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top headlines

**Reaching its goal**
The Indiana Biosciences Research Institute, which includes support from IU, has reached a fundraising milestone.

**InterFACE Center**
The new research center aims to better understand and treat brain-injury-induced emotional issues.

**Library director**
Gabriel R. Rios will join the IU School of Medicine in January as director of the Ruth Lilly Medical Library.

editor’s picks

**News to Use**

**New position**
Anantha Shekhar has been named associate vice president for university clinical affairs at IU.

**Opportunities**

**Showalter awards**
Applications are open for grant awards from the Ralph W. and Grace M. Showalter Research Trust.

features of the week

**story**

**Collection effort**
Susan Cordes, M.D., an ear, nose and throat surgeon and associate clinical professor at the IU School of Medicine, and her husband, Kyle, have spent countless hours in a personal effort to collect, repair and transport hundreds of pounds in medical supplies each year to the Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital in Kenya.
IUSM researchers earned more than $3 million in grants and awards, excluding commercial projects, in October.

Easy appointments
Abigail Klemsz and Michael McKenna have new appointments in the Office of Medical Student Affairs.

faculty & staff spotlight
Under her wing
IUSM researcher Melissa Kacena has become well known for the many interns she welcomes into her bustling lab.

student spotlight
Bringing it home
Kenyan medical student Abdullahi Madey aims to use lessons from the IU School of Medicine to improve his home country.

'Sound Medicine'
This week, "Sound Medicine" explores a federal proposal to partially ban trans fats. Other topics include the approval of a controversial painkiller, doctors and patients who ignore clinical practice guidelines, and why nearsightedness has risen over the past 30 years.

events & lectures
Indiana Life Sciences Collaboration Conference series
11-22-2013
IUSM Orchestra Fall Concert
11-24-2013
Student study section with IUSM's Education Deans
11-25-2013
Indiana Center for Biological Microscopy open house
12-06-2013
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