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01. Administrative

1. Graduate Student Awards: Nominations currently being accepted

Nominations are being accepted through March 1, 2010, for various awards, presented annually at the Graduate Awards Ceremony (scheduled for May 19, 2010): President's Award to Distinguished Doctoral Students; President's Award for Excellence in Teaching by a Doctoral Student; Weisinger Dissertation Award; Fusco Fellowship; Faculty-Staff Dissertation Award. See the Graduate School website for complete eligibility requirements and full nomination procedures.

<http://www.grad.sunysb.edu/new/students/awards.shtml>

Submitted by: Barbara Byrne/Grad

2. H1N1 Influenza and Seasonal Influenza Vaccine available for faculty and staff

The Student Health Service will be offering the H1N1 Influenza and Seasonal Influenza Vaccine to faculty and staff of Stony Brook University Monday through Friday 8:30 am to 12:00 pm and 1:30 to 4:30 pm

There is a \$20 charge for the Seasonal Vaccine payable by check only. The H1N1 Vaccine is free. The vaccines will be offered to current faculty staff with a valid Stony Brook ID only.

For more information please call 631-632-6740

<http://studentaffairs.stonybrook.edu/shs/forms.shtml>

Submitted by: Robert Ansbach/OSA

3. Life Sciences Stockroom

The Life Sciences Stockroom will be closed on Monday, February 15th in observance of Presidents Day.

Submitted by: Kathleen Hill/CAS

4. Tank Gas Program

The Tank Gas Program will be closed on Monday, February 15th in observance of Presidents Day. There will be no orders processed and no deliveries will be made.

Submitted by: Kathleen Hill/CAS

02. Administrative - Hosp/HSC

1. Allergy Diagnostic Unit Penicillin Skin Testing Clinics Open

Allergy Diagnostic Unit at 26 Research Way offers penicillin skin testing as well as pollen and food evaluations. Morning appointments allow time for Pharmacy to make dilutions.

Appointments 444-0580

Consultation FAX 444-0562

Submitted by: Anthony Szema/UHMC

03. Workshops/Courses/Training

1. Workplace Feng Shui

Is your work environment supporting or depleting your energy? Are you feeling more stressed on the job than is necessary? Your environment has a tremendous effect on how you feel - whether you realize it or not. We will review some basic, low/no cost Feng Shui tips to improve your workspace, be it an office or a cubicle.

Guest speaker: Maureen K. Calamia

February 11, 2010, 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m., Wang Center, Classroom 301

To Register Call 632-6085 or email us at eap@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

To Join our EAP Luchtime Learning Listserve click on:

<http://lists.sunysb.edu/index.cgi?A0=EAPTALK>

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/eap>

Submitted by: Colleen Stanley/Pres

2. Yoga for Wellness

Refresh and recharge during this gentle 50-minute yoga class for all levels of experience and fitness. Practice yoga movement and breathing techniques that can be utilized in the office or at home to help reduce stress, increase flexibility, and promote an overall sense of well-being. Please wear comfortable and non-restrictive clothing.

Presenter: Livia Polise

February 9, 2010, 12:00pm - 1:00pm, Wang Center, Chapel

To Register Call 632-6085 or email us at eap@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

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<http://www.stonybrook.edu/eap>

Submitted by: Colleen Stanley/Pres

3. 2010 Stony Brook Program Assessment Institute

Assessment is a crucial component of our educational landscape as Universities face increasing accountability and scrutiny from government, accreditors, and funding agencies. Program assessment focuses on student learning to determine whether students have acquired the skills, knowledge, and competencies associated with their program of study. To meet the needs to improve program assessment, a hands-on Institute facilitated by Dr. Daniel Apple will be held on Feb. 19 and March 19, 2010 at Wang Center.

During this Institute, participants will produce a program assessment that:

Helps meet program goals and standards

Clarifies program processes, systems and structures

Significantly benefits the program

Evidences qualities of the program by key outcomes

Registration is open to Department teams that might include:

Department Chairperson

Undergraduate Program Director

Graduate Program Director

Curriculum Committee Member

Accreditation Committee Member

Faculty

Assessment Staff (e.g., Assistant to Chair, Assessment Coordinator)

To register online, please go to: <https://tlt.stonybrook.edu/Pages/Assessment.aspx>

Submitted by: Ying Xiong/DoIT

4. CSEA Member Education Benefit Information Open House

The School of Professional Development will be holding an Open House for all CSEA members wishing to take advantage of their education voucher benefit for non-credit classes. By attending the Open House you will be given valuable information aiding you with Voucher-Requests and course registration.

The Open House is scheduled for Friday, February 12, 2010 from 11:30am-1pm and again from 3pm-4:30pm in the Social and Behavioral Sciences Building room N-112. Computer and Career Development classes are continually being scheduled. Visit our website at www.stonybrook.edu/spd/career for full course descriptions. If there is a course you wish to take and dates are not posted please attend the Open House with course requests. We look forward to seeing you on Friday, February 12, 2010.

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

5. EAP Lunchtime Learning: Labyrinth Walking: Pathway to Stress Management and Improved Performance

Take a break from the stress of modern life by going back a few thousand years. People are discovering anew that walking the concentric circles of ancient labyrinths can create inner peace and healing. EAP invites you to join Labyrinth Builder, Ed O'Connell, for a refreshing introduction to the Red Dragon Labyrinth as a walking meditation practice.

Guest speaker & Facilitator, Ed O'Connell

February 17, 2010, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m., Outdoors at the Labyrinth - West Campus (Gray and O'Neil - Mendelsohn Quad)

To Register Call 632-6085 or email us at eap@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

To Join our EAP Lunchtime Learning Listserve click on:

<http://lists.sunysb.edu/index.cgi?A0=EAPTALK>

<http://stonybrook.edu/eap>

Submitted by: Alisha Meston/Pres

6. Turn Your Learn On: YouTube, iTunes and Other Web Multimedia for Researchers

Sure YouTube is a lot of fun, but have you ever used it for a class presentation or research project? For the arts, sciences and everything in between there are riches of multimedia content available online. Tap into this wealth of resources to include multimedia in your research and classwork. In this workshop learn: how to search for multimedia content online -- including images, video and audio, how to cite online multimedia in your research, how to insert multimedia in a presentation and on Blackboard, and Web tools for organizing and sharing media content. Monday, February 8 @ 3:00 PM. Register @

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

7. Census 2010: Counting Everyone Once and Only Once and In the Right Place

Is your native language English, Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Vietnamese and Russian or one of 52 other languages? This workshop will cover what is collected as basic Census information and how this Census differs from all previous ones. Come find out: how to find population data and other statistics for your research, how the Census and the American Community Survey differ

from each other, how government education and other grant money is distributed according to Decennial (every 10 years) Census results? How private is the information you provide? What if I'm not a citizen? Where do students fill out the Census? Wednesday, February 10 @ 12:00 PM. Register @ <http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

8. Library Tour

Take a tour of the Melville Library's main public service areas. Learn about our collections and services and get some freebies while you're here. Meet us @ the Central Reading Room, Melville Library. All tours run about 30 minutes. Tuesday, February 9 @ 2:30 PM and Wednesday, February 17 @ 6:00 PM. Register @ <http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

9. Research Skills for Non-Traditional Students (Face-to-Face)

Been out of school for a while and feeling lost? Working and going to school, and pressed for the time needed to do research? Learn how to: access Stony Brook University resources from off-campus, explore the library's collection of electronic books and reference material, and use Suffolk Web and WorldCat to find resources close to home. Tuesday, February 9 @ 7:00 PM. Register @ <http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

10. Citation Skills For Non-Traditional Students

In this workshop, learn how to: understand the concept of academic integrity, determine when to cite and when not to, use direct quotations vs. paraphrasing, and how to format basic citations in APA and MLA.

(Online) Wednesday, February 10 @ 7:00 PM and (Face-to-Face) Tuesday, February 16 @ 7:00 PM. Register @ <http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

11. WorldCat: The World at Your Fingertips

What if there was a catalog that you could use to search almost all the books, DVDs, articles, music and other materials in all the libraries in the world? There is! With WorldCat you can: find materials in libraries near you, one-click order materials via SBU Libraries interlibrary loan, create and share lists of items, build bibliographies for your research, and integrate your WorldCat searching in facebook and firefox. Wednesday, February 17 @ 3:30 PM. Register @ <http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

12. Managing Your Research Using Endnote: Basic Skills at HSC

Creating the bibliography is often the most tedious part of writing a research paper. Using EndNote X2, a bibliographic management software program, this task just became much easier. In this workshop learn: how to create an EndNote Library, how to download results from a literature search into EndNote, how to organize your EndNote Library, how to insert your references into a MS Word document, and how to format your bibliography. Thursday, February 18 from 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM at the Health Sciences Library. Register @ <http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

13. Communicate with Greater Confidence and Influence Every Time You Speak!

February 18 9:30am 12:30pm

Would you like to convey your thoughts and feelings clearly and effectively so that they can be heard and understood by others? This course will increase your awareness of communication behaviors and build your confidence and ability in managing workplace and home communications.

Key Highlights:

- Assess the effects of your communication or behavior on others
- Accurately listen to, assess and react to what you hear
- Identify and manage non-verbal messages and its relationship to communication
- Select a style of responding to achieve your communication goals

Target Audience: Open to all on West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan and Southampton.

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0023>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

14. SB Benefits(State&Research Foundation)!

February 10 9:30am-11:30am

The Benefit presentation will give an overview of the benefits offered to State, Research Foundation and Graduate Student employees. It will also include eligibility requirements, what the departments need to know and how to utilize the Benefits program as a tool in recruiting new employees.

Target Audience: VP Coordinators, Departmental Personnel Administrators and anyone who is responsible for HR Administration. HSC/WEST Campus employees only

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0004>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

04. Hospital Workshops/Training

1. Science And Research Awareness Series (SARAS)

The Department of Anesthesiology at Stony Brook Medical Center will be organizing the 2010 Science And Research Awareness Series. This program runs for 3 weeks in July and consists of lectures, video workshops and hands-on-workshops. Though this program is designed for high school and undergraduate students, it is open for everyone who is interested in Biomedical Sciences. Register early, as seats are limited. Program details, photos, feedback, video excerpts and application material can be found at SARAS website.

<http://anes.anesthes.sunysb.edu/teaching/sas.html>

Submitted by: Srinivas Pentyala/UHMC

05. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Biochemistry & Cell Biology Faculty Candidate Seminar: Tuesday, February 9, 2010

You are cordially invited to attend a seminar given by Dr. Bert van den Berg, Associate Professor, University of Massachusetts Medical School, entitled, "Cleaning up the Mess: Uptake of Hydrophobic Molecules Across the Bacterial Outer Membrane". It will be held on Tuesday, February 9, 2010, in room 038, Life Sciences Building at 4:00 p.m. Hosted by Dr. Robert S. Haltiwanger. Coffee, Tea & Cookies will be available at 3:30 p.m.

Submitted by: Dianna Berger/CAS

2. Small Business Development Center Offers Free Monthly Series

The SBDC is presenting a workshop on Solar and Wind Technology, the third in the series called Shaping the Future of Business on Long Island. The workshop will take place on Wednesday, February 10, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at the CEWIT Building, 2nd Floor Conference Room, Stony Brook. Registration is at 8:30 am. Lunch is included. Speakers include Greg Sachs of Long Island Solar Energy Industries Association and Greg Banhazl, of New York Institute of Technology. The sponsors are Bethpage Federal Credit Union, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Newsday, and GE Energy. Advance registration required. Call (631) 632-9037 or e-mail Leslie.Rurup@stonybrook.edu. All workshops are free.

Submitted by: Glenn Jochum/UAff

3. Center/Italian Studies Lecture: "Jewish Youth in Italy from Emancipation to Racial Laws." Cristina Bettin, Ben Gurion University.

Center for Italian Studies Lecture: February 18, 2010, Thursday, 5:20 p.m. Cristina Bettin (Ben Gurion University, Israel) will speak on the topic: "A Question of Identity: The Case of Jewish Youth in Italy from Emancipation to Racial Laws." Location: Stony Brook University's Humanities Building, Room 3008. All are invited. Call 631-632-7444 for additional information.

Submitted by: Josephine Fusco/CAS

4. Center for Italian Studies Book Presentation: "It Happened in Italy" with author, Elizabeth Bettina

Sunday, February 21, 2010, 2:30 p.m. Center for Italian Studies Book Presentation: "It Happened in Italy: Untold Stories of How the People of Italy Defied the Horrors of the Holocaust" with author, Elizabeth Bettina. Panel of Guests: Holocaust survivors and Vincent Marmorale, Chair, Human Rights Committee, New York State Social Studies Council. Location: Stony Brook University's Wang Center Theatre. Reception with opportunity to purchase and have books autographed by the author. Call 631-632-7444 for additional information.

Submitted by: Josephine Fusco/CAS

5. Christos Papadimitriou, Distinguished Lecture Series in Computer Science, CEWIT Room 200, Friday, February 12, 2:15

World-renown computer scientist, mathematician, and New York Times best-selling author ("Logicomix"), Christos H. Papadimitriou, C. Lester Hogan Professor of Computer Science at UC Berkeley, will speak in the Computer Science Distinguished Lecture Series:

"The Algorithmic Lens: How the Computational Perspective is Transforming the Sciences"

Friday, February 12, 2:15pm

CEWIT Building, Room 200

Sponsored by the Department of Computer Science and the Center of Excellence in Wireless and Information Technology (CEWIT).

<http://www.cs.sunysb.edu/about/DLS/abstract20100212.html>

Submitted by: Joseph Mitchell/CEAS

6. Darwin Day 2010 Provost's/Living World Lecture with SBU Professor Douglas Futuyma on Friday, February 12

Douglas J. Futuyma, Distinguished Professor of Ecology and Evolution at Stony Brook University, will present his lecture in honor of Darwin Day 2010 on Friday, February 12, at 7:30 p.m., in the Student Activities Center Auditorium. He will speak on Evolutionary Biology: 150

Years of Progress. This lecture is held jointly with the Department of Ecology and Evolution and the Living World Lecture Series.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/provlec>

Submitted by: Janine Pearce/Prov

7. Ecology & Evolution Seminar" Niche Conservatism & Evolution: Steps Toward a Unified Conceptual Framework"

3:30 P.M., Wednesday, February 10, 2010, Life Sciences Building, Room 038. Dr. Robert Holt, Department of Zoology, University of Florida. Host: Dr. Douglas Futuyma. If you need a disability-related accommodation, please call: The Department of Ecology and Evolution at (631) 632-8600.

Submitted by: Martha Nolan/CAS

8. Dr. William McAdoo Memorial Health Lecture Series Events

Monday, February 8, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Monday, February 15, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Both located in the Social Welfare Faculty/Staff Conference Room, HSC level 2

Additional lectures scheduled for February 22, For more information, contact Dr. Aldustus E. Jordan, School of Medicine, (631) 444-2341. Sponsored by the School of Social Welfare and the Black Faculty and Staff Association. A Black History Month program.

www.stonybrook.edu/blackhistory

Submitted by: Mary Ann Calvacca/OSA

9. Neuroscience Seminar Series

On Thursday, February 11, 2010 at Noon in Room 038 of the Life Sciences Building, the Department of Neurobiology & Behavior will be holding a Seminar. Stephen Shea, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, will give a talk on "Neural Circuits for Olfactory and Auditory Social Communication in Mice."

Coffee/Tea @ 11:45

Host: Lonnie Wollmuth, 632-4186

Submitted by: Karen Morse/CAS

10. Africana Studies in the 21st Century: A Discussion Forum - February 16, 1:00pm-3:00pm, Africana Studies Library, SBS Bldg, Room S-224

For more information, contact Phyllis Bartolomeo-Zenker, Pbartolomeo-zenker@notes.sunysb.edu. Sponsored by Department of Africana Studies. A Black History

Month program.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/blackhistory>

Submitted by: Mary Ann Calvacca/OSA

11. Save the Date! March 15, 4:30 pm for a look at the Conscious Mind

Join us for a look at "Understanding the Recovery of Consciousness" with Dr. Nicholas Schiff, Director, Laboratory of Cognitive Neuromodulation, Weill Cornell Medical College, Cornell University, and one of TIME Magazine's "TIME 100" World's Most Influential People. Despite major advances in neuroscience, recovery of consciousness after brain injury remains poorly understood. Nicholas Schiff, a physician-scientist with expertise in neurological disorders of consciousness, will review studies that have expanded the understanding of the potential for late recovery of cognitive function and provide insight into the results of a successful thalamic stimulation on a severely brain-injured patient.

Please join us Monday, March 15, 2010 at 4:30 pm in the Staller Center for the Arts.

Free and open to the public.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/mind/>

Submitted by: Shelley Catalano/UAff

12. Pharmacological Sciences

Tuesday February 9 2010 at noon

Dr Maria Falkenberg Associate Professor

University of Gothenburg Sweden

Title Molecular mechanisms of human mitochondrial DNA replication

Host Drs Dan Bogenhagen and Miguel Garcia-Diaz

Location BST8-180

Monday February 15 2010 at noon

Christopher Eyermann Graduate Student

Title A Role for Dystroglycan in Modulating Process Outgrowth during Oligodendrocyte Development

Host Dr Holly Colognato

Location BST8-180

<http://www.pharm.stonybrook.edu>

Submitted by: Rosalind Perdomo-Ayala/UHMC

06. Hosp/HSC Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Hip and Knee Pain Seminar

Hip and Knee Pain Seminar

2/25/10, 14 Technology Drive, Suite 1, Education Center. 9-11am

People experiencing hip and/or knee pain

Attendees will learn about the normal anatomy of the hip and knee, the various causes of hip and knee pain, signs and symptoms of a hip or knee problem, how to get a good diagnosis from your doctor, and the latest treatments for arthritis including diet, nutrition, exercise, medication and surgery including knee arthroscopy, hip replacement and knee replacement.

-Free Seminar

-Call Health Connect at 444-4000 to sign up

Submitted by: Maria Juvan/UHMC

2. History of Medicine Lecture Series

Chloe Silverman, PhD, will give a lecture on "Parents Speak: Autism and the Ethics of Treatment", Thursday, February 18, LH1, HSC

Dr. Silverman is Assistant Professor of Science & Technology Studies and Gender Studies at Penn State University, State College, PA. Dr. Silverman received a Ph.D. in History and Sociology of Science from the University of Pennsylvania and was a Mellon postdoctoral fellow at Cornell University in the Department of Science & Technology Studies. Her manuscript, *Autism, Love and Labor*, to be published this year, describes the role of parent advocacy groups, teachers, and neuroscientists in the shaping of the diagnostic and clinical entity of autism spectrum disorders in a series of historical and physical locations.

Submitted by: Elisa Nelson/UHMC

07. Charitable

1. Stop! Don't throw out that old cell phone or used battery!

Looking for a place to dispose of your old cell phone and/or used batteries? Want to help protect the environment? Fortunately, Stony Brook University (SBU) has recently joined a national program called Call2Recycle(tm) to conveniently recycle used rechargeable batteries and old cell phones generated on Campus. This program will strengthen and enhance SBU's existing program by providing more convenient and safe disposal options to the Campus Community. To learn more about the Call2Recycle program or to find a drop off location on Campus, visit SBU's Environmental Health & Safety website at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/ehs/> and navigate to the Battery and Cell Phone Recycling Program page.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/ehs/waste/recycling_program.shtml

Submitted by: Jeffrey Carter/Admin

2. A Special Invitation For Faculty & Staff: 2010 Stars Of Stony Brook Gala

The 2010 Stars of Stony Brook Gala will honor world-renowned scientist, Dr. Chen Ning Yang, Stony Brook's first Nobel Laureate faculty member and a distinguished member of the international academic community. The event will held on Thursday, April 22nd at Pier Sixty, Chelsea Piers in Manhattan, beginning at 6:30 PM; dress is business attire. Donors to the Gala have helped generate more than \$15 million to-date for student scholarships.

Faculty/Staff Pricing:

Tickets \$500

Table of ten \$5,000

Complimentary bus transportation is available to/from the Gala. Seats are limited and available on a first come, first served basis. Reservations are required.

To purchase tickets and reserve bus seats, please complete and return the response form below or contact Barbara Kornett at 632-6190 or Barbara.Kornett@stonybrook.edu.

<http://alumniconnections.com/olc/filelib/STO/cpages/9015/Library/gala/Gala%20Reply%20Form%20-%20FacultyStaff.pdf>

Submitted by: Jennifer Logan/UAff

08. Culture & Entertainment

1. Shen Yun Performing Arts coming to NYC at Radio City Music Hall

<http://www.shenyunperformingarts.org/>

Feb. 13, 14(Valentine's Day), 20, 21

Stony Brook University Discount Code: SYBNL15

The code is for online orders only.

<https://webticketcenter.com/ny/>

Submitted by: Qiong Zeng/UHMC

2. Come Celebrate Wolfie's 15 Birthday!

Wednesday, February 10th. Fans and Mascots from around the tri-state will be coming to Pritchard Gymnasium to take part in celebrating Stony Brook University Mascot's Wolfie's 15th birthday. Several different mascots will be in attendance to entertain the fans and sing happy birthday at halftime. There will be contests, prizes and special performances throughout the game; including Wolfie's birthday cake. The basketball game starts at 7 p.m.

<http://goseawolves.cstv.com>

Submitted by: Jan Potter/UAff

3. Staller Center Art Gallery To Feature Graduate Student Work

Work by five graduate students of fine arts will be exhibited in the University Art Gallery in the Staller Center from Saturday, February 6 through Saturday, February 27. The "MFA Thesis Exhibition 2010" includes kinetic sculpture, prints, performance art, and mixed media and electronic media installations by Joseph Andrew Esser, Julianne Gadoury, Kristine Granger, Elizabeth Dee Heifferon, and Danielle Rago. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 12-4pm and Saturday, 7-9pm. A reception honoring the artists will be held on Saturday, February 20, 7-9pm. Admission to the exhibition and the reception is free. Recommended for mature audiences. For more information, please call 632-7240.

Submitted by: Rhonda Cooper/CAS

4. Men's Basketball vs. Maine-Wednesday, 2/10 7pm

Stony Brook Seawolves fans don't forget to reserve your seat for Wednesday, 2/10 at 7:00 p.m. as your Seawolves take on Maine! Come join us in celebrating your favorite mascot Wolfie's 15th Birthday! To purchase tickets call 631-632-WOLF or visit www.goseawolves.org. Tickets are \$5 for all Stony Brook Faculty/Staff with I.D. Remember to Get Your RED On!

<http://goseawolves.cstv.com/tickets/ston-ticketing.html>

Submitted by: Andrea Lebedinski/Pres

5. Seawolves Basketball Doubleheader-Saturday 2/13

Stony Brook Seawolves fans don't forget to reserve your seat for Saturday, 2/13 at 4:00 p.m. as your women's basketball team takes on Maine! Then stick around to support your men's team as they battle Binghamton at 7:00 p.m. To purchase tickets call 631-632-WOLF or visit www.goseawolves.org. Remember to Get Your RED On!

<http://goseawolves.cstv.com/tickets/ston-ticketing.html>

Submitted by: Andrea Lebedinski/Pres

6. 2010 Stony Brook Men's Lacrosse Season Tickets On Sale

Season tickets for the 2010 Stony Brook men's lacrosse season are now on sale. A seven-game home schedule that includes top-25 schools Denver and Cornell is set for Kenneth P. LaValle Stadium, home of the NCAA Division I North Quarterfinals on May 23. Ticket packages can be purchased online at www.goseawolves.org or by calling the Stony Brook ticket office at (631) 632-WOLF (9653).

<http://goseawolves.cstv.com/tickets/ston-ticketing.html>

Submitted by: Andrea Lebedinski/Pres

7. Documentary: Vincent Who?

Over 25 years ago, the hate crime murder of Vincent Chin in Detroit galvanized the Asian American and Pacific Islander community. This 40-minute documentary, winner of the Media Award from the National Association for Multicultural Education, looks back at the movement that started from the case and asks how far we have come and how far we still need to go.

Followed by discussion with Director Curtis Chin.

February 11, 7:00 pm, Wang Theater, Free Admission

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/wang>

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

8. Flesh and Soul: Dance on Camera Films

Interpreting dance through cinema and cinema through dance, these six films from Asia and throughout the world take movement and the visual arts to new syncretic levels.

Discussion with Deirdre Towers, Artistic Director for The Dance Films Association, and Randy Thomas of The Center for Dance, Movement and Somatic Learning.

Thursday, February 18, 7:00 pm, Wang Center Theater, Free Admission

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/wang>

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

9. Niyaz

Thursday, February 25, 7:00 pm, Wang Theatre

Niyaz, the Iranian music group interweaves contemporary electronica with Persian folk songs, medieval Persian poetry, Turkish and South Asian Sufi mysticism and musical forms creating a 21st century global trance tradition.

Tickets: \$35 for VIP; \$20 for general admission; \$15 for seniors; \$10 for students

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/wang>

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

10. Four More Movie Nights at Staller Center This Semester - Single Tickets Available

Movies you may have missed in the theaters: Mid-August Lunch (in Italian), Coco Before Chanel, An Education, Precious, Nine, Invictus, The Imaginarium of Dr. Parnassus, The Lovely

Bones. For the complete schedule, go to stallercenter.com. Tickets are \$8; \$6 for students and seniors. (631) 632-2787 or www.stallercenter.com

<http://www.stallercenter.com>

Submitted by: Julie Greene/CAS

11. Food Tasting from African Ancestry - February 15, 11:00am-1:00pm, HSC, Level 3, Galleria

Experience the rich culture of the African Diaspora through a delicious array of foods. Free admission.

For more information, contact Frances L. Brisbane, Dean of School of Social Welfare, (631) 444-2139. Sponsored by the School of Social Welfare and the Black Faculty and Staff Association. A Black History Month program.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/blackhistory>

Submitted by: Mary Ann Calvacca/OSA

12. UNITI Cultural Center Culture Captured Photography Contest Deadline 2/10 by 5PM

The UNITI Cultural Center (UCC), located on the first floor of the SB Union Room 135, is having its first ever Culture Captured Photography Contest. Submit a cultural photograph and win the chance of having your photograph enlarged and displayed at the UCC for the Spring 2010 semester. Contest is open to all students, faculty, and staff. Applications available at the UCC and SAC 222. For more information, contact Karen Lee, Multicultural Affairs Assistant, at karen.p.lee@stonybrook.edu.

Submitted by: Karen Lee/OSA

13. An Evening of Poetry with Deborah LaSassier - February 16, 7:00pm-8:30pm, UCC, SB Union

Join us for a relaxing evening of poetry readings and discussion, presented by Deborah LaSassier, author of the book *When Color Fades*. A member at Stony Brook University community, Ms. LaSassier will share her work about the human condition and its rich diversity. Light refreshments served. For more information, contact Karen Lee, (631) 632-9968, Karen.P.Lee@stonybrook.edu. Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Affairs. A Black History Month program.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/blackhistory>

Submitted by: Mary Ann Calvacca/OSA

14. Mega Megillah Shabbat and Purim Festivities, February 26th -27th. Hillel Foundation.

A festive event to support Jewish campus programs. A warm, inviting, traditional Shabbat experience for alumni, parents, faculty/staff and community along with students! Special candlelighting, choice of services, fabulous catered meal with top comical entertainment, lunch, megillah reading, a concert and carnival. Giveaways and more. Paid reservations required by February 12th. Graciously sponsored (to date) by the Snyders, in honor of Emma Bromet, the Londons, Diana Podolnick, The Topeks and Saidens. FMI call 631-632-6565.

<http://www.stonybrookhillel.org>

Submitted by: Jill Zucker/Affl

15. Spring Chamber Music Workshop at Stony Brook is looking for musicians!

Each semester, participants are placed in compatible chamber music groups and meet with a coach for five 90-minute sessions in preparation for a concert in the Staller Center Recital Hall. We encourage participants to reserve weekend afternoon and evenings for rehearsals, as that is the time when music studios in the Staller Center are most accessible. In addition to the five coached sessions, we also encourage groups to meet and rehearse on their own. All instruments and levels are welcome, but the ability to read music is a prerequisite. The final concert is scheduled for May 23 at 3:00 PM, Staller Center Recital Hall. For details contact Dorothea Cook at dcook@sbcmp.org

<http://www.sbcmp.org>

Submitted by: Michael Hershkowitz/CAS

16. The State of Hate Crimes in Suffolk County an introduction to Vincent Who?

Thursday, February 11, 7pm

Sgt. Robert Reeks of the Suffolk County Police Department provides an introduction to the state of hate crimes and their investigations in Suffolk County followed by the screening of Vincent, Who? and discussion with director Curtis Chin.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/wang>

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

17. Peter Mulvey, master guitarist and songwriter, at University Cafe Sunday February 21st

Peter Mulvey draws upon blues, soul, Tin Pan Alley Jazz, contemporary songwriters like Bob Dylan and Paul Simon, and adds his own compositions to create a unique, eclectic sound. Mulvey is one of the most exciting and engaging performers on today's music scene. Advance sale now at \$15.00 at universitycafe.org until Wednesday, February 17th. \$20.00 at door

Lee Harvey Osmond (Tom Wilson of Blackie and The Rodeo Kings and friends) with "Acid Folk" for Valentine's Day February 14th. Advance sale tickets \$15.00 until Wednesday, February 10th at universitycafe.org

Just announced: Bob Dylan Birthday Celebration Saturday May 22nd 8 PM with The Kennedys, Rod MacDonald, Russ Seeger, others. Tickets now at universitycafe.org

<http://universitycafe.org>

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

18. 5th Annual Black History Month Essay & Speech Contest - February 17, 12:40pm-2:10pm, UCC, SB Union Rm 135

An essay and speech contest highlighting the 2010 Black History Month theme: "Sankofa - The Dream in the 21st Century: Fulfilled or Deferred?" Application deadline: February 10. Contest winners will be announced at the Black History Month Closing Ceremony on February 26. For contest rules and applications, contact the Department of Africana Studies, (631) 632-7470, Room S-249 Ward Melville Social and Behavioral Sciences Building. Sponsored by Department of Africana Studies, Black History Month Committee, EOP/AIM Office, and the Office of Multicultural Affairs. A Black History Month program.

<http://stonybrook.edu/blackhistory>

Submitted by: Mary Ann Calvacca/OSA

19. Please Join Us For The 2010 School of Nursing Distinguished Alumni Awards

The 2010 School of Nursing Distinguished Alumni Awards Brunch will honor two outstanding individuals - Miriam B. Rosa, '98 and Debra A. Sansoucie, '88. The event will be held at 10:00 AM Saturday, March 13th at the Student Activities Center, Ballroom B. President Samuel Stanley will be the keynote speaker. Tickets are \$25.

For more information, contact Advancement Events at (631)632-4466.

Submitted by: Jennifer Logan/UAff

20. Diversity Alumni Networking Mixer - February 18, 5:00pm-7:00pm, SAC Ballroom B

Come learn how a panel of African American SBU alumni used their experiences at Stony Brook, internships, and networking connections to create great career opportunities. For more information, contact Kimberly Joy Dixon, (631) 632-6805, or visit: www.stonybrook.edu/career. Sponsored by the Career Center. . A Black History Month program.

<http://stonybrook.edu/blackhistory>

Submitted by: Mary Ann Calvacca/OSA

21. Black History Month Film Screening - February 18, 1:00pm-3:00pm, Africana Studies Library, SBS, S-224

For more information, contact the Department of Africana Studies, (631) 632-7470. Sponsored by the Department of Africana Studies and the Africana Studies Students Alliance Club. A Black History Month program.

<http://stonybrook.edu/blackhistory>

Submitted by: Mary Ann Calvacca/OSA

09. For-Pay Workshops/Courses

1. Introduction to Microsoft Excel

NCE 314 - 5 Sessions - Fee: \$289

This introductory course demonstrates the power and ease that makes Microsoft Excel the most-widely used spreadsheet application for office and home financial planning. Accountants, office managers, budget managers, even the family financial planner will benefit from learning the basics of Excel.

Topics include: basics of spreadsheet design, entering data, editing, formatting and printing worksheets, and implementing formulae and functions. This course emphasizes hands-on exercises to reinforce lessons.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or the basic computing skills as described in our self-test.

Note: In order to save their work, students are required to bring a flash drive to class.

Required Text: Microsoft Office Excel 2007 Step-By-Step (ISBN # 073562304x). Cost of text is not included in the course fee.

Section A: Tuesdays, 6-9pm; February 23; March 2, 9, 16 & 23, 2010

10% discount for University employees and Students. CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer>

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

2. Clay Handbuilding Class

The Craft Center in the Student Union offers Art, Crafts & Leisure classes. Clay Handbuilding is a terrific introduction to ceramics. Explore alternatives to wheel throwing. Construct and combine forms using pinch, slab and coil. Embellish with texture stamps, stains and glaze.

Includes Membership at no extra fee.

Fee: \$90/Student, \$145/Faculty, Staff, \$155/Community. Five Tuesdays, start: 2/16 from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm, includes extra studio time. For a full Brochure of classes call 631-632-6822 or go to the web at www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter. Register early to guarantee you spot and to prevent cancellation of classes.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter>

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

3. Pottery on the Wheel Classes

Registration has begun for Arts, Crafts and Leisure classes. Beginners to intermediate levels receive a good foundation in the methods of throwing on the potter's wheel. Various classes starting the week of February 13. For a full class brochure stop by the Craft Center in the Union lower level room 049 or call 631-632-6822. www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter. Register early to guarantee your spot and to prevent cancellation of classes.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter>

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

4. Improv Comedy Classes

An exciting and FUN class where you'll build self confidence, improve speaking skills and overcome stage fright. Class will explore teamwork, focusing, reacting, trust while playing improv games. For more info and a full class brochure stop by the Craft Center in the Union lower level room 049 or call 631-632-6822. www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter. Register early to guarantee your spot and to prevent cancellation of classes.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter>

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

5. Beaded Jewelry Classes

Learn how to create your own dazzling jewelry with glass beads. Various classes to choose from. The first class begins March 6. For more info and a full class brochure stop by the Craft Center in the Union lower level room 049 or call 631-632-6822. www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter. Register early to guarantee your spot and to prevent cancellation of classes.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter>

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

6. Watercolor Painting Classes

Learn the fundamentals and benefit from plenty of guidance and practice. Experiment with the expressive medium as you create your own collection of paintings. www.nicklastorka.com. Class begins March 4. For more info and a full class brochure stop by the Craft Center in the Union lower level room 049 or call 631-632-6822. www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter. Register early to

guarantee your spot and to prevent cancellation of classes.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter>

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

7. Bartending Classes

An introduction to mix drinks and liquors as well as bars management. In-class practice (simulated liquors), lectures and demos. Includes book and certificate. Class begins February 24. For more info and a full class brochure stop by the Craft Center in the Union lower level room 049 or call 631-632-6822. www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter. Register early to guarantee your spot and to prevent cancellation of classes.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter>

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

8. Weight Watchers at Work

Did you know that just by losing 10% of your body weight you can reduce your cholesterol, blood pressure, and risk for heart disease and type II diabetes. Our next session of Weight Watchers At Work is about to begin. Please join us on Tuesday, February 2, 2010, in the School of Health Technology Mgmt Conference Room at 12:30P Level 2 of the HSC. What better week to start than the first week of February - American Heart Disease Awareness Month. Remember to Wear Red on February 5 - National Go Red For Women Day! Contact Maura Chodkowski at 4-7955 or email mchodkow@notes.cc.sunysb.edu for more information.

Submitted by: Maura Chodkowski/UHMC

9. Defensive Driving Course for UUP Members

A NYSUT sponsored Defensive Driving program is being offered on Tuesday and Thursday, April 6 & 8, 2010 from 6:00PM to 9:00PM in the Wang Center Lecture Hall 1, for all UUP employees and their immediate family members. Cost is \$30 per person, payable in advance. Checks should be made payable to "NYSUT Benefit Trust" and delivered to the UUP office, 104 Old Chemistry, Z=3475. Office hours are Monday thru Friday, 9 am to 3 pm. Receipt of your check reserves your place in class. Participants are usually entitled to a 10% discount on their automotive insurance. Check with your provider. The certificate is good for three years of savings! Contact Corinne Burns at Ext. 2-6570 or cmburns@notes.cc.sunysb.edu for more information.

Submitted by: Corinne Burns/Affl

10. Fundamentals of Marketing

NCE 750 * four sessions * Fee \$395

This introductory course will cover the many dimensions of marketing principles. Students will explore market research, developing a business/marketing plan, target/test strategies, marketing vs sales, branding; internet options, customer service vs customer loyalty, why price is not king and more.

There will be discussions on some famous marketing success stories and failures. At the completion of this class students should have a good understanding of marketing principles and methods.

Required Text: Ultimate Small Business Advisor: All You Need to Know 4th Edition (ISBN 9781599180854). Cost of text is not included in the course fee. Students must read Chapters 3 & 4 and bring textbook to first class meeting. (CD will not be used in class)

Section A: Tuesday, 6pm-8pm; April 3, 13, 20 & 27, 2010

10% discount for University employees and students, CSEA LEAP Voucher accepted.

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

10. Research

1. Do You Have Chronic Fatigue?

If you have chronic fatigue, you are invited to participate in a study in the Family Practice Center at Stony Brook University funded by the National Institutes of Health to learn fatigue self-help skills. Internet and Windows 2000, XP, or Vista required. Participants will be paid up to \$420. For further information call: Dr. Fred Friedberg (631) 632-8252. Email: fred.friedberg@stonybrook.edu

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

2. Take Part In Clinical Research Studies

Inquire about Clinical Research Studies. Call Albert Ruenes at (631) 499-8697 or email aruenes@notes.cc.sunysb.edu.

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

3. Do You Have Osteoarthritis of The Joint at the Base of Your Thumb?

You May Be Eligible To Participate In A Clinical Study To Treat This Painful Problem. To Learn More About This Clinical Study, Call: Department Of Orthopaedics @ (631) 444-2215

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

4. Study of HIV+/AIDS and Chromium Picolinate

The General Clinical Research Center at Stony Brook University Hospital is seeking volunteers 18 years of age and older with a diagnosis of HIV+ or AIDS to research the effectiveness of Chromium Picolinate in the treatment of complications of current HIV therapy including insulin resistance, (leading to Diabetes) and possibly body fat distribution (HIV Lipodystrophy). Volunteers are offered compensation up to \$1,700 plus transportation expenses. (631) 444-9362 or (631) 444-3740

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

5. Do You Have Heart Failure?

Adults diagnosed with heart failure are invited to participate in a symptom monitoring study. The study is testing an educational method to help patients monitor their heart failure symptoms. If qualified to participate, questionnaires about your medical history, symptoms, self-care, and quality of life will be completed. Participants are followed for one year by telephone (15-20 minute interviews 1, 3, 6, and 12 months after enrollment). All participants will be given a weight scale to keep and a booklet on heart failure self-care. You will be paid \$20 at both 6 and 12 months if you complete the telephone interviews. For further information or to schedule an appointment, please call: Dr. Corrine Jurgens - 631-444-3236 or Karen Kelleher - 631-444-1299

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

6. Seniors 60 and Over in Reasonably Good Health

Seniors are needed to participate in a research study. Compensation up to \$250.00. The General Clinical Research Center at Stony Brook University Hospital. For more information contact Teresa Hunt-Goncalves, NP, 631-444-9362

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

7. HIV+ Men and Women Age 55 and Over

HIV+ Men and Women age 55 and over are needed to participate in a research study. Compensation up to \$250.00. For more information contact the General Clinical Research Center 631-444-1200 or 631-444-6900

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

8. Volunteers Sought For Research Study of Saline Injection To The Front Shoulder

Volunteers Sought For Research Study of Saline Injection To The Front Shoulder. The research study involves the investigation of saline injection to the front shoulder area. Volunteers will be paid to participate. If you are healthy, between the ages of 18-65 years and have no shoulder problems, no shoulder pain and wish to learn more about the study, Please call Department of Orthopaedics (631) 444-2215

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

9. Volunteers Needed Who Are Taking Statins To Lower Cholesterol

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Are You Taking Statins to Lower Cholesterol (such as Lipitor, Zocor, Pravachol, Mevacor, Crestor, Lescol, etc.) and Experience Muscle Pain/Soreness, Weakness or Fatigue? If You Are 21 Years of Age or Older You May be Eligible to Participate in a Study for Treatment with a Nutritional Supplement. If you meet the criteria for the study and choose to participate, you will be given a stipend of up to \$500. For Further Information Contact (631) 444-6900, Stony Brook University Hospital, General Clinical Research Center

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

10. Volunteers Needed With Lower Extremity Limb Loss (Amputation)

Volunteers Needed With Lower Extremity Limb Loss (Amputation). We are looking for volunteers with lower extremity limb loss (amputation) to participate in a training study that involves walking on a treadmill. To qualify you must have an amputation of the lower extremity at one of the following levels: Below the knee (BK), through the knee (Knee disarticulation), above the knee (AK). Receive \$300.00 for your participation. It will require you to attend 15 sessions. For information please contact: (631) 444-1200

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

11. Healthy Volunteers (ages 45-90) Wanted For a Study of Cognitive And Brain Function

Payment up to \$300. Three appointments required over a 6 month period

On the first appointment you will receive a brief physical exam to see if you qualify for the study. Each appointment will include cognitive testing and a brain scan (MRI); Total time commitment approximately 3 hours on each of 3 visits. Compensation \$100 for each visit. Transportation within Suffolk County can be provided if requested. To be eligible for the study you should: Be in fairly good physical and mental health. Not have claustrophobia (fear of small, enclosed spaces. Have no metal objects implanted in your body (e.g. heart pacemakers, artificial joint. Be able to speak and read English

Further eligibility requirements will be discussed when you contact us. Contact: Dr. Ruth Reinsel, Study Coordinator, Dept. of Anesthesiology, Stony Brook University Hospital
Telephone: (631) 444-2166. E-mail: Ruth.Reinsel@stonybrook.edu

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

12. Treatment Study for Behavioral Control Problems for Boys and Girls 6 to 12 Years Old

Stony Brook University's Division of Children and Adolescent Psychiatry is conducting a study supported by the National Institute of Health of treatment steps for children, ages 6 to 12, who have attention deficit hyperactivity disorder and other behavioral control problems such as

aggressiveness, explosiveness and low frustration tolerance. Eligible children receive free evaluation and study treatment including medication and help with behavioral support strategies. For further information, please call Ashley Conway at (631) 632-8317

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

13. Attention Faculty and Graduate Student Researchers: Do You Need to Collect Data for a Pilot Study?

The Center for Survey Research is pleased to announce another launch of our omnibus poll which is a cost-effective way for faculty and graduate student researchers to collect valuable public perception, behavior and opinion data. The price per question is \$1000, making participation affordable. We will interview 800 randomly selected adult Long Islanders by telephone. The Center staff works closely with clients to ensure each question is fair, balanced, and accurate. Clients receive the results of each question broken down by demographic factors, including county, age, education, household income, gender, marital and family status, partisan affiliation, race and ethnicity.

<http://www.sunysb.edu/surveys>

Submitted by: Carol Davies/CAS

11. Miscellaneous

1. Buy one coffee, get one free at the Seawolves MarketPlace!

On Friday, February 12th the Seawolves MarketPlace located in the Student Activities Center is offering "Buy one coffee, get one free!" (Free coffee must be of equal or lesser value than purchased coffee.)

Submitted by: Angela Agnello/FSA

2. Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Day

MS experts will be available to answer questions in the hospital lobby from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday, March 10, 2010, MS Awareness Day. Displays about current research on Multiple Sclerosis, and educational materials will be available from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the hospital lobby. For information, contact Jo Biederman at 4-8096.

<http://www.pediatricmscenter.org>

Submitted by: Elayne Feld/UHMC

3. Handmade Origami Valentine Cards at Wang Center Gift Shop

Finding your sweetie the perfect V-Day card is never easy. Try an original this year. one of our pretty origami cards! They're handmade especially for the shop, and no two are alike. We have a good collection of interesting, affordable gifts to go with the card, if you're looking for a little something extra. Why go to the mall for a gift that's like all the others, when you could head over to the Wang Center and find something unique for less money? Chinese New Year is coming up, too. We have dragon roarers for \$2.99. Make some noise to welcome the Year of the Tiger! Try our new teas while you're in the shop: Cinnamon Spice, Tropical White, and Pai Mu Tan. We sample a different tea every day! The Wang Center Gift Shop is open Monday-Friday, from 12 noon to 5pm, right across from Jasmine Restaurant.

Submitted by: Carol Lindquist/CAS

4. Happy 15th Birthday Wolfie! 15 items, \$15 or less available on-line!

A nice selection of sweatshirts, t-shirts, polos, hoodies and even Wolfie boxers are being offered on www.shopsbu.com for \$15 and under. You can even buy a plush Wolfie for \$15!

<http://www.shopsbu.com>

Submitted by: Angela Agnello/FSA