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**Industry collaboration**
A new project will boost IUSM collaborations with industry to leverage research into new products and therapies.

**Game changer**
Researchers at the IU School of Medicine have discovered a highly accurate, noninvasive test to identify benign pancreatic cysts.

**IUSM-Muncie**
Four years of medical education will reach all nine IUSM medical education centers in June as clerkship rotations begin in Muncie.

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**features of the week**

**story**

**Leading the way**
This Black History Month, InScope carries a Northwest Times of Indiana story on Deborah L. McCullough, M.D., the first African-American woman to graduate from the IU School of Medicine. An OB-GYN in private practice near Gary, Ind., Dr. McCullough was recently honored as a nominee for the Gary Frontiers Service Club Drum Major Award.

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**editor’s picks**

**News to Use**

**Name change**
Effective Feb. 24, IUSM Presentation Technology Services will become Multimedia Technology Services.

**Grants**

**Grants and awards**
IUSM researchers earned more than $1.8 million in grants and awards, excluding commercial projects, in January.

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**Opportunities**

**Nominations sought**

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The deadlines to nominate individuals for IUSM Alumni Association awards and Trustee Teaching Awards are Feb. 21 and 26.

Kudos

Honors
Bernadette Rodak is among several faculty members recently honored at the IU School of Medicine.

faculty & staff spotlight

Doctor turned novelist
Already well known in the field of cardiology, Douglas Zipes is pursuing a second passion as the writer of medical thrillers.

student spotlight

Finding her voice
Singer and medical student Maria Solis has used her voice to comfort nursing home residents and to help fund her education.

"Sound Medicine"

This week, "Sound Medicine" explores issues related to tobacco use in America 50 years after a landmark surgeon general's report declared that smoking causes lung cancer. Topics include a history of the report's impact, current efforts to reduce tobacco use and the surprising statistic that 7 percent of nurses and 2 percent of doctors still smoke.

events & lectures

Center for AIDS Research grant planning meeting
02-24-2014

Are contact sports bad for the brain?
02-27-2014

Alpha Omega Alpha lecture and banquet
03-07-2014

Children's Health Services Research Symposium
03-10-2014

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