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Harris to lead Wishard Health Services

Lisa Harris, MD, is the new medical director and chief executive officer of Wishard Health Services. Her nomination was approved Dec. 22 by the Board of Trustees of Health and Hospital Corporation of Marion County and D. Craig Brater, MD, IUSM dean.
“I am eager to begin this new role and very optimistic about Wishard’s future,” said Dr. Harris, who also was named an associate dean of Wishard Affairs at the School of Medicine. “While I will be working closely with Wishard’s board and administrative leadership to stabilize our financial future, I also look forward to working with the physicians and staff to further enhance the care we provide to the Indianapolis community.”

For the past four years, Dr. Harris has served as chief of medicine at Wishard. She also is the executive vice president and chief medical officer for IU Medical Group – Primary Care.

“Lisa Harris has a wealth of experience as a clinician and manager,” said Dr. Brater. “She is a recognized expert in meeting patients’ needs. Her breadth of experience coupled with having practiced medicine at Wishard her entire career means she is uniquely equipped to lead Wishard during this important time. She will be a wonderful bridge between the School of Medicine and Health and Hospital Corporation as we work in partnership to meet the needs of the underserved of Marion County.”

A 1983 graduate of the IU School of Medicine, Dr. Harris completed an internship, residency and fellowship in internal medicine, as well as a fellowship in nephrology. She served as chief medicine resident at Wishard from 1988 to 1989 and was an attending physician there when she received her first academic appointment in the School’s Department of Medicine.

Since that time, Dr. Harris has advanced many programs for preventive and therapeutic care and also has been an effective health science researcher with her interests focusing on using patients’ reports and evaluations of care to drive health care quality improvement.

Dr. Harris has participated in leadership development courses for health care executives at the Harvard School of Public Health and the National Association of Public Hospitals. In 2003, she was named an Outstanding Female Faculty Leader by the Office for Women of Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis. She is a diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Harris succeeds Robert B. Jones, MD, PhD, who was appointed executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations in the IU School of Medicine. Jones served as CEO and medical director of Wishard for nearly four years.

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Yoder named Klingler Professor of Pediatrics

Mervin Yoder Jr., MD, has been named the Richard and Pauline Klingler Professor of Pediatrics.
Dr. Yoder is a professor of pediatrics and of biochemistry and molecular biology. A 1980 graduate of IUSM, he has served on the faculty since 1985.

The Richard and Pauline Klingler Professorship was established by the Riley Children’s Foundation in 2001. The Klinglers grandson, Zachary, died from cancer at Riley Hospital. The family has been supporters of IUSM and Riley Hospital for several years and have had a particular interest in clinical and research cancer programs.

The Klingler Professorship is designated for a pediatrician who is in a major leadership role in patient care, teaching and/or research at Riley Hospital.

Brain surgeon, local congresswoman among Diversity Week speakers

Several speakers and topics will help recognize Diversity Week and honor the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Pediatric neurosurgeon Benjamin Carson Sr., known for his expertise in separating conjoined twins and conducting brain surgery to control seizures, will deliver the keynote address at the 34th annual IUPUI dinner honoring Dr. King.

Carson, who first gained international recognition as the principal surgeon in the 22-hour separation of conjoined twins from Germany in 1987, will speak at the dinner to be at 6 p.m., Monday, Jan. 19, at the Indiana Roof Ballroom.

The theme for the dinner is “Striving for Excellence and Continuing the Dream.” Tickets for the King Dinner are $20 each for IUPUI undergraduate students, $35 for IUPUI faculty and staff, and $35 for community guests. Tickets are available through Campus and Community Life at 274-3931, or on the Web site at www.life.iupui.edu/CCL/diversity/MLK.asp.

The afternoon of Jan. 19, Dr. Carson will speak on the IUPUI campus from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. His presentation “Gifted Hands – The Ben Carson Story” will be at the University Place Conference Center auditorium.

IUSM Diversity Week Events

The 2004 dinner is a collaborative event sponsored by the IU School of Medicine, the IUPUI Black Student Union, the IUPUI MLK Dinner Committee and the Student National Medical
Other speakers, scheduled by the IUSM Diversity Council, will present from noon to 1 p.m. in Emerson Hall auditorium. Lunch will be served. are:

- Monday, Jan. 12 – William Lawson, MD, PhD, professor and chair, Department of Psychiatry, Howard University, “Diagnosing and Treating Bipolar Disorder in African-Americans”
- Tuesday, Jan. 13 – Clive Callendar, MD, professor and chair, Department of Surgery and director of transplant surgery at Howard University, “From Birth to the Minority Organ Tissue Transplant Education Program – The Clive Callendar Story”
- Wednesday, Jan. 14 – Elena Rios, MD, president, Hispanic Medical Association, “Federal Health Policy 2003 – A National Minority Health Care Advocate’s Perspective”

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**Continuing Medical Education gets accreditation kudos**

IUSM’s Continuing Medical Education program has received a four-year accreditation from the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME). The School’s program earned an exemplary overall program evaluation and has been invited to participate in ACCME’s Best Practices program.

The ACCME is a consortium of professional organizations that set the standards for continuing medical education.

The Continuing Medical Education program offers high quality education programs to faculty, alumni and practicing physicians in Indiana and throughout the nation through recurring events such as grand rounds, courses in Indiana and nationally, visiting professor programs and other materials such as books, videos, CD-ROMs and Web-based programs.

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**Mini Medical School features surgical updates**
Are you ready to scrub for the latest topics and issues in surgery? That is the direction surgeons at IUSM will take participants at the winter series of IU Mini Medical School, Feb. 10 through March 16. Each of the two-hour weekly sessions meets at 7 p.m. Tuesdays in the lower-level auditorium at the Riley Outpatient Center.

Topics and speakers include:

**Feb. 10**  The History and Future of Surgery  
Keith Lillemoe, MD, and Jay Grosfeld, MD

**Feb. 17**  The Skinny on Bariatric Surgery  
Clark Simons, MD

**Feb. 24**  Robots and Computers Lend A Helping Hand  
David Canal, MD, and Don Selzer, MD

**March 2-9**  The Organ Trail: New Pathways In Transplantation  
A. Joseph Tector, MD  
(other guest speakers may present at these sessions)

**March 16**  You’re So Vein: Vascular Surgery  
Stephen Lalka, MD, and Matthew Johnson, MD

One of the main goals of the twice-annual IU Mini Medical School is to introduce and explain to the public - in everyday language - the latest developments and topical issues in health care and research.

Cost to attend the six-week series is $40 per person and advanced registration is required. For information or to register, call 317-278-7600. When registering, refer to Course No. 033N01A200.

IU Mini Medical School is sponsored by the IU Medical Group and Indianapolis radio station WIBC, and is offered by the IU School of Medicine Faculty Community Relations through the IUPUI Division of Continuing Studies.

Phone number corrections for Visual Media

The 2003-2004 campus faculty/staff telephone directory has incorrectly listed the general telephone number for the Office of Visual Media. The correct number is 274-7478.

Visual Media’s number is cross-referenced on several pages under various headings.
Production Services, Duplicating, Graphic Design, Information Resources and Educational Technology (IRET), Photography, Slide Production – Scanning, Video Production Services.

Below is a corrected listing for Visual Media by area.

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Combined Seminar Series for January

The January Combined Seminar Series, held from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium, will feature:

Jan. 14 – David Ranshoff, MD, professor of medicine, clinical professor of epidemiology, director, Clinical Research Curriculum, University of North Carolina -- Chapel Hill

Jan. 21 – No seminar scheduled

Jan. 28 – To be announced
Medical Humanities Seminar – Jan. 21

Sandra Petronio, PhD, IUPUI Department of Communications and the IU Center for Bioethics, will speak from noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 21, at the Seminars in Medical Ethics and Humanities. Her presentation, “Riddles of Privacy in Today’s World,” will be in the Medical Library, room 301-302.

The previously scheduled talk for January, Carol Gardner’s “Multiple Metaphors: Patterns of Stigma Self-presentation,” has been postponed.

The Seminars are open to the public but space is limited. Lunch is provided with a reservation, which can be made by calling 274-4740 or by emailing Judi Campbell at jizukac@iupui.edu.

Technology discount deadline Jan. 14

Individuals enrolled in the IUSM PDA initiative are eligible for technology discounts through Wednesday, Jan. 14, on the Tungsten C (Listed price is $499, IUSM discounted price is $350, plus an extended warranty). There also are discounts available on software through Skyscape and for ePocrates. Training opportunities will be available for PDA use, recommended software/resources listings and more opportunities to come in the future. To access the area of the Web to receive the discount for the Tungsten C, users must be enrolled in the Angel IUSM PDA course. Once enrolled, users can log on to Angel with their user identification and password, go to the content area, choose Discounts Directory and go to the IUSM/CDWG website.

The PDA Initiative

There is no doubt that handheld technology is pervasive. Exposing medical students to handhelds and incorporating the technology and resources into the medical education experience is essential. As medical students move from the four-year program into residencies, specialty programs and into practice, they will be expected to be PDA-aware; and in some cases, able to use handheld technology within clinical/hospital/private practice infrastructures from the moment they walk in the door.

The IUSM Educational Technology, Medical Library and Medical Student Affairs Computer Support groups formed a handheld technology team with a goal to provide opportunities for IUSM students to gain handheld technology experience and to assist teaching faculty incorporate handheld technology, resources and projects into the medical education curriculum. The team has
developed the IUSM PDA Program.

The program is based on a single, recommended handheld platform - Palm Tungsten C - to provide comprehensive support and services including:

- Hardware and software discounts for IUSM students, faculty and staff
- Medical Library Reference Librarians’ list of evaluated and recommended medical software/resources
- Training opportunities for basic PDA use, PDA medical software
- PDA custom content, application and project development consultation
- Faculty consultation to incorporate handheld technology in teaching environments
- Technical troubleshooting assistance
- IUSM PDA/Handheld Technology resources

An Angel course has been created – the IUSM PDA Community – as a one-stop-shop for information, recommended software, FAQs, technical support, and vendor discounts.

Email your name and IU/IUPUI Network ID to Amy Hatfield (ajhatfie@iupui.edu) or Mary Beth Nance (mnance@iupui.edu) to enroll in the course and take advantage of the developing resources/vendor discounts.

For more information see http://et.medicine.iu.edu/PDA/AnnouncementPDA.pdf.

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**PDA Brown Bag Lunch-n-Learn Series begins Jan. 30**

The first in a monthly series of PDA information and training Brown Bag Lunch-n-Learn sessions will be from noon until 1:30 p.m., Friday, Jan. 30, in the Van Nuys Medical Science Building B26.

Grant Olsen, MS3, will discuss the use of handheld devices in medical school, demonstrate the HanDBase application and give an overview on HotSyncing.

He will use the Tungsten C, the IUSM PDA recommended model, and the model that is currently available for purchase at a 30 percent discount with extended warranty until Wednesday, Jan. 14.

There will be time for questions at the end of the session.
Taylor Awards for Excellence in Diversity nominations sought

Nominations and applications are being accepted for the third annual IUPUI Dr. Joseph T. Taylor Excellence in Diversity Awards. Dr. Taylor was the first dean of the IU School of Liberal Arts at IUPUI.

The awards will be conferred by Chancellor Charles Bantz during the 16th Annual Joseph T. Taylor Symposium on Feb. 19. Awards will be selected from nominations or applications submitted by faculty, staff or students in recognition of exemplary IUPUI academic and support programs, events, policies and activities that have led to the following:

- Increased recruitment and/or retention of African American and Hispanic faculty, students and staff
- Enhanced campus climate for diversity through social, cultural, or developmental programs or events
- Engagement of the IUPUI community in issues related to race, class or gender through innovative curriculum, research, programs or events.

The nomination/application form must be submitted no later than Tuesday, Jan. 20. Forms can be found at www.iupui.edu/joseph_t_taylor/.

Completed forms should be sent to:

Taylor Diversity Awards
c/o Lillian Charleston
IUPUI Affirmative Action Office
355 N. Lansing St., AO127
Indianapolis, IN 46202
317 274-2306, fax: 317 274-3963
affaindy@iupui.edu

Honors

Susan Ballinger, MD, associate professor of pediatric rheumatology, has been named by the National Board of Medical Examiners to the the Step 2 Clinical Skills Physical Exam Advisory
Committee in the development of U.S. Licensing Examination. Test committee members develop and review test items that compose the USMLE.

**Herbert Cushing**, MD, is the medical school liaison representative to the National Board of Medical Examiners. As a representative, Dr. Cushing has oversight responsibility for IUSM’s connection to the NBME secure website and the individuals designated to access it.

**Debomoy Lahiri**, PhD, professor of medical neurobiology and of medical and molecular genetics, has been awarded the Distinguished Scientist Award from the Association of Scientists of Indian Origin in America – Neuroscience Division during the 33rd annual meeting of the Society for Neuroscience meeting in New Orleans. The Distinguished Scientist Award is the highest award presented by ASIOA in recognition of scientific achievement in neuroscience.

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**Indiana University School of Medicine**  
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This week on *Sound Medicine*

Tune in at noon, Saturday, Jan. 17, to *Sound Medicine*, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. This week’s co-host is Steve Bogdewic, PhD.

Guests include Robert Patterson, a third-year medical student and coordinator of IUSM’s Diversity Week activities. He will discuss his goal of encouraging more minorities to enter medical school and the health professions. Diversity Week speaker Benjamin Carson, MD, Johns Hopkins neurosurgeon, who is renowned for separating numerous conjoined twins. He also is an advocate for recruiting minorities into health care. Dr. Carson also is the IUPUI Martin Luther King Day guest speaker.

Also appearing is Martin Farlow, MD, professor of neurology, who will discuss the latest Mad Cow scare and prion diseases.
Archived editions of *Sound Medicine*, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu.

**Online IUSM calendars**

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at [www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar](http://www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar). To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.

A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at [www.medicine.iu.edu](http://www.medicine.iu.edu). The calendar also can be accessed directly at [webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm](http://webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm).

**Submissions to Scope**

*Scope* wants your news items.

The deadline for submission is 8:30 a.m. on Fridays. *Scope* is published electronically and sent to faculty, staff, students, and residents.

There are four easy ways to submit story ideas or information to *Scope*:

- fax the information to 278-8722
- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- paste your plain text message into *Scope* Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: [http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty](http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty)

Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.

To keep the electronic version of *Scope* as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.
State of Wishard address

Lisa Harris, MD, the newly appointed CEO of Wishard Health Services will deliver the State of Wishard address from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 20, and from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 22. Both addresses will be in Myers Auditorium at Wishard Memorial Hospital.

Wishard physicians and staff are encouraged to attend the third annual address, which will review the accomplishments of 2003 and discuss the outlook for 2004.
Benson receives international honors for career of discovery

Merrill Benson, MD, is the first recipient of the prestigious Pasteur-Weizmann/Servier International Prize in Biomedical Research awarded in Paris.

Dr. Benson, professor of pathology and laboratory medicine, of medical and molecular genetics and of medicine, was recognized in December for his pioneering research on protein deposits, called amyloids, which play a role in the development of a variety of diseases including Alzheimer and Huntington diseases and multiple myeloma.

The award, which carries a prize of 150,000 euros, is to be presented every three years to a top-level researcher, scientist or physician who has gained international recognition for a major biomedical discovery which led to a therapeutic application.

Neurobiology was selected as the specialty for the first award and the theme “The amyloidosis: from molecular medicine to therapeutics” was selected for the award presentation.

Amyloid is the accumulation of protein fibers in tissues where they disrupt normal organ function. Amyloidosis refers to the disease which is caused by protein deposits and, depending on the type of amyloid protein, may include heart failure, kidney failure, liver failure, neuropathy or, in the case of Alzheimer disease, dementia. There are more than 20 human proteins that can accumulate in virtually all tissues and organs and each causes a specific disease.

Dr. Benson is internationally recognized for the discovery of mutations in a number of proteins which cause inherited types of amyloidosis, and the relationship of protein structure to the function of the protein in health and disease. His particular interest has been in the multisystem forms of amyloidosis associated with immunoglobulin (antibody) deposits, inflammatory amyloidosis (for patients with rheumatoid arthritis) and hereditary amyloidosis. He also has made important discoveries in research on the amyloidosis of Alzheimer disease and other types of protein deposition diseases associated with the central nervous system.

The Pasteur Institute was formed in 1888 by Louis Pasteur, who is best known for developing a vaccine for rabies. It is one of the leading research institutes in France. The Weizmann Institute of Science is a leading research and academic institution based in Israel. France’s Servier Institute promotes all forms of research and scientific knowledge for the purpose of medical progress.
Indianapolis is ranked 19th in the top 40 locations for biotechnology companies in the nation in *Business Facilities* magazine.

The publication used a ranking system for 13 statistics believed to produce important strengths and momentum for developing biotechnology clusters. Ranking first was the New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island area. Fortieth on the list was Buffalo-Niagara Falls area.

For the complete report, which ran in the magazine’s November issue, see [www.facilitycity.com/busfac/bf_03_11_cover5.asp](http://www.facilitycity.com/busfac/bf_03_11_cover5.asp).

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**Clinical research educational opportunities**

The Clinical Trials Program has expanded the educational opportunities offered to clinical research investigators, coordinators and other support staff. Monthly educational sessions of topical and practical interest will be presented targeting both new and experienced research faculty and staff involved in all types of clinical research, i.e. investigator-initiated, NIH, and industrially-sponsored.

A comprehensive schedule for the year soon will be published and can be accessed on the Clinical Trials Program Web site at [http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/](http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/). In the meantime, the opportunities, confirmed for January and February, are:

"SOS for the SSS - IRB Basics"

Are you unclear about how to fill out certain sections of the Summary Safeguard Statement (SSS)? Are you confused by changes made to the SSS last year? This session will discuss the initial IRB application packet with particular emphasis on the SSS to include discussion of new sections as well as help in understanding how to complete all sections. Some "real life" scenarios will be discussed and adequate time will be reserved for questions and answers from the audience.

**Speaker:** Shelley Bizila, director, Research Compliance Administration  
**When:** 9:30 a.m. – 11 a.m., Jan. 30  
**Where:** Riley Outpatient Center (ROC) lower level conference center, rooms A & B  
**Cost:** None  
**Registration:** At the door. Seating limited to approximately 60.  
**CMEs:** Pending
"Budgets and Contracts: the 'Business' of Clinical Research"

Are you sure you are being adequately compensated for your work on clinical trials? Are you calculating your real costs? Are you receiving what you are due? Are you protecting your legal rights as an investigator? In this session you will learn how to develop an adequate study budget, calculate real costs, identify "hidden" costs, establish appropriate billing mechanisms to prevent insurance fraud, identify potential problems in contracts, and develop communication and tracking tools to make sure you are paid what you are due.

Speakers: Sharon Moe, MD - associate dean for research support; medical director, Clinical Trials Program and associate professor of medicine
Pam DeWeese, MA, CCRP - administrative director, Clinical Trials Program

When: 9:30 a.m. – noon, Feb. 6
Where: Riley Outpatient Center (ROC) A & B
Cost: None
Registration: At the door. Seating limited to approximately 60.
CMEs: Pending

Technology discount extended to Jan. 23

The eligibility deadline for individuals enrolled in the IUSM PDA initiative to receive technology discounts has been extended until Friday, Jan. 23. The discount is for the Tungsten C, which has a list price of $499. The IUSM discounted price is $350, which includes an extended warranty.

There also are discounts available on software through Skyscape and for ePocrates. Training opportunities will be available for PDA use, recommended software/resources listings and more opportunities to come in the future.

To access the area of the Web to receive the discount for the Tungsten C, users must be enrolled in the Angel IUSM PDA course. Once enrolled, users can log on to Angel with their user identification and password, go to the content area, choose Discounts Directory and go to the IUSM/CDWG website.

For additional information on the discount program or the Angel IUSM PDA course, see the Jan. 12 issue of Scope at http://www.medicine.indiana.edu/scope/2004/scope207.html.
Pack Assembly Hall for breast cancer research

The IU basketball team is teaming up with Vera Bradley Designs to draw more than 10,000 fans to Assembly Hall for Indiana's 2 p.m. game against Purdue University on Jan. 25. In honor of IU women's basketball fans, Vera Bradley Designs will donate $10,000 for breast cancer research if the Hoosiers Pack the Hall with more than 10,000 people.

Indiana University Alumni Association members can attend this game compliments of the IU Athletic Department. Members may present their membership card at the gate for one free admission (two free admissions for family memberships) to the game. Spread the word to your friends and family and help support this great event.

Summer Day Camp discount for IUPUI faculty and staff

The IUPUI Sport Complex Summer Day Camp is entering its 18th year, offering children 5 to 12 years of age a chance to explore many different sports and activities, taught in a non-competitive, skill-oriented manner on the IUPUI campus.

IUPUI faculty and staff members may use a $25 discount coupon for the IUPUI Sport Complex Summer Day Camp. This includes employees of Clarian Health Partners. The discount is for $25 off the registration price and is good for one week and as many as two children. Those interested must register at the IU Natatorium service desk at 274-3518. The offer expires on Feb. 29 and only one coupon per faculty/staff member is valid.

The coupon may be obtained by stopping by the IU Natatorium service desk.

Neuroinflammation symposium – May 2-3

The Midwest Inflammation Research Association is hosting a symposium on neuroinflammation May 2-3 at the Westin Hotel and Conference Center, Indianapolis.
Registration forms and other information can be found at www.inflammationresearch.org/index.html.

Topics to be addressed include neuroimmunology, neuroinflammation in neurodegenerative disease, cytokines and chemokines in the central nervous system, imaging and biomarker technologies, and correlating basic science to clinical disease.

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Staff recognition award nominations wanted

Staff Council Awareness Month will be in March. In preparation for the observance, nominations are sought for two IUPUI staff awards.

Gerald L. Bepko Staff Council Spirit Award

The "spirit" of IUPUI is demonstrated through attitude, acts of loyalty, teamwork and contribution to the mission, goals and strategic initiatives of the university, as well as the community. The Bepko Spirit Award will be presented to the staff member who most exemplifies that "spirit."

The award is for $100 and self-nominations are not accepted. Nominees should be full-time appointed staff employees. A brief narrative, written by the nominator, is required. For additional information or a nomination form, see www.iupui.edu/~scouncil/spirit1.html.

Make A Difference Staff Recognition

This is an opportunity to toot your own horn. Tell us about yourself or someone you know and the Staff Council will showcase you (or them) during Staff Council Awareness Month. We are looking for staff who contribute to IUPUI and/or community service in a meaningful way. See http://www.iupui.edu/~scouncil/Development/make-difference.doc to fill out the form.

The deadline for nominations for both awards is Friday, March 12.

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AAMC seeks entries for Secretary's Award
The Association of American Medical Colleges is soliciting papers for the secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Award for Innovation in Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. This competition, known as the Secretary's Award, is an opportunity for medical students to describe their innovative health-promotion or disease-prevention projects.

Awards for single-discipline (medicine only) entries are $3,000 for first place, $2,500 for second place and $1,500 for third place. Awards for inter-professional (medicine and one or more health professions) entries are $7,500 for first place, $5,000 for second place and $3,000 for third place.

Medical students must submit papers to their faculty sponsor by Friday, Feb. 13. The AAMC must receive all medical student single-discipline submissions by Friday, March 12.

For additional information contact Juan Amador, AAMC Division of Community and Minority Programs, secretariesaward@aamc.org, or go to www.aamc.org/about/awards.

AAMC seeks nominations for Herbert W. Nickens MD awards

The AAMC seeks nominations for the annual Herbert W. Nickens, MD Award, as well as nominations for the Nickens faculty fellowship and medical student scholarships. Nominations for all three awards must be received by April 2.

The Herbert W. Nickens, MD Award is given to an individual who has made outstanding contributions to promoting justice in medical education and health care. The recipient will receive a $10,000 award and will present the Nickens Lecture at the AAMC's Annual Meeting in Boston. Nominees may come from the fields of medicine, public health, education, law, nursing or the social sciences.

The Herbert W. Nickens, MD Faculty Fellowship recognizes an outstanding junior faculty member, committed to a career in academic medicine, who has demonstrated leadership in addressing inequities in medical education and health care. The fellowship recipient will receive a $15,000 grant to support his or her academic and professional activities over a two-year period.

The Herbert W. Nickens, MD Medical Student Scholarships are awarded to five outstanding students entering their third-year of medical school who have demonstrated leadership in addressing the educational, societal, and health care needs of minorities. Each recipient will receive a $5,000 scholarship.

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This week on *Sound Medicine*

Tune in at noon, Saturday, Jan. 24, to *Sound Medicine*, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. This week’s co-host is Ora Pescovitz, MD.

Guests include Ralph Snyderman, MD, professor of medicine and president of Duke Health System, discussing integrative medicine. This patient-led movement combines alternative and traditional practices of medicine. Snyderman recently won a national award for his leadership in making integrative medicine an integral part of what is offered at Duke.

Soman Abraham, PhD, a Duke University scientist, will discuss his research of lymph nodes, which has redefined current understanding of immune system function. IUSM dental school faculty Eric Everett, DDS, will discuss his recent $1.3 million NIH grant to study the genetics of tooth enamel development.
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- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- paste your plain text message into *Scope* Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: [http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty](http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty)

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IUSM biochemist develops marketed cancer drug

Roger Roeske, PhD, had no idea he would be the father of a drug for prostate cancer when he began his research on contraception nearly 30 years ago.

The drug, Plenaxis™ received FDA approval for the treatment of prostate cancer Nov. 25 and is to be on the market early this year.

Dr. Roeske, a professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, will go down in IU history as the first faculty researcher to discover the makings for a drug that made it to market. In the world of pharmaceutical research, that is a unique accomplishment. Praecis Pharmaceuticals Inc., the manufacturer of Plenaxis, holds the exclusive license for some of the compounds developed by Dr. Roeske.
Dr. Roeske’s National Institutes of Health-funded research was directed at finding a more effective contraceptive agent. The compounds developed in his laboratory successfully blocked hormones involved in conception but the side effects were severe.

Through the initial research by other scientists, hormones were isolated that signaled the pituitary gland, which, among other things, regulates sperm formation. Those hormones led Dr. Roeske to develop the compound that serves as the basis of abarelix, the generic name for Plenaxis.

Abarelix is a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) antagonist and blocks the body’s ability to produce testosterone, the hormone that enables most prostate cancers to grow. By blocking testosterone production, fewer cancer cells are formed, minimizing the amount of disease and enabling therapeutic agents to be more effective.

IUSM participated in two of the clinical trials sponsored by Praecis Pharmaceuticals. Michael Koch, M.D., professor and chairman of the Department of Urology, says Plenaxis may soon replace many of the other prostate cancer drugs on the market because it offers patients benefits that others do not.

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**Bioethics center has new home**

The Indiana Center for Bioethics has moved to 714 N. Senate, Ste. EF 200, Indianapolis, IN 46202. The campus mail address is EF 200.

The telephone number for the center has changed to 278-4034 and the fax number is 278-4050. The Web site address remains [www.bioethics.iu.edu](http://www.bioethics.iu.edu).

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**Spring break trip to Nicaragua seeks physician**

A spring break program in Nicaragua for IUSM students is in need of an accompanying physician. The first- and second-year medical students will staff a clinic in the costal town of Puerta Cabezas, as well as perform various service projects around the community. The dates for the trip are March 14-21.
Diabetes topic of women’s health lecture Jan. 27

The IU National Center of Excellence in Women’s Health January lecture will feature Sue Kirkman, MD, associate professor of medicine, discussing “Diabetes” from noon to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27, in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium.

Lunch and CME credits will be provided. No reservations are necessary.

The presentation also can be viewed live at http://video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/encoder/vic/womens_health_20040127.rm or seen at a later date at http://video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/vic/womens_health_20040127.rm.

The CoE monthly lecture series is made possible by an unrestricted educational grant from Merck.

Clinical Trials Program teleconference on informed consent – Jan. 30

The Clinical Trials Program is promoting a teleconference on informed consent for research nurses and others involved in clinical research projects.

**What:** Teleconference from the Association of Clinical Research Professionals (ACRP) On Informed Consent

**Speaker:** Lisa Golac, RRT, BSc, MHSM, Toronto, Canada

**When:** Jan. 30 from noon to 1:30 p.m.

**Where:** Tudor Auditorium, Wishard Memorial Hospital, OPW fifth Floor (“U” elevators off of the 10th Street Outpatient Surgery entrance)

The teleconference will be of particular interest to anyone responsible for the consenting process in research clinical trials. The teleconference offers 1.5 hours contact hours free to ACRP.
members and $25 for non-ACRP members upon completion and submission of evaluation form).

Additional information is available from the Office of Clinical Research Support at 278-8210, or at www.acrpnnet.org/education/audio/audio013004.html.

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**Geriatrics Conferences February schedule**

The IU Geriatrics Conferences for February will be from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A & B. Topics and speakers are:

- **Feb. 4:** “Spinal Disorders in the Elderly”  
  Steven C. Chang, MD  
  Associate professor of orthopaedic surgery

- **Feb. 18:** “Sleep Disorders in Older Adults”  
  Brian Foresman, D.O., FCCP  
  Clinical associate professor of medicine  
  Medical director, Center for Sleep Disorders

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**IUPUI Staff Council contact information**

The IUPUI Staff Council serves and represents campus staff. Input from staff members is always welcome.

Individuals with projects or concerns can send their information to the council by email to scouncil@iupui.edu; by campus mail to UN 403; or by calling 274-2215.

Monthly meetings are open to all staff members. The new meeting location is Inlow Hall, room 100.
Office for Professional Development offers grant information

The next Office for Professional Development internal grant deadline is **Monday, March 15**. There is not a Feb. 1 deadline for grants and some past grant opportunities are not being offered this fiscal year. The current 2003-2004 OPD grant programs are:

Grant-in-Aid for Special Populations
Grant-in-Aid for Academic Staff Development:
Grant-in-Aid for Associate Faculty and Lecturer Development
Grant-in-Aid for Minority Faculty Development
Grant-in-Aid for Women Faculty Development

General Grant-in-Aid
Grant-in-Aid for Research
Grant-in-Aid for Teaching
Grant-in-Aid for Service

Special Focus (Gateway Course Grant)

- Project areas include:
  - Best Practices Team Planning and Travel
  - Civic Engagement/Integration of Community Resources
  - Development
  - Dissemination
  - Gateway and Beyond
  - Inquiry
  - Integrator
  - Student Learning Measurement

To access the project descriptions and new guidelines, visit the OPD grants Website at [http://opd.iupui.edu/grants/guidelines.htm](http://opd.iupui.edu/grants/guidelines.htm). Applications submitted under the old or discontinued guidelines will not be eligible for review. Questions can be directed to Etta Ward, acting director, Scholarly and Creative Activities Program, at emward@iupui.edu, or 278-8427.

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Prostate cancer pilot project proposals requested
The Central Indiana Prostate Cancer Foundation, in conjunction with the Indiana University Cancer Center, invites pilot proposals for prostate cancer research projects. Funding is scheduled to begin on April 1.

A primary goal of the CIPCF is to stimulate multi-disciplinary and translational research that will decrease the incidence and adverse impact of prostate cancer. Translational research seeks to develop and bring laboratory observations to innovative clinical trials. Applications from all relevant disciplines are welcome.

The duration of funding is one year and the budget should not exceed $20,000. Applicants must be affiliated with IU and the funds should not be used for fellowship or training purposes. Applicants may have received prior or current extramural research funding, but the proposed project should be separate from previous/current funded projects. The proposal must target prostate cancer. Preference will be given to those proposals that involve translational research and may lead to extramural funding applications.

Final applications are due by **Friday, Feb. 13**.

The body of the proposal should not exceed three pages. A budget should be included and address the usual categories of personnel, supplies and equipment (which must be justified). A lay description is required on a separate page and will be reviewed by members of the Central Indiana Prostate Cancer Foundation. Ten copies are required. Applications will be reviewed by an internal committee.

Criteria for review are:

1. Scientific merit
2. Prostate cancer relatedness
3. Multidisciplinary and translational nature
4. Potential for subsequent peer reviewed funding

Applications should be sent to Elizabeth Parsons, IU Cancer Center, 535 Barnhill Dr., Room 455, Indianapolis, IN 46202. For additional information, call 278-0078.

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**Applicants needed for 2004 Summer Research Program**

The IU Cancer Center is accepting applications for a summer internship for high school and undergraduate students pursuing biomedical or behavioral science careers.
The IU Cancer Center Summer Research Program provides a hands-on research opportunity for students to work with a mentor for nine weeks during the summer. Mentors are IU faculty affiliated with the Cancer Center. Participant selection is based on interest in biomedical or behavioral science, grades and personal interviews.

High school students applying must have completed at least their junior year and have maintained a grade point average of at least 3.0. Undergraduates applying for the program must have completed 24 hours of college credit, be majoring in a biomedical or behavioral science and have maintained a grade point average of 3.2.

Information about the program and applications are available through the center’s Web site at http://iucc.iu.edu/srp/. The deadline for submitting applications is Monday, March 1. Applicants will be notified by April 1. The summer program runs June 7 through Aug. 6.

For additional information, contact Gwendolyn Johnson, Ph.D., program administrator, IU Cancer Center, at iuccsrp@iupui.edu.

Honors

Elaine Cox, MD, assistant professor of clinical pediatrics in the Section of Pediatric Infectious Disease, has recently been certified by the American Academy of HIV Medicine (AAHIVM). The HIV Credentialing Examination was offered for the first time and Dr. Cox is one of six physicians in Indiana and the only pediatrician in Indiana to have completed all of the requirements for credentialing and to pass the certification examination. She is recognized for her expertise in the prevention and management of HIV and she was instrumental in the passage of the law in Indiana last year resulting in the routine testing of pregnant women for HIV.

The American Society of Clinical Oncology has honored Larry Einhorn, MD, with a Service Award for Scientific Achievement. Dr. Einhorn, a distinguished professor, was presented with one of ASCO’s annual Special Awards, given to leaders in the field of oncology who have made significant impacts toward improving the quality of cancer care.

Michael Koch, MD, professor and chairman of urology, has been named a trustee of the American Board of Urology. The six-year appointment became effective this past August. The 12 trustees are responsible for the certification of urologists in United States and its primary purpose is to insure the quality and integrity of the specialty. Trustees also oversee the examination process to become board certified and to maintain that certification.
Daniel Meldrum, MD, assistant professor of surgery and of cellular and integrative physiology, and director of the ICVBM Cardiovascular Physiology Core, has received a three-year appointment to the editorial board of the Journal of Surgical Research, the official publication of the Association for Academic Surgery.

Ginat Wintermeyer Mirowski, DMD, MD, associate professor of dermatology and oral medicine, has been named assistant editor of the Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology. Her two-year appointment began Jan. 1.

Subah Packer, PhD, associate professor of cellular and integrative physiology, has been honored for her “dedication and commitment of service to the Project SEED program” by the Council Committee on Project SEED. She was honored at the 35th anniversary of Project SEED symposium at the American Chemical Society Fall National Meeting in September. Project SEED encourages economically disadvantaged high school students to pursue career opportunities in the chemical sciences and provides a hands-on summer research opportunity under the guidance of a scientist. Dr. Packer has been a student mentor since 1995.

Arun Srivastava, PhD, professor of microbiology and immunology, has been reappointed to the editorial board of Virology for a three-year term. The international journal reports on the fields of virology and gene therapy.

William Tierney, MD, professor of medicine, has been named editor of the Journal of General Internal Medicine. His five-year appointment begins in July. The journal is ranked 12th among all general medicine journals and is the only journal dedicated to academic general internists and covers clinical care, teaching, and research.

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Guests include Sherwin Nuland, MD, a Yale University faculty member and author of “The Doctor’s Plague: Germs, Childbed Fever and the Strange Story of Ignac Semmelweis.” Also on the show will be IUSM pediatrician James Conway, MD, who will discuss how the flu affects children and tips for caring for a child with the flu.
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Seven students receive research scholarships

Seven IUSM students are the recipients of 2004 Summer Research Scholarships. The award is based on the student’s 2003 Summer Research in Academic Medicine posters and oral presentations at the Jan. 15 IUSM Student Research Forum.

David Thor Johnson, MS 2, received the top prize of $14,000.

Recipients of $3,000 scholarships are Adam Corson, MS 2; Bradley Bohnstedt, MS 1; Douglas Miller, MS 2; Micah Smith, MS 2; Matthew Lynx, MS 2; and Jeffrey Steele, MS 2.
The individual scholarships are made possible through the William and Fern Groves Hardiman Scholarship Fund established in 1973, and the Hazel and Tommy Thompson Cardiac Research Scholarship established by Jane Thompson Gowan in 1974 in honor of her parents.

People Mover isn’t moving

Weather and maintenance issues temporarily have halted the Clarian People Mover. Clarian engineers say it could be back in business as early as this week.

According to Stephen Vincent, Clarian senior engineer, wear patterns, maintenance and weather-related issues are being examined by People Mover operator Schwager Davis Inc.

“While there is no safety issue involved, both SDI and Clarian want to make sure all the People Mover issues are resolved before passengers re-board,” said Vincent. “We hope to have the People Mover back in service soon.”

The shutdown has prompted the restoration of extended hours for the shuttle service. It now runs from 6:30 a.m. until 5:20 p.m. at its normal stops. Those needing transportation after 5:20 p.m. may call Clarian Safety & Security at 962-8000. The shuttle will not operate on weekends; however individuals needing transportation may contact the security office for a lift.

To check the status of the People Mover throughout the day, go to http://pulse.clarian.org where updates will be posted.

Research core informational display

Research cores provide invaluable services to IUSM scientists. To learn what they can do, stop by the Morris Mills Atrium in the Van Nuys Medical Science building this week to view a special poster session of the cores affiliated with the IU Cancer Center. The posters were displayed initially for the recent National Cancer Institute site visit to the IU Cancer Center.

Cores with posters on display this week will include biological microscopy, biostatistics and data management, flow cytometry, genotyping and gene expression, in vivo biomedical imaging,
pathology, proteomics and protein expression, transgenic and knock-out mouse, transplant and xenograft mouse, and vector production.

More information about Cancer Center cores is available at this web site: http://iucc.iu.edu/shared_facilities/.

O’Brien Center offers funding for pilot projects

The Indiana Center for Biological Microscopy has funding available to support renal-related microscopy based pilot studies. A NIH-O’Brien Center of Excellence grant provides for 3 two-year pilot studies for a maximum of $40,000 per year.

The goal of this program is to assist investigators with the development and performance of microscopic imaging protocols that will expand scientific opportunities for investigator initiated research within nephrology.

The microscopic imaging technologies available in the ICBM will support research investigations from diverse scientific disciplines. Specifically, the available technologies can be used to obtain information about the three-dimensional anatomical structure of tissues and organs, assess protein and enzyme expression, trafficking and function intravitally, and determine the rates of physiological processes such as blood flow.

Current and future microscopic modalities supported by the ICBM include:

- High-speed multi-photon imaging
- Intra vital microscopy
- Quantitative microscopy
- 3-D image collection and analysis
- Trafficking of intracellular organelles

The deadline for applications is Monday, May 3.

To learn more about these biomedical imaging technologies and how they can be used in research, see www.nephrology.iupui.edu/imaging. The following Web address is directly linked to the instructions and application process for the pilot study program: www.nephrology.iupui.edu/imaging/pilot/pilotstudy.pdf

The Indiana Center for Biological Microscopy can be contacted at 950 W. Walnut St., R2-E202,
Combined Seminar Series for February

The Indiana University Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series are from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium. The February lineup includes:

**Feb. 4** – James Wittliff, PhD, MD, professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, research professor of surgery, University of Louisville Hormone Receptor Laboratory, Brown Cancer Center, “Gene Expression Profiles Correlated to Clinical Outcome in Breast Cancer”

**Feb. 11** – Jian-Ting Zhang, PhD, IUSM associate professor of pharmacology and toxicology, “The Double-Edged Sword of Cancer: 14-3-3 Sigma”

**Feb. 18** – Daniel Link, MD, associate professor of medicine and pathology, Washington University School of Medicine, “Regulation of Stem Cell Trafficking in the Bone Marrow by G-CSF”

**Feb. 25** – Bruce Nicholson, topic to be announced

Palm extends Tungsten C discount indefinitely

Palm has agreed to indefinitely extend the IUSM discount price of $350 with extended warranty – 2 years with a one-per-year broken screen replacement. More than 100 Tungsten C units have been purchased by IUSM through the CDW-G/IUSM website.

To access the area of the Web to receive the discount for the Tungsten C, users must be enrolled in the Angel IUSM PDA course. Once enrolled, users can log on to Angel with their IU/IUPUI user identification and password, go to the content area, choose Discounts Directory and go to the IUSM/CDWG website.

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St. Margaret’s Guild’s Decorators’ Show House

Each year, St. Margaret’s Hospital Guild hosts the Decorators’ Show House, an event that raises money for Wishard Health Services.

This year two houses located in the heart of the Meridian-Kessler area will be open Feb. 7, 8, 14 and 15 for tours of the undecorated houses. The decorated show houses will be open April 24 through May 9.

The houses are a classic English Tudor at 5555 Washington Blvd., and an Italian Renaissance at 5540 Central Ave. There will be a total of 39 interior areas and 11 landscape areas in the two houses.

Proceeds from the 2003 Decorators’ Show House Tour generated $295,000 for Wishard.

Discover what’s available at Discovery Park
Officials from Purdue University’s Discovery Park will discuss the park’s activities and the potential for collaboration with scientists at IUSM and IUPUI in a special program from 9:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m., Thursday, Feb. 26, in University Library Lilly Auditorium.

The interdisciplinary research park includes centers in bioscience, nanotechnology, e-enterprise and entrepreneurship. Plans also call for the development of centers in structural biology, biomedical engineering, cancer, and a core animal research facility.

RSVPs may be sent to Nan Bohan, Office of the Executive Vice Chancellor and Dean of the Faculties, nbohan@iupui.edu, or by calling 274-4477.

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Guests include Daryl Thompson, a biochemical researcher at Diaeta Corp., who will discuss the weight loss potential of grapefruit; Ronald Hites, PhD, IU distinguished professor in the School of Public and Environmental Affairs, will discuss the results of a study on farm-raised salmon; and IU Family Medicine physicians Javier Sevilla, MD, and Kathleen Zoppi, MD, will talk about how IUSM encourages family physicians to care for underserved populations.

Also, the new IUSM chairman of surgery Keith Lillemoe, MD, will discuss the future of surgery.

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Grant Expands IU-Kenya AIDS Program

The success of a two-year program to treat HIV/AIDS in adults and children in Kenya has attracted a one-year, $1.6 million grant from the U.S. Agency for International Development. The announcement was made Feb. 5 by Sen. Richard Lugar (R-Ind.), chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The program, Academic Model for the Prevention and Treatment for HIV/AIDS (AMPATH), was created by IUSM, the Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital and the Moi University Faculty of
Health Sciences in Kenya.

The new grant will allow IU and Moi physicians to increase the number of HIV-infected people they treat in Kenya from 2,000 to 15,000, and to establish HIV treatment and prevention programs in two additional rural communities over the next five years.

For additional information, see www.medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/archive_04/iu_kenya04.html.

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Medical, dental, nursing students to assist Mexican village

Students and faculty from the IU Schools of Medicine, Nursing and Dentistry at IUPUI will provide health care and health education to residents of the rural village of Calnali, Hildago, Mexico. A five-year agreement between IU and the town was announced Feb. 4.

About three dozen Spanish-speaking faculty and students will provide primary care, dental hygiene and restorative care, and health education to the medically underserved residents of the town of 3,000 located five hours northeast of Mexico City in the Sierra Madre Mountains.

Health professionals and students from Hidalgo also will collaborate with the IU team to provide clinical and educational support, to ensure culturally and linguistically appropriate care.

This agreement was launched by a small group of medical and dental students and faculty in 1998. Since 1999, the team has conducted a health care needs assessment for Calnali and the surrounding area, provided primary care and dental care to Calnali residents and presented workshops to health care professionals and students based in Hidalgo.

The purpose of the partnership is to provide service learning opportunities for students in working with a growing Latino population in Indianapolis, address public health issues in Calnali and to empower local community groups in providing health education.

The IUPUI medical and dental team visits the town of Calnali annually. The group’s next visit will be during the school’s spring break, March 13-21.

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Rooting for Dr. Rodriguez

Henry Rodriguez, MD, hopes to hog the glory, not for personal gain mind you, but to promote something near and dear to his heart – diabetes research.

Dr. Rodriguez hopes to kiss a pig – the first source of insulin – in front of thousands of basketball fans.

An assistant professor of clinical pediatrics and director of the Pediatric Diabetes Clinical Program, Dr. Rodriguez has entered the American Diabetes Association’s 12th Annual Kiss-A-Pig contest.

To pay homage to the pig for its role in the fight against diabetes, local participants will compete to see who can raise the most funds for diabetes research. The most successful candidate will be given the honor of smooching a real pig at an Indiana Pacers game, March 9.

Each vote can be submitted for $1. To vote for Dr. Rodriguez, faculty and staff may request a ballot by emailing Pat Laskowski at plaskows@iupui.edu. Tax-deductible donations made to the American Diabetes Association also may exceed the $1 minimum. The deadline for casting a vote is Friday, March 5.

“Although there has been great progress in diabetes research, much more needs to be done,” says Dr. Rodriguez. “Through the support of donors and organizations like the American Diabetes Association, we will continue to improve the treatment of diabetes and advance our efforts to find a cure.”

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Competency expertise to be shared at spring meeting

Three IUSM faculty members and an IUSM staff member will share their Competency Curriculum expertise at the spring meeting of the Association of American Medical Colleges’ Central Group for Education Affairs.

Marshall Anderson, PhD, Patrick Bankston, PhD, both from the Northwest Center; Regina Kreisle, MD, from the Lafayette Center; and Stacey Keyton, MS, associate director for for medical education and curricular affairs, will present a workshop designed to help basic science faculty from other Midwest medical schools understand the teaching, assessing and remediation of
competency skills in the basic science years.

IU’s five-year experience with competency assessment is unique in the Midwest and many schools have expressed interest in IUSM’s techniques. The hour and a half workshop will lead faculty through a discussion of competency skills, attitudes and behaviors important to teach, assessment tools to use and remediation techniques to implement if behavioral goals are not met.

The CGEA meeting will be March 18-21 in Omaha, Nebraska and IUSM will host this meeting in 2007.

Division of Biostatistics offers assistance with grant application

The Division of Biostatistics provides free assistance to IUSM investigators in the development of grant applications.

The biostatisticians and data managers of the Division of Biostatistics collaborate for the design, data management and statistical analysis of clinical, laboratory and epidemiologic studies for the health science schools. As collaborators their main goal is the successful completion of each project. Details related to collaboration with Biostatistics can be found in the collaborator information section at www.biostat.iupui.edu.

Biostatisticians should be involved in the process as early as possible, well before the grant/protocol deadline to take full advantage of their expertise in designing the study and writing the application. The biostatisticians then can have immediate input on the study design. An efficient experimental design can save money, time and subjects (animals or people).

The Division of Biostatistics has established relationships with many of the research groups on campus. Check the “Collaborator Information” on the biostatistics Web site to see if a contact is already assigned.

If you do not feel your project fits into any of the applied areas noted in the table, contact Barry Katz, PhD, at bkatz@iupui.edu, or 274-2674 or George Eckert geckert@iupui.edu, or 274-2884, for further assistance. IU Cancer Center members should contact Constantin Yiannoutsos, PhD, at cyiannnou@iupui.edu, or 278-3045, or Patrick Monahan, PhD, at pmonahan@iupui.edu, or 278-8086.
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**Women's History Month Celebration**

The campus community is encouraged to nominate outstanding female leaders from campus to be honored at a special reception at the end of March during Women’s History Month. Nomination forms are available on the WHM Website and must be returned by **Monday, Feb. 23**.

The 2004 Women's History Month calendar is available on-line at [http://life.iupui.edu/ccl/diversity/women.asp](http://life.iupui.edu/ccl/diversity/women.asp). All events, unless noted, are free and open to students, staff, faculty and the public.

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Guests include Munro Peacock, MD, IU professor of medicine and director of the General Clinical Research Center, who will discuss osteoarthritis in men. Krannert Institute of Cardiology’s Jeffrey Breall, MD, IU professor of clinical medicine, will discuss a clinical trial involving angiogenic gene therapy for patients with chronic angina.

Author Cole Giller, MD, University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, will discuss his book *Port in the Storm: How to Make a Medical Decision and Live to Tell About It*. Michelle Danner, executive director, Our Town Integrated Service Agency, will discuss the Indianapolis pilot program that serves young adults with serious mental illness.

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Moore receives named professorship

David Moore, MD, has been named the Mary Fendrich Hulman Professor of Gynecologic Oncology. His appointment was approved Feb. 1 by the IU trustees.

Dr. Moore, an IUSM graduate, joined the IUSM faculty in 1993. He completed his residency in obstetrics and gynecology at IUSM and completed a fellowship in gynecologic oncology at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He is chief of gynecologic oncology at IUSM.
The Mary Fendrich Hulman Chair was established in 1990 by Mari Hulman George in honor of her mother. George has identified health care as a field of special philanthropic interest. The holder of the professorship should teach in or be engaged in research areas associated with gynecologic oncology.

Open house to celebrate 20 years of lithotripsy

A media opportunity and open house are planned for Monday, Feb. 23, to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the arrival of the first lithotriptor in Indiana. It was installed at Methodist Hospital and was used to perform the first kidney stone lithotripsy treatment in the United States.

James Lingeman, MD, performed the procedure and continues to be a leader in the field of kidney stone treatment. He and IUSM researchers including, Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology faculty Andrew Evan, PhD, James McAteer, PhD, and James Williams, PhD; and Lynn Willis, PhD, professor of pharmacology and of medicine, are national known for their research in the field. Dr. Lingeman is a volunteer clinical professor of urology at IUSM.

Monday's event begins at 10:30 a.m. at the Palm Tree Atrium at Methodist where those attending will tour where kidney stone patients are treated. A laparoscopic procedure for kidney stone treatment will be performed. The tour will then travel to the IUSM campus to Dr. Evan's laboratory in room 5055 of Van Nuys Medical Sciences Building for a look at the research making lithotripsy a safer, more effective treatment.

Special guests at the open house will be Brock Faulkner from Dornier MedTech America Inc., and Bernd Forssmann, a German physicist who was one of the developers of the first clinical lithotriptor, the Dornier HM3.

Wishard art on exhibit at Indiana Historical Society

In 1914, a group of renowned Hoosier artists came together for the benefit of patients at Wishard Memorial Hospital (then known as City Hospital), Indiana’s largest public hospital. The prominent artists painted murals – more than a quarter mile of them – and other works that would not only decorate the new building but, more central to their artistic ambitions, lift spirits.
Ninety years later, the Indiana Historical Society and Wishard Memorial Hospital have collaborated to open “The Art of Healing,” an exhibit featuring many of the original murals. The display will be open free to the public now through June 6 at the Indiana History Center, 450 W. Ohio Street. This marks the first time the general public will be able to view this historic artwork.

The mural project, originally funded by St. Margaret’s Hospital Guild, involved many leading Hoosier artists of the time, including William Forsyth, Wayman Adams, Otto Starke, Carl Graf, William Edouard Scott and among others, J. Ottis Adams and T.C. Steele. Forsyth, who served as project supervisor, regarded it as “the most ambitious and monumental work yet undertaken by Indianapolis artists.”

Many of the artists moved into quarters provided at the hospital during the duration of the project. Supported by the idealism of their shared venture and their artistic camaraderie, all, even the most famous, agreed to work for $75 to $100 a month, the going wage for union house painters. In total, more than 33 murals (with many subdivided parts) were completed and more than 20 paintings were donated.

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Promotion and Tenure Workshops for IUSM faculty

Two informational workshops are being offered to the IUSM faculty on promotion and tenure strategies and tactics.

The workshops will be:

- March 1 – 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. (Hurty Hall C)
- March 15 – 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. (Fesler Hall 319)

Sample dossiers will be available for review, as well as other helpful information.

Faculty interested in attending one of the workshops need to make reservations no later than five days prior to the session by calling 274-7108. Seating is limited to 30 attendees for the March 15 workshop.

Promotion and Tenure Workshop for women faculty

Women faculty are invited to a Promotion and Tenure Workshop brown bag lunch from noon to 1 p.m. March 29 in Fesler Hall 319.

The informational workshop will discuss promotion and tenure strategies and will provide a brief overview of the university process, the organization of the dossier, and how to approach the personal statement. Sample dossiers will be available for review.
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Educational Research and Development Grants available

The IU School of Medicine is making available $50,000 to support innovative projects designed to improve medical education. Grants of up to $10,000 will be awarded for the funding period July 1 to June 30, 2005.

The deadline for applying is Monday, April 26. For additional information, see http://meca.iusm.iu.edu/Resources/Grants.htm.

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Ethics at Lunch – Feb. 19

Thomas Inui, ScM, MD, will discuss “The Relationship-Centered Care Initiative” at IUSM during the noon to 1 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 19 Ethics at Lunch presentation in Van Nuys Medical Science Building, room B26.

Dr. Inui is president and CEO of Regenstrief Institute, the Sam Regenstrief Professor of Health Services Research and associate dean for health care research at IUSM.

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Combined Seminar Series – Feb. 25

The Feb. 25 speaker for the IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series will be Bruce Nicholson, PhD, professor and chair, Department of Biochemistry, University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio, Texas. His topic is “Structure/Function Approaches to an Understanding of Tumor Suppression by Gap Junctions or How to Make Cells Behave by Talking to One Another.”

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Clarian’s President’s Values Award winners

Joseph Fitzgerald, MD, professor of pediatrics and director of the Pediatric Division of Gastroenterology/Hepatology/Nutrition, has received a President’s Values Leadership Award from Clarian Health Partners.

The award recognizes physicians, nurses and staff who promoted Clarian’s mission of improving the health of patients and the community through innovation and excellence in care, education, research and service. The Leadership Award is presented annually to individuals or groups who integrate Clarian’s values into their work lives.

Nominations are sought from within the Clarian system for four categories: medical staff, nursing staff, professional staff and support/service staff.

Other recipients were Nursing Staff: Cindy DeBord, RN, a clinical educator for Methodist Pediatrics; Professional Staff: Riley Child Life Bereavement Team (Melissa Williams, Jennifer Davis, Shondra McDole and Kim Rodibaugh); and Support Staff: Terry Jo Curtis, scheduling coordinator at the Methodist maternity center.

Each award recipient (individual or group recipient) receives a $3,000 award to further his or her development as a values leader. The award can be used in a variety of ways: continuing education reimbursement, developmental programs for the work team, book or resource reimbursement used by the team, or the recipient can choose to donate the award to their favorite charity.
Applicants needed for 2004 Summer Research Program

The IU Cancer Center is accepting applications for a summer internship for high school and undergraduate students pursuing biomedical or behavioral science careers.

The IU Cancer Center Summer Research Program provides a hands-on research opportunity for students to work with a mentor for nine weeks during the summer. Mentors are IU faculty affiliated with the Cancer Center. Participant selection is based on interest in biomedical or behavioral science, grades and personal interviews.

High school students applying must have completed at least their junior year and maintained a grade point average of at least 3.0. Undergraduates applying for the program must have completed 24 hours of college credit, be majoring in a biomedical or behavioral science, and have maintained a grade point average of 3.2.

Information about the program and applications are available through the center’s Web site at http://iucc.iu.edu/srp/. The deadline for submitting applications is Monday, March 1. Applicants will be notified by April 1. The summer program runs June 7 through Aug. 6.

For additional information, contact Gwendolyn Johnson, Ph.D., program administrator, IU Cancer Center, at iuccsrp@iupui.edu.

Summer day camp discount offered

The IUPUI Sport Complex Summer Day Camp is entering its 18th year, offering kids 5-12 years of age a chance to explore many sports and activities, taught in a non-competitive, skill-oriented manner.

IUPUI faculty and staff are eligible for a $25 discount coupon off the registration price for the IUPUI Sport Complex Summer Day Camp. This offer also is extended to Clarian Health Partners employees. Those interested must register at the IU Natatorium Service Desk, 274-3518. The offer expires Feb. 29 and only one coupon per faculty/staff member is valid.
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Miller named Fairbanks Professor

Douglas Miller, MD, is the first Richard M. Fairbanks Professor of Aging Research in the IU Department of Medicine. The IU trustees approved his appointment in January.

Dr. Miller is the associate director of the IU Center for Aging Research, a position he assumed in November 2003, and a scientist in the Regenstrief Institute, Inc. His research specialty is frailty and its complications for urban-dwelling seniors.

Dr. Miller was a professor of internal medicine in the Division of Geriatric Medicine at Saint Louis University School of Medicine, prior to accepting the IUSM position.
The Fairbanks Professorship was created in 1998 by the Richard M. Fairbanks Foundation Inc., which was established in 1986 by the founder and owner of Fairbanks Communications. Richard Fairbanks was a leader and innovator in broadcasting and, among other things, established the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Radio Network when he owned and operated WIBC radio.

The Foundation provides financial support to nonprofit organizations in the areas of health care, self-sufficiency, and market-based solutions to social problems.

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Educational Research and Development Grants available

The IU School of Medicine is making available $50,000 to support innovative projects designed to improve medical education. Grants of up to $10,000 will be awarded for the funding period, July 1 to June 30, 2005.

The deadline for applying is Monday, April 26. For additional information, see http://meca.iusm.iu.edu/Resources/Grants.htm.
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Promotion and Tenure Workshops for IUSM faculty

Two informational workshops are being offered to the IUSM faculty on promotion and tenure strategies and tactics.

The workshops will be:

- March 1 - 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. (Hurty Hall C)
- March 15 - 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. (Fesler Hall 319)

Sample dossiers will be available for review, as well as other helpful information.

Faculty interested in attending one of the workshops need to make reservations no later than five days prior to the session by calling 274-7108. Seating is limited to 30 attendees for the March 15 workshop.
Applications needed for student leadership symposium

The Association of Teachers of Preventive Medicine seeks applications for the Paul Ambrose Health Promotion Student Leadership Symposium June 25-27 in Washington, D.C.

Thirty student leaders from medicine, nursing and physician assistant schools will be selected to participate in skill-based leadership training and education in population-based health care, community organizing, project planning and assessment, media relations, cultural competency, social and behavioral determinants of health, and health care financing and delivery. Students will be expected to engage in health promotion or disease prevention education projects at their institutions or in their communities following the symposium.

Applications are due **Friday, April 16**.

This program is sponsored by a cooperative agreement between ATPM and the Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and in collaboration with the American Medical Student Association and the Community-Campus Partnerships for Health.

For additional information, contact Bianca Angelino, ATPM, training@atpm.org, or go to www.atpm.org/meetings/PA_Symposium.htm

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PDA Brown Bag Lunch-n-Learn Session II

The second PDA Brown Bag Lunch-n-Learn session will be from 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. Friday, Feb. 27, in Van Nuys Medical Sciences Building, B26. The Centers for Medical Education can participate via polycom; contact Mary Beth Nance at mnance@iupui.edu, or Amy Hatfield at ajhatifie@iupui.edu for details.

Unbound Medicine will demonstrate their PDA medical software and the power of the CogniQ platform. Examples of their medical software include *Harrison's Manual of Medicine*, *Pocket Guide to Diagnostic Tests -- Essentials for PDA*, *Essentials of Diagnosis & Treatment*, *CogniQ Pediatrics - Silver*, *CogniQ Pediatrics - Chief Complaints*.

IUSM currently is working with Unbound Medicine to package and discount their products. Information on their products as well as uses for your PDA in a clinical setting will be available at the session.
Small Business Innovation Research grant seminar

IUSM faculty interested in applying for a federal Small Business Innovation Research grant may consider enrolling in a seminar March 30-31 designed to help R&D-based companies secure federal small business grants.

The seminar is sponsored by the law firm of Baker and Daniels and by Nexpointe Strategies, LLC, an Indianapolis-based business-to-government consulting firm. Coursework developed by Nexpointe's partner, Biotechnology Business Consultants of Ann Arbor, Mich., will be presented.

The cost is $350 per participant. For more information or to register, contact Nexpointe at (317) 822-6263, or by email at frank@nexpointe.com.

The seminar will be at Baker and Daniels' office, 600 E. 96th St., Suite 600, Indianapolis.


Medical Humanities - March 3

"Disability and Disrepute" is the title of the noon, March 3, Seminars in Medical Ethics and Humanities. Richard Gunderman, MD, PhD, IU vice chair of radiology, will speak on the topic in the Medical Library Building, room 301-302.

The seminar, which will examine the meaning of disability in our culture, is open to the public but space is limited. Contact Judi Campbell at 274-4740, or jizukac@iupui.edu, by noon, Monday, March 1, to reserve a seat and lunch.
Student loan repayment program

The Indiana State Department of Health offers a student loan repayment option to health care professionals who will provide primary care services in a health professional shortage area (HPSA).

Primary care physicians, primary care nurse practitioners, certified midwives, primary care physician assistants, general practice dentists and registered clinical dental hygienists who have educational loans may qualify. The ISDH has a matching fund grant from the Bureau of Primary Health Care, Health Resources Services Administration to provide loan repayment money to eligible health professionals.

The purpose of the program is to increase the number of primary health care professionals practicing in HPSAs in Indiana.

The deadline for submitting an application is Friday, March 26. Applications may be obtained from Janet Chorpennin, Indiana State Department of Health, 2 N. Meridian, St., Indianapolis 46204, or jchorpenni@isdh.state.in.us.

Combined Seminar Series in March

The IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series is from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium. Speakers and their topics for March include:

March 3 - Speaker to be announced

March 10 - Leona Samson, PhD, director, Center for Environmental Health Sciences, professor of toxicology and of biological engineering, Ellison American Cancer Society Professor, "Complex Cellular Responses to Alkylating Agents"

March 17 - Yi-Ping Li, PhD, associate staff member, The Forsyth Institute, Harvard School of Dental Medicine, "Functional Genetic Analysis of Mouse Genome Leads the Discovery of Human Disease Genes"
March 24 - Ed Leof, PhD, Topic to be announced

March 31 - Robin Leach, PhD, professor of cellular and structural biology, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, "Molecular Genetic Approaches to the Study of Prostate Cancer"

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Geriatrics Conferences in March

Three Geriatrics Conferences are planned for March. They are from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B.

March 17  Topic to be announced
- Sayed Ali, MD
  Geriatric medicine fellow

March 31 - Mild Cognitive Impairment and Neuropsychiatric Testing
Fred Unverzagt, MD
Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry
Director of Neuropsychology, Center for Alzheimer Disease and Related Disorders

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Honors

William Agbor-Baiyee, PhD, is the recipient of the 2004 Joseph T. Taylor Award for Excellence in Diversity. The award was presented Feb. 20 at the 15th Annual Joseph T. Taylor Symposium. Dr. Agbor-Baiyee is director of the Master of Medical Science Program (MSMS) and director of Medical Student Affairs Special Programs for Medical Student Affairs. His diversity efforts with the MSMS program, the medical student prematriculation program and the Indiana Area Health Education Center (AHEC) program were responsible for his nomination.

Larry Einhorn, MD, distinguished professor, has been appointed to serve a second consecutive term on the American Society of Clinical Oncology Foundation Board. He was president of...

**Debomoy Lahiri**, PhD, professor of psychiatry, is editor of a new journal, *Current Alzheimer Research*. The first issue can be read at [www.bentham.org/car](http://www.bentham.org/car). CAR will publish reviews and original research papers on all aspects of Alzheimer's disease.

**Robert Patterson**, MS 3, is the recipient of the 2004 American Medical Association Foundation Leadership Award. He will receive the award at a national leadership conference in March. Patterson is being recognized for his efforts to promote medical education among minorities and diversity issues, including the AMA-sponsored "Doctors Back to School" program.

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### This week on *Sound Medicine*

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Guests include Lisa Sanders, MD, a Yale School of Medicine internist specializing in obesity and weight loss. She is the author of *The Perfect Fit Diet*, which helps people identify if they need to focus on fat, calories or carbohydrates and explains how to personalize a diet plan based on weight loss needs and lifestyle. She will discuss why one diet doesn't fit all people.

IU Family Medicine physician Kevin Gebke, MD, will discuss tips for avoiding injuries related to cold weather and winter sports.

Non-surgical remedies for back pain is the topic of IU Physical and Rehabilitative Medicine specialist Brian Foley, MD.

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### Online IUSM calendars

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at [www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar](http://www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar). To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.

A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at [www.medicine.iu.edu](http://www.medicine.iu.edu). The calendar also can be accessed directly at [webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm](http://webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm).

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Named as a recipient of the John W. Ryan Award for distinguished contributions to international programs was Joseph Mamlin, MD, professor emeritus of medicine.

The Ryan Award was initiated in 1991 and named for the man who was president of IU from 1971 to 1987. Ryan, now president emeritus, was instrumental in fostering IU's commitment to excellence in international education. The award honors faculty members or librarians who have made exceptional contributions to the university's international programs and studies.

Search begins for orthopaedic surgery chair

A search committee has been formed to identify candidates for the position of chair, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery.

Applicants must hold an MD or equivalent degree, be board certified in orthopaedic surgery, be eligible for a faculty appointment at the professor or associate professor level, and have a demonstrated ability to manage a multi-faceted clinical, research, and educational program.

Forward nominations (self-nominations are acceptable) to Debbie Cowley, director of Academic Administration, Fesler Hall 318.

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Geriatrics Conference postponed

The March 3 Geriatrics Conference has been rescheduled for April 7.

“Anemia in Geriatrics: An Update” will be presented on that date by Asok Antony, MD, from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B.

Hogging the show for diabetes

The deadline is less than a week away to cast your vote in the American Diabetes Association’s 12th Annual Kiss-A-Pig contest.

Henry Rodriguez, MD, director of the IU Pediatric Diabetes Clinical Program, has thrown his hat in the ring and hopes to win the most votes. His prize will be …. kissing a pig in front of thousands of basketball fans.

In an annual competition, the American Diabetes Association raises funds for diabetes research by paying homage to the pig for its role in the fight against diabetes as the first source of insulin. Local participants compete to see who can raise the most funds for diabetes research. The most successful candidate will be given the honor of smooching a real pig at an Indiana Pacers game, March 9.

Each vote can be submitted for $1. To vote for Dr. Rodriguez, faculty and staff may request a ballot by emailing Pat Laskowski at plaskows@iupui.edu. Tax-deductible donations made to the American Diabetes Association also may exceed the $1 minimum. The deadline for casting a vote is Friday, March 5.
IT security policy announced

The first Information Technology security policy for the school, IUSM SEC-02: Disposition of Electronic Media, has been approved by the IUSM Executive Committee.

This policy covers the appropriate way to remove data from hard drives, diskettes, etc., to protect confidentiality and comply with HIPAA and other regulations. To review the policy and see recommended practices for implementation, visit the Information Services and Technology Management Website at http://technology.iusm.iu.edu/services/securitymanagement.aspx.

Other security policies are under development and will be published after approval. Questions may be forwarded to the school’s IT security officer, Eric Schmidt at erschmid@iupui.edu.

Frontiers in Health: Career Opportunities in Rural Health

Undergraduate, graduate and professional students in the fields of dentistry, health administration, health economics, health informatics, environmental health, medicine, mental health, nursing, optometry, pharmacy, public health, statistics, veterinary medicine, wellness management, and other health related fields are invited to attend a free dinner to discuss current rural health issues in Indiana.

Co-sponsored by the Indiana Rural Health Association and the IUSM Department of Public Health, the dinner will be from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m., Tuesday, March 2, in the Regenstrief Building of Wishard Memorial Hospital.

Speakers include Shawna Girgis, president of the Indiana Rural Health Association, and James Springer, EdD, director of the Indiana AHEC.

RSVP to Carole Kacius at kacius@iupui.edu, or call her at 274-3847.

High-speed network symposium – March 9

Those interested in learning more about opportunities for sharing ideas for innovation,
collaboration and economic advancement with colleagues from throughout Indiana are invited to attend the March 9 I-Light Applications Symposium. It will be held at the University Place Conference Center.

For registration and program information, see www.iupui.edu/~ilight/.

The I-Light Optical Fiber Infrastructure is a unique, high-speed network connecting IU Bloomington, IUPUI and Purdue University West Lafayette with each other and with Abilene, the national high-speed Internet2 research network.

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Clinical Trials Program offers educational opportunities

The Clinical Trials Program offers many continuing education opportunities for faculty, staff and coordinators involved in clinical research.

Educational programs of topical and practical interest are presented each month that are
appropriate for both new and experienced individuals involved in all types of clinical research: investigator-initiated, NIH and commercially-sponsored.

A complete listing with details about each program can be found on the CTP Website at http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/pdf/2004 Research Education Programs.2.04.rtf.

Additions or changes to the lineup will be posted on the same site.

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**Treatment controversies topic of diabetes conference**

Controversies in the treatment of diabetes is the theme of Diabetes Update IV, a symposium offered by the IUSM Department of Medicine, Division of Nephrology, Wednesday, April 14. The day-long conference will be at the University Place Conference Center.

Guest faculty are Thomas Buchanan, MD, program director, General Clinical Research Center, USC Keck School of Medicine, and Juan Frias, MD, senior director of medical affairs at Amylin Pharmaceuticals.

IUSM presenters are Rattan Juneja, MD, Mark Deeg, MD, Kieren Mather, MD, Paris Roach, MD, Sue Robbins, RD, Stephen Sawanda, MD, Myron Weinberger, MD.

Continuing medical education credits are offered.

For more information, call 274-8353. Online registration is available at http://cme.medicine.iu.edu.

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**Neuroinflammation symposium – May 2-3**

The Midwest Inflammation Research Association is hosting a symposium on neuroinflammation May 2-3 at the Westin Hotel and Conference Center, Indianapolis.

Registration forms and other information can be found at www.inflammationresearch.org/index.html.
Topics include neuroimmunology, neuroinflammation in neurodegenerative disease, cytokines and chemokines in the central nervous system, imaging and biomarker technologies, and correlating basic science to clinical disease.

Save the date for Medical Humanities Symposium

"Blame and Responsibility in Medical Practice" is the theme of the 2004 Medical Humanities Symposium on the IUPUI campus Oct. 7-8. Eric Cassell, MD, will be the keynote speaker. Dr. Cassell has written widely about moral problems in medicine, the care of the dying and the nature of suffering. He is the author of The Healer's Art, The Place of the Humanities in Medicine, Changing Values in Medicine, The Nature of Suffering, and a two volume work on doctor-patient communication, Talking with Patients, which represents five years of clinical research. His major research interest is the theory of clinical medicine.

AAMC grants and awards

At its annual meeting the Association of American Medical Colleges presents its major awards honoring individuals and programs making significant contributions in the fields of medical education, research and community service.

Specific information about each award and their respective nomination requirements is available at www.aamc.org/about/awards/start.htm. The awards and their 2004 deadlines for nominations are:

Abraham Flexner Award – May 7

Alpha Omega Alpha Robert J. Glaser Distinguished Teacher Award – May 31

Award for Distinguished Research – May 7

David E. Rogers Award – May 7
Herbert W. Nickens, M.D., Award – April 2

Herbert W. Nickens, M.D., Faculty Fellowship – April 2

Herbert W. Nickens, M.D., Medical Student Scholarships – April 2

Humanism in Medicine Award – April 9

Outstanding Community Service Award – April 16

Caring for Community: A National Medical Student Service Project – March 29

Secretary's Award – To be determined by HHS

United Way Campaign results

The 2003 IUPUI United Way Campaign, which concluded Oct. 31, exceeded its goal of $275,000. The results:

**Total raised:** $283,392
**Total donors:** 1,114
**Key Club donors:** 108 who pledged a total of $144,458

**Top departments by dollars pledged (Academic)**
- Senior Academy
- School of Business
- School of Science
- School of Dentistry

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- Pediatrics
- OB/GYN
- Radiology
- General Internal Medicine

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- Campus Facilities
This week on Sound Medicine

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Guest Abraham Morgentaler, MD, author of The Viagra Myth: The Surprising Impact on Love and Relationships and associate professor at Harvard Medical School, will discuss erectile dysfunction and the impact of drugs such as Pfizer's Viagra and Lilly's Cialis.

James Lingeman, MD, director of research at Methodist Hospital's Institute for Kidney Stone Disease, will discuss the 20th anniversary of the lithotriptor, a device used to pulverize kidney stones. Methodist was the first hospital in the United States to offer the treatment.

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Search begins for radiology chair candidates

The IUSM seeks candidates for the position of chair, Department of Radiology.

Candidates for this position must be board certified in radiology with strong academic credentials. They must have a strong clinical orientation and demonstrated ability to manage a multi-faceted clinical, research and educational program. Salary is commensurate with qualifications.

Send curriculum vitae and references to James Lemons, MD, chair, Search and Screen Committee, Fesler Hall 318, 1120 South Drive, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-5114. Applications will be reviewed as received.

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Applications sought for competency director

The IUSM Curriculum Council seeks a director for the “Using Science to Guide Diagnosis, Management, Therapeutics, and Prevention” competency.

The competency director will work with course and clerkship directors, faculty from all IUSM Centers for Medical Education, students and the Dean's Office for Medical Education and Curricular Affairs to facilitate the teaching, assessment, development and documentation of students' competence in this area.

Candidates must have experience in teaching and assessing the scientific knowledge base in undergraduate medical education and have at least 20 percent protected time from their department to dedicate to this role.

Interested individuals should submit a letter of interest, a curriculum vita, and a letter of support from their department chair that specifically addresses the candidate's protected time for the position to Paula Smith, Medical Education and Curricular Affairs, EF 200, 317-274-4556 or psmith4@iupui.edu.

Applications should be received no later than Friday, April 2. Electronic applications are encouraged.

Additional information about the competency curriculum can be found at http://meca.iusm.iu.edu/.

Reception today honoring Hal Broxmeyer

The Department of Microbiology and Immunology is hosting a reception to honor Hal Broxmeyer, PhD, who was elevated to the rank of distinguished professor at Indiana University during the annual Founders Day celebration last month.

The reception will be from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, March 8, in the first floor atrium of the Van Nuys Medical Science Building.
Dr. Broxmeyer is also chair of microbiology and immunology, professor of medicine, Mary Margaret Walther Professor of Microbiology and Immunology and scientific director of Walther Oncology Center.

Deadline fast approaching for two major IUPUI awards

Chancellor’s Faculty Award for Excellence in Civic Engagement

This honor, which carries a substantial monetary award, is given annually to faculty members who best exemplify high standards of civic engagement, professional service or service learning.

IUPUI defines civic engagement as “active collaboration that builds on the resources, skills, expertise, and knowledge of the campus and community to improve the quality of life in communities in a manner consistent with the campus mission.”

The definition of civic engagement indicates that this work encompasses teaching, research, and service (including patient and client services) in and with the community. Civic engagement includes university work in all sectors of society: nonprofit, government, and business.

This is the highest campus award in recognition of civic engagement excellence.

The nomination deadline is Friday, March 12.

Award criteria and nomination guidelines can be found at http://csl.iupui.edu/home.html.

The award will be presented April 13 at the Chancellor’s Honors Convocation. It will include an increase in base salary of $3,000.

Chancellor’s Community Award for Excellence in Civic Engagement

Any community-based organization that has engaged in a partnership with an academic unit(s) at IUPUI that has resulted in documented positive differences in the community through teaching (e.g., service learning, clinical, internship), research or professional service may be nominated for this award.

An IUPUI faculty member, administrator or staff member must nominate community-based organizations for this award.
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**Seminar hosts high school students on campus**

Forty-eight of Indiana’s top high school science students are on the IUSM campus today for a two-day immersion into scientific laboratories and technologies that could produce tomorrow’s cures for disease.

The fifth annual Molecular Medicine in Action program, which began Sunday, enables the students to work alongside some of the nation’s top researchers from the Herman B Wells Center for Pediatric Research, the Indiana Center for Biological Microscopy and the IU Center for Bioethics.

Under the supervision of IU scientists, the students rotate through workstations to isolate DNA, learn how to identify mutations in chromosomes, how to sort cells for research and how to insert genes into cells. Students also will learn how to use the latest microscopic imaging techniques that enable researchers to study living cells. And they’ll get a solid grounding in the basics of bioethics.

It’s hoped that the Molecular Medicine in Action Program will get students excited about science careers and demonstrate that they can pursue those careers in Indiana. It’s also meant to build closer ties between IUSM and Indiana’s science teachers and students. For the third consecutive year, a portion of the laboratory work -- DNA isolation -- will be made available to high school students across the state through an interactive television network.

Support for this year’s program comes from the Riley Children’s Foundation, Pfizer Inc., Herman B Wells Center for Pediatric Research, Pathology Multimedia Education Group and Information Resources & Educational Technology, IUSM, IUPUI, Indiana Association of Biology Teachers and the Hoosier Association of Science Teachers.

For information about Molecular Medicine in Action on the Web see [www.iupui.edu/~wellsctr/MMIA/index.htm](http://www.iupui.edu/~wellsctr/MMIA/index.htm); to see Molecular Medicine in Action animations, see [www.iupui.edu/~wellsctr/MMIA/htm/animations.htm](http://www.iupui.edu/~wellsctr/MMIA/htm/animations.htm).
Promotion and Tenure Workshop for women faculty

Women faculty are invited to a Promotion and Tenure Workshop brown bag lunch from noon to 1 p.m. March 29 in Fesler Hall 319.

The informational workshop will discuss promotion and tenure strategies and will provide a brief overview of the university process, the organization of the dossier and how to approach the personal statement. Sample dossiers will be available for review.

Seating is limited to 30 attendees. Call 274-7108 to make reservation no later than Wednesday, March 24.

Students trade stethoscopes for stage lights

The curtain will rise on the 13th annual Evening of the Arts at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, March 27, at the University Place Conference Center auditorium. The program puts medical students in the spotlight, displaying their vocal, instrumental and dance talents.

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**Visual Media serves campus**

The Office of Visual Media – formerly Medical Illustration and MERP Creative Services – has a focus: promoting the mission of IUSM and its faculty. With that in mind, Visual Media performs numerous services at discounted rates.

Tom Weinzerl, director of Visual Media, said the department has 27 talented and creative professionals to assist with a variety of projects.

Services include:

- Graphic Design -- annual reports, brochures, logos, manuscript figures, PowerPoint, rollout posters, signs, stationery, web design
- Illustration -- animation, caricatures, cartoons, conceptual drawings, anatomical/medical drawings in color/bw for presentation or publication
- Photography -- color/black&white slides and prints, group composites, CD burns, image manipulation, image retouching, passport/application photos, patient photography, portraiture, scanning of slides or flat work, slide duplication/processing, specimen/gel photography, surgery photography
- Sculpture -- bronze busts, bas reliefs, commemorative sculpture, medallions, patient simulators, research prototypes, teaching models
- Video/Multimedia -- animation, CD/DVD development and production, interactive media, media conversion/duplication, video development and production, web programming/databases

For additional information, call 274-7478.
Debomoy Lahiri, PhD, professor of psychiatry, has been named a guest editor of the April issue of the journal Current Drug Targets. The special issue is devoted to current therapeutic strategies and novel drug targets for the treatment of dementia and Alzheimer’s disease.

Daniel Meldrum, MD, assistant professor of surgery and cellular and integrative physiology, was elected to active membership in the Society of University Surgeons. The society limits its active membership to 250 and is one of the oldest and most prestigious academic surgical societies. Surgery Chair Keith Lillemoe, MD, is a past president of the society.

Mario Svirsky, PhD, professor of otolaryngology- head and neck surgery, has been elected to the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering College of Fellows. He was inducted Feb. 27 during the Institute’s annual meeting at the National Academy of Sciences in Washington, D.C. Dr. Svirsky’s was nominated for “his contribution to understanding speech perception, speech production and language development in cochlear implant users."

Several IUSM faculty and programs were honored Feb. 27 at the Indianapolis Business Journal’s 2004 Health Care Heros awards program. They include:

- **Karen West**, MD, IU professor of pediatric surgery and director of the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at Riley Hospital, was the winner in the Physician category.
- The Palliative Care Program at Wishard Memorial Hospital, directed by **Gregory Gramelspacher**, MD, was selected as a finalist in the category of Advancements in Health Care.
- **Victoria Champion**, DNS, RN, distinguished professor at the IU School of Nursing, program leader of Behavioral Oncology and Cancer Prevention and associate director of Cancer Prevention and Control at the IU Cancer Center, was the winner in the Non-Physician category.
- Finalists in the Non-Physician category were **Gary Miller**, PhD, vice president of operations at Riley Hospital for Children, and **Sam Odle**, senior vice president and COO at Clarian Health Partners.
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Institutional Review Boards, patient safety and what patients need to know about clinical trials will be the topic of Shelley Bizila, director of IUPUI Research Compliance Administration; Patty Delaney, FDA Cancer Liaison Program/Patient Advocate; and Richard Klein, FDA HIV-AIDS Liaison Program and a member of the FDA’s IRB.

Also, Gerardo Gomez, MD, director of trauma and critical care, will discuss the clinical trial of PolyHeme, which is a synthetic blood product.
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Match Day this Thursday

Hints of spring abound and among them is a certain anticipation among fourth-year students. On Thursday, March 18 - Match Day - IUSM students will find out where they will be spending their residencies.

The annual Match Day activities get under way with lunch at 11 a.m. in the atrium of the VanNuys Medical Sciences Building. At noon, sealed envelopes bearing students’ names will be randomly drawn.
The National Resident Match Day is a program that coordinates thousands of medical students’ and U.S. hospital programs’ preferences. During their senior year, students apply and interview for their preferred residency positions throughout the nation; their selection is administered through the National Resident Matching Program of the Association of American Medical Colleges.

An estimated 260 IUSM students are expected to match to a range of residencies.

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**Calling all neurology chair candidates**

A search committee has been formed to identify candidates for chair, Department of Neurology. The search will be limited to faculty of the School of Medicine.

Applicants must hold an M.D. or equivalent degree, be board certified in neurology, be appointed at the professor or associate professor level and have a demonstrated ability to manage a multi-faceted clinical, research and educational program.

Forward nominations (self-nominations are acceptable) to Debbie Cowley, director of Academic Administration, Fesler Hall 318.

Indiana University is an AAEOE, M/F/D.

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**Kiss A Pig: And the winner was….**

Henry Rodriguez, MD, director of the IU Pediatric Diabetes Clinical Program, received 1,038 votes ($1 a vote) toward reaching his goal of kissing a pig in at the March 9 Indiana Pacers game. That, however, was not enough to allow him to pucker up. All of this was in good fun and to raise money for the American Diabetes Association – the real winner.

In all, $91,464 was raised in the annual Kiss A Pig Campaign.

Raising the most money was Dr. Alan Breier, vice president, chief medical officer at Eli Lilly & Co. He received 63,704 votes.
The pig is in the spotlight during the event because of its role in the treatment of diabetes. In 1921, researchers found that by using insulin from the pancreas of a pig, diabetes patients could be treated. Today, most insulin is manufactured, but to this day the ADA allows the common barnyard animal to hog the show.

If you missed the Pacers halftime show, you can see Dr. Rodriguez with his porcine pal at www.medicine.iu.edu.

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**Speaker for March 24 Combined Seminar Series**

The speaker for the March 24 IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series will be Edward Leof, PhD. He is a professor of biochemistry and molecular biology and associate director of basic sciences at Mayo Clinic Cancer Center. Dr. Leof’s topic will be “TGFβ Signaling: Yeast to the Clinic.”

The series is from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium.

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**Medical Ethics and Humanities Program – April 8**
“Old Milk, New Breasts: Uruguay’s Infant Mortality Stagnation, 1900-1940” is the topic of the Thursday, April 8 Seminars in Medical Ethics and Humanities. Anne-Emmanuel Birn, PhD, from the University of Toronto social sciences and public health sciences departments is the speaker.

The lecture will be from noon to 1 p.m. in Cavanaugh Hall, room 438. A light lunch will be provided.

Reservations are recommend since space is limited. Call Judi Campbell at 274-4740, or email her at jizukac@iupui.edu by noon, Tuesday, April 6, to reserve a seat.

The lecture series is sponsored by the Medical Humanities Program at IUPUI in conjunction with the IU Center for Bioethics.

Educational Research and Development Grants available

The IU School of Medicine is making available $50,000 to support innovative projects designed to improve medical education. Grants of up to $10,000 will be awarded for the funding period, July 1 to June 30, 2005.

The deadline for applying is Monday, April 26. For additional information, see http://meca.iu.edu/Resources/Grants.htm.

AAMC grants and awards

At its annual meeting the Association of American Medical Colleges presents its major awards honoring individuals and programs making significant contributions in the fields of medical education, research and community service.

Specific information about each award and their respective nomination requirements is available at www.aamc.org/about/awards/start.htm. The awards and their 2004 deadlines for nominations are:

Abraham Flexner Award – May 7
Alpha Omega Alpha Robert J. Glaser Distinguished Teacher Award – May 31

Award for Distinguished Research – May 7

David E. Rogers Award – May 7

Herbert W. Nickens, M.D., Award – April 2

Herbert W. Nickens, M.D., Faculty Fellowship – April 2

Herbert W. Nickens, M.D., Medical Student Scholarships – April 2

Humanism in Medicine Award – April 9

Outstanding Community Service Award – April 16

Caring for Community: A National Medical Student Service Project – March 29

Secretary's Award – To be determined by HHS

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The controversy of prescribing antidepressants to children and teens will be explored by David Fassler, MD, a child psychiatrist at the University of Vermont School of Medicine and a trustee with the American Psychiatric Association. He testified on the topic before the FDA last month.

William Branch, MD, from Emory School of Medicine and the Koppaka Scholar in Humane Medicine at IUSM, and Aaron Kalinowski, a fourth-year student at IUSM, will discuss the role of humanistic values in medicine and how they are taught in medical schools.

Daniel Neely, MD, assistant professor of ophthalmology at IUSM, will discuss advances in diagnosing and treating amblyopia in children and a new statewide screening program funded by
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Message from the Dean: Data-Driven Management

As I compare our accomplishments the past few years against the strategic plan we completed in 2000, I am pleased to find that a large number of the specific tasks we set, particularly in the education and research missions, have been accomplished. These have led to measurable, and in most cases, remarkable improvements in the quality of our medical school.

However, one major task that we set for ourselves that has not been accomplished is the
implementation of “mission-based management.” To me this term is a misnomer. I think a more accurate description is data-driven management (DDM) that importantly has additional attributes of transparency and being more broadly participatory.

The bitter truth is that today a number of our budgetary decisions are based more on historical precedent than on data. Moreover, it is based on history that goes back so far in our past that the rationale is forgotten. Certainly, our world has evolved since then—but our methodology has not. We surely would not manage our own finances this way.

We need to develop a better way to make important decisions, and we will need your wisdom and input in doing so. We will need to be able to set priorities that reflect our values and we will need to be able to do so as a group (participatory), based on solid data (data-driven) and with full disclosure (transparency) of how resources are being expended.

We have spoken with several medical schools that have implemented similar processes, including Penn State and the universities of Wisconsin and Maryland. Most have described it as a transforming process that has led to a greater sense of participation by the faculty, a stronger sense of community, and better decision making. That having been said, any time change occurs, there is accompanying angst.

This letter is to announce that we are starting down this path. The first step is our forming a steering committee composed of a broad representation of the School’s leaders. The committee will lead and guide the entire effort and will serve as the oversight body for the project.

This communication is the first of several that you will receive in the next few months regarding the DDM initiative. I am looking forward to working on this project that I believe is critical to our future and will keep you informed of our progress. I also ask for your support as we work together to continue to improve the Indiana University School of Medicine and position it for continued future success.

Craig Brater, MD
Dean, IUSM

Match Day: Food, fun & residency assignments

On March 18, 253 IUSM students achieved a milestone by matching to residency programs across the nation where they will continue their medical training.
Students in the Class of 2004, who will receive their medical degrees on Mother's Day, May 9, accepted residency positions in 29 states, including Indiana. Among the Match Day highlights:

- 51 percent of the students will pursue at least part of their residencies within Indiana
- 91 students will be residents at IU Hospital, Riley Hospital for Children and other Clarian Health facilities
- 41 percent of IU School of Medicine graduates will enter primary-care programs, which includes internal medicine, family medicine, pediatrics, obstetrics/gynecology, primary and combined internal medicine-pediatrics

Additional information the National Resident Matching Program can be found at www.nrmp.org. The National Residency Matching Program, with the results released each year during the third week of March, is the main pathway by which most medical school graduates enter their residency training under the supervision of veteran physicians.

Highlights of the IUSM event in the atrium of VanNuys Medical Science Building can be viewed at www.medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/viewRelease.php4?art=73. Students - many in costumes ranging from a cow to a buccaneer - were treated to a meal before they got down to the serious business of the Match. As tradition goes, each student deposited a dollar in a bed pan before being handed their envelope. The last student called to the podium then gets the "pot." Emily Chui was the happy winner of $252.

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Applications sought for competency director

The IUSM Curriculum Council seeks a director for the “Using Science to Guide Diagnosis, Management, Therapeutics, and Prevention” competency.

The competency director will work with course and clerkship directors, faculty from all IUSM Centers for Medical Education, students and the Dean's Office for Medical Education and Curricular Affairs to facilitate the teaching, assessment, development and documentation of students' competence in this area.

Candidates must have experience in teaching and assessing the scientific knowledge base in undergraduate medical education and have at least 20 percent protected time from their department to dedicate to this role.

Interested individuals should submit a letter of interest, a curriculum vita, and a letter of support...
from their department chair that specifically addresses the candidate's protected time for the position to Paula Smith, Medical Education and Curricular Affairs, EF 200, 317-274-4556 or psmith4@iupui.edu.

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AMWA Women's Health Week March 22-25

The American Medical Women's Association is hosting three presentations during Women's Health Week March 22-25. All the presentations will be at noon in VanNuys Medical Science Building, room 326.

The schedule includes:

Monday, March 22 – Dawana Stubbs, MD, "Domestic Violence: The Physician's Role"

Wednesday, March 24 – Lisa Harris, MD, "The State of Wishard"

Thursday, March 25 – A family panel

For additional information, contact Megan Tarr, MS 4, at metarr@iupui.edu

Abortion topic of Ethics At Lunch program

"Abortion: Ethical Responsibilities of a Clinician" is the topic of a Thursday, March 25, noon panel discussion cosponsored by Medical Students for Choice and the OB-GYN Student Interest Group. The Ethics At Lunch presentation will be in the VanNuys Medical Science Building, room B26.

Speakers will be Donald Cline, MD, Hua Meng, MD, and Deborah Bartz, MD, all of the IUSM Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. Jose Espada will moderate the discussion which will explore how physicians can respect patients' autonomy and personal beliefs.

Lunch will be served.

PDA Brown Bag Lunch-n-Learn

Medical students, residents, faculty and staff are invited to attend the third PDA Brown Bag
Lunch-n-Learn session, which will be from 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. Friday, March 26, in Van Nuys Medical Sciences Building, room B26.

David Chernov of PatientKeeper is the speaker. PatientKeeper is an application for patient information management.

The presentation is WebEx which means participation is via a PC/laptop with an Internet connection and a phone. For groups gathering to view the presentation, a PC/laptop with an Internet connection and hooked up to an LCD projector and a speaker phone would work well.

Contact Mary Beth Nance at mnance@iupui.edu, or Amy Hatfield at ajhatfie@iupui.edu, to get the URL address, 800 phone number and setup instructions for the presentation. Participants will need to connect to the website at least 10 minutes prior to the start of the presentation.

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Food drive sponsored by CMA and SNMA

The Christian Medical Association and the Student National Medical Association are sponsoring an Easter food drive from now until April 17.

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IUSM discounts offered at bookstore

In recognition of National Doctor's Day, the JAGS Bookstore in the Union Building is offering a 25 percent discount on all IUSM apparel and gift items.

The special begins Monday, March 29, and ends Saturday, April 3.

BioCrossroads Board of Directors, Executive Committee named

Officials from corporate, academic and the public sector will lead BioCrossroads, central Indiana's life sciences consortium. The names of the full board of directors were announced last week, following the early-February adoption of a corporate-style organizational structure for the two-year-old effort to make central Indiana a global life sciences hub.

As previously announced, August (Gus) Watanabe, MD, former Eli Lilly executive vice-president and president of Lilly Research Laboratories, will serve as board chairman.

Also named to the board was IUSM Dean Craig Brater, MD.

Other board members are:
Robert Compton - President, NoInk Communications
Hon. Kathy Davis - Lieutenant Governor, State of Indiana
Daniel Evans - President, Clarian Health Partners
David Goodrich - President, Central Indiana Corporate Partnership
Today, BioCrossroads also announced the members of its executive committee. They are Brater, Jischke, Peterson, Schalliol and Watanabe.

"It's a testament to the civic energy surrounding BioCrossroads that we were able to attract such a distinguished group to guide this initiative," said Watanabe. "The BioCrossroads board represents private industry, academia and the public sector. We have leaders in business, in research, in entrepreneurship and health care - everyone has a seat at the table.

"The composition of this group reflects the diversity of assets that makes central Indiana a great place to do groundbreaking scientific work and build life sciences businesses," Watanabe added.

The Board will oversee a variety of projects designed to promote economic development and entrepreneurial growth within the targeted industry sectors - agribiotech, bioimaging, biomarkers, biosensors, cardiovascular, cancer, evidence-based medicine, neurosciences, protein analysis and sports centered life sciences. BioCrossroads will continue to be an important project initiative supported by the Central Indiana Corporate Partnership and its members.

BioCrossroads is central Indiana's life science consortium, a public-private collaboration that supports the region's research and corporate strengths while encouraging new business development. See www.biocrossroads.com for more information.
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Bloomington to the IU Emerging Technologies Center in Indianapolis. The TBRC provides a variety of services to Indiana entrepreneurs, governmental units and technology-based companies.

The center is an arm of the Indiana University Advanced Research and Technology Institute formerly known as the Industrial Research Liaison Program.

Among its functions, TBRC will help small businesses shepherd federal Small Business Technology Transfer and Small Business Innovation Research grants through complicated approval processes. The U.S. Congress established the STTR and SBIR programs to help small, technology-oriented businesses compete with larger businesses nationally and internationally.

ARTI offers free seminars on obtaining SBIR grants on a quarterly basis, said Mark Long, president and chief executive of ARTI. Long can be reached at 317-278-1901, or by email at mslong@indiana.edu. To contact the TBRC, call 317-278-1901, or e-mail iuetc@iuetc.org.

IUPUI campus smoking survey online

Recommendations regarding the policy for smoking on the IUPUI campus are under review by Chancellor Charles Bantz, IUSM Dean Craig Brater, MD, and Karen Whitney, vice chancellor and dean of students.

The recommendations are the result of a four-year review process to update the campus smoking policy. Committee recommendations, formulated from extensive discussion in Staff Council, Faculty Council and student groups were presented to the chancellor's office in September 2003.

As part of that review process, the campus was asked to participate in a survey of attitudes regarding proposed policy changes on smoking on the IUPUI campus. The results of that survey can be viewed at http://survey.imir.iupui.edu/results/smoking.

According to Stephen Jay, MD, chair of the IUSM Department of Public Health and chair of the IUPUI campus smoking committee, the majority (67.4 percent) of the 1,300 suvery respondents favor a smoke-free perimeter of 50 feet or more outside campus buildings. He also noted that 25 percent of the respondents want a smoke-free campus.
**Diabetes conference addresses treatment controversies**

Controversies in the treatment of diabetes is the theme of Diabetes Update IV, a symposium offered by the IUSM Department of Medicine, Division of Nephrology, Wednesday, April 14. The day-long conference will be at the University Place Conference Center.

Guest faculty are Thomas Buchanan, MD, program director, General Clinical Research Center, USC Keck School of Medicine, and Juan Frias, MD, senior director of medical affairs at Amylin Pharmaceuticals.

IUSM presenters are Rattan Juneja, MD, Mark Deeg, MD, Kieren Mather, MD, Paris Roach, MD, Sue Robbins, RD, Stephen Sawanda, MD, Myron Weinberger, MD.

Continuing medical education credits are offered.

For more information, call 274-8353. Online registration is available at [http://cme.medicine.iu.edu](http://cme.medicine.iu.edu).

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**Human subject conference - April 19-20**

Washington University School of Medicine Human Studies Committee is sponsoring a National Human Subject Protections Conference entitled, "From the Past to the Future: Evolving Research Issues" April 19-20 in St. Louis.

The conference is held in cooperation with the University of Missouri in Columbia, the OHRP, FDA, DVA and DHHS.

For online registration and conference information, see [www.medicine.wustl.edu/~hsc/education/conferenceindex](http://www.medicine.wustl.edu/~hsc/education/conferenceindex).

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**NSF seeks proposals for program funding**

The National Science Foundation issued invitations for proposals for funding in two programs:
The **Partnerships for Innovation Program** supports partnerships among academe, the private sector and state, local or federal government that will explore new approaches to support and sustain innovation. Only U.S. universities and colleges located in the U.S. and its territories and possessions are eligible to submit proposals.

Partners may include other academic institutions, nonprofit organizations, private sector firms, entrepreneurs, venture capitalists, state and local government entities, trade and professional associations and federal laboratories.

Approximately $9 million in 2004 funding is expected to be available for 15-25 awards, each of up to $600,000 for a total of 2-3 years. Proposals are due **Monday, May 17**. More information is available at www.nsf.gov/pubsys/ods/getpub.cfm?nsf04556.

The **Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer Programs** seeks to stimulate technological innovation in the private sector by strengthening the role of small business concerns in meeting federal research and development needs, increasing the commercial application of federally supported research results, and fostering and encouraging participation by socially and economically disadvantaged persons and women-owned small businesses.

Approximately $17.5 million is expected to be available for 150 awards. Only companies qualifying as small business concerns are eligible to submit proposals, which are due between **May 9 and June 9**. More information is available at www.nsf.gov/pubsys/ods/getpub.cfm?nsf04551.

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**This week on Sound Medicine**

Tune in at noon, Saturday, March 27, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Diane Willis. This week's co-host is David Crabb, MD.

The estrogen-only replacement therapy clinical trial that was discontinued early because results showed an increased risk of stroke will be discussed by Jacques Rossous, MD, from the National Institutes of Health.

Robert Einterz, MD, director of the IUSM-Moi University program, will discuss two new grants, totaling more than $16 million, that will allow IUSM and Moi University to continue their work of HIV/AIDS treatment and prevention in Kenya.
Arthur Kramer, PhD, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, will discuss his research that shows physical fitness can help protect the aging brain of older adults from memory and cognitive losses.

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Sturek selected to lead cellular and integrative physiology

Michael Sturek, PhD, has been selected as professor and chair of the IUSM Department of Cellular and Integrative Physiology pending approval by the IU board of trustees. He is expected to begin his duties June 1.
Dr. Sturek currently is associate director of basic research at the Center for Diabetes and Cardiovascular Health, and professor of medical pharmacology and physiology at the University of Missouri School of Medicine.

His research focus is vascular biology, primarily in the areas associated with diabetes.

Dr. Sturek received his bachelor's degree from Augustana College. He received a master's degree in exercise physiology at Purdue University and a doctorate in pharmacology from the University of Iowa. Dr. Sturek joined the University of Missouri faculty in 1987.

He is a member of several professional societies, including the Biophysical Society, the American Heart Association and the American Diabetes Association. He holds several grants including funding from the National Institutes of Health and the American Diabetes Association.

**Herbert inauguration April 15**

Adam Herbert will be installed as the 17th president of Indiana University Thursday, April 15. Faculty, staff and students are invited to the inauguration, which will be at 3 p.m. in the IU Auditorium on the Bloomington campus. A reception open to the public will follow.

Dr. Herbert will deliver an inaugural address outlining his vision for IU.

The night before, IU Distinguished Professor of Music David Baker and Bunky Green, professor and director of jazz studies at the University of North Florida, will perform a jazz concert at 8:30 p.m. It will be in the IU Auditorium and is free to the public.

The Lilly Library will display IU's past presidential inaugurations titled "From Andrew Wylie to Adam W. Herbert: Images of Presidential Inauguration Ceremonies."

Additional information on the IU presidential inauguration can be found at [www.indiana.edu/~pres/inauguration04](http://www.indiana.edu/~pres/inauguration04)

**Mark your calendar: Faculty Development Conference**
The Faculty Development Conference "Teaching and Evaluating Required ACGME Competencies in Systems-based Practice and Practice-based Learning and Improvement" will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, May 27.

The conference, hosted by IUSM and Tufts Health Care Institute, will be at the University Place Conference Center.

The program is designed for residency training program directors, clinical faculty and GME leaders to address the ACGME competencies. Systems-based practice and practice-based learning and improvement will be one focus of the program.

This activity has been approved for AMA/PRA category 1 credit.

For additional information, call the Office of House Staff Affairs at 274-8282.

Orientation guide goes online

This week the School of Medicine debuts its online orientation guide for faculty and staff. Initially intended for new employees, this collection of documents has information of interest to everyone.

Browse or search for answers to questions related to the workaday world at IU and IUSM -- from early retirement options to telephone passcodes, parking permits, child daycare and research regulations.

The site will continue to be developed and reader input is appreciated to make the guide more user friendly and functional.


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**Family Medicine prepares for medical mission to Honduras**

Javier Martir Sevilla, MD, assistant professor of clinical family medicine, will lead an international medicine elective rotation in Las Lajas, Honduras, April 4 -11.

The purpose is to consolidate the international medicine elective taking the first two IUSM students Trina Helderman and Sunah Kim to complete a four-week rotation. IUSM student Kevin McGarvey will participate for one week. All are fourth-year students.

Also going to Honduras are Gaylen Kelton, MD, medical director, IU/Methodist Family Practice Center; second-year resident Ricardo Valdivia, MD, and Jennifer Custer, IU International Medical Student Interest Group (IMSIG) consultant.

The mission team will work at clinical sites throughout the Central American country. The purpose of this evolving Family Medicine elective is to provide students, residents and fellows an opportunity to learn principles of public health, tropical medicine and community development in urban and rural communities in Honduras.

**Research opportunity in gastroenterology**

Naga Chalasani, MD, and Paul Haynes, MD, are involved in a retrospective outcome study of patients with liver cirrhosis secondary to nonalcoholic steatohepatitis.

They are seeking a medical student or resident interested in participating in the data collection for this study who wants to be included as an author on the manuscript. To apply, contact Dr. Haynes at phaynes@iupui.edu, or 656-4166.
Pediatric AIDS expert is Merritt Lecturer

A UCLA physician involved in the early studies of drug therapies to reduce mother-to-child transmission of the AIDS virus will present the 2004 Doris H. Merritt, MD, Lecture in Women's Health.

Yvonne Bryson, MD, will present "Global Advances and Challenges for the Prevention of perinatal HIV" at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 20, in the Ruth Lilly Learning Center auditorium at the Riley Hospital Outpatient Center. A reception will follow.

The event is sponsored by the IU National Center of Excellence in Women's Health. Reservations are required and can be made by calling Tina Darling at 630-2243, or by email at tdarling@iupui.edu. The deadline is Friday, April 16.

Dr. Bryson, who directs the division of infectious diseases at UCLA School of Medicine, was one of initial investigators of nevirapine, an anti-HIV drug that slows down and helps prevent damage to the immune system, thereby reducing the risks of patients developing AIDS-related illnesses. Specifically, her studies in the late 1990s demonstrated that nevirapine reduced AIDS transmission to unborn children.

The lectureship is named for Doris Merritt, MD, IU distinguished professor emerita who served in many important capacities during her 40-plus-year medical career, much of it spent as a pediatric physician, faculty member and administrator at the IU schools of Medicine and Nursing, the National Institutes of Health and Purdue University.

Continuing medical education credit is offered.

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Ethics at Lunch: Wishard's contribution

"What happens if Wishard folds?" is the topic of the Thursday, April 1, Ethics at Lunch seminar from noon to 1 p.m. in VanNuys Medical Science Building, room B26.

Lisa Harris, MD, medical director and CEO of Wishard Health and Hospital Corp., will be the speaker. Points she will address include: Where will our patients receive care and what level of care will they receive? What will be the ramifications for surrounding hospitals? If all citizens
were guaranteed a basic level of care through a federal government single-payer plan, where
would Wishard exist in a health system where there no longer are the "uninsured?"

Lunch is provided.

Clinical research overview - April 2

The Clinical Trials Program is hosting "Introduction to Clinical Research: An Overview of the
Clinical Research Process" from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Friday, April 2. The free seminar will be in
the Riley Hospital Outpatient Center auditorium.

Sharon Moe, MD, director of the CTP, and program staff will present.

To register, contact Michelle Murray at mimurray@iupui.edu, or 278-2868. Two CME credits are
offered.

This is one of many educational opportunities on a variety of clinical research related topics
planned by CTP for the coming year. For the most up-to-date listing, consult the CTP Web site at

IU Geriatrics Conferences for April

The IU Geriatrics Conferences are from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital,
room T2008 A and B. Speakers and their topics in April are:

**April 7**
Anemia in Geriatrics: An Update
Asok Antony, MD
IUSM professor of medicine

**April 21**
Gait Evaluation for the Novice
Diane Healey, MD
Co-medical director, St. Vincent Institute on Aging
Combined Seminar Series for April

The IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series for April includes a special seminar on April 29. The regularly scheduled guests speak on Wednesdays from 4 to 5 p.m. in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium.

April 7 -- Yi-Ping Chen, associate professor of cell and molecular biology, Tulane University, "Molecular Mechanisms for Left-right Asymmetry in Vertebrates"

April 14 -- Jacqueline Gervay-Hague, Department of Chemistry, University of California-Davis, topic to be announced.

April 21 -- Teresa Wilson, PhD, assistant professor, Radiation Oncology Research Laboratory, Department of Radiation Oncology, University of Maryland, Baltimore, "DNA Mismatch Repair: Matching Proteins with Functions"

April 28 -- Richard Berhinger, PhD, professor of molecular genetics, University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, topic to be announced.

April 29 -- Special seminar, Susan Cole, PhD, FRSC, Canada Research Chair in Cancer Biology, Division of Cancer Biology and Genetics, Queen's University Cancer Research Institute, "Complex Role of Proline Residues in the Structure & Function of the Drug and Organic Anion Transporter, MRP1"

ICVBM Seminar Series

The Indiana Center for Vascular Biology and Medicine Seminar Series will host two guest speakers in April.

David Ingram, MD, IU assistant professor of pediatrics, biochemistry and molecular biology, will speak from noon to 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 6, in IU Cancer Research Institute, room 101. His topic is "Use of clonogenic assay to identify a novel hierarchy of endothelial progenitor cells from human peripheral blood."
On Tuesday, April 27, Zorina Galis, PhD, a research advisor in cardiovascular research at Eli Lilly, will speak from noon to 1 p.m. in VanNuys Medical Science Building, room 326, on "Matrix metalloproteinases and the making and breaking of blood vessels."

For more information on the Indiana Center for Vascular Biology and Medicine, see http://vascularbiomed.iu.edu.

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**Getting Started with EndNote7**

IUSM Library staff Carole Gall and Doug Bartlow will hold a beginners' workshop on the most recent version of EndNote, a citation management software, from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 7, in the VanNuys Medical Science Building computer lab, room 016.

Faculty, staff and students are invited to attend this hands-on workshop, which is limited to 15 participants. The Getting Started with EndNote7 workshop will be repeated on the first Wednesday of the month for May and June.

To register or for more information, contact Carole at cfgall@iupui.edu, 274-1411, or Doug at bartlowjd@iupui.edu, 274-5077.

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**Research symposium for persons of color - April 8**

The Fifth Annual IUPUI Research Symposium for Faculty, Staff & Students of Color will be from 8:15 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Thursday, April 8, in the University Library Lilly Auditorium.

The symposium will showcase the research of faculty, staff, and students of color, and will include both poster and oral presentations.

IUPUI Chancellor Charles Bantz, PhD, will speak at 1 p.m. following lunch.

Last year's symposium included 20 presenters from various schools and departments on campus. More information on this year's symposium can be found at http://opd.iupui.edu/ompd/
symposium.

The symposium is open to everyone to attend, and we welcome our colleagues at the other IU and Purdue campuses.

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**Deadline extended for Race for the Cure**

The deadline for applications to be a part of the Race for the Cure IUPUI Team Jaguars has been extended until **Monday, March 29**.

Register online at [www.iupui.edu/~extaff/prom/cure.htm](http://www.iupui.edu/~extaff/prom/cure.htm). Click on the register on-line link and sign up under the link for IUPUI General.

For more information, contact Marty Posch at 278-8573.

The Race for the Cure is Saturday, April 24 on the IUPUI campus.

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**IUSM discounts offered at bookstore**

In recognition of National Doctors' Day, the JAGS Bookstore in the Union Building is offering a 25 percent discount on all IUSM apparel and gift items. The special begins Monday, March 29, and ends Saturday, April 3.

Discount cannot be combined with any other offers. Not valid on special orders.

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**This week on Sound Medicine**

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and Kathy Miller, MD.

Guests include Kenneth Brandt, MD, professor of medicine, discussing his research results into the use of the antibiotic doxycycline for treatment of knee osteoarthritis. IU neurologist Allison Brashear, MD, will discuss cervical dystonia, also known as spasmodic torticollis.

Tom Imperiale, MD, IUSM professor of gastroenterology and Regenstrief Institute investigator, will discuss his research into the creation of an index to guide physicians in whether sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy is most beneficial for a patient.


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Data-driven management committee formed

Dean D. Craig Brater has appointed a steering committee that will oversee the school’s implementation of data-driven management, a system being adopted to help IUSM reach its goals of excellence in teaching, research and service.
Members of the committee, which is chaired by Dr. Brater, are:

- Talmage Bosin, Ph.D., assistant dean and director of the Medical Sciences Program, Bloomington;
- Kenneth Cornetta, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Medical Molecular Genetics;
- David Crabb, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Medicine;
- Michael Koch, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Urology;
- Keith Lillemoe, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Surgery
- Christopher McDougle, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Psychiatry
- Richard Schreiner, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Pediatrics
- Michael Vasko, PhD, professor and chair of the Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology.

The school’s executive associate deans are ex-officio members of the steering committee.

At their first meeting on Thursday, members of the committee began the process of creating design teams – groups of IUSM faculty who will be designing the data-driven management systems for the school’s education, research and clinical missions.

More details about data-driven management and the implementation process at IUSM will be published in Scope in the coming weeks.

AOA inducts members

Forty-two IUSM students were welcomed into the Indiana chapter of the Alpha Omega Alpha honor medical society March 30.

AOA is the only national honor medical society in the world and elects outstanding medical students, graduates, alumni, faculty and others to its ranks.

Students inducted from the Class of 2004: Maria Tebbe Bajuyo, Eugene Chio, David Coats, Gregory Dikos, Christopher Dillingham, Tara Dubay, Richard Foster, Catherine Golden, Kavita Gorantla, Gregory Helbig, Nathan Huber, Eric Jaryszak, James Kimbrough, Matthew King, Dmitry Kiyatkin, Dawn Larson, Melissa Lora, Brandon Martinez, Rachel Mathis, Mindi Morris, Kristiana Neff, Andrew Overhiser, Trenton Roth, Lilly Santeliz, Adam Spaetti, Jason Sorg, Michael Waddell, Drew Watters, Michael Webber, Andrea Wolff and Ripley Worman.
Class of 2005 members: Ronald Brooks, Eric Goebel, Elizabeth Guequierre, Jamie Webb Kennedy, Andrew Labelle, Nicholas Rogers, Geoffrey Schutz, Laura Tormoehlen, Alyssa Wait, Jeffrey Wells and Matthew Will.

Also inducted were physicians affiliated with the School, including Margaret Gaffney, MD, and Thomas Klausmeier, MD (alumni); Mary Ciccarelli, MD, and Patrick Loehrler Sr. (faculty); and Darel Heitkamp, MD, and Nerissa C. Kreher, MD (house staff).

Fridell to lead pancreas transplant program

Jonathan Fridell, MD, has been named director of pancreas transplantation at The Clarian Transplant Center.

Dr. Fridell has been a member of the IUSM faculty since 2002. An assistant professor of surgery, his specialty is transplantation of the pancreas, liver, kidney and intestine. He also performs organ procurement for transplantation and harvested the first small intestine and the first multi-visceral grafts transplanted in August 2003 in Indiana. Dr. Fridell also performed the first combined liver-pancreas transplant in the state in May 2003.

He received his medical degree at McGill University, Montreal, Canada. He completed surgical residency training and a master’s degree in experimental surgery at McGill, and completed a fellowship in clinical transplant surgery at University of Pittsburgh Medical Center.

As one of the top transplant centers in the country, Clarian ranked fourth nationally in 2003 in number of solid organ transplants performed. It performs more transplants than all other Indiana transplant centers combined, according to the United Network for Organ Sharing. Additionally, the transplant center is the only health system in the state to perform heart, lung, kidney, liver, pancreas and intestine transplants.

For additional information, see “Clinical Services” at www.clarian.org, or phone 274-4370.

Cantor receives named professorship
Louis Cantor, MD, has been named the first Jay C. and Lucile L. Kahn Professor of Glaucoma Research and Education.

Dr. Cantor, who retains his current title of professor of ophthalmology, received his undergraduate and medical degrees from IU. He completed an internship at St. Vincent Health Care Center and his residency at the IU Department of Ophthalmology. He completed a glaucoma fellowship at the Wills Eye Hospital in Philadelphia.

Dr. Cantor joined the IUSM faculty in 1985. He is director of the Glaucoma Service and ophthalmology residency program director.

The Kahn Professorship was established in 2003 by the estate of Lucile Kahn. The Kahns were longtime residents and active philanthropists in the Indianapolis community. Mrs. Kahn, who died in 2002, was interested in supporting excellence in research and education at IUSM and established a scholarship, funding for Alzheimer’s disease research, and an endowed position in ophthalmology.

Sound Medicine enters fourth season with new producer

Nora Hiatt, producer and writer of award-winning documentaries, has joined Sound Medicine as its senior producer and writer.

Sound Medicine is a medical and health information radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio 90.1 FM.

“We are excited about the program’s potential with Nora in this role,” says executive producer Pamela Perry. “She already has had a noticeable impact on the program.”

The program now includes a timely summary of breakthroughs in medicine and medical science and a line-up of guests representing a broader scope of medical science and research of interest to its audience. Also in the plans are field reports from contributors including patients, health professionals and health writers.

Sound Medicine is available on the Web at www.SoundMedicine.iu.edu and features each week’s program with links to the audio file of each show.

Hiatt is an independent producer and writer of documentaries including “Tempting Faith,” a

The host of the program, Barbara Lewis, is a veteran broadcast journalist in television and radio, both in Indiana and California, and one of the program’s organizers.

She is joined each week by one of four teaching physicians and research faculty: Ora Pescovitz, MD, David Crabb, MD, Kathy Miller, MD, and Steve Bogdewic, PhD. The program will focus on issues in medical ethics four times this year with the co-host role filled by Eric Meslin, PhD, director of the IU Center for Bioethics.

On April 1, Sound Medicine entered its fourth season on public radio stations throughout Indiana including WFYI in Indianapolis, WFIU in Bloomington, WSBT in Muncie, and WBNJ in Fort Wayne. In turn, they broadcast the program to Anderson on WBSB, to Terre Haute, Columbus and Kokomo on WFIU, Hagerstown on WBSH, Marion on WBSW, Muncie on WBST, and Portland on WBSJ.

The fourth season of Sound Medicine is funded through grants from two of its founding underwriters, Clarian Health Partners and IU Medical Group.

U.S. News releases graduate rankings

Indiana University graduate programs in public and environmental affairs, education, clinical psychology, audiology, education, business, law and medicine received high rankings in the 2005 edition of U.S. News & World Report's "America's Best Graduate Schools."

IUSM was listed 39th in research, up from 47th a year ago, and was ranked 45th in primary care, compared with 40th last year. IUSM ranked sixth in research among Big Ten schools.

The criteria for the rankings include peer assessment, residency directors’ scores, average undergrad GPA, average MCAT scores, NIH research grant awards, faculty/student ratio, percent of grads awarded one of top three residency choices, out-of-state tuition and fees, and total medical school enrollment.
The complete rankings will be posted on the magazine's Web site today at http://www.usnews.com.

The full rankings by *U.S. News & World Report* will be released to the public today in the book "America's Best Graduate Schools," and many of the rankings will appear in the magazine's issue that will go on sale that day.

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**Beering nominations sought**

The Beering Award Committee seeks nominations for the 2005 Steven C. Beering Award for Advancement of Biomedical Science. The deadline for submission is **Wednesday, April 28**.

Established through contributions of faculty, alumni, and friends of the School of Medicine as a tribute to the former dean, this award honors an internationally recognized individual for outstanding research contributions to the advancement of biomedical or clinical science. The recipient is asked to present one major lecture to the medical community at the time the award, a medal and a check for $10,000, is bestowed, and to spend about three days on campus, during which one or two additional lectures to smaller groups are planned.

Nominations should be accompanied by a summary statement emphasizing the most important academic accomplishments of the nominee, the importance to biomedical or clinical science, and why he or she is deserving of this honor. A curriculum vitae and a list of key publications should be included.

Submit all information no later than Wednesday, April 28, to the attention of Amy-Jeanne Sayre, Academic Administration, Fesler Hall 318.

Stanley Korsmeyer, MD, Sidney Farber Professor and professor of medicine at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Harvard Medical School is the recipient of the 2004 Beering Award and will present his lecture on Oct. 20.

Steven C. Beering Award Committee members are: Richard Miyamoto, MD, chair; Simon J. Conway, PhD, Anna DePaoli-Roach, PhD, Leonard C. Erickson, PhD, Janet Hock, PhD, BDS, Ora Pescovitz, MD, Karen Roos, MD, Stephen Trippel, MD, and Sandra Valaitis, MD.
Research opportunity in rheumatology

William Kcomt, MD and Julia Bolding, MD, are involved in a retrospective study on the effect of allopurinol on cardiovascular outcomes in veterans with hyperuricemia who are treated at Roudebush VA Medical Center.

They are seeking a medical student or resident interested in participating in the data collection for this study who wants to be included as an author on the manuscript. To apply, page Dr. Kcomt at 312-1258.

Academic Administration forms online

Promotion, tenure and long-term contract materials now can be accessed at http://administration.iusm.iu.edu/promotion.html or www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/academic_affairs/.

Clinical trials brochure available

A clinical trials patient education brochure is now available in PDF format on the Clinical Trials Program Website at http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/patients.html.

The guide contains information on participating in clinical research studies at IUSM, how participants are protected, questions participants should ask, interesting statistics, and where to get additional information.

Educational Research and Development Grants available

IUSM is making available $50,000 to support innovative projects designed to improve medical
education. Grants of up to $10,000 will be awarded for the funding period, July 1 to June 30, 2005.

The deadline for applying is **Monday, April 26**. For additional information, see [http://meca.iusm.iu.edu/Resources/Grants.htm](http://meca.iusm.iu.edu/Resources/Grants.htm).

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**O’Brien Center offers funding for pilot projects**

The Indiana Center for Biological Microscopy has funding available to support renal-related microscopy based pilot studies. A NIH-O’Brien Center of Excellence grant provides for three two-year pilot studies for a maximum of $40,000 per year.

The goal of this program is to assist investigators with the development and performance of microscopic imaging protocols that will expand scientific opportunities for investigator initiated research within nephrology.

The microscopic imaging technologies available in the ICBM will support research investigations from diverse scientific disciplines. Specifically, the available technologies can be used to obtain information about the three-dimensional anatomical structure of tissues and organs, assess protein and enzyme expression, trafficking and function intravitally, and determine the rates of physiological processes such as blood flow.

Current and future microscopic modalities supported by the ICBM:

- High-speed multi-photon imaging
- Intra vital microscopy
- Quantitative microscopy
- 3-D image collection and analysis
- Trafficking of intracellular organelles

The deadline for applications is **Monday, May 3**.

To learn more about these biomedical imaging technologies and how they can be used in research, see [www.nephrology.iupui.edu/imaging](http://www.nephrology.iupui.edu/imaging). The following Web address is directly linked to the instructions and application process for the pilot study program: [www.nephrology.iupui.edu/imaging/pilot/pilotstudy.pdf](http://www.nephrology.iupui.edu/imaging/pilot/pilotstudy.pdf)
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Pediatric AIDS expert is Merritt Lecturer

A UCLA physician involved in the early studies of drug therapies to reduce mother-to-child transmission of the AIDS virus will present the 2004 Doris H. Merritt, MD, Lecture in Women’s Health.

Yvonne Bryson, MD, will present “Global Advances and Challenges for the Prevention of perinatal HIV” at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 20, in the Ruth Lilly Learning Center auditorium at the Riley Hospital Outpatient Center. A reception will follow.

The event is sponsored by the IU National Center of Excellence in Women’s Health. Reservations are required and can be made by calling Tina Darling at 630-2243, or by email at tdarling@iupui.edu. The deadline is Friday, April 16.

Dr. Bryson, who directs the division of infectious diseases at UCLA School of Medicine, was one of initial investigators of nevirapine, an anti-HIV drug that slows down and helps prevent damage to the immune system, thereby reducing the risks of patients developing AIDS-related illnesses. Specifically, her studies in the late 1990s demonstrated that nevirapine reduced AIDS transmission to unborn children.

The lectureship is named for Doris Merritt, MD, IU distinguished professor emerita who served in many important capacities during her 40-plus-year medical career, much of it spent as a pediatric
Continuing medical education credit is offered.

PDA Hall of Exhibits

A PDA awareness event will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, April 8, in the VanNuys Medical Science Building atrium.

The display will include information on PatientKeeper, InfoPoems, Lexi-Comp, StatRef!, Skyscape, National Library of Medicine PDA products. Resources available to students, faculty, nurses and other health care professionals through the IUSM and Clarian Medical Libraries will be discussed.

A catered lunch is provided.

EndNote7 beginners’ workshop – April 7

IUSM Library staff Carole Gall and Doug Bartlow will hold a beginners’ workshop on the most recent version of EndNote, a citation management software, from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 7, in the VanNuys Medical Science Building computer lab, room 016.

Faculty, staff and students are invited to attend this hands-on workshop, which is limited to 15 participants. The Getting Started with EndNote7 workshop will be repeated on the first Wednesday of the month for May and June.

To register or for more information, contact Gall at cfgall@iupui.edu, 274-1411, or Bartlow at bartlowjd@iupui.edu, 274-5077.
Registration open for IUPUI Sport Complex Summer Camps

Registration has begun for the IUPUI Sport Complex Summer Programs.

For the 18th year, the on-campus Summer Day Camp is back, offering early drop-off and late pick-up for nine weeks in the summer. Kids ages 5 - 12 will have a chance to participate in several sport-related activities throughout the day. All campers receive a free insulated lunch bag.

Multiple week and multiple sibling discounts are available for the Day Camp.

For children too old for Day Camp, the IUPUI Sport Complex Sport offers other campus including diving, lacrosse, soccer, swimming, synchronized swimming, tennis, and track and field, which are open to ages 8 to 18 years.

Camps are IUPUI campus at the IU Natatorium, Indianapolis Tennis Center and the IU Michael A. Carroll Track and Soccer Stadium.

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Guests include Sara Blackburn, DSc, IU School of Health & Rehabilitative Sciences, discussing the nutritional pros and cons of eggs.

Steve Jay, MD, IUSM chair of the Department of Public Health, will profile the life and career of Leroy Burney, MD, a Hoosier native, former state health commissioner and U.S. surgeon general, and the first federal official to publicly link smoking and cancer.

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Data Driven Decisions: designing new directions for IUSM

The new project that will create IUSM’s systems for allocating resources, setting priorities and supporting and rewarding faculty has a new name, and three new teams of faculty who will work on it.

The Data Driven Management project has been renamed Data Driven Decisions, to reflect more accurately the goals of the effort.
Three groups of IUSM faculty have agreed to serve on committees, called design teams, which will develop the initial methodologies used to implement the project. The design teams have been charged with creating systems that will recognize, support and reward faculty achievement. The systems will enable the school to better understand what resources are available and how they are being used as decisions are made to set priorities.

A design team has been selected for each of the school’s primary missions – education, clinical service and research.

Members of the education design team: Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, Department of Family Medicine, team chair; William Bosron, PhD, Graduate Studies; Wade Clapp, MD, Department of Pediatrics; Peter Duong, PhD, Department of Anatomy & Cell Biology / Terre Haute Center for Medical Education; Scott Engum, MD, Department of Surgery; Debra Litzelman, MD, Department of Medicine; Lia Logio, MD, Department of Medicine; Julie McGowan, PhD, Information Resources and Educational Technology; Jacqueline O'Donnell, Department of Medicine/Cardiology; Ann Roman, PhD, Department of Microbiology/Immunology; Jeffrey Rothenberg, MD, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology; Jerry Rushton, MD, Department of Pediatrics, Mark Seifert, PhD, Department of Anatomy & Cell Biology;

Members of the clinical design team: Asok Antony, MD, Department of Medicine/Hematology/Oncology; Allison Brashear, MD, Department of Neurology; Mark Cain, MD, Department of Urology; Randall Caldwell, MD, Department of Pediatrics; John Eble, MD, Department of Pathology; John Fitzgerald, MD, Department of Medicine; Valerie Jackson, MD, Department of Radiology; Michael Lykens, MD, Department of Medicine/Pulmonary and Critical Care; Richard Miyamoto, MD, Department of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery; Paul Nelson, MD, Department of Surgery/ Neurosurgery; Fred Rescorla, MD, Department of Pediatrics; Eric Wiebke, MD, Department of Surgery, team chair.

Members of the research design team: Janice Blum, PhD, Department of Microbiology & Immunology, team chair; Stephen Downs, MD, Department of Pediatrics; Roman Dziarksi, PhD, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Northwest Center for Medical Education; Thomas Inui, MD, Regenstrief Institute; Sharon Moe, MD, Department of Medicine/Nephrology; Bruce Molitoris, MD, Department of Medicine/Nephrology; Gerry Oxford, PhD, Stark Neurosciences Research Institute; Fredrick Pavalko, PhD, Department of Cellular & Integrative Physiology; Mark Pescoitz, MD, Department of Surgery; Peter Roach, PhD, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology; Anantha Shekhar, MD PhD, Department of Psychiatry; John Talbott, MBA, Director of Operations; Mervin Yoder, MD, Department of Pediatrics.
IU presidential inaugural events begin Wednesday

IU will inaugurate Adam W. Herbert as its 17th president Thursday, April 15, during public ceremonies that will pay tribute to the academic heritage of the university.

Students, faculty, staff and the community are invited to attend the inaugural events, including a free jazz concert on the evening of April 14, the unveiling of a presidential portrait on April 15 and the formal investiture ceremony at 3 p.m. in the Indiana University Auditorium.

The ceremony will begin with a procession comprised of up to 225 faculty members and 32 representatives from IU's eight campuses. They will be joined by delegates representing 70 colleges and universities, learned societies and national organizations from across the country. The procession, a hallmark of academic tradition, will originate at the Showalter Fountain and make its way into the IU Auditorium.

After an invocation by the president's niece, the Rev. Deborah Martin, and a welcome by Kenneth R.R. Gros Louis, interim senior vice president for academic affairs and chancellor of the Bloomington campus, speakers will include Rep. Baron Hill (D-Ind.), Indiana Secretary of State Todd Rokita and Bloomington Mayor Mark Kruzan.

The ceremony will include special music by the IU Philharmonic Orchestra and the African American Choral Ensemble. Following his formal investiture as the 17th president of IU, Herbert will deliver his inaugural address, "Extending the Reach of Knowledge."

Immediately following the ceremony, a public reception will be in the lobby of the auditorium.

Complete inauguration information is available at [www.indiana.edu/~pres/inauguration04/](http://www.indiana.edu/~pres/inauguration04/).

Future docs pay ‘House Calls’ to needy homeowners

The days of doctors making house calls are rare, but IUSM students soon will be calling on certain city residents to deliver a healthy dose of help with their homes.

Several students will participate in the annual “Spring House Calls” program Saturday morning, April 17. The event teams the future physicians with homeowners in the Haughville and Blackburn neighborhoods.
Early in the morning, students will converge at the community hub, Christamore House, and receive their work assignments. From there they will set out with garden tools, lawnmowers and weed trimmers to visit homeowners with whom they have been matched. In addition to the yard work, students will make minor property repairs and plant flowers.

“Many people enter medicine with a desire to serve and to impact society; this event provides an opportunity for students to do both before they receive their medical degrees,” says Emily Willen, a second-year medical student who is helping organize this year’s project.

Spring House Calls was started in 1996 and is an annual program sponsored by the School’s Office of Medical Service-Learning. Since then, more than 700 students have volunteered nearly 6,000 hours of service to the near-Westside community.

“Students participating in Spring House Calls and other similar volunteer programs learn more about the value of community service and this makes them better doctors and advocates for policies that improve health care delivery to the public,” says Patricia Keener, M.D., professor of pediatrics and assistant dean of OMSL.

**First Visual Media grant winner named**

The Office of Visual Media has chosen the Reach Out and Read Indiana program as the first recipient of its production grant. The grant will be used to create materials to increase awareness of, and enrollment in, the program. Abigail Klemsz, MD, PhD, FAAP, State Medical Director/ROR Indiana submitted the winning proposal.

In December, the Office of Visual Media announced the initial OVM Production Grant. To be offered twice each year, the grant will cover half the production cost of a media project (up to $7,500). Several applications were received and the selection committee was impressed by the quality of ideas and variety of need.

The selected proposal, Reach Out and Read Indiana, is part of a national pediatric literacy program that “makes literacy promotion a standard part of pediatric primary care.”

At each well-child visit, trained doctors and nurses advise caregivers about the importance of reading aloud. New books are given during well-child visits to patients between the ages of six months and five years, with a special focus on children growing up in poverty.

The program allows physicians to routinely promote child development and gives parents the
tools and techniques they need to help their child to begin to love books and to start school ready to learn.

OVM will be creating various materials as well as an innovative traveling exhibit to promote the program.

The Office of Visual Media is the communications design group of the Indiana University School of Medicine. Utilizing graphic design, video/multimedia, photography, illustration and sculpture, their professionals offer media services and products that provide creative, innovative and engaging visual solutions. The next OVM Production Grant will be offered in July and awarded in October.

Nominations sought for 2005 Beering Award

The Beering Award Committee seeks nominations for the 2005 Steven C. Beering Award for Advancement of Biomedical Science. The deadline for submission is Wednesday, April 28.

Established through contributions of faculty, alumni and friends of the School of Medicine as a tribute to the former dean, this award honors an internationally recognized individual for outstanding research contributions to the advancement of biomedical or clinical science. The recipient is asked to present one major lecture to the medical community at the time the award. The award winner also receives a medal and a check for $10,000, and spends about three days on campus, during which one or two additional lectures to smaller groups are planned.

Nominations should be accompanied by a summary statement emphasizing the most important academic accomplishments of the nominee; the importance to biomedical or clinical science; and why he or she is deserving of this honor. A curriculum vitae and a list of key publications should be included.

Submit all information no later than Wednesday, April 28, to the attention of Amy-Jeanne Sayre, Academic Administration, Fesler Hall 318.

Stanley Korsmeyer, MD, Sidney Farber Professor and professor of medicine at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Harvard Medical School is the recipient of the 2004 Beering Award and will present his lecture on Oct. 20.

Steven C. Beering Award Committee members are: Richard Miyamoto, MD, chair; Simon J. Conway, PhD, Anna DePaoli-Roach, PhD, Leonard C. Erickson, PhD, Janet Hock, PhD, BDS,
Staff council elections approaching

Staff Council, the voice in representing issues concerning university staff, will accept nominations online to fill expiring terms and vacancies.

Nominations will be accepted within the following schools, programs and departments which will have vacancies: Academic Support, Administration & Finance, Campus Facility Services, Executive Management Responsibility Center, Indiana Higher Education Telecommunications System, School of Dentistry, School of Engineering and Technology, School of Journalism, School of Law, School of Liberal Arts, School of Medicine, School of Music and University Library.

Schools, departments and programs with no vacancies do not need to vote this year.

For a list of current representatives, see www.iupui.edu/~scouncil.

All eligible staff will be notified twice via email; first with instructions for nominating and again with instructions for voting.

Staff may visit the Web site April 21-27 to submit a nomination. Votes may be cast for nominated department representatives at the same Web site between April 29 and May 5. All nominations and votes are cast online.

Results will be announced by May 7.

For more information on the Staff Council elections, contact Molly Martin, Staff Council coordinator, at 274-2215, or by email at molmarti@iupui.edu.
m., Friday, April 16, in the atrium of the Medical Sciences Building as part of the institute’s April Board of Directors’ meeting.

All are invited to attend the poster session and meet with board members, investigators and fellows.

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**New and used book sale at University Library**

A two-day book sale at the IUPUI University Library will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, April 19, and Tuesday, April 20, on the ground floor of the library, room 1126. Offerings include popular fiction, classics, non-fiction of all subject areas, children's books and foreign language titles.

The sale supports scholarships for IUPUI library science students and professional development for IUPUI librarians. It is sponsored by Indiana University Librarians Association.

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**CTP has new program offerings**

The Clinical Trials Program is hosting programs in April and May on HIPAA requirements and obtaining the requested consents from trial participants.

The first program, “HIPAA and Medicare Update for Clinical Researchers: A refresher course regarding the impact of HIPAA and Medicare on Clinical Research” will be from noon to 1:30 p.m., April 23, in the Tudor Auditorium, Wishard Outpatient Wing, fifth floor.

On May 7, from noon to 1:30 p.m., “Consent and Recruitment Processes” will be in the Tudor Auditorium.

Registration is at the door for both programs and continuing medical education credit is offered.

For more information on these programs or to see other CTP educational opportunities on a variety of clinical research related topics see the CTP Web site at [http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/pdf/2004%20Research%20Education%20Programs.2.04.rtf](http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/pdf/2004%20Research%20Education%20Programs.2.04.rtf).
Need Funding? Workshop on Community of Science

Community of Science is the main database at IUSM to locate external funding and maintain electronic CVs and online research profiles. This workshop is lead by Carole Gall, IUSM Libraries, and Etta Ward, Research & Sponsored Programs.

The workshop, profile set up, and practice time for funding search will be from 10:30 a.m. to noon, Tuesday, April 20, in the VanNuys Medical Science Building computer lab, room 016.

This hands-on workshop is limited to 15 people supporting research at IUSM, and will be repeated in a month on Wednesday, May 19, from 10:30 a.m. to noon in the same location.

To register or for more information, contact Gall at cfgall@iupui.edu, 274-1411, or Ward at emward@iupui.edu, or 278-8427.

Mark Your Calendar: Faculty Development Conference

The Faculty Development Conference “Teaching and Evaluating Required ACGME Competencies in Systems-based Practice and Practice-based Learning and Improvement” will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, May 27.

The conference, hosted by IUSM and Tufts Health Care Institute, will be at the University Place Conference Center.

The program is designed for residency training program directors, clinical faculty and GME leaders to address the ACGME competencies. Systems-based practice and practice-based learning and improvement will be one focus of the program.

This activity has been approved for AMA/PRA category 1 credit.

For additional information, call the Office of House Staff Affairs at 274-8282.
CoE event focuses on women’s health developments

Health care professionals and nonprofessionals alike have the opportunity to learn some of the latest medical developments and issues affecting women’s health from IUSM physicians at an upcoming seminar.

“Dimensions in Women’s Health: Knowledge, Expertise and Communication” is sponsored by the National Center of Excellence for Women’s Health at the IU School of Medicine. The event is Friday, May 7, and will be at the University Place Conference Center and Hotel, 850 W. Michigan St., on the Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis campus.

Topics to be covered at the day-long event:

- Clinical developments in the treatment of osteoporosis
- Controversies in hormone replacement therapy
- Developments in the clinical management of heart disease
- Contraceptive options
- Sexual dysfunction and how it’s treated in clinical settings
- Identifying female patients at risk of domestic violence

“IU physicians as well as guest speakers will provide provocative and timely information, all of it geared to enhance the skills of women’s health care providers and better the general public’s understanding of these issues,” says Rose S. Fife, M.D., Center of Excellence director and associate dean for research. “This event is unprecedented, too, because it’s the first time we have geared a program to serve health care professionals and the general public at the same time.”

The seminar offers continuing medical education credits for health care providers. For more information, call 274-8353. Registration is required 72 hours before the event.

Creations for the Cure bracelet sale

Creations for the Cure will host a pre-Mother’s Day bracelet sale from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 21, in the lobby of the Indiana Cancer Pavilion.
A portion of the proceeds are donated to the IU Cancer Center. Creations primarily sells breast cancer bracelets made of pink and clear crystals, but bracelets representing other cancers with alternate colored beads can be ordered.

For more information, see Creations for the Cure Web site at www.creationsforthecure.com.

St. Margaret’s Guild readies for Decorators’ Show House

Each year, St. Margaret’s Hospital Guild hosts the Decorators’ Show House, an event that raises money for Wishard Health Services.

This year two houses located in the heart of the Meridian-Kessler area will be open April 24 through May 9.

The houses are a classic English Tudor at 5555 Washington Blvd., and an Italian Renaissance at 5540 Central Ave. There will be a total of 39 interior areas and 11 landscape areas in the two houses.

Proceeds from the 2003 Decorators’ Show House Tour generated $295,000 for Wishard.

Sign-up for WalkAmerica

The March of Dimes invites IUPUI faculty, staff and students to participate in the WalkAmerica event, Sunday, April 18. The walk begins and ends on the IUPUI campus at the IU Michael A. Carroll Track & Soccer Stadium.

Check-in time is 9 a.m. and the walk begins at 10 a.m. For more information call 262-4668 or visit: www.walkamerica.org.

The 34th annual WalkAmerica benefits the March of Dimes with its fight against the growing crisis of premature birth. Today, one in eight babies is born prematurely. Many die; some face lifelong disability. The money raise in WalkAmerica supports March of Dimes research and programs to find answers to what causes premature birth and what can be done to prevent it.
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This week’s show is about the ethical and legal issues associated with embryonic stem cell research and cloning. Guests will be Hal Broxmeyer, PhD, chair of the IU School of Medicine Department of Microbiology and Immunology and an expert in stem cell research; R. Alta Charo, JD, from the University of Wisconsin School of Law.

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Data-Driven Decisions finance team appointed

The final workgroup for the Data-Driven Decisions (3D) project – the Finance Team – has been appointed by Duane Gaither, MBA, executive associate dean for administration and finance. Gaither is chair of the team.

Additional members of the team are Timothy Brown, financial affairs, team vice-chair; David Burr, PhD, anatomy and cell biology; Mary Harden, biochemistry and molecular biology; Sharon Charbonneau, medicine; Patrick Hurley, neurology; Michael O'Connor, pediatrics; Theresa McWilliams, cellular and integrative physiology; Ralph Buschbacher, MD, physical medicine and rehabilitation; Frederick Stehman, MD, obstetrics and gynecology; Susan Durachta, radiation oncology; Mark Phillips, urology; William Overman, IU Financial Management Services;
Stephen Valerio, IU Medical Group - Specialty Care; Michael Dance, operations; Joseph Carver, technology.

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Venture capital workshop – April 29

“How to approach a venture capital firm” is the topic of a Thursday, April 29, seminar. The program, hosted by the Advanced Research and Technology Institute and the law firm of Ice Miller, will be from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the IU Emerging Technology Center, 351 W. 10th, Indianapolis.

The seminar is for faculty interested in obtaining venture capital or for those interested in starting a company. A panel of venture capitalists, company representatives and attorneys will be available.

Reservations are not required but are appreciated. For reservations, contact Margi Logan at 278-1901.
University of Oxford professor guest at humanities seminar

An additional Seminars in Medical Ethics and Humanities has been scheduled for April. Mark Harrison, PhD, director of the Wellcome Unit for the History of Medicine at the University of Oxford will present “Medicine and Victory: Malaria, Manpower and Morale during the Burma Campaign of the Second World War.”

Dr. Harrison will speak at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 22, in the Medical Library, room 301-302.

The event is open to the public but seating is limited. Contact Judi Campbell at 274-4740, or jizukac@iupui.edu to reserve a seat.

Life sciences data programs explored

A workshop for handling Centralized Life Sciences Data programs will be from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 27, in the Business/SPEA Building, room 3003.

The free workshop will discuss how Centralized Life Sciences Data (CLSD) can be used and show examples of applications already in use.

The CLSD service at IUPUI provides researchers with local access to popular molecular biology databases like LocusLink, UniGene, and dbSNP. It also allows researchers to run BLAST queries against sequence databanks like NCBI's nr, nt, and swissprot databanks. A familiarity with relational databases and commonly-used molecular biology databases would be useful, but is not required.

The workshop is hosted by UITS IT Training & Education.

To register or for more information, contact IT Training & Education at 274-7383, ittraining@iupui.edu, or visit the IT Training Workshops Web site. Click on the "By Topic" link and select, "IU Computing Resources" to find this workshop.

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Planning grant offered by Office for Professional Development

The IUPUI Office for Professional Development Center for Teaching and Learning seeks applications for a planning grant for Multicultural Course Transformation In Learning Communities (MCTLC).

The deadline for submission of proposals is Friday, May 14.

The MCTLC grant is intended to provide seed money up to a maximum of $3,000 to transform or redesign a course to fit university and general principles of multicultural course transformation. The courses that are targeted for this funding are: learning block courses, thematic learning communities, critical inquiry courses, and courses with block scheduling.

For more information, contact Natasha Flowers at 278-5713, or nflowers@iupui.edu.

Creations for the Cure bracelet sale

Creations for the Cure will host a pre-Mother’s Day bracelet sale from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 21, in the lobby of the Indiana Cancer Pavilion.

A portion of the proceeds are donated to the IU Cancer Center. Creations primarily sells breast cancer bracelets made of pink and clear crystals, but bracelets representing other cancers with alternate colored beads can be ordered.

For more information, see Creations for the Cure Web site at www.creationsforthecure.com.
University Library hosts book sale

A two-day book sale at the IUPUI University Library will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, April 19, and Tuesday, April 20, on the ground floor of the library, room 1126. Offerings include popular fiction, classics, non-fiction of all subject areas, children's books and foreign language titles.

The sale supports scholarships for IUPUI library science students and professional development for IUPUI librarians. It is sponsored by Indiana University Librarians Association.

Volunteers needed for Mini Marathon Health Expo and water stations

The IUPUI Office of External Affairs needs volunteers to help with the IUPUI booth at the Mini Marathon Health and Fitness Expo and the IUPUI water station.

The IUPUI booth at the health expo is at the Indiana Convention Center. Volunteers are needed Thursday, May 6, from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Friday, May 7, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Volunteer shifts are three hours long beginning at 11 am.

Volunteers are needed for the IUPUI water station during the May 8 2004 Mini Marathon. Join Jinx as well as some of the IUPUI cheerleaders on the 5K run/walk and hand out refreshments to the thousands of participants. Volunteers are needed from approximately 6:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Questions can be addressed to Marty Posch at 278-8573, or at mposch@iupui.edu.

Honors

Charles Clark Jr., associate dean for Continuing Medical Education, has been named a Fulbright Senior Specialist by the Council for International Exchange of Scholars. The program selects outstanding scholars to visit international academic institutions at their invitation for up to six weeks to present lectures or to consult on scientific studies. CIES reviews potential scholars for
the quality of their previous scientific accomplishments and their potential to contribute to international scholarly activity.

The Indiana chapter of the Student National Medical Association was honored at the 40th annual national conference April 7-11. It received the Chapter of the Year award for Region V (Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio), and its president – Robert Patterson, MS 3 – was awarded both the Region V and National SNMA Member of the Year awards. The SNMA is the nation's oldest and largest organization of minority medical students, boasting over 5,000 members and 144 chapters.

Stephen Trippel, MD, professor of orthopaedics, has received a Space Act Award from the NASA Inventions and Contributions Board. The award recognizes scientists whose inventions or scientific and technical contributions have helped NASA achieve its aeronautical and space goals. Dr. Trippel’s research involved tissue engineering enhanced by the transfer of a growth factor gene.

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This week on *Sound Medicine*

Tune in at noon, Saturday, April 24, to *Sound Medicine*, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. This week’s co-host is Stephen Bogdewic, PhD.

Guests include Eric Durak, MSc, exercise physiologist and consultant, who will discuss fitness programs and the benefits of exercise for cancer patients and survivors.

Doug Ullman, director of survivorship, Lance Armstrong Foundation, will discuss health issues cancer survivors face, now that cancer is often a curable.

Michelle Danner and others involved with the pilot program Our Town, will discuss the program’s focus on serving young adults with mental illness and helping them live independent lives.

Archived editions of *Sound Medicine*, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu/.

**Online IUSM calendars**

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar. To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.
A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at www.medicine.iu.edu. The calendar also can be accessed directly at webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm.

Submissions to Scope

Scope wants your news items.

The deadline for submission is 8:30 a.m. on Fridays. Scope is published electronically and sent to faculty, staff, students, and residents.

There are three easy ways to submit story ideas or information to Scope:

- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- paste your plain text message into Scope Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty

Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.

In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

- acronyms
- abbreviations
- campus building codes (use full, proper name of building and include the room number)
- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

To keep the electronic version of Scope as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.
Dean’s Message – Data-Driven Decisions: The Case for Action

The Indiana University School of Medicine has entered the 21st century with an aggressive plan for excellence that will make it one of the top medical schools in the country in the performance of each of its missions: education, clinical service and research.

When asked to craft a strategic plan several years ago, the faculty made it abundantly clear that you aspired to this level of attainment and recognition. Through the emphasis by the city and state on life sciences, our goals are now embraced broadly, adding to their importance. Any goal this
ambitious represents an enormous challenge; one to which we must rise. It means that we must be particularly wise in our use of precious resources. Moreover, those resources are increasingly threatened. For example:

- The doubling of the National Institutes of Health budget has occurred and increases from this point will be limited, thus competition for research support will be greater;
- There will be many sources of downward pressure on clinical revenues, state support is unlikely to rise in parallel with our growth aspirations.

One result of these pressures was illustrated this year. After various assessments are met for things like increased health insurance costs across the university, the school’s actual allocation of funds from the state will decrease 0.5 percent in FY 05. This fact emphasizes that we must be vigilant stewards of our resources.

We must have systems that will encourage efficiency, effectiveness, communication and consensus within and between departments. We must have systems that appropriately recognize the hard and conscientious work of our many faculty and staff. And we can no longer accept a yearly budget-making process that is incrementally-based and accommodates financial arrangements whose origins are unknown.

Therefore, we have begun a project that we are calling Data-Driven Decisions (3D). 3D will produce a planning and budgeting process that will enable the school to align its resources and prioritize its decisions according to its missions and values. This 3D process also will assist us in the recognition of individual faculty accomplishment, in helping individual faculty be more successful (for example, being promoted), and in rewarding faculty appropriately. The aim is to accomplish this in a data-driven and transparent fashion with broad participation.

The 3D process can help us transform our school to one that can be more responsive to the future that we face. It’s a project to which we’ll all be devoting a great deal of effort in the coming months – and a process on which we’ll be working for years. Its success will depend on the support and input of everyone at the IU School of Medicine. There are no pre-conceived outcomes to this process. We intend to use the collective wisdom of the faculty to guide us. Therefore, I will do my best to keep you informed. I ask that in return, you offer your thoughtful input.

Craig Brater, MD
Dean, IUSM

IUSM faculty recognized at IUPUI Honors Convocation
Five members of the IUSM faculty were recognized for outstanding achievement April 23 during the IUPUI Honors Convocation.

William Tierney, MD, has been named a Chancellor’s Professor, one of the highest honors bestowed on senior faculty. Dr. Tierney is a professor of medicine and chief of general internal medicine and geriatrics.

To be considered for a Chancellor’s Professorship, faculty members must have been at IUPUI for at least 10 years, must be at the rank of full professor, and must have compiled a career-long record of high-level achievement in two of the three traditional areas of faculty work – teaching, research, and service – and a much-above-average record in the third area of faculty work. Recipients receive a $5,000 addition to their base pay and the title of Chancellor’s Professor throughout their appointment at IUPUI.

As Chancellor’s Professors, faculty members are expected to maintain their high level of performance in their regular duties. In addition they will be called upon for special service and counsel by the IUPUI Chancellor and will serve upon request as mentors for colleagues, as well as resources for faculty development, student learning, and professional research and service.

Dr. Tierney was chosen by the committee because he is considered to be a “complete scholar,” one whose career of exemplary contributions to his discipline and the university has distinguished him from his colleagues. His selection recognizes his exceptional longstanding, continuous commitment to excellence in each of the major areas of university work: research, teaching, and service.

Janice Blum, PhD, professor of microbiology and immunology, is a co-recipient of the 2004 Alvin S. Bynum Award for Excellence in Academic Mentoring by a Faculty Member.

The Bynum Mentor Award is named for Alvin Bynum who served as dean of University Division at IUPUI for over 20 years. The award is given to an outstanding faculty member who has demonstrated longstanding and unusual commitment to fostering an atmosphere of learning on the IUPUI campus.

Criteria for candidates include a cumulative impact on the lives of students, a devotion that routinely finds the candidates going beyond the call of duty to make the extra mile a normal part of their work, displaying and instilling enthusiasm, helping students learn about themselves in both formal and informal settings, and demonstrating pride in and loyalty to IUPUI. Seniority is not a requirement of the award, but rather it is important that an awardee will be “someone special” recognized by students and colleagues alike.

The selection committee noted that Dr. Blum has devoted a sustained level of activity towards
mentoring especially with regard to minorities. Her work with the Preparing Future Faculty Program was noted as an asset to the campus.

Also recognized as recipients of prestigious external awards during the past year were Mario Svirsky, PhD, who was named a fellow in the Acoustical Society of America and the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering; Merrill Benson, MD, who was first recipient of the Pasteur-Weizmann/Servier International Prize in Biomedical Research; and Joseph Fitzgerald, MD, who received the Distinguished Clinical Award from the American Enterological Association.

Proteomics Core gets new location and name

Effective May 3, the Proteomics Core Facility will become part of the Indiana Centers for Applied Protein Sciences (INCAPS), an initiative being spearheaded by BioCrossroads, central Indiana’s life science network of public, private, and academic institutions aligned to accelerated business formation and growth.

The Proteomics Core Facility will move from the Biotechnology Research and Training Center (BRTC) to Indiana University Emerging Technology Center, which is located next to the downtown canal at 351 W. 10th St. The core, with the new name Academic Research and Service Center, will be in Suite 350. The facility is expected to be back in operation by May 17.

Mu Wang, PhD, who has been the core director, will serve as the director for the Academic Research and Service Center and remain as the contact person for all academic proteomics projects. Dr. Wang said INCAPS will provide “cutting edge” proteomics technologies, applications and expertise for academic and industrial projects.

“We are looking forward to the greater resources that will be a part of INCAPS and most importantly assisting the faculty in all future proteomics research needs,” Dr. Wang said. He thanked the faculty, fellows and students who have utilized the proteomic technologies and expertise provided by the Core and its staff since its inception in October 2001.

Dr. Wang said that all data generated in the past two years on the server of the Proteomics Core will also be transferred to the new INCAPS server. Although the data will still be stored on MDSS, users are encouraged to save a copy of their data on their own data management system.

For more information about the move, and about the center’s services and fees, contact Dr. Wang at 278-0296, or muwang@iupui.edu.
PDA Lunch-n-Learn session – April 30

At the fourth PDA Brown Bag Lunch-n-Learn session, select Skyscape software including smARTlink™ functionality and ARTbeat services, will be demonstrated. Medical students, residents, physicians, nurses and staff are welcome.

The session is from 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. Friday, April 30, in VanNuys Medical Sciences Building, room B26.

The presentation is WebEx – participation is by a PC/laptop with an Internet connection and a phone. For groups gathering to view the presentation, a PC/laptop with an Internet connection hooked up to an LCD projector and a speaker phone would work well.

Connection instructions will be posted prior to the event at http://granite.medlib.iupui.edu/iusmpda/.

Remember, IUSM is offering a 25 percent discount negotiated for all Skyscape products.

Combined Seminar Series for May

The IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series is held on Wednesdays from 4 to 5 p.m. in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium. Guest speakers for May include:

May 5 – Stanton Gerson, MD, chief, Division of Hematology/Oncology, Shiverick Professor of Hematologic Oncology, associate director of clinical research, Case Western Reserve University, “Stem Cell Selection and Transdifferentiation In Vivo”

May 12 – Steve Howell, professor of medicine, University of California, San Diego, “Copper Transporters that Mediate Platinum Drug Resistance”

May 19 – Dario Altieri, MD, Eleanor Eustis Farrington Professor and chair of Cancer Biology Director, University of Massachusetts Memorial Cancer Center, University of Massachusetts
Faculty Development Conference – May 27

The Faculty Development Conference “Teaching and Evaluating Required ACGME Competencies in Systems-based Practice and Practice-based Learning and Improvement” will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, May 27.

The conference, hosted by IUSM and Tufts Health Care Institute, will be at the University Place Conference Center.

The program is designed for residency training program directors, clinical faculty and GME leaders to address the ACGME competencies. Systems-based practice and practice-based learning and improvement will be one focus of the program.

This activity has been approved for AMA/PRA category 1 credit.

For additional information, call the Office of House Staff Affairs at 274-8282.

CoE event focuses on women’s health care

Health care professionals and nonprofessionals alike have the opportunity to learn some of the latest medical developments and issues affecting women’s health from IUSM physicians at an upcoming seminar.

“Dimensions in Women’s Health: Knowledge, Expertise and Communication” is sponsored by the National Center of Excellence for Women’s Health at the IU School of Medicine. The event is Friday, May 7, and will be at the University Place Conference Center and Hotel, 850 W. Michigan St., on the Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis campus.

Topics to be covered at the day-long event:
- Clinical developments in the treatment of osteoporosis
- Controversies in hormone replacement therapy
- Developments in the clinical management of heart disease
- Contraceptive options
- Sexual dysfunction and how it’s treated in clinical settings
- Identifying female patients at risk of domestic violence

“IU physicians as well as guest speakers will provide provocative and timely information, all of it geared to enhance the skills of women’s health care providers and better the general public’s understanding of these issues,” says Rose Fife, MD, Center of Excellence director and associate dean for research. “This event is unprecedented, too, because it’s the first time we have geared a program to serve health care professionals and the general public at the same time.”

The seminar offers continuing medical education credits for health care providers. For more information, call 317-274-8353. Registration is required 72 hours before the event.

### Recovery focus of annual Mental Health Symposium

Kay Jamison, PhD, a professor of psychiatry at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and author of five books including *Night Falls Fast* and *An Unquiet Mind*, will be the keynote speaker at the seventh annual Mental Health Symposium hosted by the IUSM Department of Psychiatry and the Mental Health Association in Indiana.

The daylong symposium will be Friday, May 14, in the Grand Hall and Conference Center at Crowne Plaza Hotel, Union Station. This year’s theme is “Recovery.”

IUSM faculty will present topics ranging from issues in pediatric psychopharmacology, treatment of schizophrenia and alcohol addiction.

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Grants available to cancer researchers

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Grants from this ACS fund are usually allocated in amounts of $15,000 to $20,000. The purpose of the grant is to assist young investigators in the ranks of assistant professor and assistant scientist in starting research projects. The grants also are designed to foster cancer research at the IUSM campus in Indianapolis and at the Regional Medical Education Centers.

The applications (8-10 pages, no recycled R01 applications) will be reviewed by the ACS Institutional Grant Committee. The investigators who receive grants must submit an interim and final progress report as required by the American Cancer Society.

Applicants with prior funding from the ACS are not eligible to apply. Applicants with significant funding from other sources are not eligible to apply. Limited support for partial salary may be allowed.

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Free anxiety screenings

In conjunction with the National Anxiety Disorders Screening Project, free anxiety screenings will be offered from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Wednesday, May 5, in the Methodist Hospital.
rotunda near the cafeteria. No appointment is necessary.

Screenings will consist of a self-test for anxiety and an opportunity for individual questions to be answered. Private follow-up by phone or e-mail will be offered to discuss self-test results in depth and treatment options. Educational information also will be available.

For additional information, call 962-0327, or e-mail Angela at akkuhn@iupui.edu.

PDAs and accessories on sale

PDAs and PDA accessories are the Jagtag/Jags Bookstore Item of the Month. All items are discounted 60 percent.

The offer is valid in the Union Medical and Cavanaugh Hall bookstores only. The discount cannot be combined with any other offers and is valid on in-stock items only. The discount is not valid on special orders.

Tee time for Ronald McDonald House – June 10

The 18th Annual Ronald McDonald House Golf Tournament is Thursday, June 10. Tee times are at 8 a.m. or 1 p.m. with two Shotgun Starts and a Florida Scramble format.

The outing is at Highland Country Club in Indianapolis. Individual patrons are $500. Par patrons (team of two) are $750. Birdie patrons are $1,500 (team of four). Lunch, dinner, green fees, cart and tee favors and recognition signage are included. There really is no registration deadline, entry is on a first-come first-served basis.

Lots of prizes and food are offered and a silent auction will be conducted. For more information, call 267-0605, ext. 208.
Decorators’ Show House opens

The St. Margaret’s Hospital Guild Decorators’ Show House, an event that raises money for Wishard Health Services, will continue through May 9. The event began April 24.

The display houses in the Meridian-Kessler area are a classic English Tudor at 5555 Washington Blvd., and an Italian Renaissance at 5540 Central Ave. There are a total of 39 interior and 11 landscaped areas available for touring.

Proceeds from the 2003 Decorators’ Show House Tour generated $295,000 for Wishard.

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Implementing Data-Driven Decisions (3D) will be a long-term process that will support the school’s efforts to be one of the nation’s finest School’s of medicine in clinical care, education and research.
To reach these goals the School must make decisions about allocating resources in ways that

- Encourage and reward excellence
- Reflect the School’s values and priorities
- Are built on complete and reliable data about revenues, expenses, and faculty activities
- Are developed in a process that is transparent, understandable and based on consensus

Groups of IUSM faculty, with staff support, have begun an intensive work effort that will last several months. This design phase will be followed by a faculty leadership retreat on Aug. 9, where the work will be assessed and an implementation process will be adopted.

The 3D project is overseen by Dean D. Craig Brater, MD, and an eight-member steering committee. Lists of all the committees and teams, with contact information, are on the 3D Web site at www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/ddd/. Robert B. Jones, MD, PhD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations, is the 3D project manager.

Three design teams have been appointed to develop data-gathering and evaluation systems for our clinical, education and research missions, respectively. These teams are charged with determining the types of data we need to collect in order to measure current allocation of resources, including how members of the faculty spend their time. The design teams will be evaluating our current data collection instruments -- as well as those used at other institutions -- to adopt, modify or develop instruments that will make possible a first pass (short term) data collection providing a rough measure of how we currently are allocating our resources. This first pass will be completed by August.

It must be stressed that the design teams have been charged with developing systems that will support recognition of individual faculty accomplishments, both quantitative and qualitative; that can help individual faculty be successful; and that can allow individuals to be rewarded appropriately.

Actual collection of data will be done by the finance team, chaired by Duane Gaither, MBA, executive associate dean for administration and finance. The finance team also will be responsible for developing the methodology for creating 3D financial reports, as well as developing departmental income statements.

A staff project team, chaired by Dr. Jones, is providing support to the design teams.

The initial months of design phase work will culminate in the August retreat. The retreat will enable faculty leaders to engage in in-depth discussions of the design teams’ recommendations, and to make decisions that will lay the foundation for new management practices at the IU School of Medicine.
The leadership retreat is not the end of the 3D project, however. It is the beginning of a long-term process in which we will improve our 3D systems for collecting and evaluating data to allocate resources in ways that further the school’s goals and priorities.

The success of the 3D project is critical to the long-term success of IUSM. The success of the 3D project depends on widespread support, and input, from the faculty. Members of the faculty are urged to contact the committee and team members, to monitor updates that will be reported in Scope and on the 3D Web site, and to ask questions and make suggestions, either directly to members of the committees or via the web site.

Data-Driven Decisions design teams begin work

The design teams created for the Data-Driven Decisions (3D) project have begun meetings to develop the recommendations that will be considered Aug. 9 at the faculty leadership retreat.

The teams have been assigned the task of developing data-gathering and evaluation systems for our clinical, education and research missions, respectively. In their initial meetings, the teams began grappling with such issues as how to collect useful and accurate information about faculty activities, starting with evaluations of reports now used at IUSM and alternatives adopted by other schools of medicine.

Members of the clinical design team, chaired by Eric Wiebke, MD, concluded at their April 21 meeting that Work Relative Value Units (RVUs), which are used by Medicare and health care providers to track productivity and compensate providers, provide the most reliable mechanism for evaluating most clinical effort. There are, however, some problems and gaps in RVU data that will need to be addressed.

The research design team, chaired by Janice Blum, PhD, and the education design team, chaired by Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, will resume discussion on such issues in their May meetings.

Web site created for Data-Driven Decisions

The Data-Driven Decisions (3D) project was created to transform the IUSM’s processes for budgeting and managing in ways that will enable the school to reach its goals for excellence amid
current and future financial challenges. A 3D Web site has been created to help the IUSM community keep up to date on 3D activities.

The new site, at www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/ddd/, contains background information on the 3D design phase now under way, lists the faculty and staff working on 3D, and offers opportunities for questions and feedback. Project updates also will be posted on the site.

**Graduation is less than a week away**

“M.D.” Those initials will carry special meaning Sunday, May 9 – Mother’s Day and the day that the IUSM class of 2004 receives their medical degrees.

A special ceremony for the 258 students receiving their medical degrees will be at 4:30 p.m. immediately following the Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis graduation exercises. Both the IUPUI and IU School of Medicine ceremonies will be at the RCA Dome.

“When members of the Class of 2004 began their studies they were challenged to understand the scientific basics of the practice of medicine, to be compassionate and to maintain the dignity of the profession,” said IUSM Dean Craig Brater, MD.

“Theyir graduation is a sentinel event as they enter residencies to further develop their knowledge and skills in their chosen specialties,” added Dr. Brater, who will preside over the conferring of doctoral degrees in medicine and related sciences, and masters’ degrees in public health and medical science.

More than half of those matching to residencies will do so in Indiana. Forty-one percent of the graduates will enter primary-care programs, which include internal medicine, family medicine, pediatrics, obstetrics/gynecology and combined internal medicine-pediatrics. That’s 2 percent more than those entering primary care specialties in 2003.

**March receives named professorship**

Keith March, MD, PhD, has been named the Cryptic Masons Medical Research Foundation
Professor of Vascular Biology Research.

The professorship was established in 1996 by the Cryptic Masons Medical Research Foundation. The position is intended to be held by an individual in a leadership position in the Indiana Center for Vascular Biology and Medicine of which Dr. March is the director.

The Foundation was organized in 1986 to fund research at IUSM on the causes of atherosclerosis and its complications. The term vascular biology, the current terminology for atherosclerosis, describes a broad approach to understanding the process of the disease rather than focusing on one specific component of the disease, such as hardening of the arteries.

Dr. March received his medical degree and doctoral degree in chemistry from Indiana University. He completed an internal medicine residency and a cardiology fellowship at IU Medical Center.

He joined the IUSM faculty in 1990 and was named director of the Indiana Center for Vascular Biology and Medicine in 1999.

Dalsing named Habegger Professor of Surgery

Michael Dalsing, MD, has been named the E. Dale and Susan E. Habegger Professor in Surgery.

Dale Habegger, MD, graduated from IUSM in 1949 and served as a volunteer faculty member in the Department of Surgery from 1964 until the time of his retirement in 2003. The holder of the professorship must be a full-time faculty member involved in the ongoing training of surgical residents.

Dr. Dalsing joined the IUSM faculty in 1984. Since 1987, he has served as director and chief of the Division of Vascular Surgery.

He is a graduate of Saint Mary’s College and The Medical College of Wisconsin. He completed his residency at IUSM and a surgical fellowship at Northwestern University.

Hurley named interim chair of biochemistry
Thomas Hurley, PhD, has been named interim chair of the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology effective June 1. Robert Harris, PhD, who has served as chair of the department since 1988, announced two years ago that he was stepping down from the position to pursue his research and teaching interests.

Dr. Hurley currently is a professor of biochemistry and molecular biology. He joined the faculty in 1992 after receiving his doctorate at IUSM in 1990. He co-directs the protein structure and function course and is director of the Center for Structural Biology and the medical biophysics graduate program.

Dr. Harris, a Distinguished Professor and the Showalter Professor of Biochemistry, joined the IUSM faculty in 1970. He was elevated to full professor in 1975 and has was named a Distinguished Professor in 2001.

Conflict of interest process streamlined

In an effort to reduce the number of academic appointees who must submit Conflict of Interest (COI) report forms, the Conflict of Interest Committee, with the assistance of the IUPUI Office of Research and Graduate Education and Vice-Chancellor Mark Brenner, will immediately begin using an on-line screening tool to log and track submissions, identify those academic appointees who must make more detailed reports, and share information with the ORGE.

With the use of seven screening questions, the number of academic appointees who must submit COI Report forms should be sharply reduced. Faculty who answer the screening questions in the negative will have, with their affirmation, fulfilled their reporting obligation for the next 12 months or until there is a change in their status.

Those academic appointees who respond to any of the screening questions in the affirmative will still be required to complete the COI Report form and submit it as an attachment to an e-mail message to the Conflict of Interest Committee at medcoi@iupui.edu.

The School’s COI website will also maintain a history of submissions for each academic appointee, allowing individuals to easily determine whether or not they need to make an updated submission.

To facilitate the change to on-line tracking, all academic appointees are asked to make an on-line submission by Friday, May 21. The School’s Conflict of Interest website is at http://
Individuals with questions or those having difficulty using the website, should contact Amy-Jeanne Sayre in the Office of Academic Administration at 274-7214, or asayre@iupui.edu.

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**Medical Humanities presentation today**

“Blood and Organ Donation Policy: Comparative Historical Perspectives from England and the U. S.” is the topic of the 4 to 5:30 p.m. Monday, May 3, Medical Humanities Seminar.

Speaking will be Sue Lederer, PhD, associate professor of History of Medicine, Yale Medical School, and Kim Pellis, PhD, assistant professor of medical history, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Bethesda, Md., and Bill Reed, vice president of operations, Indiana Blood Center

The meeting will be in Research Building 2, room 101. This is the new building directly across from the entrance to the Medical Library.

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**Recovery focus of annual Mental Health Symposium**

Kay Jamison, PhD, the “face” of bipolar illness and a frequent guest on National Public Radio, will be the keynote speaker at the seventh annual Mental Health Symposium hosted by the IUSM Department of Psychiatry and the Mental Health Association in Indiana.

Dr. Jamison is a professor of psychiatry at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and author of five books including Night Falls Fast and An Unquiet Mind. The daylong symposium will be Friday, May 14, in the Grand Hall and Conference Center at Crowne Plaza Hotel, Union Station. This year’s theme is “Recovery.”

IUSM faculty will present topics ranging from issues in pediatric psychopharmacology, treatment of schizophrenia and alcohol addiction. Dr. Jamison will discuss teen suicide during the symposium luncheon.
The symposium is open to individuals in recovery, as well as family members, caregivers, advocates and service providers. The deadline for registering is **Friday, May 7**.

For more information or to register, contact the Mental Health Association in Indiana at 638-3501.

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**Register now for Molecular Biology Workshop**

The 2004 Molecular Biology Workshop will be Mondays through Fridays June 15 through July 1.

The workshop is a combination of lectures and hands-on labs and is open to faculty, staff and graduate students. Graduate students may take it for credit. Participants will receive instruction in basic molecular biology and theory of laboratory methods, leading to discussions of cutting-edge techniques and real life examples of problems and methods.

Laboratories are hands on. Participants will learn to perform basic and advanced techniques, trouble-shoot problems and critically examine industrial kits and equipment.

For more detailed information about the workshop, see [www.iupui.edu/~mbwkshp/](http://www.iupui.edu/~mbwkshp/), or contact Chao-Hung Lee, PhD, at 274-2596, or chlee@iupui.edu.

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**TIAA-CREF and Fidelity offer individual counseling**

TIAA-CREF and Fidelity offer free one-on-one consultations on retirement and investment planning to faculty and staff in the IU Retirement Plan and to those who participate in the Tax Deferred Annuity Plan and the IU Retirement Savings (457b) Plan.

Consultations may include information on developing an investment plan, reviewing asset allocation/diversification, analyzing fund performance and retirement income options.

A consultant from TIAA-CREF will be at IUPUI on May 14, June 11 and July 9.

Consultations will be held in the Purchasing Department conference room, Union Building, room 561. To schedule an appointment, register online at [www.tiaa-cref.org/moc](http://www.tiaa-cref.org/moc), or call 974-4000 and
ask for the appointment desk.

A Fidelity Investments Retirement Counselor will be on campus on May 26, June 22 and July 28. Consultations will be held in the Human Resources conference room, Union Building, room 372. To schedule an appointment, call the reservations center at 1-800-642-7131.

Tennis anyone?

The Indianapolis Tennis Center, located on the campus of IUPUI, has a special membership for IUPUI faculty and staff. From April 1 – Sept. 30, IUPUI faculty and staff who are new members may have unlimited outdoor court time (indoor court fees apply if you play inside).

For more information, call the Indianapolis Tennis Center at 278-2100, or visit www.indytennis.iupui.edu. Special student memberships also are available, call for more information.

Honors

The artwork of Felicia Hinant, MS 2, will appear in the student portion of the Journal of the American Medical Association May 5. The title of the painting is “First Year.” This is the second time one of her paintings has appeared in the Student JAMA. That work, which is now hanging near the gift shop in Riley Memorial Hospital, appeared Feb. 13, 2002.

Elisabeth von der Lohe, MD, was recognized as a top cardiologist for women in the February issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. The publication also recognized the Women’s Heart Clinic at Krannert Institute of Cardiology as one of the top 44 cardiac centers for women in America. The magazine based its findings on research by Castle Connolly Medical Ltd.

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New research in the mother-to-baby transmission of HIV will be discussed by Yvonne Bryson, MD, director of pediatric infectious diseases at UCLA.

Also on the program will be IU cardiology researcher Loren Field, PhD, who will explain why he decided to publish a paper about a stem cell experiment that did not work as he had expected.

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Senior Banquet night of applause

The 2004 Senior Banquet honored the efforts of students and faculty. The banquet is held annually the Friday before graduation. Awards presented May 7:

**Departmental Awards**

John Barnhill Award – Michael Hobson
Department of Dermatology Award – Carrie Glick
Department of Family Medicine – Lilly Santeliz
John B. Hickam – Richard Foster
Alexander Treloar Ross Award – Samir Belagaje
Roy Rheinhardt Memorial Award – Catherine Golden
Floyd T. Romberger Jr., MD Teaching Award – Kiersa Durfee
J. Donald Hubbard Award -- Michael Hobson
Carleton D. Nordschow – Talia Muram & Angie Schultz
Lyman Meiks Clinical Award – Brett Barkimer
Lyman Meiks research Award – David Hains
John Heubi Award – Christina Boccone
Tina Kwan Award – Nina Park
K.K. Chen Award – Brian Samuels
Indiana Society of Physical Med & Rehab – Kelly Paul
Patricia Sharpley Award – Michael Webber
American College of Surgeons Award – Margaret Grisell
Senior Elective Honors Program (OB/GYN) – Kristin Kiesling
Senior Elective Honors Program (Surgery) – Christine Bouchard, Todd Eads, Greg Helbig and Michael Hobson
Senior Elective Honors Program (Surgery) – Nathan Huber, Nicholas Panetta, Jason Pope, Matthew Rendel and Bryan Wohlfeld

School Awards

Community Service Leadership Award – Claire Helbig, Benjamin Henkle, Kelly Kessler and Emily Chui Webber
Mary Jean Yoder Award – Elizabeth Kuonen
Dean’s Award – Brian Samuels
Marcus Ravdin Award – Carrie Gick

Prior Awards

Research Program in Academic Medicine:
Christine Bouchard
Gregory Helbig

E. Jane Brownley Award:
Kathleen O’ Connell

Arthur B. Richter Scholarship:
Benjamin May

Jay Thomas Award:
Matthew King
Basic Science Award Winners

Mark Braun, MD (Bloomington)
Joseph Rayburn, MD (Evansville)
Roger Hoversland, PhD (Fort Wayne)
Robert Harris, PhD (Indianapolis)
James Walker, PhD (Lafayette)
Victor Jolgren, MD (Muncie)
Carl Marfurt, PhD (Northwest)
Joseph Prahlow, MD (South Bend)
Taihung Duong, PhD (Terre Haute)

Clinical Science Award Winners

Philip Gibbs, MD (Anesthesia)
Bart Besinger, MD (Emer Medicine)
James Andry, MD (Family Medicine)
Ahdy Helmy, MBBCh, MD, FACP (Internal Medicine)
Robert Pascuzzi, MD (Neurology)
Lyree Mikhail, MD (OBGYN)
Mitchell Harris, MD (Pediatrics)
Joseph DeStefano, MD (Psychiatry)
Richard Gunderman, MD, MPH, PhD (Radiology)
David Matthews, MD (Surgery)
Chi-Wah Yung (Rudy), MD (Surgery-Ophthalmology)
Dolores Cikrit, MD (Surgery-Vascular)
Frederick Rescorla, MD (Surgery-Peds)

Other Awards

Melissa Titus (MSC Award)
Medicine (Outstanding Clerkship)
Jim Megremis, MD (Golden Apple Award)

2004 Trustee Teaching Award recipients

Thirty-eight Trustee Teaching Award recipients were recognized during the 2004 IUSM commencement services May 9. They are:
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Alpha Omega Alpha prizes awarded

The 2004 Alpha Omega Alpha Student Research Fellowship recipient is Jessica Hammond, a first-year IUSM student.

Her research project is “Effect of RNA interference (RNAi) for extracellular-regulated kinase 1 and 2 (ERK1/2) on ovarian cancer cell survival.” The fellowship provides $3,000 to support the recipient while research is completed.

2003 Pharos Editor’s Prize Winner

Richard Gunderman, MD, PhD, current Indiana Chapter president, was one of three winners of the Pharos Editor’s Prize for his paper “Images of Our Professional Endowment: A Credo for Doctors in 2003.” Dr. Gunderman donated his $1,000 award to the AOA Indiana Chapter.

Honor code available online

Professionalism is a topic of concern in the field of medicine today. IUSM has been in the forefront of this trend with its emphasis on formal competencies and its acknowledgement of the need for professional accountability with respect to our patients and our peers.

Nearly two years ago, a number of students began formulating the concept of an IUSM honor code to include faculty, residents, fellows, students and staff. With the help of many people who represent various areas of the School, an honor code has been written.

The honor code, which is supported by faculty, residents, fellows, students and staff, is online at www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/honorCode/.
The Honor Code Committee invites all at IUSM to show support for the tenets of the code – honesty, integrity, and respect – by adding your electronic signature to it. Everyone who signs will be mailed an honor pin – a symbol of commitment to wear with pride.

Questions can be emailed to Jodi Skiles at jskiles@iupui.edu, or she can be paged at 312-3901.

Members of the Honor Code Committee: Juliana Meyer, Class of 2005; Jodi Skiles, Class of 2005; Colleen Brown, Class of 2006; Chrissy Dugan, Class of 2005; Mike Veronesi, Class of 2006; Jamie Spurrier, Class of 2006; Becky Epstein, Class of 2005; Jim Smith, Class of 2006; Jessie Reynolds, Class of 2005; Shannon Gearhart, Class of 2005; Chris Gamble, Class of 2005; Angi Fiege, Class of 2005; Steve Leapman, MD; Debra Litzelman, MD; Wilma Griffin, MS; Mary Alice Bell, MS; Patrick Bankston, PhD; Rich Frankel, MD; Meg Gaffney, MD

Applications accepted for diabetes center director

IUSM seeks candidates for director of the Indiana Center of Excellence in Diabetes.

The search committee hopes to recruit an exceptional scientist who can lead and develop the already outstanding diabetes programs into a center of excellence in research and clinical care.

Individuals who have established extramural funding in basic, clinical or health services research are encouraged to apply. Demonstrated excellence in leading a multi-disciplinary program is desirable.

Send curriculum vitae and references to M. Sue Kirkman, MD, chair, Search and Screen Committee, Fesler Hall 318, 1120 South Drive, Indianapolis, 46202. Applications will be reviewed as received.

Alumni Weekend begins Friday

The 2004 Spring Medical Alumni Weekend will be May 14 and 15 with classes ending in a “4” or “9” celebrating reunions.
Alumni may participate in an Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) demonstration by current students, as well as have a hands-on demonstration of the human surgical simulators programmed to respond electronically to treatment, simulating cardiac arrest, choking or other life-threatening events patients may experience.

Saturday's events will include the 57th Annual Alumni Day Awards Luncheon. Award presentations at the luncheon will include the Glenn W. Irwin Jr. Distinguished Faculty Service Award, which will be presented to Paul Nelson, MD, director of neurosurgery. Distinguished Medical Alumni Awards will be presented to Donald Rudy, MD, currently of Glenco, Minn., who spent years as a medical missionary, and William Dalton, PhD, MD, CEO and center director of the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute in Tampa, Fla.

ScholarChip Golf Tournament – June 16

The annual ScholarChip Golf Tournament will begin at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 16, at the Hanging Tree Golf Club in Westfield. The tournament is a challenge match between the Schools of Dentistry, Law-Indianapolis and Medicine to raise scholarship funds for students in those schools.

The deadline for registration is Tuesday, June 1.

Need Funding? – Workshop on Community of Science

Community of Science is the main database at IUSM to locate external funding and maintain electronic CVs and online research profiles. This workshop is lead by Carole Gall, IUSM Libraries, and Etta Ward, Research and Sponsored Programs.

The workshop, profile set up, and practice time for funding search will be from 10:30 a.m. to noon, Wednesday, May 19, in the VanNuys Medical Science Building computer lab, room 016.

To register or for more information, contact Gall at cfgall@iupui.edu, or 274-1411; or Ward at emward@iupui.edu, or 278-8427.
Automated external defibrillator training offered

Neighborhood Heart Watch, a national initiative to place defibrillators in neighborhoods across the United States, is joining Medtronic, a leading medical technology company, to educate communities about the risks of sudden cardiac arrest and how to reduce the number of deaths in Indianapolis.

Neighborhood Heart Watch and Medtronic will host a day-long event as part of the national “Let’s Keep the Beat” 10-city tour, where community members will receive on-site CPR/Automated External Defibrillator training.

Survivors of sudden cardiac arrest will share their stories, and Krannert Institute of Cardiology’s William Groh, MD, IUSM associate professor and principal investigator of Indiana Public Access Defibrillation (PAD) trials, will speak about the impact of sudden cardiac arrest in Indianapolis and the nation.

The training will be from 4 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 13, in the offices of the Saturday Evening Post, 1100 Waterway Blvd. Call Patrick Perry or Wendy Braun, RN, at 634-1100 for reservations.

During the first cross-country mobile AED/CPR training tour, the mobile unit will be stationed at the Indianapolis City Market on May 13 between 11:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Demonstrations will take place.

The American Heart Association estimates that up to 450,000 Americans die each year from sudden cardiac arrest.

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The 2004 Molecular Biology Workshop will be Mondays through Fridays June 15 through July 1.

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Laboratories are hands on. Participants will learn to perform basic and advanced techniques, trouble-shoot problems and critically examine industrial kits and equipment.

For more detailed information about the workshop, see www.iupui.edu/~mbwkshp/, or contact Chao-Hung Lee, PhD, at 274-2596, or chlee@iupui.edu.

NCI fellowships offered

The National Cancer Institute’s Division of Cancer Prevention is sponsoring two fellowship programs: the Cancer Prevention Fellowship Program and a new post-doctoral fellowship in Clinical Cancer Prevention Research.

For additional information or to submit an application, see http://cancer.gov/prevention/pob. Applications are due Sept. 1.

Academic Administration forms online

Promotion, tenure and long-term contract materials now can be accessed at http://administration.iusm.iu.edu/promotion.html or www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/academic_affairs/.

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Guests will include Jyoti Patel, MD, Northwestern University, discussing the *Journal of American Medical Society* study she authored about the rising rate of lung cancer in women.

Leon Root, MD, an orthopedic surgeon and author of *Beautiful Bones Without Hormones*, will discuss the role of diet and exercise in preventing and managing osteoporosis.

IUSM internist Ann Zerr, MD, will discuss the dangers of dietary supplements and the recent "dirty dozen" supplement list published by *Consumer Reports*.

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Spring Faculty Meeting Tuesday

Dean D. Craig Brater, MD, will deliver a State of the School address at the Spring Faculty Meeting Tuesday, May 18. The meeting will be from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the Riley Outpatient Center basement auditorium.

Among the topics Dr. Brater will discuss is the new Data-Driven Decisions (3D) initiative. The 3D initiative will help determine how resources should be allocated at the School and how its goal of being one of the finest medical schools in the nation can be achieved.
**Ask Bob will answer all your 3D questions**

Do you have a question or suggestion regarding the Data-Driven Decisions (3D) project? The new Ask Bob page on the 3D web site lets you send your questions directly to Robert Jones, MD, 3D project manager and executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations.

Ask Bob, at www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/ddd/AskBob.shtml, will display a question and an answer about 3D that will be updated regularly.

In addition to Ask Bob, the 3D web site now also has a Frequently Asked Questions page to help explain the 3D process at www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/ddd/3DFAQ.shtml.

Teams of faculty and staff now are working on the design phase of 3D, which is a process meant to help the IU School of Medicine allocate resources in ways that will help the school meet its goals for excellence and support faculty achievement. Members of the IUSM community are urged to contact the committee members to discuss 3D. They are listed on the 3D web site at www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/ddd/DDMOrgChart.shtml.

**Bankston to lead Northwest Center**

Patrick Bankston, PhD, will serve as interim director of the Northwest Center for Medical Education beginning Aug. 1 when William Baldwin, PhD, retires.

Dr. Bankston currently is associate director of the Center and a professor of anatomy and cell biology and of pathology. He received his doctorate in anatomy from the University of Chicago and joined the IUSM faculty in 1979.

Dr. Baldwin, a professor of microbiology and immunology, has served as assistant dean and director of the Center since 1998. He joined the faculty of the Northwest Center in 1973 and received his doctorate from IUSM in 1974.
Northwest Center honors students

The Northwest Center for Medical Education honored second year medical students at the annual farewell luncheon for the Class of 2006. Virgil Hoftiezer, PhD, associate director of the Northwest Center and professor of anatomy and cell biology, presented the following awards:

The Anna Mary Carpenter, PhD, MD Award For Outstanding Performance In Pathology, named in honor of the Center’s first pathologist – Elizabeth Bobos and Wesley Thacker.

The Donald D. Macchia, PhD Award for Outstanding Performance in Pharmacology, named in remembrance of the Center’s first pharmacologist – Nicholas Shea.

The Gerald E. Smith, MD Award for Outstanding skill in learning, practicing and performing Histories and Physicals with standardized patients – Jennifer Maya.

The Panayotis G. Iatridis, MD, DSc Award for Outstanding Chronic Patient Presentation – Kimberly Phillips.

The Continuous Quality Improvement Award for Outstanding Leadership – Aaron Ermel.

Fort Wayne Center for Medical Education honors

Awards were presented to faculty and students at the Fort Wayne Center for Medical Education at the annual dinner dance April 23. Recipients include:

Outstanding Sophomore Student – Robyn Lord-Fean and Jon Wilhite.

Darryl R. Smith, MD, Award for Outstanding Clinical Professor – Blandine Bustamante, MD, and William Collis, MD.

Outstanding Freshman Professor – Glenn Merkel, PhD.
Conflict of Interest submissions delayed

The deadline for online Conflict of Interest Report submissions has been delayed by one week because of problems experienced in completing the forms. The new deadline is Friday, May 28.

An error in the program resulted in the exclusion of recent academic appointees from the database.

Individuals with questions should contact Amy-Jeanne Sayre in the Office of Academic Administration at 274-7214, or asayre@iupui.edu.

Golf tournament to benefit students

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Office of Operations has new home

The IUSM Dean’s Office of Operations will move from Fesler Hall, room 207, to the Clinical Building, room 365, Tuesday, May 18.

All research routings requiring a dean’s level signature should be delivered to the new location after May 17.

Limited processing will take place on May 17 and 18 because of packing for the move. The office should be fully operational at its new location by Wednesday, May 19.

The new campus mailing address is CL 365. Phone numbers will remain the same. The fax number will change to 278-5823.
Faculty Development Conference reminder

The Faculty Development Conference “Teaching and Evaluating Required ACGME Competencies in Systems-based Practice and Practice-based Learning and Improvement” will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, May 27.

The conference, hosted by IUSM and Tufts Health Care Institute, will be at the University Place Conference Center.

The program is designed for residency training program directors, clinical faculty and GME leaders to address the ACGME competencies. Systems-based practice and practice-based learning and improvement will be one focus of the program.

This activity has been approved for AMA/PRA category 1 credit.

For additional information, call the Office of House Staff Affairs at 274-8282.

Clinical Encounter Tracking training

On June 1, a new system will be in place for capturing students’ clinical experiences during all four years of medical school. Clinical Encounter Tracking (CET) includes two data entry points: a Web interface through Angel and a hand-held device.

First- and second-year students will primarily use the Web interface to record clinical experiences and encounters while the third- and fourth-year students will be required to use the handheld device. The Web interface will be used as a backup data entry mechanism for third and fourth year students.

The CET resulted from LCME, basic clinical skills competency and clerkship rotation data tracking requirements.

To prepare rising MS 4 students and IUSM faculty for using CET beginning June 1, Educational Technology and Medical Student Affairs have teamed up to provide multiple training...
opportunities.

The training is open to all students and faculty; however, MS 3 will receive CET training during their orientation June 14. Therefore, MS 4 and faculty are especially encouraged to attend one of the following CET training sessions, all of which will be held in the Van Nuys Medical Science Building:

- Tuesday, May 18, 7-8 a.m., room 26
- Wednesday, May 19, 4-5 p.m., room 122C & D
- Thursday, May 20, noon-1 p.m., room B26
- Thursday, May 27, 4-5 p.m., room 122A
- Friday, May 28, 7-8 a.m., room B26

MS 4 students need to sign up for a training session. The sign up sheet will be posted on the wall outside Medical Science Building room 159 on the wall.

Contact Mary Beth Nance at mnance@iupui.edu or Amy Hatfield at ajhatfie@iupui.edu with questions.

Grants available to cancer researchers

Institutional grants from the American Cancer Society are available. The deadline for submitting applications is **Tuesday, June 1**. Forms may be obtained from Elizabeth Parsons, IU Cancer Center, room 455, eparsons@iupui.edu.

Grants from this ACS fund are usually allocated in amounts of $15,000 to $20,000. The purpose of the grant is to assist young investigators in the ranks of assistant professor and assistant scientist in starting research projects. The grants also are designed to foster cancer research at the IUSM campus in Indianapolis and at the Regional Medical Education Centers.

The applications (8-10 pages, no recycled R01 applications) will be reviewed by the ACS Institutional Grant Committee. The investigators who receive grants must submit an interim and final progress report as required by the American Cancer Society.

Applicants with prior funding from the ACS are not eligible to apply. Applicants with significant funding from other sources are not eligible to apply. Limited support for partial salary may be allowed.
Applicants must be U.S. citizens or approved for a green card.

Midwest molecular scientists to meet, May 19-21

More than 100 scientists and students from various academic institutions and some from the private sector will gather and share their research work and interests at the Midwest Regional Molecular Endocrinology Conference, May 19-21.

The three-day conference will be at the University Place Hotel and Conference Center on the Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis campus.

Some of the discussions will focus on how endocrine processes regulating reproduction and metabolism relate to cancers of the breast, uterus and prostate.

The scientists and students come largely from colleges and universities in Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois, Ohio and Missouri.

Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy Conference, May 21-23

The third annual Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy Conference will be in Indianapolis May 21-23.

The conference was organized by Ron McGarry, MD, PhD, assistant professor of clinical radiation oncology, who said about 120 physicians and researchers will attend. The specialty, Dr. McGarry said, has a limited number of practitioners and researchers and IUSM is known as a national leader in the specialty.

Symposium participants will explore the rationale for radiation in the treatment of cancers and discuss new technologies and treatment data.

The conference will be at the Adam’s Mark Hotel and Suites Downtown.
Sibshop to be June 12

The Community Education and Child Advocacy Department at Riley Hospital for Children will host a Sibshop from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, June 12, at Easter Seals Crossroads Rehabilitation Center, 4740 Kingsway Drive, Indianapolis.

Sibshops are for children ages 8-13 who have a brother or sister with special needs (this is not a diagnosis-specific group) and are a celebration of the many contributions made by siblings.

Call Rebecca Agness at 278-7621, or email at ragness@iupui.edu for more information and registration. Registration will be limited. A registration form also can be printed from www.rileyhospital.org/kids1st.

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Guests will include Beverly Lorell, MD, Harvard Medical School and medical director for Guidant Corp., who will discuss a new device that can help prevent stroke in people with hardening of the arteries. The stent with a filter is placed in the carotid arteries and stops plaque
debris from traveling to the brain and causing a stroke.

Joral Boan, MD, Duke University Medical Center, will discuss a new course she created for Duke medical students that offers training in how to manage obesity.

Marc Weissbluth, MD, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, and author of *Healthy Sleep Habits, Happy Child*, will review the recent poll by the National Sleep Foundation that found America's children aren't getting enough sleep.

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Faculty teams focus on data collection measures for 3D Project

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3D is meant to develop a system for allocating school resources that will support the school's goals for excellence in a time of significant and growing restraints on revenues.
Three committees - design teams - are focused on the education, clinical and research missions to determine the areas in which the school should develop methods for capturing the data that will drive decisions. Their recommendations will be forwarded on to the 3D finance team, which will make a first-pass collection of data to be analyzed at a faculty leadership retreat scheduled for Aug. 9.

The research design team is studying which of many research-related activities, including major committee service, should be included in the initial data-collection effort. The education design team is similarly working on development of a list of core educational activities.

The clinical team has been working on such issues as measuring activity at the VA hospital and for contract services.


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**Brater appoints Means acting dean**

Lynda Means, MD, executive associate dean for academic affairs, will serve as acting dean of IUSM from June 3 to July 7. Dean D. Craig Brater, MD, will be in Kenya at that time, participating in the IU-Moi University program. Dr. Means can be contacted through Linda Beeson at 274-8416 on matters relating to her duties as acting dean.

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**Bogdewic appointed to associate dean post**

Stephen P. Bogdewic, PhD, will become the first associate dean for faculty affairs and professional development at IUSM.

Dr. Bogdewic, a professor and vice chairman of the Department of Family Medicine, will assume the new position effective June 1, pending the approval of the Trustees of Indiana University. In his duties as associate dean, he will counsel faculty, department chairs and directors, and oversee initiatives to enhance professional development.
Biochemist to be honored as “Innovator”

Roger Roeske, PhD, will receive the Innovator of the Year Award, during a reception at 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 26, at the Indiana University Emerging Technologies Center in Indianapolis.

Dr. Roeske, a professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, is being honored for his contributions to the research on age-related disease, and particularly for his pioneering research that led to the creation of Plenaxis™. That drug offers a promising treatment option for prostate cancer patients; it received FDA approval Nov. 25.

He is the first IU researcher to discover the makings for a drug that made it to market. He was selected by IU’s Advanced Research and Technology Institute (ARTI) for his demonstrated success in transferring an IU technology development into a successful commercial application. He will receive a trophy and a $5,000 cash grant.

Dr. Roeske is the second recipient of the annual award. Richard G. Peterson, PhD, IUSM professor of anatomy and cell biology, received the honor in 2003 for his meritorious research in the field of diabetes.

The IU Innovator of the Year Award was made possibly by a gift to IU from the Central Indiana Corporate Partnership. The intention of the program is to recognize innovation by IU faculty members whose research results in economic opportunities for Hoosiers.

Sadove appointed to professorship funded by ex-Colts QB

A. Michael Sadove, MD, has been named the James Joseph Harbaugh Jr. Professor of Plastic Surgery at IUSM.

The professorship was established by the Riley Children’s Foundation (formerly the Riley Memorial Association) with a portion of its funding coming from the Harbaugh Hill Foundation, a philanthropic entity launched by Jim Harbaugh, former NFL player who was quarterback of the Indianapolis Colts from 1994 to 1997.

Harbaugh’s son was treated by Dr. Sadove at Riley Hospital. In helping establish the professorship with the RCF, it was specified that Dr. Sadove be the first person to hold that
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Clinical trials seminars on tap for June

June 4
Title: Adverse Event Reporting
Time: 12-1:30 p.m.
Place: Tudor Auditorium-Wishard Outpatient Wing 5th floor
Cost: None
Registration: Registration at the door
CMEs: 1.5
Presenter: Linda Rohyans, clinical research nurse; and Sara Ellis, Research Compliance Administration
Content: The difference between adverse events and serious adverse events; reporting criteria and requirements; tracking tools; and electronic reporting

June 18
Title: Industry-Sponsored Research Budgets and Contracts: Your Need-To-Know Guide to Success
Time: 12 - 1:30 PM Place: Tudor Auditorium-Wishard Outpatient Wing 5th floor
Cost: None
Registration: Contact Michelle Murray at mimurray@iupui.edu or 278-2868
CMEs: 1.5 hrs
Presenters: Sharon Moe, MD, medical director; and Pam DeWeese, administrative director-
Clinical Trials Program
Content: Developing an appropriate study budget; Identifying hidden costs; establishing appropriate billing mechanisms to prevent insurance fraud; making sure sponsors pay you what you are due; preventing contractual problems; and developing communication and tracking tools for account reconciliation.

Information about additional opportunities this year may be found at: http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/invest.html, then click on schedule of educational services for 2004.

Geriatrics Conferences topics announced

Four Geriatrics Conferences are planned for May and June. They are from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B.

May 26 – “Aspects of Renal Failure in Older Adults”
Timothy Sutton, MD
Assistant professor of medicine

June 2 – “Keeping Your Older Adult Patient On An Upright Path – Falls, Gait and Balance Disorders in Older Adults”
Neil Alexander, MD
Visiting professor

Stephen E. Davis, JD
Chief administrative law judge

June 30 – “What Happened to ADAM?”
Alex Arizmendi, MD
Geriatric medicine fellow

Dad’s Day 5K steps off June 19
It will be a blue ribbon day when participants take to the streets for the Dad’s Day 5K. The runners and walkers will be stepping out to benefit prostate cancer research and to help those who suffer from the disease.

The run-and-fitness walk kicks off at 8 a.m., Saturday, June 19.

The registration and staging area is at the Indiana Cancer Pavilion, 535 Barnhill Drive.

Proceeds will benefit prostate cancer research at the IU Cancer Center and the Little Red Door, a support agency for medically underserved cancer patients in central Indiana. The Dad’s Day 5K is sponsored by the Central Indiana Prostate Cancer Research Foundation Inc., which promotes fundraising, research and educating the public about the disease.

For more information or to register on-line for Dad’s Day 5K, go to www.indydadsday5k.org.

Stroke newsletter makes its debut

The inaugural issue of Stroke News is now available to readers on-line. The publication highlights the latest developments and research of the IUSM Stroke Program, notes Askiel Bruno, MD, program director and associate professor of neurology.

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Michael Gurian, therapist, social philosopher and author of *What Could He Be Thinking*, will talk about the physiological differences between male and female brains, and the impact it has on how men communicate and think.

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The facility, located at 550 W. 16th Street, will bring together the Indiana State Department of Health Laboratories, the State Department of Toxicology and the Indiana State Police Laboratory. The State Department of Toxicology was created by the state within the IU School of Medicine; Peter Method, Ph.D., is currently the acting director.
AAMC chief visits June 9

Jordan Cohen, MD, president of the Association of American Medical Colleges, will present school-wide grand rounds at 8 a.m., Wednesday, June 9. The subject of his talk will be "Professionalism: A New Covenant for a New Era."

All medical students, residents, fellows and faculty are invited to attend the lecture in VanNuys Medical Science building, room 326 which also will be broadcast into room B26.

Dr. Cohen is a dynamic speaker, carries visionary messages and is one of the most important and influential leaders in medical education throughout the world.

IUSM sends competency contingent to Loyola

IUSM is one of the recognized leaders nationally in developing and implementing a competency based curriculum. That experience has prompted Loyola Stritch School of Medicine faculty to look to the experts.

On June 18, a group of IUSM competency curriculum experts will travel to Maywood, Ill, to help Loyola University Stritch School of Medicine faculty implement their new competency curriculum.

Invited by Pam Derstine, PhD, director of Curriculum and Faculty Development at Loyola, eight IUSM faculty members, including four statewide competency directors, will present a series of seminars, workshops and panel discussions for both basic science and clinical faculty at Loyola.

Pat Bankston, PhD, Problem Solving Competency director and Northwest Center associate director, has organized the trip which will include Rich Kohler, MD, Competency Administrator, Kathy Zoppi, PhD, Communications Competency director, Nancy Butler, MD, Self-Awareness Competency director, Meg Gaffney, MD, Ethics Competency director, Regina Kreisle, MD, PhD, Competency Coordinator for the Lafayette Center for Medical Education, Stacey Keyton, MS, Medical Education and Curricular Affairs, and Marshall Anderson, PhD, Biochemistry Course director at the Northwest Center.

Loyola will implement its version of a Competency Curriculum, based on the ACGME competencies, for its undergraduate medical students in the fall.
Faculty Council candidates

The IUSM Faculty Council slate of candidates for 2004-05:

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For additional information, contact Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, Faculty Council president, at bogdewic@iupui.edu.

IUPUI printing services to change providers
IUPUI design and print services will be provided by IKON as of July 1.

IUPUI Design and Print Services will be disbanded, according to Vice Chancellor Bob Martin.

IKON is a nationally recognized company in the print industry and has contracts with many other universities and corporations. To make the transition seamless all customer files (jobs) will be turned over to IKON. Copies also will be sent to the university archives for retrieval by either the customer or designate.

IKON will:

- set up online ordering of stationery and continue the convenient ordering of online business cards.
- be headquartered in the Union Building and will be available to consult.
- work with Purchasing Services to insure customer billing is efficient and follows university policy.
- will adhere to all design guidelines in accordance with university policy.

Questions should be addressed to IUPUI transitional director Joe Sparks (274-4053) through the end of June.

After June 30, contact either:

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dgbragg@ikon.com

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Paul Ashworth  
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Services office in the Vermont Street Garage. Permits also can be renewed online prior to their expiration date at www.parking.iupui.edu.

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June Combined Seminar Series

The Combined Seminar Series is in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium. Sessions are from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., except the June 9 program, which will be from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. The June lineup includes:

**June 9** – (3 p.m. to 4 p.m.) David Virshup, MD, co-director of Huntsman Cancer Institute, professor of pediatrics, University of Utah, “Regulation of Wnt Signaling by Reversible Protein Phosphorylation”

**June 16** – Lisa Coussens, PhD, assistant professor in-residence, co-director, Mouse Pathology Core, Comprehensive Cancer Center, University of California - San Francisco, “Importance of the Microenvironment in Regulating Physiologic and Pathologic Tissue Responses”

**June 23** – To be announced

**June 30** – Peter Cresswell, Yale University & HHMI investigator, title to be announced

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Cancer survivor celebration – June 13

The Indiana University Cancer Center and the Indiana Cancer Research Foundation are among the sponsors of a Cancer Survivor Celebration for cancer survivors and their families from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, June 13, at Garfield Park, Indianapolis.

The picnic-style event will feature a cookout with free food (while supplies last), music by Audio Diner, a moonwalk, clowns and games.

Last year, hundreds of cancer survivors and families gathered for what is now an annual event. The event is for individuals who have been recently diagnosed or those who are longtime cancer survivors.
Other groups hosting the event are Central Indiana Cancer Centers joined with Walther Cancer Institute, Little Red Door Cancer Agency, The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Y-Me of Central Indiana, The Wellness Community of Central Indiana, Ovar'Coming Together, American Cancer Society, Cervical Cancer Coalition and American Lung Association of Indiana.

For more information or to RSVP, call Nicole Beasley of Central Indiana Cancer Centers at 317.915.5648.

HHS launches pilot consumer health site

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For additional information, see http://hhs.webmd.com.

Honors

Carey Chisholm, MD was installed as the president of the Society for Academic Emergency Medicine at the group's annual meeting in Orlando, Fla. He is director of the IUSM Emergency Medicine Residency Program and a clinical professor of emergency medicine.

John Coleman III, MD, director of plastic surgery, has been elected vice chair of the Residency Review Committee for Plastic Surgery. He was elected in April and his term is for one year at which time he will become RRC chair.

Robert Havlik, MD, associate professor of plastic surgery, has been named the American Medical Association representative to the Residency Review Committee for Plastic Surgery. His
two-year term begins in January.

Douglas McKeag, MD, MS, chair of the Department of Family Medicine and director of the IU Center for Sports Medicine, was elected vice president for membership and relationships of the American College of Sports Medicine. The two-year appointment begins June 1. The American College of Sports Medicine has more than 20,000 international, national, and regional chapter members.

Shobha Pais, PhD, director of Behavioral Science and clinical adjunct assistant professor of family medicine, was elected to the board of the International Family Therapy Association. Her three-year appointment begins July 1.

Alan Schmetzer, MD, professor of psychiatry, received the Exemplary Psychiatrist Award from the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill May 4 during the annual meeting of the American Psychiatric Association. He was among 16 other mental health-care professionals nationwide to receive the honor. The 2004 NAMI awards went to practitioners for developing or directing innovative training programs which demonstrate consumer and family-driven best practices.

Wiltz Wagner, PhD, professor of anesthesia, is the 2004 recipient of the Robert F. Grover Prize from the American Thoracic Society Pulmonary Circulation Assembly. He received the award May 24 at the group’s annual meeting. The Grover Prize is given annually for outstanding contributions in pulmonary medicine.

This week on *Sound Medicine*

Tune in at noon, Saturday, June 5, to *Sound Medicine*, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. This week’s co-host is David Crabb, MD.

Guests will include Tatiana Foroud, PhD, IUSM associate professor of medical and molecular genetics, who will discuss ongoing research to establish facial markers associated with Fetal Alcohol Syndrome. Researchers hope that by using facial recognition and imaging technology, a 3-D model can be created to aid health care professionals in diagnosis.

Howard Edenberg, PhD, IUSM professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, will discuss the discovery of a new gene linked to alcoholism.

Rebecca Moreland, PhD, vice president of Chesapeake Occupational Health Services and former
member of the National Advisory Committee for Occupational Safety and Health, will discuss computer vision syndrome.

Archived editions of *Sound Medicine*, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu/.

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**Online IUSM calendars**

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at [www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar](http://www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar). To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.

A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at [www.medicine.iu.edu](http://www.medicine.iu.edu). The calendar also can be accessed directly at [webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm](http://webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm).

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**Submissions to Scope**

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- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
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- paste your plain text message into *Scope* Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: [http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty](http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty)

Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.
In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

- acronyms
- abbreviations
- campus building codes (use full, proper name of building and include the room number)
- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

To keep the electronic version of *Scope* as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.
Pascuzzi named chair of neurology

Robert Pascuzzi, MD, has been named chair of the Department of Neurology pending approval by the IU trustees. He comes to the position with nearly nine months experience, having served as interim chair while a search was conducted for a replacement for José Biller, MD, who resigned last fall.

“Bob has done a great job serving in an interim role as the department chair,” said Dean Craig Brater, MD. “I am convinced that he has a vision for a bright future for the department, one that is shared by the School.”

Dr. Pascuzzi is a professor of neurology specializing in neuromuscular diseases, such as amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), and electromyography. He is a graduate of IUSM and completed a residency and fellowship at the University of Virginia School of Medicine before returning to IUSM as a member of the faculty in 1985.
He has been honored by IUSM students for his innovative teaching style on numerous occasions and in 2001 was named the American Neurological Association’s Distinguished Neurology Teacher.

AAMC chief speaks at all-school grand rounds – June 9

Jordan Cohen, MD, president of the Association of American Medical Colleges, will present school-wide grand rounds at 8 a.m., Wednesday, June 9. The subject of his talk will be "Professionalism: A New Covenant for a New Era."

All medical students, residents, fellows, and faculty are invited to attend the lecture VanNuys Medical Science building, room 326 and also broadcast into room B26.

Dr. Cohen is a dynamic speaker, carries visionary messages and is one of the most important and influential leaders in medical education throughout the world.

State of the School presentation online

Dean Craig Brater, MD, delivered his annual State of the School address at the May 18 Spring Faculty Meeting. His PowerPoint presentation can be viewed at wwwmedicine.iu.edu/administration/dean/stateOfTheSchool2004.ppt.

Wishard launches third annual fund drive

On Monday, June 14, Wishard Health Services will launch a major three-week campaign to raise critically needed funds for patient care throughout the hospital, its seven community health centers and Midtown Community Mental Health Center.

“This campaign is especially important in these challenging economic times, as rising rates of
uninsured individuals, coupled with increasing health care costs, severely strain Wishard’s ability to provide much needed care,” said Lisa Harris, MD, medical director and CEO at Wishard. “We desperately need the community’s help and support to address this Indianapolis-wide health care crisis.”

The campaign for Wishard will culminate with a special one-hour television event, set to air throughout central Indiana at 7 p.m. Tuesday, July 6, on WTHR Channel 13. The broadcast will share Wishard’s rich history and stories of healing and hope from Wishard patients and their families.

Corporations contributing to the campaign to date through sponsorship of the televised event include ADVANTAGE Health Solutions, Indianapolis Power & Light, Baker & Daniels, Clarian Health Partners, Emmis Communications, First Indiana Bank, IKON Office Solutions, Lamar Outdoor Advertising, and the law firm of Wilson, Kehoe & Winingham.

Past campaigns have raised funds to support the construction of the Richard M. Fairbanks Burn Center at Wishard as well as Wishard’s Emergency Department, Level I Trauma Center and the Wishard Ambulance Service.

Contributions may be made throughout the campaign by calling the Wishard Memorial Foundation at 630-6451 or by visiting www.WishardFoundation.org.

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Alzheimer’s disease conference – June 25

The Indiana Alzheimer’s Disease Center is hosting a regional conference entitled “Alzheimer’s Disease: Translating Research into Practice” from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Friday, June 25.
The seminar, which will be at the University Place Conference Center, will cover such topics as the National Genetics Initiative for Alzheimer’s disease, current research status and meeting the needs of patients’ families.

Along with members of the IU faculty, the Indiana Alzheimer’s Disease Center has invited faculty from several other Alzheimer Disease Centers in the Midwest to speak at the inaugural regional conference. Conference organizers encourage everyone who works with or is interested in older adults to attend. The program is free of charge to IU faculty, staff and students, but registration is required.

For additional information or to register, see http://cme.medicine.iu.edu.

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Guests will include IU oncologist George Sledge, MD, discussing his new $10 million Department of Defense grant to study individualizing treatment for women with advanced breast cancer. The objective of the study is to use the emerging technologies of genomics, proteomics and pharmacogenetics to predict individual response to treatment.

Michael Conneally, PhD, IU professor of medical and molecular genetics, will discuss Huntington’s disease and the National Research Roster for Huntington’s Disease Patients and Families that has been located at and managed by IU for the past 25 years.

Clark Springs, MD, IUSM Department of Ophthalmology, and Larry Thibos, PhD, IU School of Optometry, will discuss adaptive optics, a technology that is being used by NASA researchers and visual researchers alike. They also will explain a new technology called Wavefront LASIK that enhances traditional LASIK surgery by producing a 3-D map of the eye that can customize each patient's surgery.
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Caldwell to direct pediatric cardiology

Randall Caldwell, MD, has been named director of the Section of Pediatric Cardiology.

He succeeds Donald Girod, MD, who has served as director for 37 of the 40 years he has been a pediatric cardiologist at Riley Hospital. Dr. Girod is only stepping down as section director; he will continue to work as a clinician and teacher at IUSM.

Dr. Caldwell, who is the Peter Lawrence Phillips Professor of Pediatrics, has been on the IUSM faculty since 1978. He is an IUSM graduate and completed an internship, residency and fellowship at IUSM. He also competed a research fellowship in echocardiography at IUSM.
Thurston, Frankel new competency directors

Richard Frankel, PhD, professor of medicine, and Virginia Thurston, PhD, assistant professor of clinical medical and molecular genetics, have been named become IUSM competency directors for the Competency-based Curriculum.

Dr. Frankel will replace S. Edwin Fineberg, MD, who has retired, as director of Competency 9: Professionalism and Role Recognition. He brings to this position extensive experience and knowledge in physician-patient interactions.

Dr. Thurston will assume the directorship of Competency 3: Using Science to Guide Diagnosis, Management, Therapeutics and Prevention. She will succeed Brenda O'Hara, MD, who has moved to Fort Wayne.

Dr. Thurston has the skills of a basic scientist but also has experience with the approach of a clinical practice.

The appointments were announced by Stephen Leapman, MD, executive associate dean for educational affairs.

Zipes honored with endowed chair

Douglas Zipes' career as a cardiologist, educator and researcher at IUSM has been recognized with an endowed professorship named in his honor and supported by the Medtronic Foundation.

The Medtronic Zipes Chair in Cardiology was endowed by the Medtronic Foundation to promote excellence in cardiovascular research, education and patient care. The School will begin a national search to recruit a leading physician-scientist to fill the endowed professorship.

Dr. Zipes is a Distinguished Professor at IU and professor emeritus of medicine. He will step down this month as director of the Krannert Institute of Cardiology at IU, a position he has held since 1995.

As a researcher, Dr. Zipes focused on the electrical impulses that stimulate the heart muscle. His electrophysiology research explored the mechanisms responsible for cardiac arrhythmias and
sudden cardiac death. As a leading expert in the field, Dr. Zipes worked closely with Medtronic, Inc. to create the first implantable cardioverter designed to stop attacks of arrhythmia.

Taking research from the "bench to the bedside" was one of the clinical strengths of Dr. Zipes. In this vein, he also pioneered the use of alcohol ablation to treat arrhythmias, as well as other progressive therapies for cardiac irregularities.

Dr. Zipes also is recognized internationally for his research and promotion of the use of automated external defibrillators (AEDs) in public places such as shopping malls and airports. In Indianapolis, he has started the first Neighborhood Heart Watch to distribute AEDs into the community where 80 percent of sudden cardiac deaths occur.

As an educator, Dr. Zipes has trained more than 75 cardiac electrophysiologists who now practiced all over the world.

Colleagues and former students from the United States and Canada were speakers and guests at a June 8 symposium in Dr. Zipes' honor. The symposium presented a retrospective of his career. Speakers addressed state of the art diagnostic and treatment methods for heart rhythm disturbances and predicted what the future would hold in the field of electrophysiology.

A second event in Dr. Zipes honor will be held June 19 in Nice, France. More than 300 international guests also have been invited by Medtronic, Inc. to a dinner in his honor.

**New PhD minor offered in biomolecular imaging**

Biomolecular imaging, a new doctoral minor in the medical biophysics program, is now available to IUSM students.

The minor consists of three new courses that form the core of the biomolecular imaging doctoral program. Additional information on the minor and the PhD program can be found at http://bioimage.medicine.iu.edu. The medical biophysics doctoral program also has a revised curriculum that emphasized imaging.

The minor is a nine-credit hour curriculum teaching a wide range of imaging techniques.

There are three required courses for the PhD minor: F592 Introduction to Biomolecular Imaging, G613 Advanced Cellular Imaging and G614 Advanced Molecular Imaging.
Final Clarian North beam to be signed at hospitals

Following construction tradition, IUSM and Clarian employees will have an opportunity Tuesday, June 15, to sign the final steel beam to be installed for the Clarian North Medical Center.

Employees are invited to take a moment to sign their names to the final steel beam that will complete the frame of the five-story hospital and medical office building which is scheduled to open in Carmel in late 2005.

The beam will travel by flatbed truck, making the following stops:

- Methodist Medical Plaza North -- 8 a.m.
- Riley Hospital for Children -- 9:30 a.m.
- Indiana University Hospital -- 11 a.m.
- Methodist Hospital -- 12:30 p.m.

The beam will be parked outside the main entrances of all facilities except IU, where the beam will be pulled in along the Michigan Street side of the building. Beam signing by people essential to the project is one of many traditions associated with the safe, successful completion of this key phase of construction.

The signed beam will be transported back to the construction site at 116th and Meridian for placement during a topping out ceremony at 7:30 a.m. Thursday, June 17.
**Bench to bedside Alzheimer's disease conference - June 25**

The Indiana Alzheimer's Disease Center is hosting a regional conference entitled "Alzheimer's Disease: Translating Research into Practice" from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Friday, June 25.

The seminar, which will be at the University Place Conference Center, will cover such topics as the National Genetics Initiative for Alzheimer's disease, current research status and meeting the needs of patients' families.

Along with members of the IU faculty, the Indiana Alzheimer's Disease Center has invited faculty from several other Alzheimer Disease Centers in the Midwest to speak at the inaugural regional conference. Conference organizers encourage everyone who works with or is interested in older adults to attend. The program is free of charge to IU faculty, staff and students, but registration is required.

For additional information or to register, see [http://cme.medicine.iu.edu](http://cme.medicine.iu.edu).

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**Technology business seminar - July 14 and 15**

The Indiana Venture Center and the Midwest Entrepreneurial Education Center at Ball State University are hosting the Idea Accelerator Initiative July 14 and 15 at the Indiana Venture Center in Indianapolis.

This initiative is a free, two-day intensive class for potential entrepreneurs and organizations with new technology business ideas. The two-day seminar is limited to 15 participants. Participants must be available to attend both days. A $250 stipend is available.

Contact Rory Small at rsmall@indianaventurecenter.org for additional information.

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**AAMC seeks nominations, abstracts for Women in Medicine Program**

The Association of American Medical Colleges Women in Medicine Program is seeking
nominations for the 2004 Women in Medicine Leadership Development Award.

The award recognizes an individual or women's group/organization for outstanding contributions to the development of women leaders in the field of academic medicine. Any member of the academic medical community may be nominated.

Nomination forms must be received by **Friday, July 30**. The award will be presented in November at the AAMC Annual Meeting in Boston.


The AAMC Women in Medicine Program also is seeking abstracts or posters that highlight women's leadership programs and women's health research. Selected entries will be presented at the first-ever Women in Medicine poster reception "Showcasing Women's Leadership" to be held in Boston.

Submitted abstracts could include: research or project development reports; descriptions of new partnerships resulting in the advancement of women; inter-department curriculum plans for advancing women's health; or innovative solutions to old challenges. Submission forms must be received by **Thursday, July 1**.

For information see [www.aamc.org/members/wim/callforposters.pdf](http://www.aamc.org/members/wim/callforposters.pdf).

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**Honors**

**Nancy Eckerman**, Special Collections Librarian at the IU Medical Library, is the recipient of the White Professional Development Award from the IU Librarians. Herbert and Virginia White funded the award to promote professional development among the librarians and employees of the IU Libraries.

**Debomoy Lahiri**, PhD, professor of neurobiology in psychiatry, has been selected to chair the organizing committee of the seventh annual International Conference on Protective Strategies for Neurodegenerative Disease to be held in Vancouver, British Columbia, Aug. 14-17.

**Jeffrey Rothenberg**, MD, MS, medical director of the Coleman Center for Women, has been elected to the board of directors for the International Society for the Advancement of Humanistic Studies in Medicine. His term will expire in 2007. The international, interdisciplinary group is
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Guests will include Louise Walter, MD, University of California - San Francisco and the San Francisco Veterans Affairs, will discuss her research analyzing breast and cervical cancer screening trends in older women. She concluded that age and health status should be considered since the benefit of screening may be lost on unhealthy women, and conversely, many healthy older women are not getting screened.

Also on the program will be Margaret Fitzpatrick, RN, a Chicago area trauma nurse and co-author of What to Ask the Doc, a book that guides patients and family members through several health scenarios and provides lists of questions that should be asked of physicians.

Mark Jung Beeman, PhD, a cognitive neuroscientist at Northwestern University, will discuss his research of how the brain achieves insight that leads to "Aha moments."

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Data-Driven Decisions project enters survey phase

This week IUSM faculty and department leaders are being asked to fill out web-based surveys that will provide important information for the Data-Driven Decisions (3D) process.

The surveys will collect information about faculty effort in the education, clinical service and research missions. Individual members of the faculty are being asked to answer questions about their education activities, while departmental chairs are being asked for information about clinical and research effort.

3D Project Manager Robert Jones, MD, PhD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations, emphasized that the data won't be used to monitor or review the activities of individual members of the faculty.

The data will be used -- along with information already centrally maintained by the school -- to produce, for the first time, summarized financial reports giving a rough approximation of how the School allocates revenues and expenses by mission. These reports will be the basis for key discussions at the 3D Faculty Leadership Retreat scheduled for Aug. 9.

The surveys are based on a "first pass" model for measuring faculty effort that was agreed upon by the faculty who are members of the 3D mission design teams for education, clinical service and research.
Because the surveys collect data for the 2002-2003 academic year, faculty who have joined IUSM since then are not being asked to fill out the survey.

The 3D project was initiated by Dean Craig Brater, MD, to develop an improved, more transparent system for making financial decisions that will support our goals for excellence in a time of tight resources. For additional information about the process, see the 3D web site at www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/ddd.

Summer seminars for undergraduates interested in medicine

Six seminars featuring speakers knowledgeable about navigating the medical school admission process will be offered this summer for college students working on campus and interested in a career in medicine.

The series "A Career in Medicine: Admission to Physician" is sponsored by the Office of Medical School Admissions and the IUSM Office of the Dean.

All seminars will be held in the Riley Outpatient Clinic (ROC) Ruth Lilly Learning Center, conference rooms A & B, located on the lower level. The series is free and participants are welcome to bring their lunch. All sessions begin at noon and should finish by 1 p.m. The schedule is:

**Session 1:** Applying to Medical School  
Wednesday, July 7

**Session 2:** The Medical School Interview: Hot Seat or Driver's Seat?  
Monday, July 12

**Session 3:** Making 'Cents' of Financing Medical School  
Wednesday, July 14

**Session 4:** Let's Talk about Life - as a Medical Student  
Monday, July 19

**Session 5:** Careers as Specialty Care Physicians  
Monday, July 26
Session 6: Careers as Primary Care Physicians
Wednesday, July 28

For further information, please contact the Office of Admissions at 274-3772.

Campus parking update

The new Barnhill Parking Garage is on schedule to open 1,300 spaces to students, faculty and staff Aug. 10. The project also includes widening Barnhill Drive to four lanes from Michigan Street to New York Street. This will cause some traffic problems as Vermont Street will close completely at the Barnhill Drive intersection on Wednesday, June 16 for two weeks for paving.

Along with the Barnhill Parking Garage, lot No. 59, immediately to the west of the garage, is being re-designed and will encompass Hanson Street. This project is scheduled to be completed and open on July 15.

Final renovations are being completed on the east side of the Vermont Street Garage and parking has been restored.

IUPUI Parking Services did not renew the lease with White River State Park for the parking lot directly east of NIFS. This area will become a gated lot for NIFS members.

These projects should improve the parking situation for this fall when the students return. In the meantime, there are plenty of parking spaces available on the east end of campus in the Blackford Street Garage, and on the north and east sides of the Mary Cable Building. On the west end of campus there is available parking surrounding the old State Board of Health building and at Michigan and Porto Alegre in the new campus housing lot.

The Bush Stadium shuttle continues to run at 10-minute intervals this summer from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Call 274-4232, or visit our web site at www.parking.iupui.edu with parking assistance questions.

Also, faculty and staff parking permits expire June 30. Permits can be renewed online.
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Paul Ragan, MD, a Navy psychiatrist during Desert Storm and now an associate professor of psychiatry at Vanderbilt University Medical Center, will discuss the psychological factors that might have driven U.S. soldiers to abuse Iraqi prisoners at Abu Ghraib Prison. Some psychiatrists and psychologists say what happened at the prison is not surprising based on past research.

Music and medicine will be the topic of Herbert Swick, MD, executive director of the Institute of Medicine and Humanities at the University of Montana and St. Patrick's Hospital. He will cite samples throughout history of how music and medicine are intertwined.

Sound Medicine will take a field trip to Camp Agapé, where children and adults with disabilities are learning many things, including how to ride and to care for a horse. Producer Nora Hiatt will speak with some of the campers and staff at the Agape Therapeutic Riding Center near Cicero, Ind.

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Friday is 3D survey deadline

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3D project manager Robert Jones, MD, PhD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations, said tight timelines for the 3D process make it necessary to keep the time available for answering the survey relatively short. Dr. Jones said faculty should not “obsess over
the details” of the survey, which covers the academic year 2002-2003.

“We would like to emphasize that you shouldn’t spend a lot of time trying to account for everything you did in 2002-2003, particularly in the area of non-clinical service. Just estimate major time commitments,” he said.

In addition to the faculty survey, department leaders are asked to complete surveys on the research and clinical missions. Those surveys need to be completed by **Friday, July 9**.

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The faculty survey can be found at [https://technology.iusm.iu.edu/asr3d/](https://technology.iusm.iu.edu/asr3d/).

The department leader survey is at [https://apps.iusm.iu.edu/bap3d/](https://apps.iusm.iu.edu/bap3d/).

Members of the faculty who want to review their 2002-2003 ASR summary report can do so at [https://technology.iusm.iu.edu/asrv2/](https://technology.iusm.iu.edu/asrv2/).

### Andreoli to lead pediatric nephrology

Sharon Andreoli, MD, will be the new director of the Section of Pediatric Nephrology at Riley Hospital effective July 1.

She succeeds Jerry Bergstein, MD, who is retiring. He served as section director for 17 years and has been a member of the IUSM faculty since 1977.

Dr. Andreoli has been on the IUSM faculty for 20 years. She is the president-elect of the American Society of Pediatric Nephrology.

### IUPUI Smoking Policy
The IUPUI Smoking Policy will go into effect July 1. The policy was rewritten in light of new information about smoking, second-hand smoke and health issues.

The new policy states:

- Smoking is prohibited on university owned and operated property within 30 feet of building entrances, exits, partially or fully enclosed walkways and ventilation systems.
- All buildings, doorways, and fully or partially enclosed walkways connecting buildings will be smoke free. Exceptions may be granted for specific auxiliary enterprises.
- Smoking is not permitted in university owned, leased, or operated licensed vehicles.
- Advertising, sale, or promotion of tobacco products and the sponsoring of campus events by tobacco companies or tobacco-promoting organizations for the purpose of promoting tobacco related products is not permitted.

Enforcement of this policy will depend upon all members of the campus community to comply with and encourage others to comply with this policy in order to ensure a healthy environment to work, study and live.

This policy will be incorporated into the IUPUI supplement of the Faculty Handbook, the Staff Handbook, and the Student Code of Conduct.

Complaints regarding violations of this policy should be referred to the appropriate administrative office: For faculty the Office of Academic Policies, Procedures and Documentation; for staff, Human Resources Administration; or for students, the Office of The Dean of Students.

Neurology department expands

The clinical practices of the Hoosier Neurology, P.C., and Indiana University Clinical Neurologist will combine Thursday, July 1. The new group will do business as the University Clinical Neurologists.

The UCN consolidation is designed to provide patients and referring physicians with streamlined access to a network of neurologists in Indianapolis and surrounding communities.

"The unification of neurological services across all IUSM and Clarian facilities will serve to enhance and enrich not only the clinical service mission but also strengthen our commitment to education and research," said Robert Pascuzzi, MD, chair of the Department of Neurology.
"The Hoosier Neurology group has a long track record of excellence in community-based neurology, as well as acute care hospital-based neurology. The traditional IUSM neurology faculty is particularly strong in subspecialty neurology and in clinical trials. The combination of the two groups provides us with a comprehensive network of community-based services, acute care hospital-based neurology and subspecialty expertise," he added.

Dr. Pascuzzi said the consolidation will benefit referring physicians, patients and families, as well as place IUSM in a stronger position to meet the educational needs of medical students and residents. It also will establish a stronger and more consistent referral network for clinical trials.

"The merger is seen as a major step in the development of a comprehensive Clinical Neurosciences Institute," Dr. Pascuzzi explained.

Hoosier Neurology's office at 2010 W. 86th Street will move to the IU Medicine Group at Carmel office at 200 W. 103rd St. (103rd Street and North Meridian). Paul Bustion, MD, and Edward Zdobylak, MD, will see patients at this location beginning Thursday. Their new phone numbers are 278-5900, or toll-free 866-740-1941.

The consolidation increases the IU Department of Neurology to 39 clinical members.

Farewell reception for Lyn Means

The IUSM Office of the Dean and the Department of Anesthesia will host a farewell reception for Lynda Means, MD, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, July 9, at the University Place Hotel Dean’s Room. A program is planned for 5:15 p.m.

Dr. Means is resigning her position as professor of anesthesia and of surgery and as executive associate dean for academic affairs. This fall, she will begin her new duties as a senior associate in anesthesia at the Children's Hospital Boston and as an associate professor of anesthesia at Harvard University.

Dr. Means is a 1973 graduate of Purdue University and a 1977 IUSM graduate. She completed pediatric and anesthesia residencies at the IU School of Medicine and a pediatric anesthesia and critical care fellowship at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. She has been on the IUSM faculty since 1983.
Vogelweid farewell reception July 15

A farewell reception for Catherine Vogelweid, PhD, DVM, associate professor of clinical pathology and laboratory medicine, is planned from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, July 15, in the Morris H. Mills Atrium of the Van Nuys Medical Science Building.

Dr. Vogelweid joined the IUSM faculty as an assistant professor in the Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine in 1991. She was named director of the Laboratory Animal Resource Center in 1993.

She has a doctorate in pathology and laboratory animal medicine and a DVM from the University of Missouri, Columbia.

Dean Craig Brater: Kenya Reflections 2004

ELDORET, Kenya – I think that most are aware that we have a program in Kenya – a collaborative effort with Moi University’s School of Medicine and with the Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital. This program began about 15 years ago through the efforts of a small group of committed faculty including Joe Mamlin, Bob Einterz, Charlie Kelley and others. The motivation for its birth was to create an opportunity for students, residents and faculty to experience medicine in the developing world and thereby reinforce the altruistic spirit of medicine.

It has been my privilege to visit our Kenya program on several occasions. Rather than take a full-fledged sabbatical every seventh year, I have elected to take about six weeks every few years (mini-sabbaticals) to devote to the Kenya program. As a result, I have spent time here in 1995, 1997, 1999 and this summer. On these visits I spend time rounding and participate in addressing the innumerable issues that arise. The reality is that I learn far more than I teach, and people go out of their way to not embarrass me too much!

In the five-year hiatus since I was last here, I have witnessed remarkable changes that I wish to relay to all of you, because you should be proud of what your colleagues have accomplished. To jump ahead to the bottom line, we have established the most successful HIV/AIDS prevention and treatment program in all of sub-Saharan Africa and likely the entire developing world. We have more patients receiving treatment than any other program – sadly that is only about 3,000 patients among the millions that are afflicted. We are in the process of ramping up that number to 30,000.
You can imagine the humanitarian impact of this, as well as its potential for education and research.

During my last visit in 1999, there was an inexorable increase in the level of death and despair. Since treatment for AIDS was not available here, with the increasing prevalence of the disease, we were surrounded by death and dying. Rounds on any clinical service were one patient after another with obvious AIDS, often presenting as primary TB. We could discuss their illness in the abstract, offer them little, if anything and send them home to die. Since there was no chance of treatment, people would not be tested and potentially bear the stigma of the disease that at that time could manifest as being cast out of the home and into the streets.

There also seemed no hope of addressing the cultural issues that contributed to this pandemic. As you can imagine, the staff in the hospitals and clinics were dispirited; all those who came from IU and elsewhere to work here were shocked if not downright depressed, and we literally gave serious consideration to pulling out. After all, if this program’s primary motivation was to reinforce the altruistic spirit of medicine, how could we possibly do that if all we did was bear witness to this carnage and do nothing?

We feared that there was a substantial risk that what we might reinforce was man’s inhumanity to his fellow man. By displaying to our learners the stark contrast of how we attack this disease in the United States with a veritable armamentarium in contrast to shrugging our shoulders in Kenya, we ran the risk of a form of institutional role modeling that said in effect that it is okay to sit on the sidelines and watch one of humankind’s greatest tragedies and do nothing. As Bono of U2 fame stated when he visited Indianapolis a few years ago: fully knowing the ravages of HIV in Africa, what would we be able to tell our children and grandchildren 10 and 20 years from now when they looked us in the eye and said, “What did you do?” Those leading this program decided that we could not stay here unless we tried our very best to implement meaningful prevention and treatment programs.

A series of efforts then ensued to raise funds to obtain anti-retroviral agents. Joe Wheat and many others were instrumental in getting this started. A lot of heavy lifting was done by the usual suspects who have had long-term commitments to the program—Joe Mamlin, Bob Einterz, Bill Tierney and many more. Clinics were established, donations were found from individuals, churches, corporations and foundations. Grants were obtained.

In Kenya, as the possibility of treatment became known, individuals who cared about their communities as well as themselves became willing to stand in front of their colleagues and tell them, “Yes, I am infected, as are many of you. We must bring HIV out into the open and lay it in front of ourselves and do something about it.”

As people were treated, our team here discovered yet another problem that was pervasive among these patients – malnutrition and outright starvation. I saw an adult patient this visit who had a
CD4 count of 1, meaning she had virtually no immune system left, and weighed 66 pounds. The antiretrovirals got her CD4 count up to the point that opportunistic infections could be stopped. This patient was still debilitated until she got calories – which she got through your colleagues. She now weighs 132 pounds, is taking care of her family and is an outspoken public advocate for addressing the HIV problem in her community.

Making a very long story short, we now couple our prevention and treatment program with a series of farms where our patients are able to not only obtain nutrients but they can learn subsistence farming techniques and become self-sufficient.

Yes, your fellow faculty members in collaboration with their Kenyan colleagues are in the process of preventing and treating HIV/AIDS, organizing support groups and community education, providing nutritional support and training, and also developing skills training so that patients can support themselves.

The result of this is that despair has transformed to hope. Because of the commitment of our faculty, students and residents, we are able to offer legitimate hope and a future to people who were doomed. The spirits and commitment of staff in the hospitals and clinics are palpable as they see an opportunity to exercise their clinical training and improve the health of people as they intended when they sought careers in medicine, nursing, medical technology, etc. This, of course, is the way it must be because in the long run Kenya’s health issues can only be solved by Kenyans. We are, at best, a catalyst.

The programs that have been developed here have now attracted the attention of many: USAID, WHO, CDC, NIH, UNAIDS, numerous foundations, and the core of a number of individuals and groups whose philanthropy has been instrumental. This includes many of our fellow faculty members, Clarian Health Partners, churches in Indianapolis, etc. The extent of this support is such that the program currently sustains itself, though as you would imagine, the margin is always thin.

I can think of no better example of professionalism and altruism than this program. This statement is not to diminish the numerous other examples of altruism that occur at the School, such as our work at Wishard Memorial Hospital and the Roudebush VA Medical Center, and our Service Learning programs. All these activities are a form of individual and institutional role modeling that is unsurpassed. Our School and all that have been involved are enriched by all these programs.

Even if you have had no personal involvement in the Kenya program, it is important that you know that your medical school has made such an important contribution to both individuals and society, and to share in the pride of its occurrence. I personally could not be more pleased, and I hope that you feel the same.

Craig Brater, MD
Dean, IU School of Medicine
For additional information on the IU-Kenya program, contact Ron Pettigrew, program manager, at 630-8695, or rpettigr@iupui.edu, or visit the Web site at medicine.iupui.edu/kenya/introduction.html.

Information on a $15 million grant for the HIV-AIDS program at Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital can be found at medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/viewRelease.php4?art=81

Undergraduate summer seminars begin July 7

Six seminars featuring speakers knowledgeable about navigating the medical school admission process will be offered this summer for college students working on campus and interested in a career in medicine.

The series “A Career in Medicine: Admission to Physician” is sponsored by the Office of Medical School Admissions and the IUSM Office of the Dean.

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Wishard art on exhibit at Indiana Historical Society

“The Art of Healing” display at the Indiana Historical Center has been extended through Aug. 15.

In 1914, a group of renowned Hoosier artists came together for the benefit of patients at Wishard Memorial Hospital (then known as City Hospital), Indiana’s largest public hospital. The prominent artists painted murals – more than a quarter mile of them – and other works that would not only decorate the new building but, more central to their artistic ambitions, lift spirits.

Ninety years later, the Indiana Historical Society and Wishard Memorial Hospital have collaborated to open “The Art of Healing,” an exhibit featuring many of the original murals. The display is free to the public at the Indiana History Center, 450 W. Ohio St., Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m.

The mural project, originally funded by St. Margaret’s Hospital Guild, involved many leading Hoosier artists of the time, including William Forsyth, Wayman Adams, Otto Starke, Carl Graf, William Edouard Scott and among others, J. Ottis Adams and T.C. Steele. Forsyth, who served as project supervisor, regarded it as “the most ambitious and monumental work yet undertaken by Indianapolis artists.”

Many of the artists moved into quarters provided at the hospital during the duration of the project. Supported by the idealism of their shared venture and their artistic camaraderie, all, even the most famous, agreed to work for $75 to $100 a month, the going wage for union house painters. In total, more than 33 murals (with many subdivided parts) were completed and more than 20 paintings were donated.

Carol D. Nathan Scholarship

IUPUI staff needing assistance to pay expenses and tuition not covered by fee courtesy may want
to apply for a Carol D. Nathan Scholarship.

The IUPUI Staff Council awards Carol D. Nathan scholarships of $500 ($250 each semester) for the 2004-2005 academic year. To qualify, applicants must be a full-time IUPUI staff employee with at least two years of service, pursuing an associate, baccalaureate or graduate degree at IUPUI, and must have completed 12 credit hours at IUPUI with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

To apply, fill out the online application and submit a 100-word essay. The application and additional details can be found at www.iupui.edu/~scouncil, click the link Carol D. Nathan Staff Council Scholarship.

Applications also may be picked up at the Office of Student Scholarships, Cavanaugh Hall 103, or from Molly Martin in the Staff Council Office, Union Building, room 403, molmarti@iupui.edu, or 274-2215.

The application deadline is **Friday, July 30**.

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**Parking permits expire June 30**

Faculty and staff parking permits will expire Wednesday, June 30.

Permits for 2004-2005 must be renewed in person at the IUPUI Parking Services office in the Vermont Street Garage. Permits can no longer be renewed online because there is insufficient time to mail permits before the expiration deadline.

For additional information on Parking Services see [www.parking.iupui.edu](http://www.parking.iupui.edu).

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**ESRI Indiana Health User Group meeting – June 29**

ESRI is sponsoring an Indiana Health User Group meeting Tuesday, June 29. All ESRI software users are invited to attend including federal, state, county and city employees, MPOs, non-profit, academic, and private sector organizations.
To register, email Natalie Hemenway at nhemenway@esri.com and provide your name, organization, address, phone number and email address or call her at (636) 949-6620 ext. 8548. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. also will be allowed at the meeting the day of the event at the University Place Conference Center.

Speakers will include Anna Radue, UITS, discussing "Spatial Data and Training Resources at Indiana University" and Gilbert Liu, Indiana Children’s Health Services Research, IUSM, discussing "Physical Environments, Social Environments and Risk of Obesity: The PESERO Project."

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Pink ribbon packs on sale Wednesday

Those who need a little tender loving care can contribute to breast cancer research on June 30 by purchasing a "pink ribbon pack" in the Indiana Cancer Pavilion lobby.

Breast cancer patient advocate Marti Hankins of New Attitude by Marti'nque will be in the pavilion lobby from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Wednesday, June 30, selling the versatile, reusable hot/cold packs that are conveniently shaped in the form of a pink ribbon. Packs are $20 each, with $8 of the proceeds going directly to the IU Cancer Center's Breast Cancer Research Fund.

Honors

Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, professor of family medicine, has been selected as the 2004 winner of the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians Jackie Schilling Certificate of Commendation Award. The award will be presented July 24 at the group’s annual meeting. The award is presented annually to a non-physician who is deemed to contribute, in a distinguished manner, to the advancement of family medicine in Indiana.

Debomoy Lahiri, PhD, professor of neurobiology in psychiatry, has been selected to chair the organizing committee of the seventh annual International Conference on Protective Strategies for Neurodegenerative Disease to be held in Vancouver, British Columbia, Aug. 14-17.

This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at noon, Saturday, July 3, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. This week’s co-host for a special segment, Sound Ethics, is Eric Meslin, PhD.

The new IUPUI Public Opinion Lab national survey on health related philanthropy – the donation
of blood, organs, tissue and body – is the focus of Saturday’s guests. They include Jim Wolf, who conducted the survey at the IUPUI Public Opinion Laboratory; Bill Reed, vice president of operations at the Central Indiana Regional Blood Center; and Sam Davis, director of professional services and public affairs at the Indiana Organ Procurement Organization.

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Wilkes receives named chair

David Wilkes, MD, has been named the Dr. Calvin H. English Professor.

The chair was established by the Fort Wayne-based English-Bonter-Mitchell Foundation in 1986. Mary Elizabeth Mitchell, director of the foundation, was the daughter of Dr. English, who served as chief of the medical staff of the Lincoln National Life Insurance Co. The chair was established in his honor.

Dr. Wilkes, who will retain the titles of professor of medicine and of microbiology and immunology, joined the IUSM faculty in 1992 in the Division of Pulmonary/Critical Care. He also held the position of vice chairman for research in the Department of Medicine from 2000 to 2003. His research is in the area of sarcoidosis and lung transplant rejection.

He received his medical degree from Temple University and completed his residency at Temple University Hospital and the University of Texas Southwestern
Muncie Center has acting director

Douglas Triplett, MD, assistant dean and director of the Muncie Center for Medical Education, will be on a medical leave of absence until further notice. Stuart Walker, PhD, currently the assistant director of the Muncie Center, has been named acting director.

All correspondence concerning educational, research or administrative matters relating to the Center should be directed to Dr. Walker (swalker@bsu.edu).

All of us at IUSM wish Dr. Triplett a speedy and full recovery.

Applications sought for South Bend Center director

IUSM is seeking an outstanding and committed medical educator and administrator to serve as director of the South Bend Center for Medical Education and assistant dean of the School of Medicine, a tenure-track position at the level of professor or associate professor.

Located adjacent to the campus of Notre Dame in South Bend, Ind., the Center is one of eight which provides the first- and second-year medical curriculum as part of the IU Statewide System of Medical Education.

Candidates must possess an MD and/or PhD or the equivalent. A keen interest and expertise in medical student education and administration, commitment to scientific research, and an aptitude for community involvement are required.

Address all nominations and applications for this position to Gordon L. Coppoc, PhD, and David B. Burr, PhD, Chairs, Search and Screen Committee, Indiana University School of Medicine, 1120 South Drive, Fesler Hall 318, Indianapolis, Ind. 46202-5114.

For information on the Center for the School of Medicine, see http://galen.sbcmecme.nd.edu/ or www.medicine.iu.edu/home.html

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Wishard telethon – July 6

A three-week campaign by Wishard Health Services to raise critically needed funds for patient care will culminate with a one-hour telethon which will air throughout central Indiana at 7 p.m. Tuesday, July 6, on WTHR, Channel 13.

The campaign supports patient care at Wishard Memorial Hospital, its seven community health centers and Midtown Community Mental Health Center.

The broadcast will share Wishard’s rich history and stories of healing and hope from Wishard patients and their families.

Corporations contributing to the campaign to date through sponsorship of the televised event include ADVANTAGE Health Solutions, Indianapolis Power & Light, Baker & Daniels, Clarian Health Partners, Emmis Communications, First Indiana Bank, IKON Office Solutions, Lamar Outdoor Advertising, and the law firm of Wilson, Kehoe & Winingham.

Past campaigns have raised funds to support the construction of the Richard M. Fairbanks Burn Center at Wishard as well as Wishard’s Emergency Department, Level I Trauma Center and the Wishard Ambulance Service.

Contributions may be made throughout the campaign by calling the Wishard Memorial Foundation at 630-6451 or by visiting www.WishardFoundation.org.

Lynda Means farewell reception – July 9

The IU Department of Anesthesia and the IUSM Office of the Dean will host a farewell reception for Lynda Means, MD, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, July 9, at the University Place Hotel Dean’s Room. A program is planned for 5:15 p.m.

Dr. Means is resigning her position as professor of anesthesia and of surgery and as executive associate dean for academic affairs. This fall, she will begin her new duties as a senior associate in anesthesia at the Children's Hospital Boston and as an associate professor of anesthesia at Harvard University.

Dr. Means is a 1973 graduate of Purdue University and a 1977 IUSM graduate. She completed pediatric and anesthesia residencies at the IU School of Medicine and a pediatric anesthesia and critical care fellowship at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. She has been on the IUSM faculty since 1983.

Farewell reception planned for Vogelweid
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**Schedule revised for undergraduate summer seminars**

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Medical student panel
Monday, July 19

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Physician specialist panel
Monday, July 26

Session 5: Careers As Primary Care Physicians
Primary care physician panel
Wednesday, July 28

For further information, contact the Office of Admissions at 274-3772.

New PhD minor offered in biomolecular imaging

Biomolecular imaging, a new doctoral minor in the medical biophysics program, is now available to IUSM students.

The minor consists of three new courses that form the core of the biomolecular imaging doctoral program. Additional information on the minor and the PhD program can be found at http://bioimage.medicine.iu.edu. The medical biophysics doctoral program also has a revised curriculum that emphasizes imaging.

The minor is a nine-credit hour curriculum teaching a wide range of imaging techniques.

There are three required courses for the PhD minor: F592 Introduction to Biomolecular Imaging, G613 Advanced Cellular Imaging and G614 Advanced Molecular Imaging.

Questions or comments may be directed to:

Simon Atkinson
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Cell phone donation program

The Indiana State Medical Association, through the efforts of its Young Physician Society, has partnered with Free911CellPhones.com, an Indiana-based nonprofit organization. These partners will collect, re-program and distribute used 911-capable cell phones to those with life-threatening medical conditions and victims of family violence who cannot afford an emergency cell phone. Both cell phone and monetary donations are accepted.
The IU National Center of Excellence in Women’s Health and the IUSM Outpatient Clinical Research Facility will act as IUPUI donation sites. Those wishing to donate a cell phone can take it to either campus location:

Tina Darling
Community Relations director
IU National Center of Excellence in Women’s Health
RG 4th Floor (Regenstrief Health Center/Wishard)
630-2243

or

Sheryl Lynch, LPN
Outpatient Clinical Research Facility
RT150 reception area (535 Barnhill Drive)
274-3948

This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at noon, Saturday, July 10, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. This week’s co-host is David Crabb, MD.

It’s a new era for the doctor-patient relationship. The reason is the Internet. Patients are doing their own medical research, joining Internet support groups, seeking online medical consultation from doctors they’ve never met, signing up for clinical trials, and even emailing their own physicians to ask questions.

Sound Medicine guests include two physicians who have recognized the importance of the Internet as a communication tool. Paul Helft, MD, an IUSM assistant professor of medicine in the Division of Hematology/Oncology, has researched and written extensively on how patients and physicians are using the Internet. Tom Delbanco, MD a professor of general medicine and primary care at Harvard Medical School and Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, welcomes email from patients. Harvard has established a secure Internet site for patients to enhance online communication and research.

A third guest is Brian Eckstein, who is keeping a “dialysis diary.” Eckstein, a 33-year-old Muncie resident and production manager at WBST, Muncie’s Public Radio station, is awaiting a kidney transplant and is using his diary to take listeners on his medical journey. He’ll be reporting periodically to Sound Medicine listeners as his treatment continues.

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Handel resigns from Clarian, rejoins IU

David Handel, executive vice president and chief operating officer for Clarian Health, has resigned his position effective at the end of August. He then will join the IU School of Public and Environmental Affairs as director of the Masters in Health Administration program.

Handel began his career on the IU Medical Center campus 19 years ago as director of hospitals and administrator at IU Hospital. In total, he's spent 36 years in health care administration.
"The Clarian Board of Directors and I took this opportunity to look at the strategic and organizational requirements for executive leadership at Clarian," said Dan Evans, president and CEO of Clarian Health Partners. "Central to our review is our continuing commitment to assure excellent operational leadership for all Clarian hospitals."

The board has agreed to the following changes in the structure of the hospital leadership:

- The creation of a new senior leader position of president and CEO for Riley Hospital to replace that of chief administrative officer. The board agrees that Riley should operate more independently while continuing to maintain its integration within Clarian's single hospital system. A search has begun to fill the position.
- A similar single executive position has been created to lead Methodist Hospital and IU Hospital. Sam Odle, senior vice president and COO at Clarian Health, has agreed to serve as president and CEO for Methodist and IU hospitals beginning Sept. 1.
- Responsibility for statewide partner hospitals, currently held by Handel, will be moved to the position of senior vice president for statewide operations. The individual who fills this position will also serve as the operational liaison for the Clarian West and Clarian North hospitals.

More information about the changes can be found this week in a special edition of The Clarian.

Wishard Telethon raises $1.8 million

The third annual Wishard Telethon raised $1,817,403 for patient care needs throughout the hospital, its seven community health centers and Midtown Community Mental Health Center. The telethon was broadcast on WTHR Channel 13 Tuesday, July 6. The tally incorporates funds raised by the telethon and by the Wishard Memorial Foundation throughout the past year.

The three-week campaign culminated with the telethon broadcast. Year-round fundraising efforts include special events such as school fundraisers, program-specific initiatives including those for the Pecar Community Health Center, Women's and Children's Services and Senior Care at Wishard, golf outings, St. Margaret's Hospital Guild contributions, corporate and foundation gifts as well as individual donations.

"While public health care systems struggle nationwide, it's gratifying to know that central Indiana values Wishard as much as they do and that people are willing to contribute to the cause of quality healthcare for those in need," said Lisa Harris, MD, medical director and chief executive officer, Wishard Health Services. "All of us at Wishard are extremely grateful for all of the financial
US News ranks six hospital programs

Six clinical programs at Clarian Health Partners - Methodist, Indiana University and Riley hospitals - ranked among the top 50 clinical programs according to the U.S. News & World Report's "2004 America's Best Hospitals Guide."

The programs that were ranked were cancer, digestive disorders, ear, nose and throat, kidney disease, orthopedics and urology

The rankings are reported in the July 12 issue of U.S. News. The rankings also can be viewed by visiting USNews.com.

The programs and their numerical rankings are:

- Digestive Disorders 12th
- Urology 15th
- Cancer 27th
- Orthopedics 37th
- Kidney Disease 38th
- Ear, Nose and Throat 44th

The rankings are developed by surveys of a geographical cross-section of 150 board-certified specialists in each of 17 specialties. Hospital rankings are based on criteria related to reputation, mortality rates, and other areas such as advanced technology capabilities and nursing care.

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First Bridges students welcomed

The first Bridges to the Doctorate seminar will be 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, July 13, in room 326, Van Nuys Medical Science Building. Sarah England, PhD, associate professor, Department of Physiology, University of Iowa, will present “Regulation of Potassium Channels in Myometrium During Pregnancy.”

A reception to allow Bridges to the Doctorate students to meet graduate faculty and basic science staff will be 10:30 a.m. to noon, Wednesday, July 14, in the atrium of the Medical Science Building. A brief welcoming ceremony and will be at 11 a.m.

The Bridges to the Doctorate program is funded through a National Institutes of Health. The grant partners the IUSM basic science departments with an historically-black institution, Jackson State University in Jackson, Miss.

The goal of the grant is to increase the number of underrepresented ethnic minorities on the faculty at medical schools across the country.

The students complete master’s degrees at Jackson State University and continue their master’s
thesis research summers at IUSM. The students are encouraged to apply and enter the IUSM graduate school when their master’s degree is completed.

After one year, two students from the program are matriculating into the IU graduate program (Department of Microbiology and Immunology) this fall.

The grant planning and initiative was envisioned by the IUPUI Graduate Office. Hal Broxmeyer, PhD, chair of microbiology and immunology, is the principal investigator and David Wilkes, MD, professor of medicine and of microbiology and immunology, is co-pi. Gwendolyn Johnson, PhD, IUPUI Graduate Office, serves as the coordinator at IU, and Joseph Cameron, PhD, Jackson State University, is the JSU coordinator.

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She has a doctorate in pathology and laboratory animal medicine and a DVM from the University of Missouri, Columbia.

**LARC director search begins**

IUSM seeks an outstanding veterinarian to serve as director of its expanding animal resources program. Candidates must have a DVM or VMD from an accredited school of veterinary medicine and be licensed in the United States. Certification by ACLAM is strongly desired.

Thorough knowledge of all federal, state, and regulatory requirements is required. At least five years of administrative, financial and human resources management experience is desired;
excellent management, oral and written communication and interpersonal skills are required.

Applicants should include a cover letter with their vision of an optimally-functioning laboratory animal resource center and explain how it could be developed and managed. The letter, curriculum vitae and names of references or letters of recommendation should be sent to Rose Fife, MD, Search and Screen Committee, Fesler Hall 318, 1120 South Drive, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-5114. Applications will be reviewed as received.

Indiana University is an AA/EOE, M/F/D. See www.medicine.iu.edu/home.html for more information on IUSM.

FEED your brain at faculty development workshop

“The Basics of Evaluating Learners,” a Faculty Enrichment and Education Development Series (FEED) workshop will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 28, in the Riley Outpatient Center auditorium. The seminar, hosted by the IU Department of Medicine, provides two hours of Category 1 CME credit.

The Department of Medicine provides the highest quality learning environment for medical students, residents and fellows. To that end, FEED now is offered quarterly and will cover key topics in clinical teaching. The workshops will provide an opportunity for the department faculty to improve their teaching skills in a collegial and fun environment.

A key responsibility in the IUSM academic mission is to educate others in the medical profession. This requires a set of skills to understand and evaluate the performance of our learners recognizing their competence level. Evaluating doctors in training require specific attention to the multiple tasks and behaviors from basic knowledge and skills to attitudes and values.

This workshop will provide guidelines to evaluate learners and to recognizing levels of competence based on the “gold standard” criteria of what IUSM expects. It will also provide an opportunity to reflect on ways to improve the accuracy of evaluations.

At the conclusion of this program, participants should be able to describe and utilize the basic principles of learner evaluation, incorporate the ACGME core competencies into learner evaluation and improve the accuracy and specificity of learner evaluations.

To register, contact Kathie Mullins at kmullins@iupui.edu, or 656-4275. No fee is charged for
Department of Medicine faculty, but a $25 fee is assessed other faculty.

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Medical Alumni Association seeks nominations

The IUSM Alumni Association seeks nominations for seven position on the Medical Alumni Council. The positions are vacated by recently lapsed terms.

Service on the Medical Alumni Council is a four-year term. The Council meets three times a year. Special consideration is given to alumni from medical education centers located throughout the state. For additional information or to submit a nomination, contact Jon Barada at 274-1345, or jbarada@iupui.edu.

The Medical Alumni Council develops creative programming for its main constituency, the alumni, but also seeks to strengthen relationships with students, faculty and administrative staff. The Council seeks to mutually share and promote the objectives of the School of Medicine; to be recognized as a leader in education, clinical care and research.

The IUSM Medicine Alumni Council celebrates a long tradition of excellence. Continued development of the School's culture, values, and identity through the Alumni Association will play an increasingly important role.

For more information, see www.iupui.edu/~alumrels/medicine/.

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Carol D. Nathan Scholarship

IUPUI staff needing assistance to pay expenses and tuition not covered by fee courtesy may want to apply for a Carol D. Nathan Scholarship.

The IUPUI Staff Council awards Carol D. Nathan scholarships of $500 ($250 each semester) for the 2004-2005 academic year. To qualify, applicants must be a full-time IUPUI staff employee with at least two years of service, pursuing an associate, baccalaureate or graduate degree at IUPUI, and must have completed 12 credit hours at IUPUI with a minimum GPA of 3.0.
To apply, fill out the online application and submit a 100-word essay. The application and additional details can be found at www.iupui.edu/~scouncil, click the link Carol D. Nathan Staff Council Scholarship.

Applications also may be picked up at the Office of Student Scholarships, Cavanaugh Hall 103, or from Molly Martin in the Staff Council Office, Union Building, room 403, molmarti@iupui.edu, or 274-2215.

The application deadline is Friday, July 30.

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Back Pack Attack is back

IUPUI’s Back Pack Attack helps Indianapolis children who can't afford school supplies. Donations of supplies from faculty, staff and students are combined and distributed to students in several IPS schools in need of supplies.

The Back Pack Attack ends Friday, Aug. 6.

Donations of backpacks, erasers, rulers, crayons, art boxes, scissors, glue sticks, pencil sharpeners, ink pens, pencils and colored pencils, notebook paper and pocket folders can be deposited in specially marked bins across campus. Cash or check donations can be made to the Alumni Office at 274-8828. Checks should be made out to the IUAA (Indiana University Alumni Association) and can be dropped off at University Place, room 241 or placed in campus mail address to IP 241.

For a complete list of back to school supplies needed, see www.iupui.edu/~extaff/prom/backpack.htm. Questions may be emailed to Karen Deery at kdeery@iupui.edu, or Marty Posch at mposch@iupui.edu.

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Educational Research grant recipients

Recipients of the 2004-05 Educational Research and Development grants:
**PI:** Beat Raess, PhD  
**Title:** Remediation of Competencies VII and IX

**PI:** John Watkins, PhD  
**Title:** Integrated Assessment of Competencies via Objectively Structured Clinical Skills Experiences

**PI:** Joseph Near, PhD  
**Title:** Integration of Competencies into Medical Pharmacology

**PI:** Rex Stith, PhD  
**Title:** A Certificate Program for Volunteer Faculty Development

**PI:** Susan Hyatt-Ballinger, M.D.  
**Title:** Training and Evaluating School of Medicine Admissions Committee Members in the Assessment of Competencies of Medical School Applicants

For more information on the IUSM Educational Research and Development grants, visit MECA’s website at [http://meca.iusm.iu.edu](http://meca.iusm.iu.edu).

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**LAMP fellows recognized**

Fellows who completed the Leadership in Academic Medicine Program (LAMP) were presented certificates of recognition by Craig Brater, MD, IUSM dean.

The 2003-2004 LAMP graduates are:

Brian Foley, MD – Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Antoinette Laskey, MD – Pediatrics  
Paris Roach, MD – Medicine  
Abigail Klemsz, MD, PhD – Pediatrics  
Emmanuel Apostol, MD – Pediatrics  
Eyas Hattab, MD – Pathology & Lab Medicine  
Annette Douglas-Akinwande, MD – Radiology  
Deborah Blue-Hnidy, MD – Pathology & Lab Medicine  
Kathleen Bethin, MD, PhD – Pediatrics
The interactive program was led by Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, Richard Frankel, PhD, and Lyn Means, MD, and consisted of nine half-day workshops. LAMP is designed for faculty in the first three years of their academic appointment and the participants were nominated by department chairs.

Academic development plans, establishing a mentoring relationship, negotiation, conflict resolution, promotion and tenure, life balance and time management were some of the subjects addressed.

For information about the 2004-2005 LAMP, contact Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, associate dean for faculty affairs and professional development, at 278-5461.
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This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at noon, Saturday, July 10, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. This week's co-hosts are Ora Pescovitz, MD, and Kathy Miller, MD.

Guests include Larry Bowers, PhD, senior managing director, Technical/Information Resources for the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency, who will discuss the surging trend of amateur athletes using performance-enhancing drugs and how the USADA is battling it.

Dempsey Arnold, a local actor, will talk about the twist of one of his acting roles – that of a medical patient. In the role, he feigns all types of symptoms, conditions and diseases for medical students in a mock clinical setting.

David Nolte, PhD, professor of physics at the School of Science, Purdue University, will discuss his pioneering method of creating analog CDs that can function as inexpensive diagnostic tools for protein detection.

Archived editions of Sound Medicine, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu.

Online IUSM calendars

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar. To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.
A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at www.medicine.iu.edu. The calendar also can be accessed directly at webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm.

Submissions to Scope

*Scope* wants your news items.

The deadline for submission is 8:30 a.m. on Fridays. *Scope* is published electronically and sent to faculty, staff, students, and residents.

There are three easy ways to submit story ideas or information to *Scope*:

- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- paste your plain text message into *Scope* Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty

Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.

In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

- acronyms
- abbreviations
- campus building codes (use full, proper name of building and include the room number)
- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

To keep the electronic version of *Scope* as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.
Jackson appointed radiology chair

Valerie Jackson, MD, has been named chair of the IU Department of Radiology. She has served as interim chair since January 2003.

She succeeds Mervyn Cohen, MB, ChB, MD, who resigned as chair in December 2002 after five years in the position.

Dr. Jackson is the John A. Campbell Professor of Radiology. She received her medical degree at IUSM in 1978 and also completed her internship and residency at IU. She joined the faculty in 1982 as a lecturer and became a full professor in 1990.
Dr. Jackson is the recent past president of the American College of Radiology.

The appointment creates two firsts at IUSM: she is the first female chair of the Department of Radiology and the School now has a brother and sister each serving as chair of a department. Dr. Jackson’s brother, Robert Pascuzzi, MD, chairs the Department of Neurology.

Andreoli holds named chair

Sharon Andreoli, MD, has been named the Bryon P. and Frances D. Hollett Professor of Pediatrics.

The chair was established in 2001 by the Riley Memorial Association (now known as the Riley Children’s Foundation) in partnership with The Clowes Fund and the IU Department of Pediatrics. Byron Hollett was a 40-year member of the RMA Board of Governors and also a board member of The Clowes Fund. The position is to be held by a pediatric nephrologist.

Dr. Andreoli, who joined the IUSM faculty in 1984, is a professor of pediatrics. She completed her undergraduate, medical degree and residency at IU. Fellowships in nephrology were completed at IUSM and the University of Minnesota by Dr. Andreoli.

Doebbeling holds health services research professorship

Bradley N. Doebbeling, MD, MSc, has been named the first Department of Medicine Professor of Health Services Research. He also will retain his current title of professor of medicine.

Dr. Doebbeling joined the IUSM faculty in 2003. In addition to his named position, he is director of Health Services Research at Regenstrief Institute and director of Health Services Research and Development at the Roudebush VA Medical Center.

He came to IUSM from the University of Iowa, where he was a professor of internal medicine and epidemiology. A graduate of the University of Colorado School of Medicine, Dr. Doebbeling completed a residency in internal medicine and fellowships in clinical epidemiology and
Downs named Bepko Scholar

Stephen Downs, MD, associate professor of pediatrics and director of Pediatric Health Service Research, has been named the first Jean and Jerry Bepko Scholar.

Jerry Bepko served as chancellor of IUPUI for 16 years. The Bepko Scholar was named to honor the Bepkos and to acknowledge their support of the university and the School of Medicine.

Dr. Downs has been a faculty member at Indiana University since 2001.

McMaster faculty to visit for competency curriculum crash course

On July 19 and 20, deans and faculty from McMaster University Faculty of Health Sciences in Hamilton, Ontario, will visit IUSM to learn about the development and management of the School's competency-based curriculum and tracking and documentation of student performance.

The McMaster guests will meet with faculty and students, competency directors and center representatives, the clinical skills center, staff and faculty from the office of Medical and Curricular Affairs, and the dean’s office.

McMaster University is one of the first medical schools to use a problem-based learning approach to teaching, and pioneered many of the teaching approaches used in other schools today.

Fifteen years ago, a delegation of faculty from the IUSM Northwest Center at Gary visited McMaster to learn about their innovative problem-based learning curriculum.

The following year, the Gary branch of the medical school joined Harvard, the University of New Mexico and a continually growing number of medical schools around the world in adopting the McMaster model of community-oriented, people-centered, interdisciplinary and problem-based learning.
Since then many of the Indiana’s regional centers and the Indianapolis campus’s Concept of Health and Disease Course adopted the McMaster PBL technique. Now IUSM is considered a pioneer, along with Brown University, in establishing a curriculum based on excellence in skills, values and attitudes toward medicine and patients, in addition to medical knowledge.

New graduation-level entrepreneurship course offered

A graduate-level course designed for science, engineering and medical entrepreneurial faculty, graduate students, post docs and upperclass undergraduates will begin in August.

This three-hour course is a practical, fast-paced primer on the dynamics of high-tech entrepreneurship. It is designed to give real-life insights into the creation of a successful and profitable advanced technology business and management of a flourishing, scientifically intensive career in the business world.

The curriculum will include three modules comprised of:

1. Lectures on the critical issues in creation of companies exhibiting rapid growth based on technological innovation, often flowing out of research started within the university environment.
2. Case studies: The course also will present six successful high-tech entrepreneurs whose companies and lives will serve as role models for the students. Some of these entrepreneurs have chosen to base their companies in Indiana.
3. Career planning, leadership and business plan reviews.

The course is limited to 40 students. It will be on Thursdays beginning at 5:45 p.m. and faculty will be Scott Jones, Jack Gill, Julie McGowan and Bob McDonald.

For additional information, see [http://medicine.iu.edu/academics/93ZB710.shtml](http://medicine.iu.edu/academics/93ZB710.shtml).

One minute Web survey

The IUSM Web team wants to hear from faculty, staff and students. How can the school’s Web
site better serve its audience?

The next time you visit the home page, please pause to take the one-minute (really!) survey. Or better yet, save several seconds and click on www.medicine.iu.edu/survey/.

Thank you for taking the time to help us help you.

Clinical trials seminar – July 23

Methods and requirements for creating, collecting and organizing source documents and case report forms in paper and electronic formats will be the topic of a July 23 seminar hosted by the Clinical Trials Program.

The seminar will be from noon to 1:30 p.m. at the Riley Outpatient Center lower level classrooms. Registration is at the door and 1.5 CMEs are offered.

Presenters will be Gail Douglas from the Clinical Trials Program and Mary Arnould from Bristol Myers Squibb.

Other education opportunities hosted by the program can be found at http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/pdf/2004%20Research%20Education%20Programs.2.04.rtf.

Juvenile justice system topic of Aug. 13 conference

The Sixth Annual Conference on Infant Mental Health, hosted by the Indiana Association for Infant and Toddler Mental Health, will be from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13, in the Riley Outpatient Center conference center.

Healing the Child in Juvenile Court: Opportunities for Prevention and Early Intervention is the theme, which will be addressed by Joy Osofsky, PhD, president of Zero to Three and a psychology faculty member at Louisiana State University, Judge Cindy Lederman, presiding judge of juvenile court in Dade County, Fla., and keynote David Orentlicher, MD, JD, who has a joint appointment in the IU schools of law and medicine.
Registration is $50. For more information, call 274-7159, or email atomlin@iupui.edu.

**Scope publication schedule changes**

Summer time and the living’s easy… so *Scope* will adjust its weekly publication schedule. With fewer seminars and other events schedule during the summer, *Scope* will begin publishing on an as needed basis until classes resume in August.

Story submissions still can be emailed to mhardin@iupui.edu.

**Honors**

**Omar Hamoui**, MD, interventional cardiology staff at Krannert Institute of Cardiology, was voted June 9 by the cardiology fellows as the winner of the Charles Fisch Teacher of the Year Award, for dedication and excellence in teaching for 2003-2004.

**David Hertz**, MD, associate professor of pediatrics, was awarded the Edwin L. Gresham Award by the American Academy of Pediatrics, Indiana Chapter, in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the care of newborn infants.

**Roberta Hibbard**, MD, professor of pediatrics, has been appointed to the American Academy of Pediatrics National Committee on Child Abuse and Neglect. She will serve from 2004 to 2010.

**James Klaunig**, PhD, professor and director of toxicology in the Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology, has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Academy of Toxicological Sciences. His term is for three years. The Academy of Toxicological Sciences was founded in 1981 to evaluate and document competency in the for certification of toxicologists.

**Patrick Loehrer Sr.**, MD, associate director for clinical research at the IU Cancer Center, received the first Exemplary Service Award from the Foundation for Thymic Cancer Research at a fundraiser in April. This award was present on behalf of all the thymic cancer patients as a symbol of their gratitude.
Joseph O’Neil, MD, assistant professor of clinical pediatrics in the Section of Developmental Pediatrics, received a Special Achievement Award for Distinguished Service from AAP District V for his efforts to successfully pass legislation to require booster seats for children between the ages of four to eight years.

Gov. Joe Kernan has appointed IU radiologist Steven Willing, MD, to the Indiana Stroke Prevention Task Force. His four-year term expires July 1, 2008.

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_Sound Medicine_, the weekly radio program produced by IUSM and WFYI-FM 90.1 public radio, is moving to 4 p.m. Sundays beginning Aug. 1. It currently airs at noon on Saturdays on WFYI.

The program will be preceded by _Splendid Table_, a culinary program with a call-in component, and followed by _All Things Considered - Weekend Edition_, one of National Public Radio's most followed news programs. Both national programs have performed well in the Indianapolis area. _Splendid Table_ attracts a large female audience; _Sound Medicine_ 's news-oriented content positions it well to lead into the ATC-WE news format.

The move is part of a reorganization of programming at WFYI to create greater continuity of airtimes for national programs throughout the year and to broadcast programs at times when their primary audiences are more likely to be listening.

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Tune in at noon, Saturday, July 24, to _Sound Medicine_, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis.
James Battey, MD, PhD, director of the National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders, and a patient family from Riley Hospital for Children will discuss the benefits of cochlear implants.

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Nelson to chair new neurosurgery department

Paul Nelson, MD, is the first person to chair the newly created Department of Neurological Surgery at IUSM.

The department was established July 1 and includes 11 neurosurgeons, 10 residents, plus nursing and research staff. IU neurosurgeons will continue to serve adult and pediatric patients at IU Hospital, Riley Hospital for Children and Wishard Memorial Hospital.

Dr. Nelson was the director of the Neurological Surgery Division within the IU Department of Surgery before the division was elevated to department level. He has been on faculty since 1992. He also served as the interim executive officer of IU Medical Group-Specialty Care and the School’s executive associate dean of clinical affairs from 2002 until February 2003.

His clinical and research interests include spinal disorders and brain and pituitary tumors.
Dr. Nelson, who is the Betsey Barton Professor of Neurosurgery, completed a residency at the University of Pittsburgh and is a graduate of the Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine. He was the recipient of the School’s 2004 Glenn W. Irwin Jr. Distinguished Faculty Service Award.

New name, same mission

The Office of House Staff Affairs has changed its name to the Office of Graduate Medical Education, and the Committee on Graduate Medical Education (COGME) is now the Graduate Medical Education Committee (GMEC).

The changes were made to be more consistent with graduate medical education departments and committees across the country.

Doebbeling holds health services research professorship

Bradley N. Doebbeling, MD, MSc, has been named the first Department of Medicine Professor of Health Services Research. He also will retain his current title of professor of medicine.

The position was established in 2004 by multiple donors in hopes of obtaining additional donors to establish a full chair in health services research within the department.

A short and sweet Web survey

The IUSM Web team wants to hear from faculty, staff and students. How can the school’s Web site better serve its audience?

The next time you visit the home page, please pause to take the one-minute (really!) survey. Or better yet, save several seconds and click on www.medicine.iu.edu/survey/.
Material transfer agreements are not optional

Why are material transfer agreement (MTA) required before sending or receiving materials to colleagues outside Indiana University?

1. A formally executed MTA allows for the proper tracking of research materials, compliance with the individual terms and conditions on use, and protection of the relevant intellectual property interests of both the recipient and provider of the materials.
2. As there is no “public use” exemption in the United States for research involving a patented material of another party, unauthorized use of such material in research could potentially result in a patent infringement action against the researcher and the university.
3. A completed MTA grants the researcher and the university permission to use the material in research, so the importance of such documentation should not be overlooked.

If anticipating research using material from another institution or company, researchers should work with the corporate contracts administration (CCA) in the Research and Sponsored Programs office to have a (MTA) completed. The CCA website, which can be found at http://www.iupui.edu/~resgrad/spon/corpcontent.htm, includes links to the documentation that will be completed as appropriate to facilitate material transfers both in and out of the university.

To facilitate the MTA process, researchers, as soon as they are aware of a potential materials transfer, should complete and forward the appropriate MTA information sheet (IU as provider or IU as recipient, as found on the CCA website) along with any documentation and correspondence on that transfer to Sidney Johnson, director of corporate contracts administration (UN618), to facilitate these transfers.

Questions or comments regarding the MTA process can be addressed by Tina Noonan, associate director for corporate affairs at IUSM, at 278-5802 or tnoonan@iupui.edu.
children who want to attend college?

To find out more about enrolling in classes at IUPUI and using the fee courtesy benefit, employees are invited to attend Educational Opportunities for Staff and Faculty at IUPUI brown bag lunch from noon to 1 p.m. Thursday, July 29, in University College, room 132.

To register, contact Judy Johnson, enrollment specialist, Enrollment Center, Cavanaugh Hall room 129. Johnson can be reached at 278-4602, or johnsjud@iupui.edu.

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**Carol D. Nathan Scholarship**

IUPUI staff needing assistance to pay expenses and tuition not covered by fee courtesy may want to apply for a Carol D. Nathan Scholarship.

The IUPUI Staff Council awards Carol D. Nathan scholarships of $500 ($250 each semester) for the 2004-2005 academic year. To qualify, applicants must be a full-time IUPUI staff employee with at least two years of service, pursuing an associate, baccalaureate or graduate degree at IUPUI, and must have completed 12 credit hours at IUPUI with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

To apply, fill out the online application and submit a 100-word essay. The application and additional details can be found at www.iupui.edu/~scouncil, click the link Carol D. Nathan Staff Council Scholarship.

Applications also may be picked up at the Office of Student Scholarships, Cavanaugh Hall 103, or from Molly Martin in the Staff Council Office, Union Building, room 403, molmarti@iupui.edu, or 274-2215.

The application deadline is **Friday, July 30**.

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**Mathematica for Students now available**

Students can obtain a copy of Mathematica for Windows, or Macintosh or Linux computers for a reduced price. A valid University ID must be presented at the Cavanaugh Hall bookstore to
purchase the software for only $20.

The new software is valid until June 30, 2005. (If you are still an IU student at that time, you may renew your license for an additional $20.)

Faculty and staff: You are not eligible to purchase Mathematica under this license agreement. If interested in purchasing the software, contact the Stat/Math Center at statmath@indiana.edu or 278-4740.

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Guests will include August (Gus) Watanabe, MD, chairman of the board of directors of Biocrossroads, will share his insights on the future of biotechnology. He retired last June from his position at Eli Lilly and Co. as executive vice president of science and technology and president of Lilly Research Laboratories. He was the former chair of the Department of Medicine at the IU School of Medicine.

Tarun Jain, MD, and Mark Hornstein, MD, will discuss their analysis of national trends in embryo-transfer practice patterns and in outcomes after the use of assisted reproductive technology in order to assess if efforts to lower the incidence of multiple gestations have been effective. Their report was published earlier this year in the New England Journal of Medicine.

Also appearing is Mary Roach, author of Stiffs: The Curious Lives of Human Cadavers, which details what happens to the human body after death and discusses everything from Egypt mummies to research done today on cadavers.

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Leapman receives named chair

Stephen Leapman, MD, has been named the Frank C. and Ruby L. Moore and George T. Lukemeyer Professor. He will retain his current titles of executive associate dean for educational affairs and professor of surgery.

The chair was established in 1997 by Frank and Ruby Moore to recognize Dr. Lukemeyer for his several decades of distinguished service to the School as a physician and mentor to young medical students.

The holder of the chair is to be an IUSM faculty member who also is the chair of the School of Medicine Admissions Committee, a position that was held by Dr. Lukemeyer for 17 years.

Dr. Leapman joined the IUSM faculty in 1977. He has served as executive associate dean for
New faculty orientation sessions offered

Research and Sponsored Programs will participate in the IUPUI New Faculty Orientation on Wednesday, Aug. 18 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. in the IUPUI University Library Auditorium.

New faculty are invited to attend the three new research concurrent sessions offered by R&SP after the general session from 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.:

- The State of Research Funding at IUPUI and the Goal to Double Research
  10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m., and 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.
- Getting Started with Research
  1:30 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.
- Dialogue with the Research Administration Staff
  2:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

The sessions will cover research initiatives, the goal to double the amount of research and the “big picture” of research administration at IUPUI.

Join R&SP for an informal networking session with the research administration staff. Browse the exhibits, chat with the research staff, and get to know new colleagues. Refreshments will be provided.

Register online at http://www.opd.iupui.edu/register/nfo/ to attend the Aug. 18 sessions.

IUPUI New Faculty Orientation

Three sessions providing an overview of the benefit plans, complete with assistance for completing the enrollment forms, will be offered.

New faculty should register to attend one of the sessions, preferably the session closest to his/her appointment date. The sessions:

- Wednesday, Aug. 18 - University Library, Lower level (Academic/Cultural Fair) 1:30 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.
- Wednesday, Aug. 25 - University Library, Room 1116, noon to 1:30 p.m.
Due to the way the new Human Resources Management System processed the benefits enrollment information, it is imperative that new faculty register before attending one of the sessions. This will ensure that the new faculty member's customized benefit program enrollment form will be available.

Contact a benefits specialist at 274-4596 or benefits@iupui.edu to register for one of the sessions.

Faculty may bring a sack lunch to the session.

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**White Coat Ceremony this Saturday**

Two-hundred-eighty first-year students will participate in IUSM’s White Coat Ceremony at 3 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 14, at the Murat Theatre, 502 N. New Jersey St.

With their families and friends looking on, the Class of 2008 will be presented with coats – symbolic of clinical service – and repeat a pledge whose origins are attributed to the Greek physician Hippocrates.

Keith Lillemoe, MD, chairman of the IU Department of Surgery, will be the speaker.

The White Coat Ceremony has become a staple activity at the IU School of Medicine.

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**Survey ongoing for Research and Sponsored Programs**

Survey forms for a routine, five-year evaluation of the office of Research and Sponsored Programs and Vice Chancellor Mark Brenner, PhD, have been mailed to all faculty. The survey addresses responsibilities of the office ranging from graduate student affairs to human subjects compliance and corporate contracts.

Forms should be returned to David Crabb, MD, chair of the review committee, at Emerson Hall, room 317. Individuals in need of another survey should call his office at 274-8438.
“This process is intended to identify areas of strengths and weaknesses, and is important in making the administration of our research and graduate student activities more efficient,” says Dr. Crabb. “A prompt return of the surveys is appreciated.”

Registration open for IU Research Coordinator Education Program

An educational program for research coordinators will be offered by the IU Clinical Trials Program, the Outpatient Clinical Research Facility and the School of Nursing Sept. 22-24.

The program is designed to introduce new research coordinators to the world of clinical research and to provide specific guidance about how to conduct and coordinate clinical drug studies at IU.

The cost of the program is $320 if registered by Sept. 10. After that date the cost is $370. Payments from grant accounts or other IU accounts are acceptable.

The program will be in the Ruth Lilly Learning Center, conference rooms A and B, on the lower level of Riley Outpatient Center.

For complete information and a registration form, see http://nursing.iupui.edu/lifelonglearning/.

Visual Media offers design, other professional services

The IUPUI Office of Campus Design, Print and Mail has trimmed its mission to only mail services. IUSM faculty and staff have not been left in the lurch - the Office of Visual Media continues to offer full-service media design, as well as other media services at highly discounted and competitive prices.

Visual Media is available to assist faculty with a staff of highly trained and talented professionals to enhance research or educational needs. The office is located in room 102, Emerson Hall, or call 274-7478.
Bepko golf tournament – Sept. 3

IUPUI students, faculty and staff are invited to participate in the Department of Intramural and Recreational Sports 28th annual 2004 Bepko Classic Golf Tournament Friday, Sept. 3, at Eagle Creek Golf Course.

For additional information, see www.iupui.edu/~iupuirec under intramurals (golf), call 274-2824, or email cdstone@iupui.edu.

The deadline for registration and payment is Friday, Aug. 17

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Mark your calendar for Dunk the Deans

The second "Dunk the Deans" fundraising event will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 24, on the lawn in front of Fesler Hall. The initial event in 2002 raised about $10,000 for the IU-Moi University program in Kenya.

This year's dunkee lineup will be even larger than the inaugural event. In addition to Dean Brater and some of the executive associate deans and department chairs, dunkees will include IUPUI Chancellor Charles Bantz, Executive Vice Chancellor and Dean of the Faculties William Plater, Kim King from WXIN Fox 59, and other surprise guests.

New to the event will be a silent auction.

Read Scope for additional information.

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EndNote workshop – Sept. 1

Getting Started with EndNote, a hands-on workshop for bibliographic citation management software, will be 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 1, in the computer lab in room 016 of VanNuys Medical Science Building.
Ronald McDonald House open house

An open house at the Ronald McDonald House of Indiana, 435 Limestone St., will be from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 18. This event is an opportunity for the community to take a first-hand look at Indiana’s only home-away-from-home for families of children undergoing serious medical treatment at area hospitals, primarily Riley Hospital for Children.

Visitors will be treated to refreshments and tours of the 50,000 square-foot house, including the transplant recovery apartments.

The open house schedule of events:

- 9 - 9:30 a.m. -- Open house and tours begin with breakfast courtesy of the Automotive Finance Corporation.
- 11 – 1 p.m. -- Lunch is provided courtesy of Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary of Beech Grove. Enjoy a soft drink ice cream float courtesy of the Coca-Cola Company and the Kiwanis Daybreakers.
- Noon – 1 p.m. -- Meet the Indiana Firebirds Fabulous Flames.
- 5 – 7 p.m. -- Enjoy a hamburger and hotdog cookout courtesy of Christ United Methodist Church. Ronald McDonald will be here to entertain the children.

Meet the Indiana Speed Football Team as well as Anthony Calhoun of WISH-TV’s Sports Team.

For more information, contact Anita Beeler, at 269-2247, or e-mail at abeeler@iupui.edu.
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Mary Gavin, MD, author of *Fit Kids: A Practical Guide To Raising Healthy And Active Children – From Birth To Teens*, will discuss the role schools play in educating kids about nutrition and fitness.

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Data-Driven Decision process to continue

Dean Craig Brater, MD, and the IUSM executive associate deans have agreed to continue implementation of the Data-Driven Decisions (3D) process. Their decision followed a daylong retreat on Aug. 9 at the Marten House at which about 35 school administrative and departmental leaders discussed the project.

The 3D project was initiated earlier this year as a means to gather better information about the resources devoted to school’s education, clinical and research missions; to make better decisions about allocating resources in difficult financial times; to broaden participation and make the process more transparent; and to encourage and reward excellence.

The project, led by Dr. Brater and managed by Robert Jones, MD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations, has been overseen by a nine-member steering committee. That steering committee will continue to meet, said Dr. Jones, and its role will be
broadened to oversee the review and updating of the school’s strategic plan, adopted in 2000. (The strategic plan can be found at http://www.medicine.iu.edu/strategic_plan/index.shtml.)

The three faculty design teams that studied education, research and clinical activities over the past several months will be collapsed into one team with representatives from each of the three predecessor teams.

At the leadership retreat, the design teams and the finance team presented their reports. Highlights of the ensuing discussion included these points:

- The project produced first-pass data that showed the potential for the 3D process, but must be refined to be used in making prioritizing decisions for the school.
- All of those present at the retreat agreed that the transparency of the process and the distribution of the financial data was refreshing, useful and should continue.
- There was consensus that many members of the faculty continue to have concerns about 3D and that continuing communications are necessary to address those concerns. The concerns arise from the time accounting nature of the process; however, there was consensus that outside forces, especially the federal government, force us to account for the distribution of individual faculty time. If we do not do so, we place the school in jeopardy.
- Most, but not all, of those at the retreat concluded that the 3D process and findings demonstrated that 3D can be a useful tool, particularly if it is more explicitly linked to the school's missions and goals as laid down in the school’s strategic plan. It was recommended that there be a progress report about goals attained and not attained towards the strategic plan, as well as where it has been amplified and updated.
- There was a consensus that much more work needs to be done to make 3D a truly useful process, and it was agreed that a single, streamlined design team needs to continue working because many issues involve more than one mission.
- There was discussion of the efficacy of creating a new or expanded leadership council that would include some department chairs and faculty representatives in order to broaden the budgeting process.

More details about the retreat and the reports presented there will be forthcoming on the 3D web site at http://www.medicine.iu.edu/administration/ddd/index.shtml.

Pescovitz, Tector expand roles

Mark Pescovitz, MD, has been named vice chair of research for the IU Department of Surgery and Joseph Tector, MD, will direct the Division of Organ Transplant Surgery and the Clarian
Dr. Pescovitz, who was named director of the Clarian Transplant Center last year, will focus on coordinating the expansion of the Surgical Research Program and serve in an administrative role for all clinical and basic science research activity. He also will assist with the development of the IUSM’s proposed Center of Immunobiology, directed by David Wilkes, MD.

Dr. Pescovitz, who will remain an active member of the IU clinical transplant group, will continue in his position as professor of surgery and of microbiology and immunology and director of the Transplant Immunology Laboratory. His research focus has primarily been in T-cell and B-cell immunology, diabetes and clinical transplant immunosuppression.

Dr. Tector joined the IU faculty in 2000 and has been instrumental in development of the hepatic transplantation program, which now is one of the top three most active programs in the country. His research interest including improving the clinical results of liver transplantation, organ preservation and xenotransplantation.

Other faculty members of the IU Division of Transplant Surgery are Martin Milgrom, MD, PhD, Jonathan Fridell, MD, William Goggins, MD, and Rodrigo Vianna, MD.

Callahan receives endowed chair

Christopher Callahan, MD, has been named the first Cornelius and Yvonne Pettinga Professor of Medicine at IUSM.

The Pettinga Chair was established in 1998 by Cornelius and Yvonne Pettinga to ensure support for program development and research in aging at IU.

Dr. Callahan, who also is an adjunct professor of psychiatry, is director of the IU Center for Aging Research.

Counsell receives endowed chair
Steven Counsell, MD, a professor of medicine at IUSM, has been named the first Mary Elizabeth Mitchell Professor Geriatrics.

The Mitchell Chair was established in 2000 by the Fort Wayne-based English-Bonter-Mitchell Foundation in memory of its former director who died in 1999. The position must be held by a medical school faculty member involved in program development and leadership activities related to geriatrics and aging research.

Dr. Counsell is director of the clinical geriatrics programs at IU.

Committee to steer PARC transition

A new committee, the IUSM/PARC Advisory Committee, has been formed by IUSM to provide guidance and support for the Protein Analysis Research Center (PARC), which is the academic component of the Indiana Centers for Applied Protein Sciences (INCAPS).

INCAPS was created in July 2004 through a BioCrossroads initiative to take advantage of private sector opportunities in proteomics and simultaneously meet academic needs. Indiana University Health Care Associates, Inc., an affiliate of the School, holds a significant equity position that will be used to sustain the academic component.

The Proteomics Core formerly supported by IUSM and directed by Mu Wang, PhD, was incorporated into INCAPS as PARC.

It is the objective of this new committee to ensure there is a seamless transition from the Proteomics Core to PARC in which the needs of IUSM investigators continue to be met.

The members of the committee are Wade Clapp, Len Erickson, Robert Harris, Janet Hock, Tom Hurley (chair), Robert Jones, Rick Ludwig, Mu Wang and Frank Witzmann.

Faculty are encouraged to contact any of the committee members with any issues or suggestions related to PARC.


**New faculty orientation sessions offered**

Research and Sponsored Programs will participate in the IUPUI New Faculty Orientation on Wednesday, Aug. 18 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. in the IUPUI University Library Auditorium.

New faculty are invited to attend the three new research concurrent sessions offered by R&SP after the general session from 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.:

- The State of Research Funding at IUPUI and the Goal to Double Research  
  10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m., and 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.
- Getting Started with Research  
  1:30 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.
- Dialogue with the Research Administration Staff  
  2:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

The sessions will cover research initiatives, the goal to double the amount of research and the “big picture” of research administration at IUPUI.

Join R&SP for an informal networking session with the research administration staff. Browse the exhibits, chat with the research staff, and get to know new colleagues. Refreshments will be provided.

Register online at [http://www.opd.iupui.edu/register/nfo/](http://www.opd.iupui.edu/register/nfo/) to attend the Aug. 18 sessions.

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Registration continues for Bepko Classic

IUPUI students, faculty and staff are invited to participate in the Department of Intramural and Recreational Sports annual 2004 Bepko Classic Golf Tournament Friday, Sept. 3, at Eagle Creek Golf Course.

For additional information, see www.iupui.edu/~iupuirec under intramurals (golf), call 274-2824, or email cdstone@iupui.edu.

The deadline for registration and payment is Friday, Aug. 27.

IU Geriatrics Conferences for September

Three IU Geriatrics Conferences are planned for September. Each session is from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B:

Sept. 1  “Breast Cancer in Older Women”
       Anna Maria Storniolo, MD
       IU Professor of Clinical Medicine

Sept. 15 “Evidence-Based Delirium Care for Hospital Patients”
       Barbara Kamholz, MD
       IUSM Visiting Professor
“Swallowing Disorders in Older Adults and the Role of Esophageal Dilation as a Therapeutic Maneuver”
Debra Helper, MD
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Meat of the matter is food for thought

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Guests include Stacey Ingraham, PhD, with the University of Minnesota School of Kinesiology, who will discuss current research findings that, contrary to popular belief, are telling us that stretching before a workout does not appear to decrease the risk of injury and soreness.

Curtis Morris, MD, from the University of California, San Francisco, departments of medicine, pediatrics and radiology, will talk about his current research exploring the importance of dietary potassium.
Inhaled insulin—a long awaited innovation for diabetics—will be discussed by Paris Roach, MD, IU professor of clinical medicine.

A special guest on the program will be Arizona Public Radio’s Ann Heppermann, who will interview David Trainer, a manufacturer of facial prosthetics.

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3D design committee named

Fourteen members of the faculty have been named to the design committee that will continue working on the Data-Driven Decisions (3D) project, announced Robert Jones, MD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations.

The committee will meet every other week to make basic decisions on the implementation of the 3D process, Dr. Jones said.

The committee members were drawn from those who served on the clinical, education and research design teams that helped prepare the “first-pass” 3D data that was presented to the faculty leadership retreat on Aug. 9.
The committee members are: Asok Antony, MD, Department of Medicine; Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, Department of Family Medicine; William Bosron, PhD, Graduate Studies; Allison Brashear, MD, Department of Neurology; Peter Duong, PhD, Department of Anatomy & Cell Biology / Terre Haute Center for Medical Education; John Emhardt, MD, Department of Anesthesia; Debra Litzelman, MD, Department of Medicine; Gerry Oxford, PhD, Stark Neurosciences Research Institute; Fredrick Pavalko, PhD, Department of Cellular & Integrative Physiology; Fred Rescorla, MD, Department of Pediatrics; Peter Roach, PhD, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology; Jeffrey Rothenberg, MD, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology; Anantha Shekhar, MD, PhD, Department of Psychiatry; Eric Wiebke, MD, Department of Surgery; and Mervin Yoder, MD, Department of Pediatrics.

The 3D Steering Committee, which has been overseeing the 3D process, will continue to meet, and will add reviews of the school’s strategic plan, its clinical research plan and the research initiative business plan to the committee’s duties.

Members of the steering committee remain: Dean D. Craig Brater, MD; Talmage Bosin, Ph.D., assistant dean and director of the Medical Sciences Program, Bloomington; Kenneth Cornetta, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Medical Molecular Genetics; David Crabb, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Medicine; Michael Koch, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Urology; Keith Lillemoe, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Surgery; Christopher McDougle, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Psychiatry; Richard Schreiner, MD, professor and chair of the Department of Pediatrics; and Michael Vasko, PhD, professor and chair of the Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology.

The school’s executive associate deans are ex-officio members of the steering committee.

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Culture change topic of Sept. 2 open forum

A community open forum, hosted by the Relationship-Centered Care Initiative, will be from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 2, in Wishard Outpatient East, room T2008.

The initiative seeks to initiate a process of ongoing organizational change at IUSM and to foster research on relationship-centered care. Today, more than 80 members of the IUSM community - staff, faculty, residents, students, administrators and patients - have voluntarily joined the RCCI Discovery Team to guide the project's activities.

Faculty, staff and students are invited to attend the forum as their schedules permit. The session will showcase stories discovered, connections made and initiatives nurtured during the first year
The RCCI began at IUSM in 2003, the School’s centennial year. The initiative, unprecedented in medical education, is to transform the "hidden curriculum" of the medical school - the social and interpersonal environment in which students function every day, and from which they internalize their professional values.

RCCI is funded with a three-year grant from the Fetzer Institute. Leading the initiative are IUSM’s Tom Inui, MD, Deb Litzelman and Rich Frankel, and outside consultants Penny Williamson and Tony Suchman.

For more information, contact project manager Dave Mossbarger at 630-6232, or dmossbarger@regenstrief.org.

Unique opportunity for biomed startup entrepreneurs

Beginning Thursday, Aug. 26, an extraordinary new course on high tech entrepreneurship will be offered at IUPUI. The course is “High Tech Startups: Focus on the Life Sciences.”

This is a unique opportunity to learn from an exceptional leading team of entrepreneurs that include Jack Gill, Pete Kissinger, Scott Jones and Dane Miller. Gill is a Silicon Valley veteran who has started numerous successful firms, including Vanguard Ventures, and teaches similar entrepreneurship courses at Harvard, MIT and Stanford.

Jones, holder of the patent on voice-mail technology, is founder and chairman of the Indiana venture capital firm Gazelle TechVentures. Miller is president and CEO of Biomet Inc., and Kissinger is CEO of Bioanalytical Systems Inc.

This course, which may be offered on a one-time-only basis, is designed to bridge the fields of business and science and will help students understand how to transfer scientific discovery and technologies into the “real world.” The course is designed for faculty, graduate students and post-docs who might have an interest in entrepreneurial pursuits.

To register, contact Julie Moore at 274-0885 or jlmoore@iupui.edu.

More information about the course is at medicine.iu.edu/academics/93ZB710.shtml.
Small business funding opportunities

Program managers from more than 10 federal agencies will be in Indianapolis on Sept. 15 to participate in the SWIFT V (Small Business Innovative Research and Small Business Technology Transfer Programs “Where Innovation Focuses Technology”) outreach tour, to discuss federal SBIR and STTR funds available to small businesses for their innovative research. The event will be at the Indiana State Museum auditorium.

The Small Business Innovative Research and Small Business Technology Transfer Programs are federal initiatives that offer more than $2 billion annually to U.S. small businesses and research institutions.

During this conference Program Managers from the National Institutes of Health, National Science Foundation, Department of Homeland Security, Department of Defense, Department of Transportation, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Department of Energy and the Environmental Protection Agency will discuss their agency's funding opportunities and meet one-on-one with business owners, entrepreneurs, scientists, and engineers to offer insight on how to tap into SBIR and STTR funding.

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**Bioethics Research Rounds begin in September**

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BRR sessions will be in the Center's conference room at 714 N. Senate Ave., room 200, on the second Friday of each month from noon to 1 p.m. This is a brown bag lecture series; beverages will be provided.

The series, hosted by the Center, is an opportunity for faculty to present and learn about bioethics research in progress.

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**Hands-on learning highlights fall Mini Medical School**

Do you want to learn the basics of how to save the life of heart attack victim? Have you ever wondered what it would be like to try your hand at surgery? Want to observe the use of acupuncture needles and other non-traditional therapies to relieve pain.

These and three other topics will be demonstrated by IUSM physicians and other health experts at the fall series of Mini Medical School, Oct. 12 through Nov. 16. All but the final two-hour weekly sessions will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesdays in the lower-level auditorium at the Riley Outpatient Center. The last session will meet at a location to be announced.

Most of the sessions will give participants the opportunity to handle many of the training tools at the medical school. The interactive confabs will be conducted by the School’s top physicians, researchers and other medical staff. Here is what’s on tap for the upcoming sessions.

**Oct. 12: No Pain, Big Gain**

How patients benefit from alternative therapies such as acupuncture, visualization, herbal
remedies and biofeedback at the IU School of Medicine’s Integrative Pain Center. This session is led by a physician who incorporates complementary methods with conventional medicine.

**Oct. 19: Heart Help 101**
The basics of cardiopulmonary resuscitation and how automated external defibrillators work. Participants also will have the chance to sign up for future coursework leading to certifications.

**Oct. 26: Inner Visions**
Ultrasound and other advance imaging tools are used to diagnose and treat illnesses.

**Nov. 2: Bedside Manner**
Learn how medical students improve their communications and diagnoses skills with actor-patients who simulate real-life scenarios. Mini Medical School participants will evaluate how well they do.

**Nov. 9: Applied Genomics**
What do genetics counselors do? How do they help families learn to live with familial and genetic disease?

**Nov. 16: Tools of the Trade**
Enter an operating room where you don’t have to scrub. Virtually reality tools are used to teach surgeons. And meet a $250,000 “patient” anesthesiology residents work on frequently to hone their skills. This session will meet at another location and participants will be given directions to it at the beginning of the series.

Cost to attend the six-week series is $40 per person and advanced registration is required. Parking is included. For information or to register, call 278-7600. When registering, refer to Course No. 042N01A00.

**EndNote workshop – Sept. 1**

Getting Started with EndNote, a hands-on workshop for bibliographic citation management software, will be 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 1, in the computer lab in room 016 of VanNuys Medical Science Building.

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Clinical research focus of symposium

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The event will be at the University Place Conference Center. Speakers will include Paul Helft, MD, assistant professor of medicine and a hematologist/oncologist at IUSM, Stacia Matthews, health reporter at WRTV Channel 6, and Christine Pierre, RN, president of Rx Trials Inc.

The pre-registration cost of the event is $125 for ACRP members and $150 for non-members. Pre-registration must be postmarked by **Friday, Sept. 3**. An additional $25 charge is accessed for on-site registration. Checks can be mailed to Circle City ACRP, 8218 Stoney Bend Circle, Indianapolis, IN 46259.

For additional information, contact Marta Sears at msears@iupui.edu.
Grant writing workshop – Oct. 18

“Writing Winning Grants,” a workshop for academics interest in securing grant funding, will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Oct. 18, in the Riley Outpatient Center lower level auditorium.

The fee is $100 and includes instructional materials and refreshments.

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Michael Conneally, PhD, an IUSM medical geneticist, will discuss the National Research Roster for Huntington’s Disease Patients and Families, the only database of its kind. Dr. Conneally, principal investigator of the database, was one of the researchers who first identified the Huntington gene in 1983.

Sound Medicine’s Jonathon Schmitz travels to an Indiana prison where inmates train and care for puppies that will be used as service dogs.

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Pescovitz named Riley Hospital president and CEO

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, MD, IUSM’s top dean of research, has been named president and chief executive officer of Riley Hospital for Children. She will assume those duties Sept. 1.

Dr. Pescovitz will continue to serve as the medical school’s executive associate dean for research
As a longtime faculty member and physician practicing at the state’s premier hospital for children, Dr. Pescovitz said she is excited by the opportunity to lead Riley to new levels of excellence in research, patient care and advocacy for children’s health.

“Riley has always been one of Indiana’s crown jewels, one that we want to continue polishing. We want to continue to expand its services to the children of Indiana and be recognized as a national leader among children’s hospitals,” said Dr. Pescovitz. “I am thrilled to join the hospital and the Clarian leadership team during this exciting new era for Riley.”

As an executive associate dean, she has administered the school of medicine’s research program, which brings in more than $210 million per year in grants and contracts. She also oversees the Indiana Genomics Initiative, funded by $155 million in grants from Lilly Endowment, which helped lay the research foundation for BioCrossroads and Indiana’s life sciences economic initiatives.

IUSM Dean Craig Brater, MD, said, “Ora is a special talent. She is a skilled clinician, scientist and administrator. She has perspective and vision that make her such a valuable contributor to anything she does. She has given the school remarkable leadership in guiding our research mission for the past four years. Her next role with split responsibilities for Clarian and the school will allow her charisma and vision to apply even more broadly; this will be great for both organizations.”

This unprecedented joint appointment will benefit both the hospital and the school, strengthening the process in which world-class basic research is conducted and then translated into treatments that directly benefit patients.

For additional information on the appointment, see: http://www.medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/viewRelease.php4?art=177

**IUPUI campaign earns the gold ring**

The $1 billion Campaign for IUPUI raised more than double what any other campaign for an Indiana public university has collected.

The finally tally for the comprehensive campaign was $1,039,042,828, according to the official
announcement last week. The campaign ended June 30.

The contributions are to support students, endowed faculty positions, research, academic programs, buildings and other initiatives that will enable the campus to better serve students and Hoosiers.

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Some 70,507 donors supported the campaign, including:

- Gifts from donors – alumni, friends, corporations, foundations and other organizations -- $548 million
- Gifts to Riley Children’s Foundation -- $79.4 million
- Non-government research grants -- $411.6 million

The previous fundraising record was set by IU’s Bloomington campus when its campaign was completed in 2000 and $504 million had been raised.

For additional information, see http://broadcast.iu.edu/ceremon/iupui/index.html.

**Relationship-Centered Care forum – Sept. 2**

A community open forum, hosted by the Relationship-Centered Care Initiative, will be from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 2, in Wishard Outpatient East, room T2008.

The initiative seeks to initiate a process of ongoing organizational change at IUSM and to foster research on relationship-centered care. Today, more than 80 members of the IUSM community - staff, faculty, residents, students, administrators and patients - have voluntarily joined the RCCI Discovery Team to guide the project's activities.

Faculty, staff and students are invited to attend as their schedules permit. The session will showcase stories discovered, connections made and initiatives nurtured during the first year of the initiative.

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interpersonal environment in which students function every day, and from which they internalize their professional values.

RCCI is funded with a three-year grant from the Fetzer Institute. Leading the initiative are IUSM’s Tom Inui, MD, Deb Litzelman and Rich Frankel, and outside consultants Penny Williamson and Tony Suchman.

For more information, contact project manager Dave Mossbarger at 630-6232, or dmossbarger@regenstrief.org.

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Biomedical research grants available

The deadline for applying for biomedical research grants is Wednesday, Sept. 1.

In general, two categories of research projects will benefit from this program:

- Research projects of investigators new to the school who do not yet have extramural funding and who need support to acquire the preliminary data necessary to compete for extramural funding
- Research projects of established investigators who are between funding periods from extramural sources.

For additional information, see adminfinance.iusm.iu.edu/operations/brg.htm.

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Women and family health series begins

“Crossing Michigan Street - Information for Your Good Health” is a free monthly lunchtime series presented on the first Tuesday of each month, September through May (except January). It will focus on health concerns of women and their families.

Faculty, staff, and students are invited to bring their “brown bag” lunches and listen to health profession experts on campus address a variety of issues, including anxiety disorders, obesity, sleep disturbances, contraception, relationship health and domestic violence.
The first will be noon to 1 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 7, in room 1126, University Library. Co-Sponsors are the IU Center of Excellence in Women’s Health and Human Resource Administration Work/Life.

Register for the event at www.opd.iupui.edu/events.asp?unit=OPD.

Mentoring workshop – Sept. 15

“Brown Bag: An Introduction to Mentoring,” an overview of the mentoring program, will be from noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 15, in the University Library, room 1116.

For more information or to register in advance, contact Marilyn Bedford at 278-6221, or visit the website at www.opd.iupui.edu/pcpd/.

September Combined Seminar Series

The September Combined Seminar Series will be Wednesdays from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the Cancer Research Institute auditorium.

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**Sept. 8** – Mark Goebl, PhD, IU professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, “Toward a Global Characterization of SCF Ubiquitin Ligase Function”

**Sept. 15** -- Teresa Wilson, assistant professor, Department of Radiation Oncology, University of Maryland School of Medicine, “DNA Mismatch Repair: Matching Proteins with Functions”

**Sept. 22** -- Chris E. Touloukian, MD, assistant professor, Department of Surgery, IU School of Medicine, “Looking at Self and Seeing Danger: Developing Immunotherapies for Cancer”

**Sept. 29** -- Harold Moses, MD, director, Vanderbilt-Ingram Comprehensive Cancer Center, B.F.
7 habits in 3 days

IUPUI will offer three-day workshops on “The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People.” The workshops will be Sept. 22-24 and Dec. 15-17. Registration is $299.

For more information or to register online, see www.hrs.iupui.edu/7habits.asp.

Clinical research symposium – Sept. 3

The Circle City Chapter of the Association of Clinical Research Professionals will present “Public Perception of Clinical Research” during a daylong symposium Saturday, Sept. 11.

The event will be at the University Place Conference Center. Speakers will include Paul Helft, MD, assistant professor of medicine and a hematologist/oncologist at IUSM, Stacia Matthews, health reporter at WRTV Channel 6, and Christine Pierre, RN, president of Rx Trials Inc.

The pre-registration cost of the event is $125 for ACRP members and $150 for non-members. Pre-registration must be postmarked by Friday, Sept. 3. An additional $25 charge is accessed for on-site registration. Checks can be mailed to Circle City ACRP, 8218 Stoney Bend Circle, Indianapolis, IN 46259.

For additional information, contact Marta Sears at msears@iupui.edu.

Medical Humanities symposium – Oct. 7 and 8

Eric Cassell, MD, will be the keynote at the IUPUI Medical Humanities Program “Blame and
Respectability in Medicine,” a two-day symposium Thursday, Oct. 7, and Friday, Oct. 8.

Dr. Cassell, clinical professor of public health at Cornell University Medical College, is author of numerous books including *The Healer’s Art* and *Talking with Patients*.

The event, which is supported in part by the Clarian Values Fund, will be at the University Place Conference Center on Oct. 7, and at the Ruth Lilly Learning Center, Riley Outpatient Clinical on Oct. 8.

The pre-registration cost of the event is $15 for students and $50 for non-students. The deadline for pre-registration is Thursday, Sept. 30. Checks and completed registration forms can mailed to Judi Izuka-Campbell, Medical Humanities Program, Cavanaugh Hall 329, IUPUI 425 University Blvd., Indianapolis, IN 46202.

For additional information, see medhumanities.iupui.edu, or contact Judi Izuka-Campbell at 274-4740, or jizukac@iupui.edu.

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**Honors**

IUSM pediatrician Marilyn Bull, MD, director of the Section of Developmental Pediatrics, has
been selected by the National Governor’s Highway Safety Association to receive the 2004 James J. Howard Highway Safety Trailblazer Award. The GHSA serves as the states’ voice on highway safety and represents the managers of the highway safety programs of all states and territories in the U.S. The Trailblazer Award is GHSA’s highest award and honors a recipient who has made a concerted effort to make our nation’s highways safer.

James Klaunig, PhD, professor of toxicology, has been named editor-in-chief of Toxicologic Pathology, the journal of the Society of Toxicologic Pathology. The Society is an association of pathologists and other scientists dedicated to the advancement of pathology as it pertains to pharmacological, chemical and environmental agents.

This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 5, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. Co-hosts this week are Ora Pescovitz, MD, and Kathy Miller, MD.

New trends in plastic surgery will be discussed by A. Michael Sadove, MD, IU professor of oral and maxillofacial surgery and of plastic surgery.

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MISB groundbreaking advances life sciences research

The goal of establishing Indiana as a national leader in life sciences research and industry took a significant step Sept. 1 with the groundbreaking for the Indiana University Medical Information Sciences Building.

Indiana Gov. Joe Kernan, Indianapolis Mayor Bart Peterson, IU President Adam Herbert, IUPUI Chancellor Charles Bantz and IU School of Medicine Dean D. Craig Brater, MD, participated in the ceremonies. The site is located near the Canal Walk at 10th Street. The property, formerly the site of the Indianapolis Police Department mounted police horse barn, was given to IU by the City of Indianapolis.

“Behind you, work has begun on the forty-one-million-dollar Medical Information Sciences Building, a project that will house some of the country’s most singularly outstanding contributors
to the life sciences,” Dr. Brater told the 200-plus guests and visitors attending the ceremony.

The 167,000-square-foot facility will provide space for five IU programs: the Division of Children’s Health Services Research, the Center for Computational Biology and Bioinformatics, the Division of Biostatistics, the Center for Bioethics and the Regenstrief Institute, Inc., whose researchers are IU faculty members.

In addition to those programs, Eli Lilly and Co. and Clarian Health Partners will have offices for scientists who work with IU faculty and researchers.

The MISB cost is $42 million, $15 million of which was authorized by the Indiana General Assembly in 2003, and the remainder in private gifts, notably from Eli Lilly and Co. and the Eli Lilly and Company Foundation.

New chair of orthopaedic surgery named

Jeffrey Anglen, MD, has been named chair of the IU Department of Orthopaedic Surgery pending approval by the IU trustees. He will begin his new duties in early 2005.

Dr. Anglen is a clinical professor of orthopaedic surgery at the University of Missouri Health Sciences Center. He joined the faculty in 1992 as an assistant professor and chief of Orthopaedic Trauma Services. Previously, he was an orthopaedic trauma fellow at the Florida Orthopaedic Institute in Tampa, Fla., in 1992.

He also has been an assistant clinical professor of orthopaedics at the University of Missouri – Kansas City and a volunteer orthopaedic surgeon with Orthopaedics Overseas in Transkei, South Africa.

Dr. Anglen graduated summa cum laude with a bachelor’s degree from the University of Missouri. He received his medical degree and completed his internship and residency at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine.

“Jeff Anglen is an accomplished trauma orthopaedist who is now at the University of Missouri,” said Dean Craig Brater, MD. “He and his wife and their young children plan to move to Indianapolis in December and he will assume his responsibilities soon thereafter. As we welcome Jeff we also should thank Randy Loder, MD, for the excellent job he has been doing as interim chair.”

Dr. Loder was named interim chair of the Department of Orthopaedics in August 2003, replacing Stephen Trippel, MD, who resigned the position to devote more time to his clinical practice and research.

Dunk the Deans – Sept. 24

What’s all this fuss about dunking something? Are they talking about dunking a donut or a basketball? Nope. They’re talking about something a whole lot more fun – dunking a dean.

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Tentative schedule of dunkees:

8 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. -- Rich Schreiner
8:30 a.m. - 9 a.m. -- Ora Pescovitz
9 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. -- Charles Bantz
9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m. -- Craig Brater
10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. -- Steve Leapman
10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. -- Steve Bogdewic
11 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. -- Bill Plater
11:30 a.m. – noon -- Bob Martin
Noon- 12:30 p.m. -- Kim King (Fox 59)
12:30 p.m. - 1 p.m. -- Chris Wright (WTHR)
1 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. -- Mike Sturek
1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m. -- Dave Crabb
2 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. -- Gerry Oxford
2:30 p.m. - 3 p.m. -- Jackie O'Donnell
3 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. -- Val Jackson
3:30 p.m. - 4 p.m. -- Doug McKeag
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4:30 p.m. - 5 p.m. -- Deb Litzelman

Volunteers are needed to help set up the event at 7:00am, and to clean up afterwards at 5:00pm. Contact Terri Ryckaert at tryckaer@iupui.edu for additional information or to volunteer. Donations of canned drinks and prepackaged food items are also needed. Contact Kathleen Boles at kboles@iupui.edu for more information.

ICVBM retreat – Sept. 17

George Vande Woude, PhD, director of the Van Andel Research Institute in Ann Arbor, Mich., will be the keynote speaker at the Indiana Center for Vascular Biology and Medicine retreat Sept. 17.

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IU School of Medicine Dean D. Craig Brater, MD, and IUPUI Chancellor Charles Bantz will be among those who take their place in the dunking booth and no doubt they will hurl encouragement and insults at throwers. Prices begin at $1; less accurate participants can make a larger donation and throw a basketball from a short distance.
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“Dunk the Deans” T-shirts are for sale for $12; contact Linda Vinson at lvinson@iupui.edu, or call 278-0057. Polo shirts will soon be available for $18 as well.

For more information about “Dunk the Deans” and a list of the “dunkees” and their times in the booth, go to www.medicine.iu.edu/events/dunkTheDeans.

NIH loan repayment programs for researchers available

The National Institutes of Health announced Sept. 1 that it has begun accepting applications for its five loan repayment programs.

National Institutes of Health Loan Repayment Programs (LRPs) can repay up to $35,000 per year of qualified educational debt for health professionals pursuing careers in clinical, pediatric, contraception and infertility, or health disparities research. The programs also provide coverage for Federal and state tax liabilities.

Applicants must have a doctoral-level degree, devote 50 percent or more of their time (20 hours per week based on a 40-hour work week) to nonprofit- or government-funded research, and have educational debt equaling at least 20% of their institutional base salary. U.S. citizens, permanent residents, or U.S. nationals may apply.

The NIH Loan Repayment Programs are a vital component of the nation's efforts to attract health professionals to research careers in areas of national need. The programs are the Clinical Research LRP, Pediatric Research LRP, Contraception and Infertility Research LRP, Clinical Research for Individuals from Disadvantaged Backgrounds LRP, and Health Disparities Research LRP.

All applications for 2005 awards must be submitted by Dec. 15, 2004.

For more information, go to www.lrp.nih.gov for further information and to apply online.
Workshop hones research evaluation skills

The workshop, How to Locate and Interpret Science and Social Science Journal Impact Factors: An Introduction to ISI’s Journal Citation Reports on the Web, will be 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., Thursday Sept. 14 at IUPUI’s University Library, room 1130.

Faculty, graduate students, librarians, and information specialists are encouraged to attend this special session, which will be guided by Randi Stocker.

ISI’s Journal Citation Reports on the Web (JCR) is a unique multidisciplinary research tool used for journal evaluation. It provides access to quantifiable statistical data that supplies a systematic, objective way to determine the relative importance of journals within their subject categories. By the end of the workshop, participants will be able to:

- Discover high-impact journals in your research area
- Determine which journals are cited most quickly (the "hottest" journals)
- Obtain a ranked list of journals for your research area--based on ISI impact-factors
- Print, save or export the data into spreadsheets for convenient and timesaving reporting

Participants will also have a better understanding of:

- What is not included in JCR
- When you should be cautious about using impact factors and journal rankings
- Why the Arts and Humanities are not directly covered in JCR

To register online use: http://opd.iupui.edu/events.asp?unit=ir, or call 278-6221. Be sure to select the workshop on Sept. 16. For more information, contact Randi Stocker at rstocker@iupui.edu or 274-0494.

John Shaw Billings lecture to strike a nerve

The John Shaw Billings History of Medicine Society, Inc. is announcing a special lecture by Sidney Ochs, Ph.D., professor emeritus of cellular and integrative physiology at Indiana University School of Medicine, in recognition of the publication of his book, A History of Nerve Functions.

The lecture will be Monday, Sept. 20, with refreshments served at 3:30 p.m. and the lecture
beginning at 4 p.m., in rooms 301 and 302 at the Ruth Lilly Medical Library.

For more information contact Nancy Eckerman at neckerm@iupui.edu or at 274-2076.

AOA annual meeting set for Oct. 11

The annual fall meeting of Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society at IUSM is set for 4 p.m., Monday, Oct. 11 in the Ruth Lilly Learning Center in the basement of the Riley Outpatient Center.

The main item of business is to elect new members for induction into AOA and to choose a new president-elect and councilor/secretary treasurer.

Nominations for membership of IU house staff, faculty and alumni are being sought. Nominees must be individuals who have demonstrated outstanding scholarship, teaching, leadership, research and volunteerism. Only active AOA members can make nominations.

Criteria for nomination and election:

- Graduate trainees. Must have completed at least one year of training; show promise of becoming leaders in their profession; have a strong academic record; demonstrate fairness, compassion, integrity and service to school and the community (up to three may be elected)
- Alumni Must have 10 or more years post graduation and have distinguished themselves in their professional career (up to two may be elected)
- Faculty Must hold MD or PhD or equivalent degree and have distinguished themselves in their professional careers (up to two faculty members may be elected)

Nominations, which should include brief background information and CVs, should be sent to Aslam Siddiqui, MD, Riley Hospital for Children, Radiology 1053, 702 Barnhill Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46202-5200. If you have questions or suggestions, please call Dr. Siddiqui at 274-0261.

Nominations must be received no later than Friday, Oct. 1.
Northwest-Gary Center offers Fall Mini Medical School

Community members who are interested in learning about some of the medical issues confronting society today are invited to attend a free four-session Mini Medical School sponsored by IUSM’s Northwest Center for Medical Education. In its ninth year, the Fall Mini Medical School offers four consecutive Wednesday evening sessions in September and October. Each session is from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., and features an in-depth, informative look at some of today’s most important health topics.

Session 1 (Sept. 22): Colon Cancer – GI Tract and Its Health. Lecturers: Dr. Peter Mavrelis and Dr. Patrick Bankston

Session 2 (Sept. 29): Heart Disease – New Treatments For Our Biggest Killer. Lecturers: Dr. David Jayakar and Dr. Stephen Echtenkamp

Session 3 (Oct. 6): The Aging Eye – Keeping Our Vision for a Lifetime. Lecturers: Dr. Scott Buck and Dr. Carl Marfurt

Session 4 (Oct. 13): Breast Cancer – Is There a Father Connection? Lecturers: Dr. Janice Zunich and Dr. Dipika Gupta

The Mini Medical School sessions are located at the Savannah Center on the Indiana University Northwest campus at 3400 Broadway in Gary. The sessions and parking is free to the public. There will be ample time for questions from the audience and refreshments will be provided.

Registration for one or all of the lectures is easy and free: simply call 219-980-6550 to hold a position in the class, or for more information.

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Firearm violence and suicide prevention conference

In an effort to reduce suicides and firearm related deaths, the IUSM-based Indiana Partnership to Prevent Firearm Violence, in conjunction with Clarian Health and National Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Indianapolis will hold a conference on Oct. 5 at North United Methodist Church at 3808 N. Meridian Street.

The 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. conference is called “Understanding, Preventing and Responding to Firearm Violence and Suicide: How the Faith Community Can Make a Difference.” Participants will discuss who is at risk for suicide or gun injuries, present ideas for helping someone who is
threatening suicide or at risk for gun injuries, and describe why gun violence and suicide are community-wide problems affecting all neighborhoods.

For more information, contact Ruby Grosdidier at 575-9128.

Library workshops build computing skills

Faculty, staff and students have access to computer workshops through IT Training & Education program. These instructor-led, hands-on workshops conducted at IUSM libraries are from one-to-three hours in length and are free to students on this campus.

Faculty, staff, and the general public may attend for a small fee. With more than 80 offerings from Word, Excel, Access, Adobe and Macromedia to CGI, SPSS and much more, it’s likely there is a workshop suited to enhance any user’s computer skills.

To see a complete list of IT Training & Education’s offerings or to register for a workshop, go to our web site at: http://ittraining.iu.edu/iupui/workshops, or call 274-7383 and to receive a catalog and schedule.

Biostatistics course offered

The Department of Medicine’s Division of Biostatistics will offer a short course in October, “Biostatistics for Physicians: A Short Course” on Oct. 5-7.

This course will be held at Riley Outpatient Center, Ruth Lilly Learning Center (lower level) from noon to 4 p.m., noon to 4 p.m. each day. The course brochure will be mailed to IU faculty in next two weeks.

For additional information and to register on-line please visit http://cme.medicine.iu.edu. This course is approved for 10.75 CME credits.
Work/Life 10,000 steps program

Work/Life is initiating a program designed to pave the way toward better physical fitness by encouraging us to take 10,000 steps a day. According to the Cooper Institute of Aerobic Research, 10,000 steps a day at moderate pace can effectively lower body fat, improve blood pressure, and increase aerobic fitness.

To receive a SportLine 330 pedometer, contact Maggie Stimming at mstimmin@iupui.edu for an order form. The cost is $10.25 for the device (checks only - payable to Indiana University). The deadline for ordering is Sept. 17.

Also, from Sept. 29 to Nov. 17, the Department of Physical Education will offer “Moving for Life” for older adults. This program includes a personal trainer and a supervised walking program. Contact Eileen Udry at 278-3312 for more information.

This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 19, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. The co-hosts this week are Ora Pescovitz, MD, and Stephen Bogdewic, PhD.

Rebecca Wappner, MD, IUSM professor of medical and molecular genetics and professor of pediatrics, will discuss newborn screening in Indiana. Kinga Szucs, MD, assistant professor of clinical pediatrics, will talk about the importance of breastfeeding and the national breastfeeding educational campaign created by the Department of Health and Human Services and the Ad Council.

Also on the program will be Zonya Foco, registered dietitian and certified health and fitness instructor, to discuss healthy eating and easy lifestyle changes for a healthier America.

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- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

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New faculty orientation Tuesday afternoon

Orientation for new faculty begins 1 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 21 in Emerson Hall Auditorium. On tap for the afternoon:

1:00 – 1:15 p.m. Welcome & Introduction

Stephen P. Bogdewic, PhD
Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs and Professional Development

1:15 – 1:45 p.m. Research Infrastructure & Support

Sharon M. Moe, MD
Associate Dean for Research Support
1:45 – 2:15 p.m. IUSM Honor Code
Stephen B. Leapman, MD
Executive Associate Dean for Educational Affairs

2:15 – 2:45 p.m. The Competency-Based Curriculum
Debra K. Litzelman, MD
Associate Dean for Medical Education & Curricular Affairs

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. Break

3:00 – 3:15 p.m. Graduate School Overview
William F. Bosron, PhD
Assistant Dean for Graduate Studies

3:15 – 3:30 p.m. Compliance
Marcia N. Gonzales, JD
Chief Compliance & Privacy Officer

3:30 - 4:00 p.m. Promotion, Tenure, Long-Term Contracts
Asok C. Antony, MD
Chair, IUSM PTC Committees

4:00 – 4:45 p.m. Questions & Answers

Water, water everywhere - and plenty of docs to dunk

Some of the top leadership at the IUSM and IUPUI are on tap for a solid soaking Friday, Sept. 24,

The second “Dunk the Deans” fundraising event is 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the lawn in front of Fesler Hall, north of Michigan Street on the IUPUI campus. Proceeds from this year’s event will be used for the IU-Moi University program in Kenya. The initial event in 2002 raised about $10,000 for the program.

IU School of Medicine Dean D. Craig Brater, MD, and IUPUI Chancellor Charles Bantz will be among those who take their place in the dunking booth and will hurl encouragement and insults at throwers. Prices begin at $1 for two softballs; less accurate participants can make a larger donation and throw a basketball from a short distance.

Other activities planned include a silent auction of various craft items, such as jewelry, afghans, sweaters and pottery made by Kenya AIDS patients; miscellaneous gift items from local businesses and restaurants; and an Ambassadair Travel Club membership.

“Dunk the Deans” T-shirts are for sale for $12, and polo shirts are being sold for $18. Contact Linda Vinson at lvinson@iupui.edu, or call 278-0057.
For more information about “Dunk the Deans” and a list of the “dunkees” and their times in the booth, go to www.medicine.iu.edu/events/dunkTheDeans.

Dean’s Grand Rounds, faculty poster session slated

The IUSM biannual Dean’s Grand Rounds will be Wednesday, Sept. 29. The purpose of this special event is to highlight current research efforts within the School, and to foster interdisciplinary research.

After presentations by Mervin Yoder, MD, and David Wilkes, MD, there will be a poster session by faculty members in the atrium of the VanNuys Medical Science Building from 10:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. A free lunch will be provided to each presenter.

Faculty members are encouraged to submit abstracts for this special event and to attend the poster presentation session. Abstracts should be submitted by e-mail in Microsoft Word format to: iusmdss@iupui.edu.

Hard copy submissions should be sent to:
Robert Havlik, MD
Plastic Surgery Section
Riley Hospital 2511

IU Geriatrics Conferences planned

The IU Geriatrics Conferences in Sept. and Oct. will be from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008. The schedule is:

Sept. 29 – Swallowing Disorders in Older Adults and the Role of Esophageal Dilations as a Therapeutic Maneuver, Debra Helper, MD

Oct. 6 – Nutrition and the Older Adult, Sara Blackburn, DSc, RD

Oct. 13 – Erectile Dysfunction in the Elderly, Alex Arizmendi, MD, geriatric medicine fellow
Healthcare communication conference, Oct. 1-3

Patients look to their physicians to provide more than correct diagnoses and accurate cost-effective treatments. They expect to be a part of medical decisions and receive information to weigh treatment options against potential risks.

That is the focus of the “Opening Dialogues in Healthcare Communication” conference, sponsored by the Indiana University School of Medicine and the American Academy on Physician and Patient. The Oct. 1-3 conference, to be held at the Regenstrief Institute and IUSM, will focus on how effective doctor-patient communication improves the quality of the relationship and positively influences outcomes.

A sample of the more than 100 presentations include:

- “Using Evaluative and Measurement Techniques to Improve Patient-physician Interactions and Reduce Malpractice Claims”
- “I know It’s Bad, but How Bad is It?: Bad News in Oncologist-Patient Interactions”
- “Primary Care Clinicians Rely on the Provider-Patient Relationship to Treat Patients with Medically Unexplained Symptoms – A Clinical Trial”
- “Internet-Based Patient Education can be Holistic, Collaborative and Entertaining”

Plenary speakers include nationally-known experts in shared decision-making: Thomas Inui, MD, IU School of Medicine and the Regenstrief Institute, Inc.; Hilary A. Llewellyn-Thomas, PhD, Dartmouth University; and health literacy experts Rima Rudd, MSPH, ScD, Harvard University, and David W. Baker, MD, Northwestern University.

Registration information can be found at www.physicianpatient.org, or call 314-576-5333.
“Biostatistics for Physicians: A Short Course.”

This course will be held at Riley Outpatient Center, Ruth Lilly Learning Center (lower level) from noon to 4 p.m. each day. The course brochure will be mailed to faculty in next two weeks.

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FEED begins Oct. 13

The Department of Medicine is committed to provide the highest quality learning environment for our medical students, residents and fellows. As a part of this commitment, we introduce the Faculty Enrichment and Educational Development Series, a quarterly offering of key topics in clinical teaching. These workshops will provide an opportunity for the department faculty to improve their teaching skills in a collegial and fun environment.

The first session of the series is Teaching Caring Attitudes: Practical Professionalism and meets 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 13 at the Ruth Lilly Learning Center in the lower level of the Riley Outpatient Center. The session offers two hours of Category I CME credits.

During this two-hour workshop, participants will:

- Identify and categorize a wide range of behaviors manifesting attitude content.
- Examine and practice the response of active listening.
- Identify and categorize potential educational interventions clinical teachers can use to address attitude content.
- Practice skills in applying educational interventions focusing on challenging attitudinal content which frequently arise in clinical teaching settings.

If you are interested in attending, please e-mail Kathie Mullins at kmullins@iupui.edu, or call 656-4275. Department of Medicine faculty may attend for free; all others must pay a $25 fee.
Jocelyn Elders, MD, the nation’s first African-American woman to serve as U.S. Surgeon General, will be the featured speaker at a dinner Saturday, Oct. 16 at 7:30 p.m., highlighting the annual Student National Medical Association Regional Conference. The day-long conference is hosted by IUSM's SNMA chapter.

Dr. Elders, a pediatric endocrinologist and veteran of the U.S. Army, was appointed to the surgeon general post in 1993 by former President Bill Clinton. Currently, Dr. Elders is a distinguished professor of public health at the University of Arkansas College of Medicine.

Virginia Caine, MD, director of the Marion County Health Department and associate professor in IUSM’s Division of Infectious Diseases, and U.S. House Rep. Julia Carson will also be on hand to discuss medical education and health policy issues.

For more information about the conference, contact Ruby Long at rulong@iupui.edu, or Lauren Outlaw at loutlaw@iupui.edu.

Creations for the Cure bracelet sale

The holidays may be a few months away, but it’s never too early to think about gifts. Creations for the Cure will host bracelet sales 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 6, at the Indiana Cancer Pavilion lobby; and from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 21, at Radiation Oncology Associates in Fort Wayne.

A portion of the proceeds are donated to the IU Cancer Center. Creations primarily sells breast cancer bracelets made of pink and clear crystals, but bracelets representing other cancers with alternate colored beads can be ordered.

For more information, go to www.creationsforthecure.com.

Relationship Centered Care Initiative holds meeting

“It’s spreading widely, in ways we never could have planned or imagined!”
That’s how one member of the Relationship-Centered Care Initiative’s Discovery Team characterized their progress in fostering an organizational culture (and informal curriculum) at IUSM that consistently models and teaches the values of the formal competency-based curriculum. More than 40 people gathered Sept. 2 at Wishard Memorial Hospital and via teleconference.

Discovery Team members summarized the origins of the RCCI – a two-month interview project launched in early 2003 to gather stories from 80 people about IUSM’s organizational culture at its best. Four principal themes emerged:

- belief in the capacity of all people to learn and grow
- the wonderment of medicine
- connectedness between students and teachers, patients and clinicians, interdisciplinary healthcare team members and research collaborators
- passion for patient care, learning, teaching and creating new knowledge

As these stories and themes were shared throughout the school, more and more people wanted to get involved, and they brought new ideas about how to spread this culture of relationship, mindfulness, personal reflection and professionalism.

RCCI Director Thomas Inui, ScM, MD, IUSM’s associate dean for health care research, and external consultants described their experience of intentionally not planning the entire project; rather just choosing a starting point and then watching for opportunities to “spontaneously arise.”

IUSM shines at pediatric cardiology gathering

At the recent Midwest Pediatric Cardiology Meeting held in Cleveland, Ohio, IUSM/Riley faculty, fellows, residents and students presented seven abstracts – the most from any single institution.

One of the first-year pediatric residents, Cyndy Myers, MD, won the best resident abstract award. Dr. Myers presented “24 Hour Cardiopulmonary Stability in a Model of Assisted Newborn Fontane Circulation,” which she conducted under the leadership of Mark Rodefeld, assistant professor of surgery.
This week on *Sound Medicine*

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 26, to *Sound Medicine*, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. The co-hosts this week are Kathy Miller, MD and David Crabb, MD.

Robert Daum, section chef of pediatric infectious diseases and professor of pediatrics at University of Chicago, will discuss methicillin resistant staphylococcus aureus, a virulent and potentially deadly bacterium that while once only found in hospitals and long-term care facilities has currently been detected in the general population.


Also on hand will be Joanne Wojcieszek, MD, associate professor of clinical neurology, to discuss the recently FDA-approved, first-of-its-kind treatment for patients with Parkinson’s disease.

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Clinician-researcher appointed to named chair

Wade Clapp, MD, is the new Freida and Albrecht Kipp Professor of Pediatrics at IUSM.

Dr. Clapp is professor of pediatrics and of microbiology and immunology and a faculty member in the Section of Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine at Riley Hospital for Children. He also is an investigator at the Herman B Wells Center for Pediatric Research. He is internationally recognized for his research of Fanconi’s anemia and neurofibromatosis.
Dr. Clapp also directs the School’s Combined MD/PhD Program and a fellowship program geared to recruit pediatric residents interested in research careers.

The Freida and Albrecht Kipp Professorship is endowed by the Riley Children’s Foundation. The Kipps were siblings in a family that funded the construction of the original Wells Center.

Dean’s Grand Rounds and poster session – Sept. 29

The IUSM biannual Dean’s Grand Rounds will be Wednesday, Sept. 29.

Grand rounds will be from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. in Myers Auditorium at Wishard Hospital. Presenters will be Mervin Yoder, Jr., MD, Richard and Pauline Klinger Professor of Pediatrics and of biochemistry and molecular biology, who will discuss “Formation and Maintenance of Vascular Endothelium In Vivo,” and David Wilkes, MD, Dr. Calvin H. English Professor, professor of medicine and of microbiology and immunology, speaking on “The Art and Science of Lung Transplantation.”

Poster presentations by faculty will be on display in the VanNuys Medical Science Building atrium from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The event is to promote the research mission of the School and to encourage interdisciplinary collaboration between faculty members.

Mark your calendar for Beering Lecture – Oct. 20

Stanley Korsmeyer, MD, is the recipient of the 2004 Stephen C. Beering Award. He will present the annual lecture at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 20, in the University Place Conference Center auditorium.

Dr. Korsmeyer is the Sidney Farber Professor of Pathology and professor of medicine at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. A Howard Hughes Medical Institute investigator at Harvard Medical School, he is best known for his pioneering work on the regulation of apoptosis, also known as
programmed cell death. He has identified the key genetic mechanisms that govern cell death and survival and defined the role of cell death in the pathogenesis of human diseases, including lymphomas and other cancers.

Since apoptosis is critical for normal cell development, Dr. Korsmeyer's research has increased the understanding of organ development, cellular homeostasis and the genetics and treatment of human disease.

Dr. Korsmeyer received his medical degree from the Chicago College of Medicine at the University of Illinois. He completed his residency training at University of California, San Francisco. He has been a faculty member of the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute since 1998.

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**Annual summary report available online**

IUSM faculty and research scientists are asked to complete the faculty annual summary report. The ASR can be found online at [https://technology.iusm.iu.edu/asrv3/](https://technology.iusm.iu.edu/asrv3/).

A detailed reference document is available for users who have logged on and entered the system. Users will want to have updated CV information and course schedules on hand when working on the survey.

The deadline for submission is 6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 15. Contact Amy-Jeanne Sayre at 274-7214, with any problems or questions.

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**McDonald-Merrill-Ketcham Lecture – Oct. 6**

"Beyond Tort Reform: Fixing Real Problems" is the title of the 2004 McDonald Merrill Ketcham Lecture by Randall Bovbjerg, JD, Wednesday, Oct. 6, in Inlow Hall, IU School of Law-Indianapolis. The lecture, award ceremony and luncheon will be from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Bovbjerg also will present internal medicine grand rounds from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in Myers Auditorium at Wishard Hospital. His topic will be “Malpractice: Physicians Versus Lawyers and the Public Interest.”
Bovbjerg is a principal research associate at the Urban Institute in Washington, D.C. He has 30 years experience in public and private insurance, medical injury, liability and patient safety; state and local health policy; safety-net issues and state regulation.

The Mcdonald Merrill Ketcham Award and Lecture, endowed by IU alumna Dorothy Ketcham in honor of her grandparents, is presented annually by a leader who has bridged the gap between law and medicine.

Reservations for both events are requested and can be made to Carolyn Key at cakeyiupui.edu.

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**ARTI has new name, same goals**

The Indiana University Advanced Research and Technology Institute, or ARTI, the university’s science and technology transfer and business development instrument, has been renamed the IU Research and Technology Corporation or IURTC.

The name change was announced by IU President Adam W. Herbert during his State of the University address earlier this month.

“We believe IURTC represents our evolution into a driving force for economic development in the state of Indiana and also ties our organization more closely to Indiana University,” says Mark Long, IURTC CEO and president.

IURTC provides access to IU’s technology expertise, expands Indiana’s research and development and technology infrastructure and creates collaborative environments to advance Indiana’s technology future.

Long says he expects IURTC to break its prior license revenue record in FY 2004 of $8.8 million. IURTC reported $5.4 million in license revenue in fiscal 2003.

For additional information on IURTC, call 317-278-1901, or email Long at mslong@iu.edu.

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**Hands-on learning highlights fall Mini Medical School**
Do you want to learn the basics of how to save the life of a heart attack victim? Have you ever wondered what it would be like to try your hand at surgery? Want to observe the use of acupuncture needles and other non-traditional therapies to relieve pain?

These and three other topics will be demonstrated by IUSM physicians and other health experts at the fall series of Mini Medical School, Oct. 12 through Nov. 16. All but the final two-hour weekly sessions will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesdays in the lower-level auditorium at the Riley Outpatient Center. The last session will meet at a location to be announced.

Most of the sessions will give participants the opportunity to handle many of the training tools at the medical school. The interactive confabs will be conducted by the School’s top physicians, researchers and other medical staff. Here is what’s on tap for the upcoming sessions:

**Oct. 12: No Pain, Big Gain**
How patients benefit from alternative therapies such as acupuncture, visualization, herbal remedies and biofeedback at the IUSM’s Integrative Pain Center. This session is led by a physician who incorporates complementary methods with conventional medicine.

**Oct. 19: Heart Help 101**
The basics of cardiopulmonary resuscitation and how automated external defibrillators work. Participants also will have the chance to sign up for future coursework leading to certifications.

**Oct. 26: Inner Visions**
How ultrasound and other advance imaging tools are used to diagnose and treat illnesses.

**Nov. 2: Bedside Manner**
Learn how medical students improve their communications and diagnostic skills with actor-patients who simulate real-life scenarios. Mini Medical School participants will evaluate how well they do.

**Nov. 9: Living With Your Genome**
Learn how genes function and about discoveries from the Human Genome Project.

**Nov. 16: Tools of the Trade**
Enter an operating room where you don’t have to scrub. Virtual reality tools are used to teach surgeons. And meet a $250,000 “patient” anesthesiology residents work on frequently to hone their skills. This session will meet at another location and participants will be given directions to it at the beginning of the series.

Cost to attend the six-week series is $40 per person and advanced registration is required. Parking is included. For information or to register, call 278-7600. When registering, refer to Course No.
IUPUI United Way Campaign kicks off Thursday

The month-long IUPUI United Way Campaign kicks off Sept. 27. This year's goal is $300,000.

Pledges can be made online by on the IUPUI United Way Website at www.iupui.edu/~uwaycamp. Complete campaign information and materials are available at this site.

Questions should be directed to Mary Kate Myers at myersmk@iupui.edu.

Chili For Charity needs cooks, consumers

The IUPUI United Way Chili For Charity campaign will be 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 5, in the north breezeway of the Business/SPEA building.

Before the eating comes the cooking. Volunteers are needed to make chili for the event. All chili cooks receive a T-shirt. Baked goods also are needed. Confident cooks may enter a recipe contest; the deadline for entering is Thursday, Sept. 30.

To volunteer to cook, serve or to enter the contest, call the Chili Hotline at 274-5036, or email chili@iupui.edu.

For those not interested in cooking, $5 will get you a bowl of chili, a baked good and drink the day of the event. Proceeds benefit United Way.

Special seminar – Sept. 29

Ronald Berezney, professor of biological sciences at SUNY-Buffalo, will present a special
seminar from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29, in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium.

His topic is “Dynamic Properties of Genomic Architecture and Function in the Mammalian Cell Nucleus.”

The seminar is hosted by Robert Hickey, PhD, professor of medicine.

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**Journal Impact Factors Web-Access Workshop**


JCR provides quantifiable data about the relative importance of journals within medical subject categories. The Medical Library is offering a workshop on Web access to JCR that covers:

- Journals ranked per research area based on Impact-Factors
- Journals cited often (the "hottest" journals)
- How to print, save or export into spreadsheets
- Application of JCR statistical outcomes

JCR reports are compatible with the evaluation methodology of IUSM and IU. It is often used for promotion and tenure dossiers and other reports to document journal ranking.

The hands-on workshop is taught by librarians Elaine Skopelja and Carole Gall from 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 30. The same material is repeated at 2 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Ruth Lilly Medical Library, room 318.

To register, email cfgall@iupui.edu, or call 274-1411.

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**Research and teaching forum – Oct. 1-3**

IU School of Medicine will be a co-sponsor for The American Academy on Physician and Patient
National Research and Teaching Forum Oct. 1-3 at the Regenstrief Institute and IUSM.

“Opening Dialogues in Healthcare Communication” will bring together researchers, educators and clinicians for state of the art presentations and conversations about research and teaching of the medical interview.

Abstract and workshop topics cover a wide range of topics, including communication skills teaching and assessment, health literacy, professionalism, shared decision making, patient expectations, cross-cultural communication, research methodologies, communication in pediatrics, end-of-life communication and electronic-based communication methods.

Plenary speakers include Thomas Inui, Hilary Llewellyn-Thomas, Rima Rudd, David Baker, and abstract award-winners Neeraj Arora and Joanne Schwartzberg. The George Engel Research Award and Lynn Payer Award will also be presented.

The forum is a unique meeting in which researchers, educators, clinicians and others can network, exchange ideas and facilitate the progression of ideas from research to educational and clinical applications.

Information and registration materials are available on the AAPP website at: http://www.physicianpatient.org/. On-site registration also is available. For additional information, call 314-576-5333.

New faculty breakfast – Oct. 1

As a follow up to the August New Faculty Orientation, faculty new to IUPUI are invited to a breakfast at the Center for Teaching and Learning, University Library, from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 1.

The breakfast offers new faculty an opportunity to meet informally with colleagues from across the campus and to learn more about available resources.

To register, send an email to opd@iupui.edu, or call 278-6221.
Biostats short course offered for docs

“Biostatistics for Physicians: A Short Course” will be offered Oct. 5-7 by the Department of Medicine, Division of Biostatistics.

This course will be from noon to 4 p.m. each day in the Ruth Lilly Leaning Center in the Riley Outpatient Center. For additional information and to register on-line, see cme.medicine.iu.edu. The course is approved for 10.75 CME credits.

Cassell to be keynote at Oct. 7-8 symposium

Eric Cassell, MD, will be the keynote speaker at the IUPUI Medical Humanities Program “Blame and Responsibility in Medicine,” a two-day symposium Oct. 7-8.

Dr. Cassell, clinical professor of public health at Cornell University Medical College, is author of numerous books including The Healer’s Art and Talking with Patients.

Several IUSM faculty are on the program for panel breakout sessions discussing such topics as “Communicating about Blame and Responsibility,” “Conflicts of Physician Responsibility in the U.S. Health Care System,” “Blame and Responsibility for Chronic Illness: Smoking and Obesity,” and “Blame, Guilt and Illness: Religious Perspectives.”

The event, which is supported in part by the Clarian Values Fund, will be at the University Place Conference Center on Oct. 7, and at the Ruth Lilly Learning Center, Riley Outpatient Clinic on Oct. 8.

The pre-registration cost of the event is $15 for students and $50 for non-students. The deadline for pre-registration is Thursday, Sept. 30. Checks and completed registration forms can mailed to Judi Izuka-Campbell, Medical Humanities Program, Cavanaugh Hall 329, IUPUI 425 University Blvd., Indianapolis, IN 46202.

For additional information, see medhumanities.iupui.edu, or contact Judi Izuka-Campbell at 274-4740, or jizukac@iupui.edu.
Rodriguez will spin his wheels for diabetes

On Oct. 23, Henry Rodriguez, MD, assistant professor of clinical pediatrics and director of the Pediatric Diabetes Clinical Program at IUSM, will take part in the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation’s Ride for a Cure.

Dr. Rodriguez intends to ride 105 miles with 350 bicyclists from across the United States who will wend their way through Death Valley, Calif.

Each rider is responsible for raising $3,400. For more information on the Ride for a Cure, see http://ride.jdrf.org/deat/map.htm. Tax deductible donations can be made by sending a check payable to JDRF (indicate on the memo line Dr. Henry Rodriguez) to:

Ride to Cure Diabetes, Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, 8465 Keystone Crossing, Suite 235, Indianapolis, IN 46240.

JDRF is the leading charitable fund-raiser and advocate of Type 1 diabetes research worldwide. The mission of JDRF is to find a cure for diabetes and its complications through the support of research.

Earlier this year, Dr. Rodriguez vied for the honor of kissing a pig at Indiana Pacers’ basketball game – also an effort to raise funds for diabetes research. (See the March 15 issue of Scope: http://www.medicine.indiana.edu/scope/2004/scope216.html#3.)

This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 3, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. Co-hosts this week are Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, and Kathy Miller, MD.

Shawn Richards, respiratory epidemiologist for the Indiana State Department of Health’s Epidemiology Resource Center will discuss the upcoming flu season and review the groups most at risk for getting the flu.

Heart disease and women will be the topic of Sharonne Hayes, MD, cardiologist at the Mayo Clinic and director of the Mayo Clinic Women’s Heart Clinic, and Marie Warshauer, support
network coordinator of WomenHeart of Central Indiana.

Susan Zunt, DDS, chair of the Department of Oral Pathology, Medicine, Radiology, and professor of oral pathology at the IU School of Dentistry, will focus on a lesser-known condition – burning mouth syndrome.

Archived editions of *Sound Medicine*, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu/.

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**Online IUSM calendars**

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar. To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.

A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at www.medicine.iu.edu. The calendar also can be accessed directly at webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm.

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**Submissions to Scope**

*Scope* wants your news items.

The deadline for submission is 8:30 a.m. on Fridays. *Scope* is published electronically and sent to faculty, staff, students, and residents.

There are three easy ways to submit story ideas or information to *Scope*:

- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- paste your plain text message into *Scope* Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty
Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.

In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

- acronyms
- abbreviations
- campus building codes (use full, proper name of building and include the room number)
- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

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Marrero named Ritchey Professor

David Marrero, PhD, has been named the J.O. Ritchey Professor of Medicine following action by the IU trustees Oct. 1.

Dr. Marrero joined the IUSM faculty in 1986. Currently he is a professor of medicine and director of the Diabetes Research and Training Center and the Translation Research Center.

The J.O. Ritchey Chair was established in 1992 by numerous donors, including former residents and friends of Dr. James O. Ritchey, to honor his memory and contributions to IUSM.

Purdue, IU medical school form joint life sciences research program

A pilot program to promote biomedical research collaboration has been formed by the Indiana University School of Medicine and Purdue University.

The program will provide $150,000 this fiscal year for grants to enable researchers from the two universities to team up on work that is likely to spawn larger ongoing programs and attract outside funding.

Robert B. Jones, MD, PhD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations at IUSM, said the program will concentrate on a few focused areas within biomedical research.

“We hope the project serves as a catalyst for new interactions between the schools’ researchers,” Dr. Jones said. “Anything that can be done to increase biomedical research here makes sense for Indiana."

Researchers who want to compete for the grants must prepare joint proposals and submit them to either Dr. Jones or Rutledge by 5 p.m. **Monday, Nov. 15.** The proposals must consist of up to five double-spaced pages with one-inch margins and a font size no smaller than 12 points. It should include a summary budget, endorsed by an appropriate official from the lead institution.

Up to three proposals will be funded after review by a joint committee of the two institutions. The awards will be announced in early December for a start date as early as Jan. 1.
State of the Campus Address Tuesday

The IUPUI State of the Campus Address will be at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 5, in the University Place Conference Center auditorium.

This will be Chancellor Charles Bantz’s first official State of the Campus Address to the faculty, staff and students.

Applicants sought for IU associate dean for clinical research

IUSM is creating a centralized clinical research office to provide support for business services, marketing to enhance recruitment and the number of studies, coordinator services, and education to new and existing investigators and other study personnel.

Candidates for the position of associate dean for clinical research must be regarded as a leader in their own area of research, as well as in the design and conduct of clinical trials. Qualified individuals will have successfully competed for peer-reviewed grant funding at a national level (e. g. NIH, CDC, VA, and AHRQ) and successfully served as a principal investigator on multiple federal, commercial, or investigator-initiated clinical research projects.

A record of successful collaboration with peers in both academia and industry (in consultation on protocol development, for example) is necessary, as is a history of service on recognized scientific and research committees, associations, and boards, including experience as an IRB member.

More broadly, candidates for this position must have experience in budget development and contract review with multiple, diverse funding entities, as well as excellent grant writing skills. Qualified physicians will have a demonstrated ability to manage diverse groups and the skill to engage all levels and types of individuals, both internal and external to the School, in meaningful problem solving and collaboration.

Ideal candidates will have successfully mentored faculty and research associates in all aspects of the responsible conduct of research, as well as in procuring research funding. The associate dean
for clinical research must have an excellent understanding of the federal, state and local regulations which govern the responsible conduct of clinical research, as well as the demonstrated ability to translate those into reasonable operation procedures.

Candidates with an MD from an accredited medical school and licensure in the United States may be preferred; however, interested individuals with a PhD or other doctorate degree, and with the appropriate experience, are encouraged to apply. Clinical research certification by ACRP, SoCRA, or DIA is desirable; a minimum of five years of clinical research management experience is required.

Excellent management, problem-solving, oral and written communication, and interpersonal skills are required, as is a demonstrated ability to manage multiple clinical research projects, research coordinators, and related staff activities in an efficient, effective, and safe manner.

Information about the School can be found at www.medicine.iu.edu/home.html. Address all nominations and applications to Anna Maria V. Storniolo, MD, Chair, Search and Screen Committee, Indiana University School of Medicine, 1120 South Drive, Fesler Hall 318, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-5114.

Indiana University is an EEO/AA employer, M/F/D.

Applications sought for director, South Bend Center

IUSM is seeking an outstanding and committed medical educator and administrator to serve as director of the South Bend Center for Medical Education and assistant dean of the School of Medicine, a tenure-track position at the level of professor or associate professor.

Located adjacent to the campus of Notre Dame in South Bend, the Center is one of eight which provides the first- and second-year medical curriculum as part of the IU Statewide System of Medical Education.

Candidates must possess an MD and/or PhD, or the equivalent. A keen interest and expertise in medical student education and administration, commitment to scientific research, and an aptitude for community involvement are required.

Address all nominations and applications for this position to Gordon Coppoc, PhD, and David Burr, PhD, Chairs, Search and Screen Committee, Indiana University School of Medicine, 1120 South Drive, Fesler Hall 318, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-5114.
Applicants sought for LARC director

IUSM seeks an outstanding veterinarian to serve as director of its expanding animal resources program.

Candidates must have a D.V.M. or V.M.D. from an accredited school of veterinary medicine and be licensed in the United States. Certification by ACLAM is strongly desired. Thorough knowledge of all federal, state and regulatory requirements is required. At least five years of administrative, financial and human resources management experience is desired. Excellent management, oral and written communication, and interpersonal skills are required.

To apply, describe in a cover letter your vision of an optimally functioning laboratory animal resource center and explain how you would build and manage it. Send it, with your curriculum vitae and the names of references or letters of recommendation, to Rose S. Fife, MD, Search and Screen Committee, Fesler Hall 318, 1120 South Drive, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-5114.

Applications will be reviewed as received. Indiana University is an AA/EOE, M/F/D. http://www.medicine.iu.edu/home.html.

Beering Lecture – Oct. 20

Stanley Korsmeyer, MD, will present the 2004 Stephen C. Beering Lecture at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 20, in the University Place Conference Center auditorium.

Dr. Korsmeyer is the Sidney Farber Professor of Pathology and professor of medicine at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. A Howard Hughes Medical Institute investigator at Harvard Medical School, he is best known for his pioneering work on the regulation of apoptosis, also known as programmed cell death. He has identified the key genetic mechanisms that govern cell death and
survival and defined the role of cell death in the pathogenesis of human diseases, including lymphomas and other cancers.

Since apoptosis is critical for normal cell development, Dr. Korsmeyer's research has increased the understanding of organ development, cellular homeostasis and the genetics and treatment of human disease.

Dr. Korsmeyer received his medical degree from the Chicago College of Medicine at the University of Illinois. He completed his residency training at the University of California, San Francisco. He has been a faculty member of the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute since 1998.

Experts on global HIV/AIDS to gather in Indy Oct. 31

What progress is being made to combat HIV and AIDS globally? That’s the focus of the “HIV/AIDS Care in the Developing World: Lessons Learned and the Way Forward” conference, Sunday, Oct. 31, at Indianapolis’ Downtown Marriott Hotel.

The conference, organized by IUSM, will convene some of the world's chief experts on the medical, ethical, political and economic issues related to HIV/AIDS.

Registration for both the public and health care professionals is possible through the IU School of Medicine Division of Continuing Medical Education at 317-274-8353 or 1-888-615-8013, or online at http://cme.medicine.iu.edu/registration.

For more information about the conference, go to www.medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/viewRelease.php4?art=199.

Dunk The Dean caught on film

Photos from the Sept. 24 Dunk the Dean for Kenya fund-raising event can be found at www.medicine.iu.edu/events/dunkTheDeans/dunk04.shtml.

A report on what was collected will be available in Scope in the near future.
IUSM figures well in Top Docs list

The 2004 issue of America’s Top Doctors includes 41 IUSM physicians. The issue recognizes 54 physicians practicing in Indiana, and of those, 75 percent practice or teach at the IU Medical Center.

America’s Top Doctors is published by Castle Connolly Medical Ltd, and is a consumer guide to the nation’s top specialists. The list of physicians is based on nominations by their peers, and the physicians listed are included only after extensive surveys have been conducted.

America’s Top Doctors focuses only on the top 1 percent of specialists and sub-specialists across the United States. Less than 1 percent of the hospitals in the United States have more than one doctor listed in the guide.

IUSM physicians and their recognized specialty included in the 2004 issue:

Sharon Andreoli - Kidney Disease
Jerry Bergstein - Dialysis-Peritoneal; Kidney Disease; Hypertension
John Brown - Cardiac Surgery-Neonatal and Pediatric; Transplant-heart; Heart Valve Surgery
Randall Caldwell - Transplant Medicine-Heart; Echocardiography
William Chernoff - Facial Plastic/Reconstructive Surgery; Laser Surgery (volunteer clinical assistant professor/otolaryngology)
John Coleman - Cancer Reconstruction; Breast Reconstruction; Head and Neck Surgery
Lawrence Einhorn - Testicular Cancer; Lung Cancer
Martin Farlow - Alzheimer's Disease; Neurodegenerative Disorders; Multiple Sclerosis
Robert Goulet Jr. - Breast Cancer
Jay Grosfeld - Cancer Surgery
Ronald Hamaker - Head and Neck Cancer (volunteer clinical associate professor/otolaryngology)
Matthew Johnson - Vascular Interventions; Uterine Fibroid Embolization
Young-Jee Kim – Asthma; Chronic Lung Disease; Ventilator Dependent Children
John Kincaid - Pain-Facial; Neuromuscular Disorders; Electromyography
Martin Kleiman - Pediatric Infectious Disease
Paul Kwo - Hepatitis C & B; Transplant Medicine - Liver
James Lemons - Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine
Keith Lillimoe - Pancreatic and Biliary Surgery; Colon Surgery
Katherine Look - Ovarian Cancer
Thomas Luerssen - Pediatric Neurosurgery
OHRP leaders to discuss human subject research at IUPUI

Bernard Schwetz, DVM, PhD, the new director of the Office of Human Research Protection (OHRP) and George Pospisil of the Division of Education and Development, OHRP, will speak to clinical researchers and their support staff at IUPUI from 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 19. The presentations regarding the federal perspective on human subjects research and its oversight, will be in the Riley Outpatient Clinic auditorium.

For additional information, contact Pam DeWeese, administrative director, Clinical Trials Program, 278-2865, or pdeweese@iupui.edu.
McDonald-Merrill-Ketcham Lecture – Oct. 6

"Beyond Tort Reform: Fixing Real Problems” is the title of the 2004 McDonald Merrill Ketcham Lecture by Randall Bovbjerg, JD, Wednesday, Oct. 6, in Inlow Hall, IU School of Law-Indianapolis. The lecture, award ceremony and luncheon will be from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Bovbjerg also will present internal medicine grand rounds from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in Myers Auditorium at Wishard Hospital. His topic will be “Malpractice: Physicians Versus Lawyers and the Public Interest.”

Bovbjerg is a principal research associate at the Urban Institute in Washington, D.C. He has 30 years experience in public and private insurance, medical injury, liability and patient safety; state and local health policy; safety-net issues and state regulation.

The McDonald Merrill Ketcham Award and Lecture, endowed by IU alumna Dorothy Ketcham in honor of her grandparents, is presented annually by a leader who has bridged the gap between law and medicine.

Reservations for both events are requested and can be made to Carolyn Key at cakey@iupui.edu.

Educational opportunities for clinical researchers, staff

The Clinical Trials Program is offering the following programs in October:

**Oct. 8** – “Industry-Sponsored Research Budgets and Contracts: Your Need-To-Know Guide to Success,” noon to 1:30 p.m., Tudor Auditorium - Wishard Outpatient Wing 5th floor, free of charge. To register for the class and its 1.5 hours of CME, contact Michelle Murray at mimurray@iupui.edu, or 278-2868.

Presenters will be Sharon Moe, MD and Pam DeWeese, administrative director, Clinical Trials Program.

**Oct. 18** – Grant Writing Seminar, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Riley Outpatient Center conference rooms A & B, cost $100. To register see, https://www.iupui.edu/~cmeweb/05162/grantwriting.htm.

Stephen Russell, DVM, PhD, from Grant Writers, Inc., will discuss how basic and clinical
researchers can write for reviewers so that you can get funded

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Mini Medical School begins Oct. 12

The fall session of IUSM’s Mini Medical School, a program for faculty, staff, students and the community, will be Oct. 12 through Nov. 16. The two-hour weekly sessions meet at 7 p.m. Tuesdays in the lower-level auditorium at the Riley Outpatient Center. The last session will meet at a location to be announced.

These session will provide participants with hands-on opportunities to learn about alternative medicine, advanced visual imaging tools, CPR and medical communication skills. For more information about the program, see http://www.medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/viewRelease.php4?art=161.

Cost to attend the six-week series is $40 per person and advanced registration is required. Parking is included. For information or to register, call 278-7600. When registering, refer to Course No. 042N01A00.

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October Combined Seminar Series schedule
The IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series meets from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium. October’s speakers and their topics are:

**Oct. 6** – Mary Maluccio, MD, assistant professor, IU Department of Surgery. “The Renin-Angiotensin System in Hepatitis Associated Tumorigenesis”

**Oct. 13** – James R. (Rick) Ludwig, PhD, president and CEO, INCAPS, and director of the Proteomics Programs Eli Lilly and Company, “Proteomics Technology Validation – a Critical Component in Biomarker Discovery”

**Oct. 20** – Beering Award Lecture, no Combined Seminar lecture

**Oct. 27** – Hongmiao Sheng, MD, associate professor, IU Department of Surgery, “COX-2, PGE2, and Oncogenic Pathways”

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**IU Geriatrics Conferences for October**

Three IU Geriatrics Conferences are planned for October. Each session is from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B:

**Oct. 6** “Nutrition and the Older Adult”
Sara Blackburn, DSc, RD
Assistant Professor of Clinical Nutrition
Nutrition and Dietetics Program

**Oct. 13** “Erectile Dysfunction in the Elderly”
Alex Arizmendi, MD
Geriatric Medicine Fellow

**Oct. 20** “Depression in Primary Care of the Elderly”
Jeanne Dickens, MD
Associate Professor of Psychiatry

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**Bioethics Research Rounds for October**
Eric Meslin, PhD, director of the IU Center for Bioethics, will speak on “International Research Ethics: A Needs Assessment at Moi University and Indiana University” from noon to 1 p.m. Friday, Oct. 15.

The program will be in the IU Center for Bioethics’s conference room at 714 N. Senate Ave., room 200, on the second Friday of each month. This is a brown bag lecture series; beverages will be provided.

The series, hosted by the Center, is an opportunity for faculty to present and learn about bioethics research in progress.

IU Cancer Center Cancer Research Day – Nov. 3

Indiana University Cancer Center's second annual Cancer Research Day will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 3.

A scientific poster session, town hall meeting and keynote address are among the day’s scheduled events.

Abstracts are now being accepted for the poster session. The scientific poster session aims to increase understanding and awareness of IU Cancer Center research and encourage collaboration among students, fellows and faculty conducting cancer research. The session will be held in the VanNuyys Medical Sciences Building Atrium from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., with presenters in attendance from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A town hall meeting will be held in room 101 of the IU Cancer Research Institute from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. The meeting will provide an overview of the IU Cancer Center as well as an open forum for offering feedback to senior leaders and discussing opportunities for involvement and collaboration. All IUSM, IU School of Nursing and IUPUI School of Science faculty are encouraged to attend.

Cancer Research Day will conclude with a keynote address at the regularly scheduled IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. in room 101, IU Cancer Research Institute. Dr. Gary Stoner, professor and chair of the Division of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health and the director of the Laboratory of Cancer Chemoprevention and Etiology at Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center, will deliver the address.
Dr. Stoner's research is in the field of cancer chemoprevention. Chemoprevention involves the identification of dietary and synthetic chemicals that inhibit the development of cancer in animals and in humans. Dr. Stoner’s laboratory has identified several chemicals that inhibit the development of lung, esophageal, oral cavity and colon cancer in animals, and they are currently evaluating their molecular mechanisms of action as well as their potential inhibitory effects in humans.

If you are interested in participating in the poster session, please submit abstracts electronically to mlucke@iupui.edu by October 20th. Cash awards for best posters by graduate students and by post-doctoral/medical fellows will be evaluated by an external board and presented at the IU Cancer Center combined seminar that afternoon. Individual laboratories may submit multiple abstracts; if space becomes limited each laboratory will be asked to identify representative posters.

For more information about the IU Cancer Center Cancer Research Day or scientific poster session, please contact Maureen Harrington, PhD, at mharrin@iupui.edu.

**Radiographic images for presentation needs**

Need a radiographic image for your next lecture or article?

The Department of Radiology is available to assist with your presentation needs. They can provide radiographic images suitable for PowerPoint, Web, or publication quality images. Several payment options available.

For more information, call Beth Ward at 630-8788.

**Imaging at light speed: IRP**

New to the radiology arsenal is the Brilliance 40 - slice CT scanner. IU Hospital was the first in the nation to obtain the new scanner which is able to create 95 images per second for each patient, substantially decreasing the amount of time a patient has to spend being scanned.

IU and Methodist Hospitals were two of the first in Indianapolis to use digital mammography and
R2 ImageChecker CAD systems, and the first in Indiana to provide the new CryoPlasty technology to treat Peripheral Vascular Disease. These are just a few of the cutting edge tools that the diagnostic and interventional radiologists at Indiana Radiology Partners have available.

IRP, a Clarian Health Partner, was formed in July 2003 as a group of sub-specialized radiologists from Indiana University Radiology Associates and the former group of Radiologic Specialists of Indiana.

This past April, IRP selected Keith Keplinger as executive director. Before coming to Indiana Radiology Partners, Keplinger was business manager for University Radiologists, Inc. and the administrative associate for the department of radiology at the Ohio State University Medical Center in Columbus, Ohio. Keplinger brings over 25 years of professional health care, research administrative and academic experience in both the private and academic settings.

IRP is one of the largest academic based private radiology practices in the nation with over 70 board-certified physicians. The physicians provide a high-level of expertise, knowledge and diversified clinical skills in numerous areas of radiology specialization including abdominal, chest, emergency, general diagnostic, interventional, mammography, musculoskeletal, neuroradiology/neuro interventional, nuclear medicine, pediatric and pediatric interventional.

The majority of IRP physicians are members of the IU Department of Radiology and serve as faculty at IUSM. They staff the diagnostic radiology residency programs at IUSM with over 60 residency positions. The fellowship program includes more than 25 positions in the major radiological subspecialties.

IRP provides radiology leadership and clinical interpretation services for IU, Methodist and Riley hospitals, as well as Roudebush VA Medical Center, Wishard Hospital, Johnson Memorial Hospital, Methodist Medical Plazas, National Institute for Fitness & Sports, Spring Mill Medical Center, Clarian West Medical Center (in 2004) and Clarian North Medical Center (in 2005).

For additional information about Indiana Radiology Partners, visit www.indianaradiology.org, call 475-4565 or email at info@indianaradiology.org.

Irwin Award application now available

The Glenn W. Irwin Jr. Experience Excellence Award nomination form is available at www.jaguars.iupui.edu/frames/home/irwinform.html. These awards recognize faculty and staff
members for service "above and beyond the call of duty." Service for the benefit of the University as a whole or for any of its affiliated units which is non-reimbursed and is not specifically job-related will be recognized at the IUPUI Chancellor's Employee Recognition Convocation on Oct. 20.

Any full-time IUPUI faculty or staff member who has worked for the University a minimum of 12 months may be nominated by the **Monday, Oct. 11** deadline.

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**Educational opportunities for IUPUI staff, faculty**

Considering taking a class? Would you like to finish that degree you began years ago? Thinking about a job enhancement that would require additional education? Do you have dependent children who want to attend college?

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**Creations for the Cure sale – Oct. 6**

If holiday gifts are already on your mind, stop by the fall Creations for the Cure bracelet sale Wednesday, Oct. 6, from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Indiana Cancer Pavilion lobby. New bracelet styles will be available.

All proceeds from the sale benefit the IU Cancer Center's Catherine Peachey Breast Cancer Prevention Fund.
Chili For Charity – Oct. 5

The IUPUI United Way Chili For Charity campaign will be 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 5, in the north breezeway of the Business/SPEA building.

The cost of a bowl of chili, a baked good and drink is $5. Proceeds benefit United Way.

IUPUI United Way Campaign - now thru Oct. 29

Join the thousands of other IUPUI employees and participate in this year’s United Way Campaign. The campaign goal is $300,000.

Gifts to the Community Solutions Fund (an unrestricted gift) supports these community priorities:

- Successful kids
- Strong families and neighborhoods
- Healthy, independent people

Pledges can be made online at www.iupui.edu/~uwaycamp. Contact Mary Kate Myers at myersmk@iupui.edu with questions.

This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 10, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. Co-hosts this week are Kathy Miller, MD, David Crabb, MD, and Stephen Bogdewic, PhD.
Guests include David Flockhart, MD, PhD, who will discuss the recent announcement that the arthritis medication Vioxx was being discontinued. Dr. Flockhart, who is a professor of medicine, medical genetics and pharmacology, and chief of the Division of Clinical Pharmacology at IUSM, will discuss alternative medications for patients.

Transplant recipient Brian Eckstein and his kidney donor LeeAnn will chronicle his journey to find a kidney donor and the life-saving decision made by his donor.

David McSwane, HSD, director of undergraduate programs at the School of Public and Environmental Affairs and associate professor of public and environmental affairs at IUPUI and adjunct associate professor of public health at IUSM, will discuss one of the most common preventable pediatric health problems in the United States today...lead poisoning.

Archived editions of *Sound Medicine*, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu/.

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**Online IUSM calendars**

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar. To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.

A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at www.medicine.iu.edu. The calendar also can be accessed directly at webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm.

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**Submissions to Scope**

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In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

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- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

To keep the electronic version of *Scope* as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.
Beering Lecture postponed

The 2004 Stephen C. Beering Lecture, originally scheduled for Oct. 20, has been postponed and the new date will be announced later.

Stanley Korsmeyer, MD, the 2004 Beering Award recipient, is the Sidney Farber Professor of Pathology and professor of medicine at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. A Howard Hughes Medical Institute investigator at Harvard Medical School, he is best known for his pioneering work on the regulation of apoptosis, also known as programmed cell death.
He has identified the key genetic mechanisms that govern cell death and survival and defined the role of cell death in the pathogenesis of human diseases, including lymphomas and other cancers.

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**Students host health fair, lecture series**

Awareness and education can go a long way to prevent many health-care problems and that is the message IUSM students want to convey to inner-city residents needing medical attention.

Under the supervision of IU physicians, the students are organizing a health fair at the Westside Community Health Center from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 23. The event coincides with National Primary Care Week (Oct. 17-23), which advocates the importance of health care and brings health professionals together to serve those with limited or no access to care.

This year’s event, which is organized by the Internal Medicine Student Interest Group, includes immunizations for adults, information on pediatric immunizations, and blood pressure, diabetes and cholesterol checks. Also, information about colorectal cancer, prostate health, osteoporosis, smoking cessation, breast cancer, poison control, consumer safety and nutrition will be available.

The Indianapolis medical students will be joined by their counterparts at the IU schools of nursing, dentistry, health and rehabilitation sciences and social work.

During National Primary Care Week, the students will sponsor a daily lecture series, noon to 1 p.m., at Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008B:

**Oct. 18** — Health Professions and Workforce Needs, James R. Springer, MD, Indiana Area Health Education Centers Program  
**Oct. 19** — Serving the Medically Underserved, Louis Winterheimer, MD, Raphael Community Health Center  
**Oct. 20** — Health Care Programs for the Medical Indigent, Donna Olsen, Indiana Parenting Resource Network  
**Oct. 21** — Indiana’s Legislative Perspective, State Sen. Vi Simpson, Senate Health and Provider Services Committee  
**Oct. 22** — Indiana Chronic Disease Management Programs, Gregory Wilson, MD, commissioner, Indiana State Department of Health. *This session will be held in Wishard Hospital’s first floor conference room.*
**Former tobacco industry researcher to speak – today**

The Tobacco Free IUPUI Coalition and Smokefree Indiana present "Inside the Dark Side at Philip Morris" at 12:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 11, in the Ruth Lilly Auditorium in University Library, room 0130.

Victor DeNoble, a former Philip Morris researcher, will share his experiences developing a safer cigarette for Philip Morris and testifying to Congress about what the tobacco industry knew about the addictive nature of nicotine and what they did to cover it up.

This event is free and open to the public. The Tobacco Free IUPUI Coalition can be contacted at tobfree@iupui.edu.

The Tobacco Free IUPUI Coalition is sponsored by the IUSM Department of Public Health and Smokefree Indiana with funding from the CDC.

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**IUSM committees online**

A complete listing of the IUSM administrative committees can be found at www.medicine.iu.edu/faculty/committees. Any questions or concerns can be directed to Stephen Bogdewic, PhD, associate dean for faculty affairs and professional development, at bogdewic@iupui.edu.

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**OHRP leaders to discuss human subject research at IUPUI**

Bernard Schwetz, DVM, PhD, the new director of the Office of Human Research Protection and George Pospisil of the Division of Education and Development, OHRP, will speak to clinical researchers and their support staff at IUPUI from 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 19. The presentations will be in the Riley Outpatient Clinic auditorium.

Dr. Schwetz's presentation is entitled "The federal perspective on the research enterprise: an update on the federal perspective on research involving human subjects outlining key issues of
Dr. Schwetz was appointed in April 2004 as the director of the Office for Human Research Protections in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. OHRP leads the department's efforts to ensure the responsible conduct of research involving human subjects. The office monitors programs at more than 10,000 HHS-funded universities, hospitals and other medical and behavioral research institutions in the United States and abroad. Prior to his appointment, Dr. Schwetz had served as OHRP's acting director since February 2003.

Pospisil works in the Education Division of OHRP. He has served the Department of Health and Human Services for 27 years in various capacities in the National Institute of Mental Health, the National Institute on Drug Abuse and the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke. Immediately prior to coming to OHRP, he was the policy analyst for the NINDS Clinical Trials Group where he joined with four other institutes to create the web-based "Human Subjects Protection Education Program" for the use of NIH grantees.

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Abstracts needed for Cancer Research Day

Indiana University Cancer Center's second annual Cancer Research Day will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 3.

A scientific poster session, town hall meeting and keynote address are among the day's scheduled events.

Abstracts are now being accepted for the poster session. The scientific poster session aims to increase understanding and awareness of IU Cancer Center research and encourage collaboration among students, fellows and faculty conducting cancer research. The session will be held in the VanNuys Medical Sciences Building Atrium from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., with presenters in attendance from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A town hall meeting will be held in room 101 of the IU Cancer Research Institute from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. The meeting will provide an overview of the IU Cancer Center as well as an open
forum for offering feedback to senior leaders and discussing opportunities for involvement and collaboration. All IUSM, IU School of Nursing and IUPUI School of Science faculty are encouraged to attend.

Cancer Research Day will conclude with a keynote address at the regularly scheduled IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. in room 101, IU Cancer Research Institute. Dr. Gary Stoner, professor and chair of the Division of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health and the director of the Laboratory of Cancer Chemoprevention and Etiology at Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center, will deliver the address.

Dr. Stoner's research is in the field of cancer chemoprevention. Chemoprevention involves the identification of dietary and synthetic chemicals that inhibit the development of cancer in animals and in humans. Dr. Stoner’s laboratory has identified several chemicals that inhibit the development of lung, esophageal, oral cavity and colon cancer in animals, and they are currently evaluating their molecular mechanisms of action as well as their potential inhibitory effects in humans.

If you are interested in participating in the poster session, please submit abstracts electronically to mlucke@iupui.edu by Wednesday, Oct. 20. Cash awards for best posters by graduate students and by post-doctoral/medical fellows will be evaluated by an external board and presented at the IU Cancer Center combined seminar that afternoon. Individual laboratories may submit multiple abstracts; if space becomes limited each laboratory will be asked to identify representative posters.

For more information about the IU Cancer Center Cancer Research Day or scientific poster session, please contact Maureen Harrington, PhD, at mharrin@iupui.edu.

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Give until it hurts: Annual IU vs. Purdue Blood Donor Challenge

The battle for blood is on: the 8th annual IU vs. Purdue Blood Donor Challenge began last week and continues through Nov. 12.

To help win this friendly competition, donate blood at any of the Indiana Blood Center or American Red Cross Blood Center locations and help save lives. The university with the most blood donations will be honored at the Old Oaken Bucket football game at Purdue on Nov. 20. Last year, Purdue won the contest, and a record number of 5,021 units of blood were donated. Purdue leads the series 5-2.
The Blood Donor Challenge is sponsored by the Indiana Blood Center, American Red Cross, IU Alumni Association and Purdue Alumni Association.

Several opportunities to donate blood are available on the IUPUI Campus:

- Thursday, Oct. 14, 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Van Nuys Medical Science Building Foyer, 635 Barnhill Drive - sponsored by the IU School of Medicine 3rd Year Medical Class
- Friday, Oct. 22, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., University College Building, Room 115, 815 W. Michigan St. - Sponsored by the IUPUI Honors Program
- Monday, Oct. 25, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., Dental School, 1121 W. Michigan St. - Sponsored by the IU School of Dentistry
- Monday, Oct. 25, 3:30-7:00 p.m., Bloodmobile, service drive beneath BS/ES Building overhead walkway, 801 West Michigan St. - Sponsored by the IU Alumni Club of Indianapolis
- Tuesday, Nov. 2, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., Inlow Hall Atrium, 530 W. New York St. - Sponsored by IU School of Law-Indianapolis

Central Indiana Blood Center locations in the Indianapolis area include:

- Downtown: 3450 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis
- Carmel: The Centre, 1414 S. Rangeline Rd.
- East: George Thomas Plaza, 1024 N. Shadeland Ave.
- Fishers: Marsh Plaza, 116th & Allisonville Rd.
- South: Greenwood Corner, 8725 South U.S. 31
- Avon: 7655 US Highway 36 East

For more information, contact Sharon Holland at 274-4555, or shollan@iupui.edu.

Art and medicine fused in glass

The works of glass artist Jeff Rothenberg, MD, MS, medical director of the Coleman Center for Women at IU, and his wife, painter Joani Rothenberg, will be on display at the Jewish Community Center Arts Lobby Oct. 20-Nov. 15. An opening reception for the art exhibition is planned for 6 p. m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 20.

The exhibit is titled “Coruscation: A Sudden Flash or Play of Light; Glitter or Gleam in Flashes Works in Glass and Paintings.”
The Jewish Community Center, 6701 Hoover Road, Indianapolis, is open seven days a week.

Artists, IUSM scientists collaborate for “Research Triangles”

A new exhibit at Harrison Center for the Arts features works by artists in collaboration with IUSM scientists.

The idea for “Research Triangles: Science and Art Mix it Up!” began when IUSM researcher Matthew Aalsma, PhD, created graphs for a presentation on child psychology that his artist friend, Kyle Ragsdale, found less than aesthetically pleasing.

The resulting team effort was the inspiration for bringing together artists and scientists to create an art exhibit that features medical research. Other IUSM researchers involved with the project include James Lemons, MD, Ora Pescovitz, MD, Donald Orr, MD, Stephen Downs, MD, and Gilbert Liu, MD.

The exhibit at 1505 N. Delaware Street will be open through Oct. 31. Exhibit hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information call 396-3886.

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IUSM to pilot expanded Frontiers in Physiology program

Two Arsenal Technical High School science teachers are reversing roles – they will be the students and IUSM faculty will be their teachers.

The teachers, Rachel Pearce and William White will participate in a year-long Frontiers in Physiology Professional Development Fellowship sponsored by the American Physiological Society.

The fellowship is made possible with a $277,350 Science Education Partnership Awards grant. Indianapolis is one of two sites in the nation chosen to pilot the year-long program. IU faculty, who have a long history of participating as American Physiological Society “Frontiers in Physiology” teachers, are the mentors. The other pilot program site is San Antonio, Texas.

Leading the Indianapolis team is Subah Packer, PhD, associate professor of cellular and integrative physiology. Assisting with the program are David Suzuki, PhD, professor of ophthalmology and of anatomy and cell biology; Edward Mannix, PhD, associate scientist in medicine and associate scientist and associate professor of cellular and integrative physiology; Sandi Mahl, Cortland Elementary School, Seymour, Ind., and a 1996 Research Teacher; and Linda Dearth-Monroe, Warren Central High School, Indianapolis, and a 2003 Research Teacher.

As a testament to the success of the 15-year-old Frontiers in Physiology program, the NIH’s National Center for Research Resources awarded the APS grant to allow the existing program to be developed into a locally-based, self-sustaining one that will allow the teachers and their students to be involved long after the summer ends.

For additional information about the APS education program, see www.the-aps.org/education.htm or medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/viewRelease.php4?art=208.

Fee courtesy, other benefits explained – Oct. 18

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Honors

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration has awarded $350,000 to the Automotive Safety Program for Children at Riley Hospital to establish a National Center for Safe Transportation of Children with Special Health Care Needs. This is the first time the NHTSA has designated and funded a center for this purpose. Marilyn Bull, MD, founded the Automotive Safety Program, which is directed by Shayne Merritt

Virginia Caine, MD, associate professor of medicine and director of the Marion County Health Department, was awarded the Doris Merritt Services to Nursing Award from the IU School of Nursing. She was honored for her support of the nursing school and work to prevent and control sexually transmitted diseases in Marion County.

Rose Fife, MD, associate dean for research and director of the IU Center of Excellence for Women’s Health, has been awarded the Victoria ChampionBoundary Spanning Award from the IU School of Nursing. She was recognized for her work in promoting women’s health locally and internationally.

Cynthia Myers, MD, was awarded a prize for best scientific abstract at the Midwest Pediatric Cardiology Society 28th Annual Meeting. The meeting included many top researchers who convened at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation in September 2004. Dr. Myers’ work has been performed under the guidance of Mark Rodefeld, MD, assistant professor in the IU Section of Cardiothoracic Surgery. As a result of her efforts, Dr. Myers is lead author of a study which has been accepted for presentation at The Society of Thoracic Surgeons Annual Meeting in January.
Robert Patterson, MS 4, was selected as a winner of the 2004-2005 Journal of the National Medical Association Award for Medical Education. The award recognizes journalistic excellence as well as academic achievement and leadership.

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**AIDS Update**

Ambassador Randall Tobias, coordinator for International HIV/AIDS Assistance, joins Steve Bogdewic, MD, and Barbara Lewis to discuss the HIV/AIDS crisis throughout the world, and the U.S. involvement in HIV and AIDS relief.


**Eldoret Debriefing/IUSM AIDS Conference**

David Crabb, MD, talks with Barbara Lewis about his summer vacation spent in Eldoret, Kenya, and the effects of HIV/AIDS epidemic ravaging the area. The two also discuss the IUSM Global HIV/AIDS Conference to be held Oct. 31.

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Morphis appointed interim chair of radiation oncology

James Morphis, MD, will serve as interim chair of radiation oncology beginning Nov. 1. Chair Marc Randall, MD, has accepted the position of director of the Leo W. Jenkins Cancer Center at East Carolina University Brody School of Medicine.

Dr. Randall left his position as associate professor and assistant to the vice chairman for radiation oncology at Bowman Gray School of Medicine at Wake Forest University to join the IUSM faculty in 1994.

Dr. Morphis is an assistant professor of radiation oncology. He joined the Department in 1980. Before coming to IU, he was a staff radiation oncologist at United General and Skagit Valley Hospital in Washington state.
A farewell reception for Dr. Randall will be from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 22, in the University Place Conference Center ballroom.

HIPAA security, FDA requirements training sessions

The Clinical Trials Program will host training sessions designed for clinical researchers with a focus on how HIPAA security and FDA requirements for clinical research databases will impact research data and the IUPUI/Clarian standard operating procedures.

The program will be from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 18, in the Riley Outpatient Center lower level auditorium. The presentation will be repeated from noon to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 14, in the same location. There is no charge.

Attendance will meet the requirement for mandated HIPAA security training and has been approved for 1.0 CME credit. Consult the CTP web page, which is continuously updated, for other course offerings of relevance to clinical research faculty and staff. http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp.

Flu vaccine availability

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention was notified by Chiron Corporation on Oct. 5 that none of its influenza vaccine would be available for distribution and use in the United States for the 2004-05 influenza season. Chiron was expected to produce half of the influenza vaccine to be used in the United States this year. The remaining influenza vaccine manufacturer, Aventis Pasteur, has produced 54 million doses of vaccine.

IUPUI Occupational Health Services/Student Health Services has received only a portion of the 2,500 flu shots it ordered for this season. Because of the nationwide shortage, OHS/SHS cannot be certain that it will receive its additional doses. OHS/SHS is following guidelines from the CDC, ISDH and an ad hoc Clarian/IUSM committee regarding flu shots.

Until further notice, flu shots at OHS/SHS are limited to health-care workers involved in direct patient care.
If OHS/SHS receives more flu shots, additional information will be released on shot availability. Vaccine for faculty and staff is free if they provide proof of university affiliation (picture ID). There is an $18 fee for students for vaccine. A consent form and form documenting that direct patient care has been received must be completed.

The hours at OHS/SHS are 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursdays.

For information on the Indiana State Department of Health flu shot recommendations, see www.state.in.us/isdh/whatsnew/news/10-06-2004.htm

Future of AIDS on the global scene topic of Oct. 31 meeting at IUSM

In 2003, more than 3 million people worldwide died from AIDS and nearly twice that number acquired the human immunodeficiency virus. Behind those grim statistics is what must be done to curb the staggering epidemic of HIV/AIDS in the developing world.

That will be the focus of much of the discussion at the HIV/AIDS Care in the Developing World: Lessons Learned and the Way Forward conference, Sunday, Oct. 31. The conference, organized by IUSM, will convene some of the world’s chief experts on the medical, ethical, political and economic issues related to HIV/AIDS.

Among the speakers will be Ambassador Randall Tobias, U.S. Global HIV/AIDS coordinator; James Morris, executive director of the U.N. World Food Programme; and Debrework Zewdie, Ph. D., director of the Global HIV/AIDS Program, The World Bank.

Other leaders participating in the conference:

- Terje Andersen, executive director of the National Association of People with AIDS
- Greg Behrman, author of The Invisible People
- Jack Chow, MD, assistant director-general of HIV/AIDS-TB-Malaria at the World Health Organization
- Ezekiel Emanuel, MD, Ph.D., chairman of the Department of Clinical Bioethics at the National Institutes of Health
- Kenneth Fife, MD, Ph.D., professor of medicine, Division of Infectious Diseases, IU School of Medicine
- Helene Gayle, MD, MPH, director of HIV, TB and Reproductive Health at the Bill &
Melinda Gates Foundation

- Joseph Mamlin, MD, co-founder of the Indiana University-Moi University Partnership Program in Kenya
- Allan Ronald, MD, research director for HIV/AIDS at Makerere University, Uganda; Academic Alliance For AIDS Care and Prevention in Africa; University of Manitoba, Canada

Tobias and some of these panelists participated in the 15th International AIDS Conference in Bangkok, Thailand, last summer.

Eric Meslin, PhD, director of the IU Center for Bioethics, will moderate the panel discussion following individual presentations.

The Indianapolis conference will take place from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 31, at the Indianapolis Marriott Downtown Hotel, 350 W. Maryland Street.

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Dean's Scientific Session abstracts online

The abstracts from the IUSM Dean's Grand Rounds and Scientific Session can be viewed online at www.medlib.iupui.edu/faculty/scs2004. The special event on Sept. 29 highlighted current research efforts at the School.

Intellectual property topic of Neighbour address

UCLA Associate Vice Chancellor of Research Andrew Neighbour will present "A New GUI - Reconstructing the Government, University, Industry Coalition" at 10 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 28. The lecture will be in the Walnut Room at the Indiana Memorial Union. The presentation will be video conferenced to the Union Building, room 636(618), on the IUPUI campus.

Dr. Neighbour will be at IU to meet with the Intellectual Property Policy Review Committee on
current issues and practices with respect to intellectual property created at universities. His presentation will address important issues facing research institutions with regard to the role of the university in today's environment of private and public sector partnerships in research.

Students health fair, lecture series schedule changes

Under the supervision of IU physicians, the students are organizing a health fair at the Westside Community Health Center from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 23. The event coincides with National Primary Care Week (Oct. 17-23), which advocates the importance of health care and brings health professionals together to serve those with limited or no access to care.

This year’s event, which is organized by the Internal Medicine Student Interest Group, includes immunizations for adults, information on pediatric immunizations, and blood pressure, diabetes and cholesterol checks. Also, information about colorectal cancer, prostate health, osteoporosis, smoking cessation, breast cancer, poison control, consumer safety and nutrition will be available.

The Indianapolis medical students will be joined by their counterparts at the IU schools of nursing, dentistry, health and rehabilitation sciences and social work.

During National Primary Care Week, the students will sponsor a daily lecture series, noon to 1 p.m., Fesler Hall, Hurty Hall C. Changes from the originally announced schedule are noted in boldfaced type.

Oct. 18 – Health Professions and Workforce Needs, James R. Springer, MD, Indiana Area Health Education Centers Program
Oct. 19 – Serving the Medically Underserved, Louis Winterheimer, MD, Raphael Community Health Center
**Oct. 21 – Indiana’s Legislative Perspective, State Rep. David Orentlicher, MD, JD, vice chair of the Public Health**
Oct. 22 – Indiana Chronic Disease Management Programs Collaborative, Gregory Wilson, MD, Indiana State Health Commissioner. This session will be in VanNuys Medical Science Building, room 326.

Each of these presentations will be videotaped and available on the Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Website at www.ahec.iupui.edu.
Wishard hosts health screenings

With the flu season upon us, it is important to maintain regular health exams. With that in mind, Wishard Health Services and WTHR Channel 13 are teaming up to present Harvest of Health, a Health Beat Health Fair on Saturday, Oct. 23.

A comprehensive team of health-care professionals will be on hand to answer questions and administer free health screenings and flu shots from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Cottage Corner Community Health Center, 1434 S. Shelby St.

The free screenings include blood pressure, cholesterol, oral cancer and depression. Information will be available on child-seat safety, assistance programs, primary care services and community development. Representatives from the Indianapolis Fire Department will be on hand to discuss fire safety.

Other fair sponsors are IU Medical Group, Pratt Pfizer Pharmaceuticals and Bristol-Myers Squibb.

HRA to host IUPUI Health and Benefits Fair Nov. 3

From 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 3, the Health Resources Administration will host the annual IUPUI Health and Benefits Fair. The event will be on the second floor of the University Place Conference Center.

The fair will include professionals from the IUPUI health and fitness community as well as experts representing various IU benefit plans. The event is intended to positively impact lifestyle choices. Free health and fitness screenings as well as workshops on health, fitness, and employee benefits topics will be available.

Workshop topics include retiree health care, obesity and its consequences, fitness and wellness opportunities on campus, a QiGong class, PERF retirement plan, retirement investment strategies and more.

The Office of Clinical Research Support will again have booth space and will display IRB approved fliers/study posters/freebies, business cards, the CTP Website listing of open studies and
the volunteer display board and brochures. Investigators interested in providing information for this should contact Gail Douglas at gadougla@iupui.edu, or 278-8210.

For a complete schedule and description of the workshops and additional information about the IUPUI Health and Benefits Fair, click on www.hra.iupui.edu.

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**IUSM media hits now online**

The IUSM Office of Public and Media Relations has created a Web-based searchable data bank on interactions between the faculty, staff, students and administrators and the news media. The site is located at www.medicine.indiana.edu/news_releases/searchHits.php4.

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The P&MR staff updates the site weekly and appreciates hearing from IUSM audiences about publicity results so that they can be documented in this database.

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**IUPUI United Way Campaign - now thru Oct. 29**

Fourth grader Daja Royster is all business when she reports after school for Power Hour. To learn more about the program, see www.uwci.org/truestories_daja.htm.

Invest in United Way's Community Impact Fund -- instead of a specific agency -- to provide the many services kids need to succeed. Experience what matters -- volunteer. Opportunities that fit your life are waiting for you at www.uwci.org/volunteer.htm.

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Joining Dr. Meslin to discuss conflict of interest in the medical field are David Crabb, MD, chairman of the Department of Medicine and the John B. Hickam Professor of Medicine at IUSM, David Orentlicher, JD, MD, a physician and lawyer on faculty at the IU schools of law and medicine and a member of the IU Center for Bioethics, and Scott Lassman, assistant general counsel of the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America.

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Vaccine supply shot

The IUPUI Occupational Health Services/Student Health Services has exhausted its supply of flu vaccine.

At this time OHS/SHS intends to fulfill the onsite clinic arrangements made with various clinical departments with direct patient care responsibilities.

Should the supply of flu vaccine change, OHS/SHS will notify the campus.

VA research grant applications wanted

The VA Medical Research Service at the Roudebush VA Medical Center seeks applications for small research grants up to $25,000 directed at the study of discrete projects intended to produce preliminary data in support of future extramural funding.

The deadline for submission is Tuesday, Dec. 21. An eligible applicant should be a clinician with an academic rank not exceeding assistant professor. Non-VA clinicians may apply; however,
preference will be given to VA clinicians.

Full details regarding the eligibility criteria as well as submission instructions may be found at http://adminfinance.iusm.iu.edu/operations/VA%20YIA.htm.

Fellowship applications sought in minority health policy

The Commonwealth Fund/Harvard University Fellowship in Minority Health Policy is seeking applications for the 2005-2006 academic year.

For more information, see www.mfdp.med.harvard.edu/fellows_faculty/cfhuf/.

The one-year, full-time fellowship begins in July and prepares physicians for leadership roles in minority health/public health policy. The program leads to an MPH at Harvard School of Public Health or an MPA at John F. Kennedy School of Government.

The fellowship provides a $50,000 stipend, tuition and fees, health insurance and other program expenses.

Benefits plan changes

Effective Jan. 1, the federal tax code limits for salary reduction contributions to the IU Tax Deferred Annuity Plan (403(b) plan) and the IU Retirement Savings Plan (457(b) plan) will increase to $14,000 (or 100 percent of your annual compensation, if less) for each plan. In addition, the age 50 catch-up contribution provision under each plan will increase to $4,000 in 2005.

If you wish to increase the amount of salary reduction contributions you make to the IU Tax Deferred Annuity Plan for 2005, you will need to submit a new Salary Reduction Agreement (SRA) form that can be found at www.indiana.edu/~uhrs/pubs/forms/tda.html.

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If you are currently contributing the 2004 maximum amounts and want to increase your contributions to the 2005 maximum amounts, you must submit a new form for each of the plans. Your contributions will not automatically increase to the 2005 maximum limits.

With the implementation of the new HRMS (Human Resources Management System), contributions changed from a flat dollar amount to a percent of your annual IU salary. To determine this percentage, divide the annual dollar amount you wish to contribute by your annual IU salary as illustrated below.

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If you are uncertain of the percentage, please include the annual amount you wish to contribute, and the percentage will be calculated.

The preferred deadline for SRA and SDA forms to be received in the Human Resources Benefits Office (UN 340) is **Wednesday, Nov. 10.** Forms will be processed as they are received. For forms received after Nov. 10, the office will make every effort to process your form prior to payroll deadlines, however, we cannot confirm that changes will be reflected in the Jan. 3, 2005 paycheck. Please contact a Benefits Specialist at 274-4596 or benefits@iupui.edu if you have questions. If you have already submitted new forms for 2005, please disregard this message.

TIAA-CREF and Fidelity Investments offer free one-on-one consultations to participants in the IU Tax Deferred Annuity Plan and the IU Retirement Savings Plan. Experienced consultants can help you develop an investment plan, review asset allocation/diversification, analyze fund performance, and discuss retirement income options.

A consultant from TIAA-CREF will be at IUPUI on Oct. 8, Nov. 12 and Dec. 10. Consultations will be held in the Purchasing Department Conference Room, UN 561. To schedule an appointment, register online at www.tiaa-cref.org/moc, or call 974-4000 and ask for the appointment desk.

A Fidelity Investments Retirement Counselor will be at IUPUI on Oct. 27 and Nov. 23. Consultations will be held in the Human Resources Conference Room, UN 372. To schedule an appointment, please call the Reservations Center at 800-642-7131.
Purdue, IU medical school form joint life sciences research program

A pilot program to promote biomedical research collaboration has been formed by the Indiana University School of Medicine and Purdue University.

The program will provide $150,000 this fiscal year for grants to enable researchers from the two universities to team up on work that is likely to spawn larger ongoing programs and attract outside funding.

Robert B. Jones, MD, PhD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations at IUSM, said the program will concentrate on a few focused areas within biomedical research.

“We hope the project serves as a catalyst for new interactions between the schools’ researchers,” Dr. Jones said. “Anything that can be done to increase biomedical research here makes sense for Indiana.”

Researchers who want to compete for the grants must prepare joint proposals and submit them to either Dr. Jones or Rutledge by 5 p.m. Monday, Nov. 15. The proposals must consist of up to five double-spaced pages with one-inch margins and a font type no smaller than 12 points. It should include a summary budget, endorsed by an appropriate official from the lead institution.

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Radiographic images for presentation needs

The Department of Radiology is available to assist with faculty with presentation needs. The department can provide radiographic images suitable for PowerPoint, Web, or publication quality images. Several payment options are available.

For more information, call Beth Ward at 630-8788.
Gaffney to judge Ethics Bowl

Margaret Gaffney, MD, associate clinical professor of medicine and a member of the IU Center for Bioethics, is joining other Indiana business and community leaders in judging the sixth annual Indiana Regional Ethics Bowl.

The Ethics Bowl will be Saturday, Nov. 13 on the Marian College campus. Dr. Gaffney will judge case arguments made by students across the Midwest, including a team from IUPUI.

Students participating in the Ethics Bowl practice deliberating ethical dilemmas through research and discussion to develop greater critical thinking skills and a reinforced sense of ethical commitment.

Hispanic/Latino Health Summit

Elena Rios, MD, MSPH, president of the National Hispanic Medical Association, will be the keynote speaker at the Friday, Nov. 12, Hispanic/Latino Health Summit at the Gene B. Glick Junior Achievement Education Center, 7435 N. Keystone Ave., Indianapolis.

Registration begins at 7 a.m.. Dr. Rios’ presentation will begin at 8 a.m., followed by panel sessions on hospitals, clinics and health insurance.

Clarian Health Partners is hosting this event. Reservations are requested by Monday, Nov. 1, to 800-265-3220.

Bioethics Research Rounds for November

Paul Helft, MD, assistant professor of medicine, will be the November speaker for the Bioethics Research Rounds. His presentation, “Necessary Collusion: Prognostic Communication with Advanced Cancer Patients” will be Friday, Nov. 12.

BRR sessions will be in the Center’s conference room at 714 N. Senate Ave., room 200, on the
second Friday of each month from noon to 1pm. This is a brown bag lecture series; beverages will be provided.

The series, hosted by the Center, is an opportunity for faculty to present and learn about bioethics research in progress.

IU Geriatrics Conferences for November

Two IU Geriatrics Conferences are planned for November. Each session is from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B:

**Nov. 3** "Diagnosis and Treatment of Macular Degeneration"
Rudy Yung, MD
IU associate professor of ophthalmology

**Nov. 17** “The Surgical Approach to Urinary Incontinence in Older Adults”
Sandra Valaitis, MD
IU associate professor of Ob/Gyn

IUPUI United Way Campaign – final week

Help IUPUI reach its goal of $300,000 and make your pledge today.

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Patti Geil, a registered dietitian, diabetes educator and author of “Cooking Up Fun for Kids with Diabetes” will discuss maintaining the health of children with diabetes at home and school through diet and a new health tool—the Students-with-Diabetes Care Kit.

The environmental risk factors of developing breast cancer is the topic of Robert Hiatt, MD, director of the Breast Cancer and the Environment Research Center located at University of California, San Francisco. Hiatt is also the director of population science and deputy director of the UCSF Comprehensive Cancer Center.

An historic glimpse at medicine will be provided by Scotty Iseri, Sound Medicine’s colleague in Chicago, who will guide listeners through a collection at the International Museum of Surgical Science located in Chicago.

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Second annual IU Cancer Center Cancer Research Day -- Nov. 3

IU Cancer Center’s second annual Cancer Research Day will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 3. A scientific poster session, town hall meeting about the cancer center and keynote address on cancer chemoprevention are among the events.

The more than 70 poster presentations on display represent only a sampling of the current cancer research efforts at IUPUI, IU-Bloomington, Purdue University and Lilly Research Labs.

The scientific poster session aims to increase understanding and awareness of IU Cancer Center research endeavors and encourage collaboration among students, fellows and faculty. Posters will include presentations by core facilities of the IU Cancer Center: biological microscopy, biostatistics and data management, flow cytometry, General Clinical Research Center pharmacogenetics, and transplant and xenograft mouse core. The session will be in the VanNuys Medical Science Building atrium from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., with presenters in attendance from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
A town hall meeting will be held in room 101 of the IU Cancer Research Building from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. The meeting will provide an overview of the IU Cancer Center as well as an open forum for offering feedback to senior leaders and discussing opportunities for involvement and collaboration. All IUSM, IU School of Nursing and IUPUI School of Science faculty are encouraged to attend.

Cancer Research Day will conclude with a keynote address at the regularly scheduled IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., in room 101 of the IU Cancer Research Institute. The address will feature Dr. Gary Stoner, professor and chair for the Division of Environmental Health Sciences in the School of Public Health at Ohio State University and the director of the Laboratory of Cancer Chemoprevention and Etiology at the OSU Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Dr. Stoner’s keynote address, "Cancer chemoprevention using both drug-based and food-based approaches," will provide an introduction to cancer chemoprevention and discuss details about his work related to chemoprevention of esophageal cancer using individual compounds and freeze-dried berries. Chemoprevention involves the identification of dietary and synthetic chemicals that inhibit the development of cancer in animals and in humans. Dr. Stoner’s laboratory has identified several chemicals that inhibit the development of lung, esophageal, oral cavity and colon cancer in animals, and they are currently evaluating their molecular mechanisms of action as well as their potential inhibitory effects in humans.

Cash awards for best posters by graduate students and by post-doctoral/medical fellows will be selected by an external board and presented by Stephen D. Williams, MD, Director of the IU Cancer Center, following the keynote address that afternoon.

For more information, contact Maureen Harrington, PhD, associate director of basic research, at mharrin@iupui.edu. For more information about the scientific session posters, visit www.medlib.iupui.edu/faculty/crd/.

Joint Purdue, IU biomedical research program accepting grants

A pilot program to promote biomedical research collaboration has been formed by the Indiana University School of Medicine and Purdue University.

The program will provide $150,000 this fiscal year for grants to enable researchers from the two universities to team up on work that is likely to spawn larger ongoing programs and attract outside funding.
Robert Jones, MD, PhD, executive associate dean for strategic planning, analysis and operations at IUSM, said proposals from all areas of biomedical research will be accepted. An earlier announcement of the program in Scope inaccurately stated that only proposals from a few focused areas would be accepted.

Researchers who want to compete for the grants must submit a proposal by 5 p.m. Monday, Nov. 15. For additional information on application procedures and related forms, visit the IUSM Internal Research Funding Website at http://adminfinance.iusm.iu.edu/operations/CBR.htm.

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**EndNote workshops by Medical Library**

Getting Started with EndNote, a hands-on workshop for bibliographic citation management software, still has openings for Tuesday, Nov. 2, and Wednesday, Nov. 3, sessions. The program is from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the VanNuys Medical Science Building basement computer lab, room 016.

For more information and to register, contact Carole Gall 274-1411, or cfgall@iupui.edu.

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**Great Lakes Transplant Immunology Forum – Nov. 5-6**

William Baldwin, MD, PhD, associate director of diagnostic immunology and professor of pathology at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, is the keynote speaker at the Nov. 5-6 Great Lakes Transplant Immunology Forum. His topic is “How Complement Controls Inflammation and Rejection.”

The forum is hosted by the Center for Immunobiology at IUSM – the newest member of the research institutes and centers located on the Indianapolis campus. The center is directed by David Wilkes, MD.
The forum will bring together transplant physicians and researchers from most of the Big Ten Schools and other centers in the Midwest to discuss transplant immunology, autoimmunity, innate and acquired immunity and other factors affecting the success of organ transplantation.

November Combined Seminar Series

The IU Cancer Center Combined Seminar Series meets from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium. The schedule for November is:

**Nov. 3** – Cancer Research Day program, Dr. Gary Stoner, director, Ohio State University Laboratory of Cancer Chemoprevention and Etiology, “Cancer Chemoprevention”

**Nov. 10** – Mark R. Phillips, MD, professor of medicine, and of cell biology and pharmacology, deputy director for basic science, NYU Cancer Institute, “Compartmentalized signaling of Ras”

**Nov. 17** – Sophia Tsai, PhD, professor, Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology and Developmental Biology Program at Baylor College of Medicine, “Essential Role of COUP-TFII in Cardiovascular Development”

**Nov. 24** – No Combined Seminar – Thanksgiving holiday

Ben Vereen to co-star with med students, Nov. 5

Ben Vereen is known the world over as a top-notch singer, dancer and actor, but perhaps his most grueling performance occurred in the aftermath of a June day in 1992.

After a crash in which he was walking away to get help, he suffered a stroke. Confused and debilitated, he stumbled into the roadway and was hit by truck. But the curtain didn’t lower on Vereen; he underwent tortuous rehabilitation and returned to the Broadway less than a year later to star in “Jelly’s Last Jam.”

The Tony Award-winning entertainer will take an intermission from his nationwide musical tour to meet with IUSM students and others from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., Friday, Nov. 5. The gathering,
which is open to the public as space allows, is in the VanNuys Medical Sciences Building, room B-26.

Vereen will talk about his experiences and rehabilitation from his near-fatal stroke and injuries in a presentation dubbed, A Multicultural Interactive Conversation – Overcoming Obstacles. A reception will follow and refreshments will be served.

His presentation at IUSM is a prelude to an appearance he will make from 10 a.m. to noon, Saturday, Nov. 6, at the Madame Walker Theater, 617 Indiana Ave. His visit to Indianapolis is part of the 2004 Spirit & Place Festival, an annual citywide celebration of the arts, religion and humanities. The festival is managed by The Polis Center at the Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis.

Information sought on holiday initiatives

The IUPUI Office of Community Outreach currently is exploring the various initiatives that take place on campus during the holiday season other than the “Jam the Jaguars Bus Food Drive.”

Community Outreach wants to increase the impact and the visibility of initiatives undertaken by each school, organization or department to host toy drives, clothes drives, events or other special projects.

Forward this information to Kelly Young at kryoung@iupui.edu by Friday, Nov. 5:

1. Do you sponsor a holiday outreach project such as a toy drive, clothes drive or other? If so, please explain.
2. Please indicate who gets involved with your project? Students, staff, others.
3. What timeframe does your project take place?
4. Who benefits from your project?

B-ball tournament to benefit Special Olympics

IUPUI’s School of Physical Education and Tourism Management’s Student Council and the
Department of Intramural and Recreational Sports are sponsoring a Special Olympics charity fundraiser: the “3 on 3 Basketball Tournament.”

The tournament will be from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21, at the IUPUI School of Physical Education and Tourism Management Building, main gym (PE 150). Student teams are $30, and faculty/staff teams are $40.

Entry forms are available at www.iupui.edu/~iupuirec. The entry deadline is Friday, Nov. 12.

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Spinal cord injuries and new spinal cord research at IUSM will be the topic of Michael Groff, MD, director of spinal surgery.

Allergist Eric Schenkel, MD, clinical assistant professor of medicine at Drexel College of Medicine, and director of the Valley Clinical Research Center in Philadelphia, will give listeners some tips on fighting indoor and winter allergies.

Lisako Jones-Mckyer, PhD, assistant professor in the department of Applied Health Science at IU and survey director for the Indiana Prevention Resource Center, will discuss the results of the 14th annual “Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drug Use by Indiana Children and Adolescents” survey.

Actor, dancer and singer Ben Vereen will talk about his recovery from a near-fatal accident and stroke in 1992. His injuries were so severe that several doctors said he would never walk again but he proved them wrong and less than a year later, was back on Broadway.

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Search opens for radiation oncology chair

IUSM seeks candidates for the position of chair of the Department of Radiation Oncology. Candidates for this position must be board-certified in radiation oncology with strong academic credentials. They must have a strong clinical orientation and demonstrated ability to manage a multi-faceted clinical, research and educational program. Salary is commensurate with qualifications.

Send curriculum vitae and references to Stephen D. Williams, MD, Chair, Search and Screen Committee, Fesler Hall 318, 1120 South Drive, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-5114. Applications will be reviewed as received.

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Women’s health lecture focuses on colorectal cancer

Susan Rawl, PhD, RN, assistant professor at the IU School of Nursing, will discuss colorectal cancer at the Nov. 23 IU National Center of Excellence in Women’s Health monthly lecture series.

The presentation will be from noon to 1 p.m. in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium.

To view the presentation as a live remote, go to http://video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/encoder/Womens_Health_20041123.rm. It will be archived at http://video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/ip/istream/MTG_WOMENS_HEALTH_20041123.rm.

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Stroke newsletter online

The fall issue of Stroke News, published by the IUSM Stroke Program, can be found online at http://neurology.medicine.iu.edu/programs/Stroke_Newsletter_2C.pdf.

Information on current clinical trials, new stroke team members and a listing of new publications by faculty are included in the latest issue.

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Autism conference -- Nov. 11 and 12


Participants may pre-register for one or both days and walk-ins are welcome. Call 274-8353 to register, or visit the CME website at cme.medicine.iu.edu/default.asp for further event and registration information.

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Wishard offers job fair

Wishard Health Services will host a Career Exploration and Job Fair from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 17, inside the Wishard dining rooms A and B. The fair is an opportunity for those interested in a health care career or furthering their education, to learn about employment opportunities at Wishard and degree and certificate programs offered by local universities.

For more information, call 630-6648, or see www.wishard.edu.

Intermediate Workshop: Modifying Styles in EndNote

An intermediate level EndNote workshop will be 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Dec. 1, in the Medical Science basement computer lab, room B-16A. Some experience with EndNote version 7 or 8 is needed.

The workshop will focus on modifying style, which is the citation, bibliography, and footnote formats required in instructions to authors for manuscript submissions. Also covered will be inserting images, filter updates, and creating a standalone bibliography. Workshop leaders, Doug Bartlow and Carole Gall, are from the IUSM Libraries.

For more information, and to register for this and future workshops on Modifying Styles in EndNote, call or email Carole Gall 274-1411 cfgall@iupui.edu.

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Guests include Amy Peak, PhD, director of drug information services for Butler University’s College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences, who will explain the manufacturing process of the flu vaccine.

Craig Surman, MD, scientific coordinator for the Adult Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Research Program at the Massachusetts General Hospital, and Ken Patterson, an ADHD patient and author of *ADD and Me: Forty Years in a Fog*, discuss diagnosis and treatment of adult ADD/ADHD.

Kelly Gallagher-Kiley, licensed clinical social worker with Southside Counseling Associates in Indianapolis, will discuss seasonal affective disorder, its symptoms, and treatments.

Sound Medicine executive producer Nora Hiatt will narrate a special segment on the Gennesaret Free Clinic, an Indianapolis not-for-profit agency assisting people without health insurance to get much-needed health care from volunteer physicians and nurses who provide free medical care.

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Fall Faculty Meeting – Nov. 16

Dean Craig Brater, MD, will discuss IUSM achievements during the Fall Faculty Meeting at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 16, in the Riley Outpatient Center auditorium.

Also speaking will be Faculty Council President Robert Havlik, PhD, and August Watanabe, MD, chairman of the board of BioCrossroads, who will elaborate on the role of the school of medicine in the current life sciences initiative.

Faculty are reminded to return preference sheets for the faculty elections to Simon Atkinson, PhD, in the Research Institute, room 202 (R2-202). The preference sheets were mailed to faculty earlier this fall.
Center for Immunobiology hosts open house

The IUSM Center for Immunobiology, the newest member of the research institutes and centers, is hosting an open house from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 19.

Center director David Wilkes, MD, and colleagues extend the invitation to the campus to visit the center’s labs and view posters of the center’s work in VanNuys Medical Science Building, room 224.

CIMB’s mission is to develop interdepartmental, collaborative, basic science, clinical and translational research programs focused on organ transplant immunology, autoimmunity, innate and acquired immunity and the immunobiology of cancer.

Open enrollment activities

There still is time to attend open enrollment information sessions before the Nov. 23 enrollment deadline. These information sessions will provide an overview of the open enrollment materials, changes in the health care plans, tips on how to select a health care plan, information on the Tax Saver Benefit Plan and the new TBS card option will be reviewed.

Information sessions are scheduled from:

- 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Monday, Nov. 15, in the University Library auditorium.
- 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 17, in the Nursing Building, room 108.

Several satellite benefits offices have been established, and a benefits specialist will be available at these satellite locations to answer questions employees may have about their current benefits; to provide information about the open enrollment process; to assist in completing enrollment forms; to answer questions about the health care plans; and to give information about the other benefit plans offered by the university.

Satellite benefit offices will be in the Nursing Building, room 112, on Nov. 17 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. and the Safeco Building, main lobby on Nov. 22 from 9 a.m. to noon.
Interactive educational program developed by Riley docs

“A Pocket Rotation in Pediatric Endocrinology” is a new interactive educational program written by 12 faculty and fellows in the IU/Riley Section of Pediatric Endocrinology, one of the five largest pediatric endocrine sections in the country.

The interactive electronic education program was designed for students, house staff and primary care providers who seek additional information about children with disorders spanning the endocrine spectrum.

More than an online textbook, the program allows users to work up more than 40 virtual patients by taking electronic histories, performing virtual physical exams, and ordering from a menu of laboratory studies. Along the way, differential diagnoses for each patient are developed and then narrowed down to the patient’s final diagnosis. The cases are organized into 17 chapters, and each chapter includes a clinically-oriented text along with a variety of helpful figures, diagrams and tables.

“A Pocket Rotation in Pediatric Endocrinology” is available online at www.rileyhospital.org/apocketrotation. The first time you visit the site, please click on “create a new account” and enter the requested information. You may enter any number you choose for the student ID. A comprehensive, 400 page printed version is also available and will be distributed to all pediatric housestaff.

Contact the program’s editor Jack Fuqua, MD, associate professor of pediatric endocrinology/diabetology, at jsfuqua@iupui.edu or at 274-3889 with questions or problems.

Computational Molecular Science Facility open to researchers

The Computational Molecular Science Facility, directed by Kelsey Forsythe, PhD, is located in the School of Science building, room 320.

The facility is available for use by all IU faculty, staff and research students. It houses six Silicon Graphics Workstations, two Dell Dimension and two Apple G5 desktops for use in molecular modeling and computation.
The software available on these machines includes:

- **Sybyl** (see [www.tripos.com](http://www.tripos.com)) is a software package which allows for structure building, optimization and comparison of structures using methods such as QSAR (Quantitative Structure-Activity Relationships).
- **CSD** (Cambridge Structural Database) (see [http://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk](http://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk)), a searchable database (updated monthly) of X-ray and NMR structures of molecular compounds including statistical analysis of search results.
- **SPARTAN** (see [www.wavefunction.com](http://www.wavefunction.com)) is a modeling and analysis tool which calculates energies, equilibrium geometries and analyzes vibrational spectra, electrostatic surfaces and orbital energies for molecules using empirical, semi-empirical and quantum mechanical models.
- **Cerius2** (see [www.accelrys.com/nerius2](http://www.accelrys.com/nerius2)) is a materials modeling program which allows for generation of periodic (amorphous, crystalline and polymeric) structures and their analysis using molecular dynamics and empirical energy equations.
- **Insight II/Delphi** (see [www.accelrys.com/insight](http://www.accelrys.com/insight)) is similar to Cerius2 but with the emphasis on biomolecules. The module Delphi allows for generation of electrostatic surfaces/fields using Poisson-Boltzmann theory.
- **QUANTA/CharMm-Quanta** is also used for modeling protein systems with CharMm providing minimization and dynamics routines as well as combined quantum and molecular mechanical methods.
- **MacroModel** (see [www.schrodinger.com/Products/macromodel.html](http://www.schrodinger.com/Products/macromodel.html)) is a suite which includes force fields and methods for conformational analysis, molecular dynamics and free energy calculations.

Accounts on these machines are free and setup by arrangement with the director. If you'd like to discuss how this software might be of use either in your research and/or teaching please email, call or stop by the CMSF.

Dr. Forsythe can be contacted at 278-2202, or forsythe@chem.iupui.edu.

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**EndNote intermediate workshop – Dec. 1**

An intermediate level EndNote workshop will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 1, from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the VanNuys Medical Science Building basement computer lab, room B16A. Some experience with EndNote version 7 or 8 is needed.
The workshop will focus on modifying style, which is the citation, bibliography and footnote formats required in instructions to authors for manuscript submissions. Also covered will be inserting images, filter updates, and creating a stand-alone bibliography.

Workshop leaders, Doug Bartlow and Carole Gall, are from the IUSM Libraries.

For more information or to register for this and future workshops on Modifying Styles in EndNote, contact Carole Gall at 274-1411, or cfgall@iupui.edu.

Clinical Trials Program offers classes

Several educational opportunities are offered by the IU Clinical Trials Program in November and December. Complete information on the classes can be found at http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp.

**Nov. 17** - Computer Basics: Using EXCEL to Manage Research Related Information
11 a.m. - 1 p.m., Roudebush VA Medical Center, room A 2007
Limited to 15 participants. Call Michelle Murray at 278-2868 by noon, Nov. 15 to register
Cathy Heiny, VA education coordinator

**Nov. 18** - HIPAA security and FDA requirements for Clinical Research Databases
7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., Riley Outpatient Center auditorium
Registration at the door, CME: 1.0
Presenters: IUSM Office of Compliance and Clinical Trials Program staff

**Nov. 28** - Computer Basics: Using Your Outlook Account to More Effectively Manage Research Related Processes and Documents, noon to 2 p.m., IUPUI Business/SPEA room 3003, registrations limited to 20 participants with IUPUI email accounts, call Michelle Murray at 278-2868 by Nov. 26 to register
Presenter: Steve Brizendine, VA IT Specialist

**Dec. 3** - Initiating and closing Out a Study, noon to 1:30 p.m. Tudor Auditorium, Wishard Outpatient Wing, fifth floor, registration at the door, CME: 1.5
Presenter: Gail Douglas, CTP, and Helen Kallamani

**Dec. 14** - HIPAA Security and FDA Requirements for Clinical Research Databases, noon to 1 p.m., Riley Outpatient Center auditorium, registration at the door, CME: 1.0 Presenters: IUSM Office of Compliance and Clinical Trials Program staff
Content: HIPAA security training is mandated for all staff. This session, geared specifically for clinical researchers, will meet this obligation.
Dec. 15
Same program as Nov. 29, except it will be from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

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Jam the Jaguar Bus Food Drive begins

The time has come to start collecting food for the Jam the Jaguars Bus Food Drive for area food pantries.

Suggestions for encouraging participation are:

- Organize a food drive within your school, office or organization. Set out boxes now through Tuesday, Nov. 23 and collect food and other items.
- Participate in the Student Foundation's Turkey Toss Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 9 and 10 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the University College courtyard. $1 or a can of food buys an opportunity to win great prizes.
- Jam the Bus by bringing donations to University College courtyard from noon to 1 p.m. Tuesday Nov. 23.
- Buy a seat on the bus by donating $50 or more. Make checks payable to one of the organizations benefiting from this drive. Send donation to IUPUI Community Outreach Office, 355 N. Lansing St., AO 136, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202.

For more information, call Marty Posch at 278-8573, or visit www.iupui.edu/jamthebus. The food drive is sponsored by the IUPUI Office of External Affairs.

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Tell your story for the Great American Smokeout

IUPUI will participate in the Great American Smokeout Thursday, Nov. 18. This is the day when the American Cancer Society and others work to raise awareness about the health issues associated with tobacco use in order to encourage them to quit.

Only former smokers know the trials, tribulations and joys of quitting. Won't you share your story so that we can share it with others and hopefully inspire them to quit? Send your "I quit" story to Maggie Stimming, Human Resources Administration, UN 340, or mstimmin@iupui.edu.
Honors

The editorial board of Traces of Indiana and Midwestern History has selected an article written by Stephen Jay, MD, as the winner of the ninth annual Jacob Piatt Dunn Jr. Award for the best Traces article for 2004. Dr. Jay’s historical perspective “Leroy E. Burney: A Hoosier Pioneer in Public Health” appeared in the Spring 2004 issue of the magazine published by the Indiana Historical Society. Dr. Jay is the chair of the IUSM Department of Public Health.

Mark Kelley, PhD, associate director of the Wells Center for Pediatric Research, has been named chair of the NIH’s Cancer Etiology Study Section, Center for Scientific Review. His term began in October and ends June 30, 2006.

Juan Sanchez, MD, a member of the Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetology Section at Riley Hospital, has received a Physician Recognition Award from Deaconess Hospital in Evansville. Dr. Sanchez travels to Deaconess Hospital on a regular basis to participate in the Deaconess/Riley Children’s Specialists Program. The Physician Recognition Award at Deaconess Hospital is awarded to physicians for practicing the Deaconess credo: courtesy, respect, empathy, dignity, and optimism.

Ruben Sandoval, MS, research associate in the Division of Nephrology and the Indiana Center for Biological Microscopy, recently was awarded 16th place -- from more than 1,200 entries -- in the 2004 Nikon International Small World Competition, which "is dedicated to furthering creativity and excellence in photomicrography." Sandoval's image of kidney cells in a living rat can be seen at www.nikonsmallworld.com/gallery2004/prize16.html.

IU pediatrician Patricia Treadwell, MD, is a recent recipient of the 2004 Indiana Commission for Women Torchbearer Awards. This is a new prestigious award given by the State of Indiana to women who have served as torchbearers for all and is hosted by the Indiana Commission for Women. Also, this fall Dr. Treadwell was honored by Cornell University Weill Medical College Alumni Association with the 2004 Alumni Diversity Award. She was recognized for outstanding vision, dedication and leadership in promoting diversity as well as greatly enhanced and enriched the student body of the Weill Medical College.

Madelyn Wheeler, MS, RD, coordinator of research dietetics at the IU Diabetes Prevention and Control Center, received a 2004 Medallion Award from the American Dietetics Association at its October conference. This award honors members of ADA who have shown dedication to the high standards of the dietetics profession.
Walther Cancer Institute's 19th Annual Dinner Nov. 4 focused on honoring select researchers with awards in recognition of their outstanding work and accomplishments. IUSM faculty members receiving awards include Nasser Hanna, MD, co-director of the Hoosier Oncology Group's Thoracic Committee, was awarded the Danielson Award for Clinical Cancer Research for $7,500, and David Potter, MD, PhD, who received a $50,000 Walther Research Prize for a collaborative project titled, "Cytochrome P450 Mechanisms of Non-small Cell Lung Cancer Progression." IUSM MD/PhD candidate Jonathan Howell received a Walther Cancer Institute 2004 Marilyn Hester Scholarship. The scholarship is awarded to an individual currently in pursuit of an MD and/or PhD in biomedical sciences, who has demonstrated an interest and the potential for conducting pediatric hematology/oncology-related research.

This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. Co-hosts this week are David Crabb, MD, and Kathy Miller, MD.

Guests will include Greg Wilson, MD, Indiana State Health commissioner, who will discuss Indiana cancer statistics and the collaboration between the Indiana State Department of Health and Indiana Cancer Consortium that created The Indiana Cancer Control Plan 2005-2008.

The newest treatments for psoriasis will be covered by Stephen Wolverton, MD, IU professor of clinical dermatology, and Christine Seidman, MD, professor of medicine and genetics at Harvard University Medical School, will explain how the discovery of the Tinman gene has helped humans with heart problems.

Archived editions of Sound Medicine, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu/.

Online IUSM calendars

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar. To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona
Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.

A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at www.medicine.iu.edu. The calendar also can be accessed directly at webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm.

Submissions to Scope

Scope wants your news items.

The deadline for submission is 8:30 a.m. on Fridays. Scope is published electronically and sent to faculty, staff, students, and residents.

There are three easy ways to submit story ideas or information to Scope:

- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- paste your plain text message into Scope Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty

Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.

In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

- acronyms
- abbreviations
- campus building codes (use full, proper name of building and include the room number)
- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

To keep the electronic version of Scope as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.
IU/Wishard Trauma Center Level I... Again

For the fifth time, the IU/Wishard Trauma Center has been recognized as a Level I center by the American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma.

The Level I designation indicates that IU/Wishard provides trauma care of the highest quality, including 24-hour availability of a wide range of medical specialists.
“This national distinction is a reflection of the expertise of our physicians, nurses and staff in the multidisciplinary care that is provided by the trauma center at Wishard,” said Gerardo Gomez, MD, chief of the division of trauma, surgical critical care and emergency surgical services at Wishard and director of the trauma center. “It also is an acknowledgement of the institution’s leadership in all aspects of trauma care, patient care, education, research and injury prevention.”

The center, which is evaluated by the Committee on Trauma every three years, was the first in Indiana to be recognized as a Level I center in 1992 and is one of only two adult trauma centers in the state.

Riley ECHO lab accredited by ICAEL

Riley Hospital’s echocardiography lab is the first in Indiana to be accredited by the Intersocial Commission for the Accreditation of Echocardiography Laboratories. The accreditation was awarded Nov. 4.

At Riley Hospital, 8,000 pediatric echocardiograms are performed annually, including over 800 fetal ECHOs. Additionally, the cardiologists at Riley review and interpret over 2,000 ECHOs performed at other institutions across the Midwest.

Randall Caldwell, MD, is the director of the newly accredited pediatric ECHO laboratory. Associate director of the lab is Timothy Cordes, MD.

Accreditation by ICAEL signifies that the facility has been reviewed by an independent agency which recognizes the laboratory’s commitment to quality testing for the diagnosis of heart disease.

OHS/SHS to move to new home during renovation

IUPUI Occupational Health Services/Student Health Services will temporarily relocate in December from Coleman Hall during the complete remodeling of its clinic facilities.

OHS/SHS will relocate to room 3124 of the Ambulatory Outpatient Center of Indiana University Hospital. The entrance to the AOC is 550 North University Blvd. OHS/SHS anticipates moving
back into Coleman Hall about June 1.

OHS/SHS will close at 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 2, to begin the move to its temporary space. The clinic will reopen in its new location at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 7.

**IU Medical Group opens lung center at NIFS**

Help has arrived for those looking to breathe a little easier. The IU School of Medicine’s Lung Center is now available to teach individuals about asthma and other lung diseases, or simply how to improve overall pulmonary health.

Within the lung center, health education, research and disease management come together to provide services for those with pulmonary diseases. The center will educate the community about asthma and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, the anatomy of the lungs, proper use of medications and correct breathing techniques.

In addition to its educational services, the lung center conducts screenings for the asthma registry and current asthma studies.

Free classes, open to all ages, will be offered at the National Institute of Fitness and Sports. Other services include nicotine cessation programs and support groups.

The lung center director is Michael Busk, MD, MPH, medical director at NIFS, and is supported by the American Lung Association. For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact Janet Hutchins, RN, center coordinator, at 274-7397.

**Grants.gov offers insights on finding federal funding**

Katie Root, from Grants.gov Program Management Office, will speak to IU faculty and staff Tuesday, Nov. 30, at the University Library, Lilly Auditorium. Root will be in Indianapolis to promote Grants.gov, an online location to find and apply for federal grants.

Two sessions will be offered: one at 10 a.m. which is structured for research administrators, and
the other at 1 p.m. which will address the needs of faculty researchers. All IU faculty and staff, from all campuses, are welcome to attend.

Registration is requested but not required. Go to http://opd.iupui.edu/events.asp?unit=opd and click on “Register for this event” to register.

Grants.gov is the single secure Web site portal that unifies all federal grants. Through Grants.gov, state, local, and tribal governments, colleges and universities, nonprofits, research institutions, and other organizations can locate federal funding opportunities and electronically apply for grants from more than 900 grant programs representing more than $360 billion in annual funds offered by the 26 federal granting agencies.

Dunk the Dean a success

The Sept. 24 Dunk the Dean event raised a total of $8,554 for the IU-Moi University program in Kenya. The second Dunk the Dean fundraising event featured deans and chairmen, who bravely took their place in the “water seat” as faculty, staff and students anted up $1 or more to hurl various sized balls at the target. A silent auction also was conducted.

Dunk tank photos can be found at www.medicine.iu.edu/events/dunkTheDeans/dunk04.shtml.

Beat the holiday blues – Dec. 7

For many people, the holiday season brings celebration and good cheer. For others, it means the “holiday blues” or feelings of “bah, humbug.” For most, it also can mean added stress and worry, financial pressure and family dilemmas.

Learn how to optimize your emotional health this holiday season and take proactive measures to cope at the next “Crossing Michigan Street – Information for Your Good Health” workshop on “Coping with Holiday Stress” at noon, Tuesday, Dec. 7 in University Library, room 1126.

Mary Dankoski, PhD, clinical assistant professor of family medicine, will present tips and suggestions for a happier holiday season.
Wells Center unveils new homepage

The Herman B Wells Center for Pediatric Research has launched its redesigned Web site. The new and improved version can be found at www.wellscenter.iupui.edu.

AAMC seeks award entries from students

The Associate of American Medical Colleges seeks papers from medical students for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services "2005 Secretary's Award for Innovations in Health Promotion and Disease Prevention."

The competition is an opportunity for students enrolled in schools of the health professions to enter papers describing their innovative health promotion or disease prevention projects. Students may submit papers in one of two categories: single discipline projects or interdisciplinary projects.

Cash awards for entries within a single discipline are: $3,500 for first place, $2,500 for second place, and $1,500 for third place.

Interdisciplinary awards will receive: $7,500 for first place, $5,000 for second place, and $3,000 for third place.

Student papers must be sponsored by a faculty member and should be submitted to that faculty member by Monday, Feb. 7. Sponsors should then forward the final entries to the AAMC by Friday, March 4. Late submissions will not be considered.

For more information, contact Juan Amador, AAMC Division of Diversity Policy and Programs, SecretarysAward@aamc.org, or go to http://www.aamc.org/students/medstudents/secretarysaward/start.htm.
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Julia Heiman, PhD, director of the Kinsey Institute for Research in Sex, Gender, and Reproduction, will discuss new research and the resurgence of attention to the institute triggered...
by the recently released film, Kinsey.

Reza Ahmadi, associate professor in the Department of Family and Consumer Sciences and program director of interior design at Ball State University, will discuss tips on how to “Alzheimer’s-proof” a home.

National Public Radio correspondent Melissa Block will present a look at medical school when she joins Maryland Medical School students on their first day in anatomy lab.

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OHS/SHS will close at 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 2, to begin the move to its temporary space. The clinic will reopen in its new location at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 7.

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David Orentlicher, JD, MD, professor of law and adjunct assistant professor of medicine, will be the December speaker for the Bioethics Research Rounds. His Dec. 10 presentation, entitled “Feeding Tubes, Slippery Slopes and Physician-Assisted Suicide,” will be in the IU Center for Bioethics conference room, 714 N. Senate Ave., room 200.

BRR sessions are on the second Friday of each month from noon to 1 p.m. This is a brown bag lecture series and beverages will be provided.

**Combined Seminar Series for December**

The IU Cancer Center’s Combined Seminar Series meets from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium. The December lineup is:

**Dec. 1** – Eileen Dolan, PhD, professor of medicine, University of Chicago, “Genome-Wide Approaches to Improve Platinating Agent Chemotherapy”

**Dec. 8** – Sankar Swaminathan, MD, associate professor of medicine, UF Shands Cancer Center and the Division of Infectious Diseases, “Interactions between Epstein-Barr Virus and the Cellular Interferon Responses”

**Dec. 15** – John Turchi, PhD, associate professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, Wright State University, “Targeting Replication Protein A and its Role in DNA Repair in Cancer Chemotherapy”

**Dec. 22** and **Dec. 29** – No seminar scheduled

**IU Geriatrics Conferences for December**

IU Geriatrics Conferences are from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B. December’s lineup is:

**Dec. 1** “The Genetics of Familial Intracranial Aneurysms”

Tatiana Foround, PhD, IU associate professor of medical and molecular genetics and psychiatry

**Dec. 15** To be announced
Clinical Trials Program offers classes

Several educational opportunities are offered by the IU Clinical Trials Program in December. Complete information on the classes can be found at http://medicine.iupui.edu/ctp/.

Dec. 3  Initiating and closing Out a Study
noon to 1:30 p.m.
Tudor Auditorium, Wishard Outpatient Wing, fifth floor, registration at the door
CME: 1.5
Presenter: Gail Douglas, CTP, and Helen Kallamani

Dec. 14  HIPPA Security and FDA Requirements for Clinical Research Databases
noon to 1 p.m.
Riley Outpatient Center auditorium, registration at the door
CME: 1.0
Presenters: IUSM Office of Compliance and Clinical Trials Program staff

Content: HIPAA security training is mandated for all staff. This session geared specifically for clinical researchers will meet this obligation. Limited to 20 participants with IUPUI email accounts. Call Michelle Murray at 278-2868 by Dec. 13 to register.

9 a.m. to 11 a.m.
IUPUI Business/SPEA room 3003, registrations limited to 20 participants with IUPUI email accounts, call Michelle Murray at 278-2868 to register.
Presenter: Steve Brizendine, VA IT Specialist

Taylor Diversity Awards forms available

Nominations or applications are now being accepted for the Joseph T. Taylor Excellence in Diversity Awards. Apply now or nominate someone else for the fifth annual awards.

The awards are named in honor of Dr. Joseph T. Taylor, the first dean of the IUPUI School of Liberal Arts. Chancellor Charles Bantz will confer the awards during the Joseph T. Taylor Symposium on Feb. 16.

Visit www.life.iupui.edu/culture/taylor_awards.asp for printable forms and additional information.
**NIH overseas fellowship program seeks applicants**

The NIH's Fogarty International Center is sponsoring a clinical research training opportunity for graduate level U.S. health professions students. The program is managed by the Association of American Medical Colleges and the Association of Schools of Public Health and supported by the Ellison Medical Foundation.

The program is a one-year clinical research training experience. Medical students must be in their third year and have completed their basic science courses and one year of clinical clerkship. This is an opportunity for highly motivated individuals to experience mentored research training at top-ranked NIH-funded research centers in a variety of countries, including Bangladesh, Botswana, Brazil, China, Haiti, India, Kenya, Mali, Peru, Russia, South Africa, Tanzania, Thailand, Uganda, and Zambia.

The one-year fellowships will begin with an intensive orientation program on the NIH campus in July, followed by approximately 10 or more months of intense research training at the foreign site.

Applications currently are available and must be submitted by **Friday, Jan. 7**. To learn more, see [www.aamc.org/overseasfellowship](http://www.aamc.org/overseasfellowship), or contact Yolanda Thomas, AAMC manager of member services, at ythomas@aamc.org.

**Honors**

**Anna Sagoyan**, MD, a second-year resident in family medicine, has returned from the Republic of Georgia where she participated in an international medical relief effort. She made the trip by winning the nationally competitive American Academy of Family Physicians scholarship. As part of an international team, she met with local physicians to discuss health-care needs and to provide medical care to orphans.

**Gordon McLennan**, MD, has been elected to the Board of Trustees for The Renal Network, Inc. Dr. McLennan, assistant professor of diagnostic radiology, will begin his three-year term Jan. 1. The Renal Network is a not-for-profit corporation which is contracted with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to monitor quality of care in renal dialysis units in Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky and Illinois.

Members of the IUSM Office of Public and Media Relations garnered three awards at the Association of American Medical Colleges fall meeting. Web team **Marti LaChance, Christina Dulude and Gregory Bair** won an Award of Excellence in the Shoestring Category and an Award of Distinction, both for the IUSM Centennial Website, which can be viewed at [www.medicine.iu.edu/~centen/](http://www.medicine.iu.edu/~centen/). Director **Pam Perry** picked up a Award of Distinction for a joint project between Public and Media Relations, the Office of Development and the IU Cancer Center for organizing and promoting the October 2003 Tour of Hope visit with Lance Armstrong. See Tour of Hope highlights at [www.medicine.indiana.edu/toh/](http://www.medicine.indiana.edu/toh/).
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Ted Schettler, MD, science director of the Science and Environmental Health Network and co-chair of the Human Health and Environment Project of Greater Boston Physicians for Social Responsibility, and Stephen Jay, MD, chairman of the IU Department of Public Health, will discuss the environment’s impact on children’s health.

Barbara Kunz, cancer genetic counselor at the Humphrey Cancer Center at North Memorial Medical Center in Minneapolis, will discuss genetic testing and the role of a genetic counselor.

National Public Radio correspondent Melissa Block will bring listeners the second part of “Gross Anatomy Class” that follows Maryland Medical School students on their first day in anatomy lab.

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The number of children surviving battles with cancer is ever increasing with 75 to 80 percent of children treated for cancer living five years or more after diagnosis. This is a dramatic increase in
survival rates for children with cancer in the past 10 years.

Nearly 85 percent of Indiana children diagnosed with a childhood cancer are treated at Riley and Riley has approximately 9,500 outpatient visits per year and approximately 900 hospital admissions per year, which places it as one of the busiest in the region.

“Because of our reputation and success over the past 10 years, Riley receives cancer patients from across the nation,” says Robert Fallon, MD, medical director of pediatric hematology and oncology. Currently, there are 18 pediatric cancer physicians treating patients at Riley.

One of Riley’s highly regarded cancer programs, stem cell transplantation, is recognized as the only pediatric stem cell transplant unit in the state, and performs approximately 25 to 30 life-saving stem cell transplants each year. Paul Haut, MD, directs the pediatric stem cell transplant program.

Looking for Health Care Heroes

The Dean’s Office is initiating a process to support and streamline nominations for the annual Health Care Heroes program sponsored by the Indianapolis Business Journal. The program has a significant public profile, especially in the business and health community in Indianapolis. It includes recognition during an award lunch and publication of the award recipients in an issue of the IBJ. IUSM faculty and employees often have been recipients in the past.

The names of prospective nominees should be submitted by Wednesday, Dec. 8, to Pam Perry, director of public and media relations, at pperry@iupui.edu. By coordinating the nominee process, the Dean’s Office hopes to provide support from school leadership and create a process that avoids duplication.

Dean D. Craig Brater, MD, and the executive associate deans will make the final selection; nominators will be informed of the selected candidates and be asked to help create the 500-word narrative. The dean will be the signatory for all the nominees.

Nominees must be “individuals and/or organizations in the central Indiana health care industry that are making a significant impact on the quality of health care in the Indianapolis metropolitan area.”

The categories are: Corporate Achievement in Health Care, Advancements in Health Care,
Physician, Non-Physician and Volunteer. Additional information, including nomination criteria, can be found on the IBJ Web site at ibj.com/html/make_a_nomination.html.

Conference for biomedical entrepreneurs – Dec. 7

IUSM investigators who are interested in entrepreneurship or commercialization may want to attend the second Indiana Biomedical Entrepreneur Network event from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 7, at University Place Conference Center.

Along with providing networking time, this event will focus on lessons entrepreneurs learned when starting a company. Presentations will be made by Sarah Byrn, president and CEO of SSCI Inc., and George Stookey, president & CEO of Therametrics Inc.

The event is free but registration is required and can be made at www.ihif.org. Sponsors include the Indiana Health Industry Forum, the IU Research and Technology Corp. (formerly ARTI) and Ice Miller.

SPEA lecture features Russian health care visitors

“Population’s Health and Health Care Delivery in Russia: Challenges and Opportunities,” a lecture by Oleg Kuligin, dean of Ivanovo State Medical Academy in Russia, and Marina Kuligina, director of the Social Research Department, will be from noon to 2 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 7.

Pizza will be provided to those attending the SPEA special lecture in the Education/Social Work Building, room 2103.

Beat the holiday blues – Dec. 7

For many people, the holiday season brings celebration and good cheer. For others, it means the
“holiday blues” or feelings of “bah, humbug.” For most, it also can mean added stress and worry, financial pressure and family dilemmas.

Learn how to optimize your emotional health this holiday season and take proactive measures to cope at the next “Crossing Michigan Street – Information for Your Good Health” workshop on “Coping with Holiday Stress” at noon, Tuesday, Dec. 7 in University Library, room 1126.

Mary Dankoski, PhD, clinical assistant professor of family medicine, will present tips and suggestions for a happier holiday season.

The “Crossing Michigan” series is hosted by the IUPUI Office for Women, the IU National Center of Excellence in Women’s Health and IUPUI Human Resources Work/Life Program.

Neatness is next to…. impossible; a workshop offers solutions

Is your home or office such a mess that the police couldn’t tell if you’d been ransacked or not? Is chaos causing you to feel stressed and out of control? Are you fairly organized but looking for ways to simplify your life even more? Have you been late with bills or a project due to your disorganization?

Then you need to attend the free “Get Organized” workshop sponsored by IUPUI Human Resources Administration Work/Life on Monday, Dec. 13, from noon to 2:50 p.m. in the Union Building Hoosier Room (2nd floor of south wing).

Dana Carney, who was recently featured on WXIN Fox 59, will be the speaker. She will share ideas for combating cabinet and closet clutter, taming trashy tabletops and putting paper in its place. She’ll also address organization by function and accessibility to save you steps, tricks for computer filing systems and other neat ideas.

For details about the box lunch option and to register, see www.hra.iupui.edu/TD_IUPUI.asp, select View and Register, then select Work/Life. Direct any registration inquiries to hratrng@iupui.edu, or call Lynnell Lindle at 274-8932.
**Music in Medicine, new offering from IU music school**

The IU School of Music is offering a new class, Music in Medicine. The class, which begins during the spring semester, covers a survey of literature describing medical applications of music.

Students will have the opportunity to collaborate with health care professionals who work with patients. Debra Burns, PhD, Mt-BC, assistant professor of music, who does music therapy research at the IU Cancer Center, will teach the course.

For more information, call Michele Thompson at 274-4000, ext 2.

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**Jam the Jaguars Bus Food Drive a success**

The 2004 Jam the Jaguars was a tremendous success thanks to the donations of food and money from the IUPUI faculty, staff and students. Three busses were filled to capacity and the donations were distributed to 15 Indianapolis charities, churches and shelters.

The Office of External Affairs would like to thank everyone who participated in this year's food drive.

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**Jags Bookstore offers new option for purchasing textbooks**

The Jags Bookstore and its new partner, Specialty Books, Inc., have three new ways to save shoppers time and money on textbooks.

**Buy online. Pick up on campus.**
This is a new option that allows IUPUI students to purchase textbooks online, beginning Dec. 13, at [www.bookstore.iupui.edu](http://www.bookstore.iupui.edu) and avoid the cost of shipping by picking up the textbook order in room 132 of the IUPUI Conference Center from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Jan. 3-7; from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Jan. 8; or from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Jan. 9.

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Visual Media productions receive international honors

Two productions of the IUSM Office of Visual Media have received international recognition. Visual Media was awarded their second Crystal Award of Excellence and their fifth Award of Distinction by the 2003 Video Communicator Awards.

The Crystal Award of Excellence was awarded the video production “Tomorrow’s Medicine.” The feature peers into the future of lung cancer by proposing techniques for the diagnosis and treatment of this disease that may be available 30 years from now.

“Tomorrow’s Medicine” was produced in association with the IUSM Centennial Celebration as a joint venture with the School’s Office of Public and Media Relations and the Indiana State Museum.

A CD-ROM titled “Consider Indianapolis” was honored with an Award of Distinction. Used to inform prospective medical residents about IUSM and the City of Indianapolis, the feature incorporates music videos, interviews of residents, photography and Flash animation to showcase the many qualities of both the school and the area. The Award of Distinction recognizes projects that exceed industry standards and are of exceptional quality.

The Communicator Awards is an international program founded by communication professionals to recognize excellence in their field. The entries from the Office of Visual Media were among nearly 3,000 submitted this year. These prestigious awards honor excellence across the spectrum of communication, including video, film and multimedia, advertising and public relations, broadcast and cable television, corporate communications and government agencies.
Showalter Trust Fund applications sought

Since 1975, the Indianapolis campus of IUSM has received research funding through gifts made possible from the Ralph W. and Grace M. Showalter Research Trust Fund. The areas of appropriate biomedical research eligible for funding are broad and described by the benefactors as “the type of medical research that is most likely to permanently benefit mankind.”

Applications for funding from the Ralph W. and Grace M. Showalter Research Trust will be reviewed by the Biomedical Research Committee at IUSM. Proposals will be reviewed in two stages. An initial review will select the most meritorious proposals for further discussion and ranking. The BRC will provide a ranking of the most meritorious proposals, which will be presented to the Showalter Trustees. Funding decisions are made by the Showalter Trustees.

Applications for funding beginning July 1, must be received by the Dean’s Office, School of Medicine, Gatch Clinical Building, room 365, by Monday, Jan. 3. Submission of the original, 35 complete sets, and an Institutional Route Sheet are required.

Only current Indianapolis full-time faculty (non-visiting status) having a rank of assistant professor or assistant scientist are eligible to apply for funding from the Showalter Research Trust.

Funds awarded this year are expected to be fully expended in the 2005-06 fiscal year, or within the approved award period if longer than one (1) year. However, if there is a need to carry over award funds beyond the initial award period, procedures for a “no-cost” extension request may be obtained by contacting the Dean’s Office Grants Manager.

Note that the same proposal may not be submitted as both a Biomedical Research Grant and a Showalter Trust application. If eligible for both programs, the investigator is encouraged to submit to the Showalter Trust.

In addition, instructions and forms may be downloaded from the web at adminfinance.iusm.iu.edu/operations/srf.htm.
Biomedical research grants available

The application deadline for an IUSM biomedical research grant is **Monday, Jan. 3**.

The objective of the Biomedical Research Committee is to foster scholarly and creative research by worthy investigators so that they can compete successfully for extramural research support.

In general, two categories of research projects will benefit from this program:

- Research projects of investigators new to the school who do not yet have extramural funding and who need support to acquire the preliminary data necessary to compete for extramural funding
- Research projects of established investigators who are between funding periods from extramural sources.

Applications for both categories are considered small grants and should have a maximum requested amount of $40,000 and be limited to one-year duration. The same proposal may not be submitted as both a Biomedical Research Grant and a Showalter Trust application. If eligible for both programs, the investigator is encouraged to submit to the Showalter Trust.

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Educational Research and Development Grants

Education Research and Development Grants through IUSM are available for 2005. These grants are designed to stimulate educational research and development and are particularly geared toward projects involving interdisciplinary and inter-unit learning for medical students, residents and other health-care professionals in Indiana.

The deadline for applying for the grants is **Friday, April 8**. For additional information, see http://meca.iusm.iu.edu/Resources/Grants.htm.
Psychiatry organization offers minority scholarships

The American Psychiatric Association invites ethnic minority medical students who have an interest in psychiatric issues to apply for the 2005 Minority Medical Student Scholarships and Awards:

**Travel Scholarships for Minority Medical Students**
Supports travel and related costs for approximately 10-15 minority medical students interested in psychiatry to attend either the American Psychiatric Association annual meeting in May or the Institute on Psychiatric Services meeting in October. This program is a terrific way for medical students to witness organized psychiatry at work and to learn more about the field. Not only will students attend sessions for experts and trainees alike, they will be assigned to a mentor who will help them maximize their annual meeting experience and discuss career plans. The deadline to apply for the annual meeting is **Friday, Feb. 18**.

**Minority Medical Student Fellowship in HIV Psychiatry**
This new program is intended to identify minority medical students who have primary interests in services related to HIV/AIDS and substance abuse and its relationship to the mental health or psychological well being of ethnic minorities. For more information, contact Carol Svoboda at (703) 907-8642, csvoboda@psych.org, or Diane Pennessi at (703) 907-8668, dpennessi@psych.org. The deadline to apply is **Thursday, March 31**.

**Minority Medical Student Summer Mentoring Program**
This program is intended to identify ethnic minority medical students who have an interest in psychiatric issues and exposes students to a setting where they can work closely with a psychiatrist mentor for one month. The deadline to apply is **Monday, Feb. 28**.

**Minority Medical Student Summer Externship in Addiction Psychiatry**
This new clinical shadowing program identifies minority medical students who may have a specific interest in services related to substance abuse treatment/prevention and provide a setting where the student can work closely with a mentor who specializes in addiction psychiatry for one month. The deadline to apply is **Friday, April 22**.

These programs are open to ethnic minority medical students who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents currently enrolled in a U.S. medical school. Ethnic minorities are: American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, Asian-American, African American, and Hispanic/Latino. Program details, application requirements, and the application form can be downloaded from [www.psych.org/edu/other_res/apa_fellowship/MedStudTravApp04.pdf](http://www.psych.org/edu/other_res/apa_fellowship/MedStudTravApp04.pdf).
AAMC seeks award entries from students

The Association of American Medical Colleges seeks papers from medical students for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services "2005 Secretary's Award for Innovations in Health Promotion and Disease Prevention."

The competition is an opportunity for students enrolled in schools of the health professions to enter papers describing their innovative health promotion or disease prevention projects. Students may submit papers in one of two categories: single discipline projects or interdisciplinary projects.

Cash awards for entries within a single discipline are: $3,500 for first place, $2,500 for second place, and $1,500 for third place. Interdisciplinary awards will receive: $7,500 for first place; $5,000 for second place; and $3,000 for third place.

Student papers must be sponsored by a faculty member and should be submitted to that faculty member by Monday, Feb. 7. Sponsors should then forward the final entries to the AAMC by Friday, March 4. Late submissions will not be considered.

For more information, contact Juan Amador, AAMC Division of Diversity Policy and Programs, SecretarysAward@aamc.org, or go to www.aamc.org/students/medstudents/secretarysaward/start.htm.

AAMC seeks nominations for Nickens Awards

The Association of American Medical Colleges seeks nominations for the annual Herbert W. Nickens Award, as well as nominations for the Nickens Faculty Fellowship and Medical Student Scholarships. Nominations for all three awards must be received by Friday, April 1.

The Herbert W. Nickens Award is given to an individual who has made outstanding contributions to promote justice in medical education and health care. The recipient will receive a $10,000 award and will present the Nickens Lecture at the AAMC's 2005 Annual Meeting. Nominees may come from the fields of medicine, public health, education, law, nursing or the social sciences.
The Herbert W. Nickens Faculty Fellowship recognizes an outstanding junior faculty member, committed to a career in academic medicine, who has demonstrated leadership in addressing inequities in medical education and health care. The fellowship recipient will receive a $15,000 grant to support his or her professional activities over a two-year period.

The Herbert W. Nickens Medical Student Scholarships are awarded to five outstanding students entering their third year of medical school who have demonstrated leadership in addressing the educational, societal and health care needs of minorities. Each recipient will receive a $5,000 scholarship.

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It’s that time of year, when the flu is on the minds of many, but Indiana State Department of Health epidemiologist Wayne Staggs will give an update on a different kind of ailment. He will discuss the pertussis outbreak in Indiana and the recent discussions of promoting a booster vaccine.

Frank Vocci, PhD, director of the Division of Treatment Research and Development at the National Institute on Drug Abuse, will explain developments in addiction research.

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IU a great place to work, *The Scientist* reports

Indiana and Purdue universities are two of the nation’s 10 “Best Places to Work in Academia,” according to an international survey of researchers published by *The Scientist* magazine in its Nov. 8 issue.

The fourth annual survey conducted by *The Scientist* to determine how academic researchers feel
about their universities and organizations invited more than 35,000 scientists to participate in a Web-based questionnaire, and 1,456 usable responses from the United States, Canada and Europe were used in the tally. Ninety-one institutions—66 from the United States and 25 from Canada and Europe—were ranked.

An accompanying article, “Best Places to Work: What’s Important to the Academic Scientist?” reveals that American researchers are primarily interested in university health benefits, tenure policies and fair, competitive salaries.

The top 10 institutions for academic scientists, in order of placement by The Scientist, were: California Institute of Technology; Purdue University; Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center in Seattle, Wash.; University of Nebraska-Lincoln; Cornell University; University of Delaware; University of Michigan; Fox Chase Cancer Center in Philadelphia, Pa.; the Wadworth Center; the New York State Department of Health laboratory; and IU.

The two highest marks to institutions outside the United States went to Canada’s University of Toronto and University of Alberta.

Tenure policy was ranked very important among United States research respondents to the survey, while European and Scandinavian respondents were more concerned with their institution’s infrastructure issues.

Health coverage was considered the most important workplace factor to U.S. researchers but placed 13th overall among all other countries. Interestingly, life scientists in the survey pool in all countries except the U.S. and Portugal considered adequate research facilities as the most important factor in the workplace; American researchers ranked it second, and the Portuguese, fifth.

IU is one of Indiana’s largest employers and received a record $413 million in public and private funding for research and teaching in the fiscal year 2004.

Read the report at www.the-scientist.com/yr2004/nov/biobus6_041108.html.
business plan.

The MBA students will be enrolled in a competitive honors course and will already have received training in accounting, finance, marketing, operations and strategy. They also will have some familiarity with the venture creation process.

Research faculty will be required to disclose the relevant intellectual property to IU Research and Technology Corporation (formerly ARTI) and to commit to spend enough time with the MBA student to achieve the course objectives. It is anticipated that the program will begin in mid-January.

More details of the pilot program and application process can be found at https://www.slashtmp.iu.edu/public/download.php?FILE=eschoch/80831OYqYXV.

To participate, submit electronically a one-page project description to Robert B. Jones, MD, PhD, at rbjones@iupui.edu by Jan. 6.

IARC seeks research proposals

The Indiana Alcohol Research Center at IUSM seeks pilot project proposals that will strengthen its research program in core areas or projects that focus on brain imaging in animals or humans.

The IARC, which is in its 18th year of continuous NIH funding, is one of the nation’s premier research teams focusing on genetic factors that contribute to alcohol abuse and alcoholism.

IARC is composed of several research and service cores together with a core for pilot projects. The Pilot Project Core is designed to foster innovative research that is likely to lead to expanded research endeavors in the alcohol research field. Proposals from both junior and senior investigators who have not previously been engaged in alcohol research, or established investigators who are exploring new directions, are encouraged to apply.

The proposals will be reviewed for scientific merit and relevance to the theme of the Alcohol Center: “Genetic Determinants of Alcohol Ingestion.” Pilot projects are encouraged to take advantage of the cores and resources available in the IARC: Animal Production (for provision of selectively bred rat lines that differ in alcohol intake), Genomics and Molecular Biology (microarray expression profiling, real time PCR, genotyping of alcohol-related genes), Proteomics (protein analysis by 2D gels and/or mass spectrometry methods) and Alcohol Clamp Methodology.
(maintenance of constant blood alcohol concentrations).

For information about the cores, contact Janice Froehlich, PhD, or David Crabb, MD.

IARC will fund the pilot projects at a level not to exceed $35,000 per year for no more than two years. No more than 5 percent faculty salary may be requested and equipment purchases are discouraged (if included they must be carefully justified). "Equipment" includes non-consumable items costing more than $5,000. As always, level of funding is dependent on approval of the IARC budget for 2004-2005, which is dictated by the federal budget.

To apply, submit a proposal that does not exceed five pages including references using the NIH format. Attach a one-page budget using the NIH format. Submit proposals to Dr. Janice Froehlich, Department of Medicine, IB424B.

The deadline for submitting proposals is Saturday, Jan. 1. Awards will be made by Saturday, Jan. 15.

Visual Media hosts holiday open house

Members of the IUSM Office of Visual Media will don holiday smiles and greet faculty, staff and students interested in learning more about the professional media services available to support the missions of the school.

Refreshments will be served from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 15, at the Visual Media office in room 102, Emerson Hall.

Trauma center celebrates with open house

An open house to celebrate the re-certification of the IU/Wishard Level I Trauma Center by the American College of Surgeons will be from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 14, in the trauma conference room at Wishard Memorial Hospital. Brief remarks will be made at 1:10 p.m. Refreshments will be served.
Wishard Blood Drive – Dec. 16

Wishard Health Services and the Indiana Blood Center is hosting “Be A Miracle Wishard Blood Drive” from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 16, in rooms T2008 A&B.

All blood drive participants will receive giveaways, including a “Be A Miracle” T-shirt, and will be entered into a raffle to win one of several prizes such as a Sylvania 20” Combo TV/DVD, Sony CD/Cassette Boombox with Digital Tuner and MP3 Capabilities, one of two $25 Simon Mall Gift Cards, and one of two Wishard duffel bags.

A special, separate raffle for a $50 Simon Mall Gift Card will be held for Wishard employees who bring a friend to the blood drive who is not a Wishard or IU employee. Friends will receive free parking in the Wishard Garage. (Please ask your friend to bring his or her garage ticket to the blood drive for validation.)

Walk-ins are welcome, or to make a commitment now, click on the link below to schedule a convenient time:

http://appointment.bcentral.com/storefront/indianabloodcenter

Campus Card – same services for all

Campus Card Services would like to clear up a misconception and remind everyone that the IUSM card may look different, but it offers the same services as the jagtag card. To help eliminate confusion, the jagtag logo will be printed on all future IUSM cards.

What does this mean? It means as a jagtag holder, you can sign up for payroll deductions to make purchases across campus, make long distance calls when you sign up for the jagtag calling card, and receive discounts at select locations with our Merchant of the Month program.

For Christmas gifts, check out the IU Natatorium during December – pay with the jagtag and receive 20 percent off Natatorium related apparel at the Pro Shop and 10 percent off all “learn to swim” class registrations.

IU Geriatrics Conferences for January

Two IU Geriatrics Conferences are planned for January. Each session is from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. in Wishard Memorial Hospital, room T2008 A and B:

Jan. 5  “Delirium in Older Adults”  
Malaz Boustani, MD  
IU assistant professor of medicine

Jan. 19  “Documentation and Coding”  
Steve Counsell, MD  
IU associate professor of medicine  
Director of geriatrics

Holiday medical book shopping online

Shop online for books in medicine, science and technology for the holidays or any time at www.medlib.iupui.edu/techserv/orderbooks.html.

The IUSM Libraries Online Bookstore rewards shoppers with a 7 percent discount on most medical titles and also supports the IUSM Libraries.

For more information, contact Carole Gall at 274-1411, or email cfgall@iupui.edu.

Literature and Medicine – spring course offering
Openings remain available for the spring session of “Literature and Medicine,” offered Mondays from 2:30 p.m. to 5:10 p.m. The course will examine the representation of the medical field in literature, the arts and popular culture.

The first unit, “Plagues,” will study literary representations of illness and death during the 18th through 20th centuries. The second unit focuses on literary creations of medical workers and patients, such as pathography, graphic art and poetry. The final unit, “Transformation and Deformity,” examines the cultural framework of medical subjects.

Assignments will include weekly readings and responses, a narrative pathography, and a research paper on the cultural history of a disease, as well as on-site observations at IU hospitals.

For more information, contact Jane Schultz at jschult@iupui.edu.

Scope will be back in January

Scope is taking a holiday break. As in the past, the IUSM electronic newsletter does not publish during the final weeks of December. Scope will be back on your computer screen Jan. 10.

In the meantime, happy holidays to all our readers from the staff of Scope and the Office of Public and Media Relations.

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This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 19, to Sound Medicine, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. Co-host this week is Stephen Bogdewic, PhD.

Guests include Roland Griffiths, PhD, professor of psychiatry and neurosciences at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, who will discuss the most widely used mood-altering drug in the world – caffeine. Dr. Griffiths co-authored a recent study about caffeine withdrawal that was published in the journal Psychopharmacology.

Stuart Warden, PhD, assistant professor of physical therapy at the IU School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, will discuss his recent study connecting Prozac and bone growth in children and adolescents. Warden’s study was published recently in the journal Endocrinology.

Mary Dankoski, PhD, an assistant professor of clinical family medicine at IUSM, will give tips on how to reduce stress during the holidays.

Archived editions of Sound Medicine, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu/.

Online IUSM calendars

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar. To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.
A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at www.medicine.iu.edu. The calendar also can be accessed directly at webdb.iu.edu/iussm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm.

Submissions to Scope

Scope wants your news items.

The deadline for submission is 8:30 a.m. on Fridays. Scope is published electronically and sent to faculty, staff, students, and residents.

There are three easy ways to submit story ideas or information to Scope:

- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- paste your plain text message into Scope Web form on the IUSM faculty & staff page: http://medicine.iu.edu/faculty

Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.

In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

- acronyms
- abbreviations
- campus building codes (use full, proper name of building and include the room number)
- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

To keep the electronic version of Scope as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.