at where we are today. Therefore, there exists a need to allow graduate students, postdoctoral and undergraduates to become familiar with the rich history that exists in the field of imm. anticipated that a sound understanding of the history of immunology will allow students to be more thoughtful with respect to the scientific questions to be asked, more insightful in their experimental design and better able to interpret their scientific data. For more information please contact Dr. Zhang.

**BMI Fall Course Offerings**

- **BMI 5710 - Introduction to Biomedical Informatics**
  Instructor: Philip R.O. Payne, PhD - Chair of BMI
  Schedule: Tuesday/Thursday, 3:55 - 5:15 PM / Location: 245 Lincoln Tower
  Synopsis: A survey of biomedical informatics theories and methods employed in the design, implementation and management of information systems supporting basic science, clinical and translational research, clinical health. Recommended course work in computer science, statistics, anatomy, physiology and terminology.

- **BM 5760 - Public Health Informatics**
  Instructor: Bobbie Kite, PhD, MHS - Instructor, BMI OSU Health Plan
  Schedule: Tuesday/Thursday, 9:35 - 10:55 AM / Location: 245 Lincoln Tower
  Synopsis: Introduction to the emerging and critical field of Public Health informatics. This highlight the history, current and future use of informatics in the public health settings, an understanding of the role and broad application of informatics to promoting health and preventing disease.

- **BMI 5770 - Health Analytics: Data Discovery to Dissemination**
  Instructor: Timothy Huerta, PhD - Associate Professor, BMI & Family Medicine
  Schedule: Wednesday, 4:10 - 6:50 PM / Location: 180 Cunz Hall
  Synopsis: Health Analy science of analyzing health data for knowledge discovery and decision making. The she data types in health care settings results in what scholars call a DRIP environment: Dat Information Poor. Data has become ubiquitous in healthcare settings from clinical decision operational/business planning; health decisions are now being made similarly. No progra experience is required, but students are expected to vigorously engage in their own lean courses will require that students use and adapt to tools demonstrated during class.
BMI 7830 - Advanced Bioinformatics for Human Diseases / CSE 5599 Special Seminars Science 
Instructo: Kun Huang, PhD - Associate Professor BMI and Raghu Machiraju, PhD - Prof Science & Engineering 
Schedule: Tuesday/Thursday, 1:00 - 1:55 PM / Location: 245 Lincoln Tower 
Synopsis: With the fast development of high throughput technologies such as microarray and next generation sec bioinformatics has become an essential part of biomedical research in human diseases. A large amount of high throughput data has become the new bottleneck in many research.

Upcoming Events

8th Annual NIH Career Symposium

8th Annual NIH Career Symposium
May 15, 2015 8:00 am - 4:15 pm
NIH Campus- Bethesda, Maryland 
Natcher Conference Center, Building 45
More Information
Register

The 8th Annual NIH Career Symposium aims to highlight the diversity of career choices generation of biomedical researchers. Whether you are a new graduate student, postdoc fellow just beginning to consider career options or a senior student/fellow ready to look for career options, the NIH Career Symposium is for you. Read write-ups (written by postdocs) of past NIH Career symposiums here: https://www.training.nih.gov/nih_career_symposium

NEW THIS YEAR:

- More variety of career choices than ever before
- Two panels of careers outside of the US (virtual panels)
- A view on publishing from a journal editor
- The Senior Vice President, R&D and Head of Research from MedImmune will discuss the myths of industry

The Symposium includes panels and workshops with over 75 speakers.
International Opportunities in Science (new in 2015)
Two panels: one from Asia/Australia, one from Europe

INDUSTRY PANELS
Careers in Industry R&D
Careers in Clinical Research and Medical Affairs
Industry Careers in Business Development and Marketing
Industry Operations, Quality Control, and Regulatory Affairs Jobs
How to Successfully Transition to Industry
Bench Careers in Unexpected Places

ACADEMIC PANELS
Finding an Academic Position
Academic Careers in Unexpected Places
How to Start Up a Lab for the First Time
Teaching-Intensive Careers in Academia

NON-BENCH PANELS
Careers in Science Policy
Technology Transfer Careers
Careers in Science Administration
Leveraging Your Science Through Business: Consulting Careers
Science Education and Outreach Careers
Careers in Science Communication

**CLINICAL PANEL**
Career Options for Clinicians

**SKILL BLITZES**
Demystifying USAjobs.gov
Finding Ways to Enhance Your Resume
Interviewing
Networking and Informational Interviews
Resumes and Cover Letters
Top Ten Tips for Grant Writing
Using LinkedIn for Career Success
Finding a Postdoc
Stress Management for Scientists
Find the Career for You
Getting Published: Tips from an Editor
Unraveling the Myths of Industry

Please note:
This is NOT a job fair; it is a place for you to gain information about the next step in your career.
There will be NO recruiting tables.

Other Information

**PLOS ONE: PLOS Early Career Travel Award Program**
PLOS is pleased to announce the Early Career Travel Award Program. To recognize the efforts of early career researchers and support opportunities for them to present their research findings at scientific conferences, PLOS will provide up to TEN Travel Awards of $500 each towards attending a scientific conference where work has been accepted for presentation. This is a great opportunity for any of the past or current students working in your lab that co-authored a PLOS paper and we encourage you to share this information with them.

Eligible researchers will be...

- Presenting at a conference taking place between August 1 - December 31, 2015.
- An author on an article published in any PLOS journal by the application date, ANI
- Currently part of a graduate program or have received a graduate degree within the application deadline

The application deadline for the travel award is June 30, 2015. For more information and to apply please visit: [www.plos.org/travelawards](http://www.plos.org/travelawards)
If you have any questions please let us know and we would be happy to assist.

**Technology Entrepreneurship and Commercialization (TEC) Institute Position**
Program Director at the Technology Entrepreneurship and Commercialization (TEC) Institute at the Fisher College of Business. They are recruiting applicants for two new full time Commercial Strategy Project Manager Positions at TEC. They’re seeking individuals whose interests...
business and technical disciplines to help develop commercialization plans for new tech.
Post-Professional Researcher position would be a good fit for someone with a degree in:
who hopes to pursue a career in product development or entrepreneurship.

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