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INScope
Weekly news for faculty, staff and students from the Indiana University School of Medicine

top headlines

Year in review
From new dean Jay Hess to the admittance of the largest incoming medical student class, 2013 was a busy year at IUSM.

Brain changes
A new study led by Thomas McAllister reports nonconcussion head impacts may still cause changes in the brain.

Healthy new year
New healthy food choices will be available at IU Health downtown facilities starting next year.

editor’s picks

News to Use
For your information
Peter Nalin has been named interim chair of radiation oncology, IUSM's homepage will launch a redesign on Dec. 22, and more.

Opportunities
Research opportunity
Applications are being accepted for the 2014 Summer Research Program at the IU Melvin and Bren Simon Cancer Center.

Grants
Grants and awards

features of the week

story

Message from Jay Hess
Jay L. Hess, dean of the IU School of Medicine and vice president for university clinical affairs at IU, reflects on his first 100 days on the job.

podcast

'Sound Medicine'
This week, "Sound Medicine" interviews Daniel Alam, a facial plastic surgeon at the
IUSM researchers earned more than $8.7 million in grants and awards, excluding commercial projects, in November.

Kudos

Outstanding professionals
Flora Hammond and Lance Trexler have been named fellows of the American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine.

faculty & staff spotlight

Linking delirium
Research led by Babar Ali Khan identifies the first biomarker linked to delirium duration.

student spotlight

A student's perspective
Stefan Tarnawsky answers questions about what it's like to be an M.D./Ph.D. student.

Cleveland Clinic who performed the first U.S. facial transplant in 2008. Other topics include a project at Eskenazi Health to reduce unnecessary emergency room visits, using gene blocking to combat obesity and tips for reducing holiday stress.

events & lectures

Showalter Research Trust grant applications deadline
01-09-2014

IUPUI Campus Award applications due Jan. 15
01-15-2014

Testicular Cancer: A Model for a Curable Cancer
01-16-2014

Indiana Spinal Cord and Brain Injury Research Fund Grant Program applications due
02-17-2014

2014 IUPUI Research Day
04-11-2014

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