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## **02. Administrative - Hosp/HSC**

### **1. ACGME Faculty Development Workshop "Learner Assessment"**

Faculty Development Workshop: Tuesday, January 27 at 5:00-6:30 pm in the Dean's Conference Room, HSC, Level 4, Room 180. Topic: Learner Assessment. Speakers: Elza Mylona PhD and Catherine Messina PhD. These workshops are specifically designed to assist in meeting ACGME requirements for faculty development in key areas pertaining to teaching skills of educators. Please RSVP to 8-2005 or [caroline.lazzaruolo@stonybrook.edu](mailto:caroline.lazzaruolo@stonybrook.edu)

<http://www.stonybrookmedicalcenter.org/facultyaffairs>

Submitted by: Caroline Lazzaruolo/UHMC

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## **03. Workshops/Courses/Training**

### **1. Heartsaver CPR W AED Certification**

01/23/2009 9:00am 12:00pm

Learn basic cardiopulmonary resuscitation and use of the Automated External Defibrillator (AED) on the adult victim; chain of survival, recognition of cardiac emergencies. This is a certification course - Cost \$10 for Card from American Heart Association.

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0018>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

### **2. Business Solutions from the US Postal Service**

Small Business Development Center Workshop

Learn how to sell on eBay and advertise with direct mail  
January 21, 2009 9:00 am - 11:00 am Free  
LI High Tech Incubator Building, Stony Brook  
Presenter: Sally Linn, US Postal Service  
to register, e-mail: lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Lynne Schmidt/CEAS

### **3. Everything You Need to Know About Your Credit - Understanding and Repairing It**

Small Business Development Center Free Workshop!  
January 28, 2009 9-11:00 am  
Presenter: Robert Ross, North Shore Credit Counseling  
Holiday Inn Express, Nesconset Hgwy., Stony Brook  
To register, call the SBDC 29837 or e-mail: lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Lynne Schmidt/CEAS

### **4. EAP Lunchtime Learning: Red Dragon Labyrinth**

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, Ed O'Connell  
January 22, 2009, Stony Brook's Red Dragon Labyrinth, 12:00-12:45pm  
To Register Call EAP at 632-6085 or email us at eap@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Allison Hinke/Pres

### **5. Register today and take advantage of our customized, hands-on Lotus Notes classes.**

Click here to read about and register for the 4 classes offered by Client Support. Customized, hand-on classroom training gives you an opportunity to master this email and calendaring program.  
[http://it.cc.stonybrook.edu/get\\_help/lotus\\_notes\\_classroom\\_training](http://it.cc.stonybrook.edu/get_help/lotus_notes_classroom_training)

Submitted by: Kim Rant/DoIT

### **6. Say Goodbye To The Stress, Pressure And Frustration And Learn Techniques To Maximize Your Time - Managing Multiple Priorities**

January 29, 2009 9:30am 12:30pm  
Developing your ability to effectively use your time, set goals and focus on priorities while managing simultaneous responsibilities is key. Managing your work day is key to reducing stress as well as accomplishing goals successfully.

Key Highlights:

- Create effective work plans, prioritize competing tasks and plan for each day
- Identify inefficient uses of time and ways to improve or eliminate them

Target Audience: This program is open to all West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan, and Southampton employees.

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0027>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

**7. Communicate with great power, credibility and influence.....every time you speak!**

Effective Communication Workshop

January 21, 2009 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: This program is open to all West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan, and Southampton employees.

Click below to register now!

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

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

**8. Learn tips to Effectively communicate via email now!**

Email Etiquette

January 27, 2009 9:00am-12:00pm

Want to learn how to effectively communicate via email? Then this workshop is for you! The following information will be covered:

- Proper formatting for emails
- Content development
- Tips on how to use electronic mailing list.
- Legal do's and don't's for email communication at Stony Brook
- Identify common pitfalls with emailing

Target Audience: This program is open to all West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan, and Southampton employees.

Click below to register now!

hhttp://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0032

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

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## **04. Hospital Workshops/Training**

### **1. Lawson Training for January 2009**

Lawson Requisition Training Classes will be held on a weekly basis, to see available dates please click on the calendar link: [http://uhmc-iweb1.uhmc.sunysb.edu/lawsonsupport/index\\_files/Page909.htm](http://uhmc-iweb1.uhmc.sunysb.edu/lawsonsupport/index_files/Page909.htm).

All classes will be held in the Lawson Training Room #797, Level One, right next to the Blue Elevators. To schedule for any of these classes please contact Michele Thomas, Lawson Support Specialist, Ext. 4-7805. There will be 2 parts covered in these classes, the first half will cover ordering from any of the Storerooms in the Hospital and the second half will cover ordering from an outside Vendor. I suggest that all new hospital employees and/or if you are interested in taking a refresher course, please contact us to attend one of these classes.

Submitted by: Michele Thomas/UHMC

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## **05. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures**

### **1. Exploring Stony Brook's Teaching & Learning Resources - Winter Colloquium - January 14th & 15th, 2009**

The Department of Teaching, Learning + Technology is happy to announce it's 3rd annual Exploring Stony Brook's Teaching & Learning Resources Winter Colloquium.

This year's colloquium includes 20 sessions that involve both pedagogy and technology including TLT & library resources.

For session information, the schedule and to register, visit:

<https://tlt.stonybrook.edu/FacultyServices/FacDev/Pages/ExploringTech.aspx>

<https://tlt.stonybrook.edu/FacultyServices/FacDev/Pages/ExploringTech.aspx>

Submitted by: Diana Voss/DoIT

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## **06. Hosp/HSC Conferences/Seminars/Lectures**

### **1. Hip and Knee Pain Seminar**

Your name: Maria Juvan RPA-C

Dept: Orthopedics

Phone# 4-4477(HIPS)

mailing zip: 8181

Name of Program: Hip and Knee Pain Seminar

Day, Date, Time: 1/27/09, 9am, 14 Technology Drive, Suite 1, Education Center.

Target Audience: People experiencing hip and or knee pain

Brief description: 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. Employee Health and Wellness Events 2009**

Lecture: Creating Balance in Your Personal and Professional Life Diane Monks, LCSW.

January 27, SBUH Lobby Conference Room #2 12:30 1:30 pm. The multiple stressors which demand so much of us in today's life can take their toll. Learn how to create a balance with these responsibilities and how to lead a more productive satisfying life at home and in the workplace. Please RSVP 4-7767.

Interactive Lecture: Yoga, Stretching and Balance with Nancy Huner, January 21, 2009 HSC Level 3- Classroom # 152. 12-1 pm, January 29, HSC Level 2. Classroom #085. Using the principles of yoga, this interactive class will demonstrate techniques which can be used to incorporate exercise and harmony into your busy schedule.

Submitted by: Arvenia Swan/UHMC

## **3. Department of Physiology and Biophysics**

Wednesday, January 14, 2009, at 12 noon

"Biological Nanomachines for Moving Chromosomes: Motors and Polymers that Generate Force"

Dr. Ekaterina Grishchuk, Department of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology, University of Colorado at Boulder

Place: Basic Science Tower, T-5, Room 140

Host: Faculty Search Committee

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

Submitted by: Robin Green/UHMC

#### **4. Pharmacological Sciences Seminar Notice**

Monday January 12, 2009 12:00pm

Dianne Lee ,Graduate Student

Faculty/Student Workshop

Title: PET and Behavioral Studies on Solvent Abuse: Toward the Treatment of Drug Abuse

Host: Dr. Dewey

Location: Basic Science Tower Level 8 Seminar Room-180

Tuesday January 13,2009 12:00pm

Dr. Seok-Yong Lee

Structural Biology Faculty Candidate, The Rockefeller University

Title: Structural and Functional Studies of Voltage-Sensor Proteins

Host: Dr. Scharer

Location: Basic Science Tower Level 8 Seminar Room-180

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

Submitted by: Rosalind Perdomo-Ayala/UHMC

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#### **08. Culture & Entertainment**

##### **1. Seawolves Basketball Saturday January 17th Stony Brook vs. Vermont 2PM**

Stony Brook Seawolves fans don't forget to reserve your seat for Saturday, January 17th at 2PM as your Seawolves take on Vermont. During the entire month of January fans can purchase 2 tickets for the price of 1 - \$5 for all Faculty/Staff and FREE for all Students with a Stony Brook ID card. For more information on how to purchase tickets call 631-632-WOLF or visit the Athletics website at [www.GoSeawolves.org](http://www.GoSeawolves.org). Wear Red and show your pride!

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

Submitted by: Andrea Lebedinski/Pres

##### **2. Stony Brook Softball Winter Clinics Offered!**

Stony Brook Staff and Players are holding winter clinics this January for players ages 8-17 yrs. old. On January 24, a Hitting Clinic is offered from 9:00-12:00 and a Pitching Clinic follows from 1:00-4:00p. The cost is \$80.00 per session or \$140.00 if you sign up for both. Questions? Please call 631-6324517. Applications and required forms are available on our web site.

<http://www.goseawolves.org>

Submitted by: Megan Bryant/Pres

### **3. Department of Campus Recreation Ski Trip - Okemo Mountain**

The Department of Campus Recreation will be offering a ski trip to Okemo Mountain, in Ludlow, Vermont on Sunday, February 22, 2009. This trip will have limited seating for faculty/staff and their families. Departure time will be approximately 4:00am at the SAC Loop and will return to campus at approximately 8:00pm. The Cost of the trip is \$90.00 for Adults, \$79.00 for Young Adults (ages 13-18), \$71.00 for children (ages 7-12). Price includes all-day lift ticket and round trip transportation from Stony Brook University to Okemo Mountain. Ski rental is an extra \$32.00. Please contact Marie Turchiano, Associate Director of Campus Recreation for more information or to learn how to register for this event at 632-4145.

Submitted by: Marie Turchiano/CAS

### **4. Ellis Paul returns to The University Cafe Sunday January 18th 2 PM with Graham Parker coming on Sunday February 15th**

Some big names in the folk and rock world are coming to Stony Brook's University Cafe: Contemporary folk singer/songwriter Ellis Paul returns on January 18th at 2 P.M. for his fourth Cafe appearance, this time with a batch of new songs from a forthcoming studio CD. Opening is Jack's Waterfall. Advance sale now at a \$5 per ticket savings at [www.universitycafe.org](http://www.universitycafe.org) until January 15th.

Graham Parker, a legend on the rock scene in the 1970's and beyond brings his witty, sometimes caustic songs and sharp sense of humor to the Cafe's annual "Valentine's Day Is Over" show on Sunday, February 15th at 2 P.M. This is a rare opportunity to see him in the intimate setting of The University Cafe. Advance sale now through February 12th at a \$5 per ticket savings at [www.universitycafe.org](http://www.universitycafe.org)

Questions? More information? e mail [SundayStreetWUSB@aol.com](mailto:SundayStreetWUSB@aol.com)

<http://www.universitycafe.org>

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

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## **09. For-Pay Workshops/Courses**

### **1. Introduction to Microsoft Excel**

NCE 314 - 5 sessions - Fee: \$259

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. The course emphasizes hands-on exercises to reinforce lessons.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

For a full description of this class, and to register go to SPD Website at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer>

10% discount for University employees and Students. CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted  
Required Text: Microsoft Office Excel 2007 Step-By-Step (ISBN # 073562304x) Cost of book not included

Section F: Tuesdays, 6pm-9pm; January 27; February 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2009

Section G: Mondays, 10am-1pm; March 30; April 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2009

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **2. Managing Data with Access**

NCE 317 - 5 sessions - Fee: \$259

This course offers an introduction to the most widely used database management program. An integral and powerful part of the Microsoft Office suite, Access aids budget managers, accountants, and office managers by efficiently organizing customer and inventory information. Topics include how to create databases, forms, filters and reports.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

Required text: Microsoft Office Access 2007 Step-By-Step (ISBN# 0735623031) Cost of book not included

For a full description of this class, and to register go to SPD Website at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer>

For questions call 632-7071

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

Section F: Thursdays, 6pm-9pm; January 29; February 5, 12, 19 & 26, 2009

Section G: Mondays; 1:30-4:30pm; March 30; April 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2009

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **3. Developing an Online Business**

Small Business Development Center Workshop

January 17, 2009 10:00 am - noon \$15 Fee

Holiday Inn Express, Stony Brook

Presenter: Phil Como, Educator/Professor of Business and Internet

to register, e-mail: [lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu](mailto:lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu)

Submitted by: Lynne Schmidt/CEAS

## **4. Growing Your Business on the Internet**

Small Business Development Center Workshop

January 24, 2009 10:00 am - noon \$15

Holiday Inn Express, Stony Brook

Presenter: Phil Como, Educator/Professor of Business and Internet Technology

to register, e-mail: [lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu](mailto:lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu)

Submitted by: Lynne Schmidt/CEAS

## **5. Microsoft PowerPoint**

NCE 318 - 5 sessions - Fee: \$259

Creating Dynamic Presentations with PowerPoint. A must for sales professionals, trainers, teachers and business presenters, this course demonstrates how to create and combine text and graphics for professional-looking business presentations. Learn to create your own slide presentation in a minimum amount of time.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

Required Text: Microsoft Office PowerPoint 2007 Step-By-Step (ISBN # 0735623015) Cost of text not included

Section D: Mondays, 6pm-9pm; March 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2009

10% discount University employees and students, CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted

Visit our website at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer> for complete certificate information, course descriptions and registration or email amy.margolies@stonybrook.edu

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **6. Professional Human Resources (PHR) and Senior Professional Human Resources (SPHR)**

Registration is open for the PHR/SPHR Certification Preparation Course

Planning to earn your Professional Human Resource or Senior Professional in Human Resources designation? Now is the time to enroll. In partnership with the Society for Human Resource Management, the School of Professional Development now offers the industry recognized PHR/SPHR certification preparation course.

Improve your workplace effectiveness immediately. Students enrolled in our class benefit from:

- \*Structured classroom environment that enhances learning and helps you stay on track

- \*An experienced instructor to explain concepts and apply them to your industry

- \*Opportunities to network and share real-world experiences with other HR professionals

The PHR/SPHR Certification Preparation Course is offered in two formats; 36-hour Standard Prep and 18-hour Accelerated Prep

Standard Prep is scheduled to start Saturday, February 7, 2009 @ 10am

Accelerated Prep is scheduled to start Tuesday, March 17, 2009 @ 6pm

Visit our website, [www.stonybrook.edu/spd/shrm](http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/shrm) for full schedules, eligibility and discounts

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **7. The WSET Level 1 Foundation Certificate in Wine**

The WSET Level 1 Foundation Certificate in Wine

Saturday, January 24, 2009

9:30 am-5:30 pm

Location: Stony Brook Manhattan, 401 Park Avenue South at 28th Street

Cost: \$299 (Includes instruction, wine & all study materials) and \$70 (Exam & WSET Certificate)Optional. There will be a lunch break. Enrollment limited to 28 participants. Register on line now at: [www.stonybrook.edu/winecenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/winecenter)

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

Submitted by: Ginny Clancy/Pres

## **8. Interconnecting Cisco Network Devices**

This course is the standard CCNA preparation course for new CISCO test #640-802. The overall objective of the course is to cover all the topics required by the CCNA test.

The principles of Architecture Layering (OSI's reference Model), Multiplexing and Encapsulation and IP addressing (subnetting) are discussed in detail. TCP/IP, IPX, PPP, ISDN and frame Relay Protocols are covered.

Network Equipment such as repeaters, bridges, routers, hubs and switches are studied in detail. Interconnecting and configuring networking equipment such as Cisco's 2500 and 2600 series routers, 1900 and 2900 catalysts switches are studied.

We will cover how to design networks using VLANs on the above mentioned equipment; students will perform labs on Real Cisco Networking equipment.

10 Sessions: Tuition: \$1766 (required text included)

Section A: Wednesdays, 6-9:30pm; March 11, 18, 25; April 1, 15, 22, 29; May 6, 13 & 20, 2009

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **9. Bartending Class**

A complete introduction to mix drinks and liquors as well as bars management. In-class practice (using simulated liquors), lectures, and demos. A popular and useful entertainment course.

Includes book and certificate. Six Wed, begins 2/18; 7pm-9pm. \$80/SB students, \$95/SB faculty/staff, \$105/Community Members. Pre-registration is required. For registration/brochure, go to [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter) or call 632-6822 The Craft Center is located in Union Lower level room 049. Craft Center Class Registration has begun. Gift certificates available!

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

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

## **10. Jewelry Making Classes at the Craft Center**

Random Pattern Drop Necklace: Create a beautiful random pattern necklace using a variety of beads and make a pair of earrings to match! Learn how to use jewelry tools to crimp, string, and fasten findings for glass beading. Beginners and returnees welcome! Includes materials. Sat, 2/28; 11:30am-2pm;\$30/SB students, \$50/SB faculty/staff, \$55/Community Members.

Beaded Silk Necklace: Add variety and style to your wardrobe with handmade jewelry. Make a one of a kind silk ribbon necklace with a drop and two pair of earrings. Learn about various jewelry making techniques and what make a good design. Beginners and returnees welcome! Includes materials.

Sat, 3/21; 11:30am-2pm. \$25/SB students, \$45/SB faculty/staff, \$50/Community Members. Pre-registration is required. For registration/brochure, go to [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter) or call 632-6822 The Craft Center is located in Union Lower level room 049. Craft Center Class Registration has begun. Gift certificates available!

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

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

### **11. Enhance your professional skills! Project Management Courses are forming now.**

Project Management

Project Planning & Control (PMI)

January 14,15,16; 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Fee: \$1295

Project Management Professional (PMP) Exam Prep (PMI)

February 3, 4, 2009; 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Fee: \$945

Register for BOTH courses and pay just \$1995

Project Management Professional (PMP) Exam Prep Refresher

January 29, 2009; 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Fee: \$475

Must have already taken PMP Exam Prep course

All classes are conducted on campus and Stony Brook employees receive a 10% discount.

For our complete schedule and to register, visit <http://licet.org/>. Or, contact us via e-mail at [sbucet@licet.org](mailto:sbucet@licet.org) or phone at 631-632-8347.

<http://licet.org/>

Submitted by: Karen Oaks/CEAS

### **12. Weight Watchers at Work**

Did you know Weight Watchers, one of CNN's top 10 Healthiest Diets, meets once a week here at Stony Brook. Fulfill a New Year Resolution to lose weight. For over 40 years Weight Watchers, a tried and true weight loss program, offers a wide variety of healthy food choices, teaches sensible eating habits, and offers support. We are now forming a new 17-week session for 2009. Our first meeting is January 13, 2009, from 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm. It will be held in the School of Health and Technology Management conference room Level 2 of the HSC Room # 2-408. Cost for the 17 weeks is \$186.00 and can be broken into three payments of \$62.00 each (please bring your checkbook) - this fee includes all program materials, and E-Tools. If you have any questions, please email, ([mchodkow@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:mchodkow@notes.cc.sunysb.edu)) or call Maura Chodkowski at 4-

7955

Submitted by: Maura Chodkowski/UHMC

### **13. Melville Library Weight Watcher Group Begins Again January 22nd**

Join a highly successful at-work group who took a break for the holidays and is now ready to continue their journey to a healthy lifestyle. The more the merrier! Learn about the new 2009 Momentum Program! Twelve weeks for \$144, payable in four week installments of \$48. Meetings are on Thursdays, starting Jan 22nd, from 12-1pm, 5th floor Melville Library. Contact Judy at [jmatuk@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:jmatuk@notes.cc.sunysb.edu) to find out more and to secure your spot.

Submitted by: Judy Matuk/Res

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## **10. Research**

### **1. Are you currently depressed or were you depressed in the past**

You may be eligible for a research study! We are looking for volunteers between the ages of 18-65 to participate in a research study on depression and brain functioning. This study involves 1 lab visit (about 3 hours) for a clinical interview and an electroencephalogram (EEG) recording to look at your brain activity while performing a number of tasks and 1 phone interview 6 months later that lasts about 1 hour. You will be paid up to \$110 for completing the study. If interested, contact Doreen at: (631) 632-7843 or at [Caplab.Depression@gmail.com](mailto:Caplab.Depression@gmail.com). Department of Psychology, Stony Brook University.

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

### **2. Treatment Study for Behavioral Control Problems for Boys and Girls**

Children 6 to 12 Years Old Stony Brook University's Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry is conducting a study supported by the National Institute of Health of treatment steps for children, ages 6-12, 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

### **3. Volunteers Between 6-18 Years old, With Recent Diagnosis of Type I Diabetes to Participate in a 6 month study**

Looking for Children and Adolescents, Between 6 and 18 Years of Age,

With a Recent Diagnosis of Type I Diabetes to Participate in a six (6) month study to see if Pioglitazone can reduce insulin requirements This Study is Being Conducted at the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC). For More Information, Please Call 631 444-6900

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

#### **4. 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

#### **5. Seeking Volunteers With Cystic Fibrosis**

Seeking volunteers with cystic fibrosis 18 years of age or older to participate in a 28 week research study to examine the efficacy of IGF-1 treatment to maintain or improve body weight and composition.

This Study is Being Conducted at the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC)

For More Information, Please Call 631 444-6900

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

#### **6. Study for Children 6-12 years-old with Behavioral Control Problems**

Stony Brook University's Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry is conducting a study supported by the National Institute of Health of treatment steps for children, ages 6-12, 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: Ashley Conway/UHMC

#### **7. Bipolar Maintenance Study**

We are enrolling students with Bipolar I Disorder in a clinical research study. This study will assess the safety and effectiveness of an investigational medication versus placebo when added to conventional bipolar medications. The investigational study medication is currently approved

by the FDA for use in adults with bipolar I disorder. Participants in this study may be able to continue on their current bipolar medications.  
Participation requires attending regular study visits, at Stony Brook University's Child Psychiatry Outpatient Department, over a period of approximately one year  
Study participants must be: 10 -17 years old.  
Diagnosed with bipolar I disorder.  
Currently on a stable regimen of bipolar medication(s), but still experiencing symptoms.  
Study Participants May Receive, at No Cost:  
Study specific medical care including comprehensive psychiatric evaluations.  
Investigational study medication  
Compensation for time and travel  
All participants' information will remain confidential.  
For information, please contact Gregory Carlson at 631-632-8828.

Submitted by: Gregory Carlson/UHMC

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## **11. Miscellaneous**

### **1. Craft Center Open House**

Open House Tuesday, February 3rd, 3pm 9pm

The Craft Center is hosting an open house to register for classes and meet Instructors. View class work on display. Refreshments served. We're open to the public. Student Union, lower level room 049. For registration/brochure, go to [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter) or call 632-6822. Craft Center Class Registration has begun. Gift certificates available!

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

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

### **2. Humanities Institute's Undergraduate Awards**

Undergraduate Students majoring in any of the humanities, arts or lettered social sciences are encouraged to apply for the Humanities Institute at Stony Brook Undergraduate Awards. There are two kinds of awards. Individual awards come with a \$250 stipend, while Group awards carry a prize of \$1,000. Past awards have gone to:

Group Award: Belief: Jehovah Witnesses in the 21 st Century Group Award: Farmingville

Revisited: Immigration on Long Island Individual Award: Disability Studies

Individual Award: How to Leave an Abusive Relationship

Individual Award: "The Digital Spectacle: How Visual Effects Have Changed American Cinema"

Application forms are available on the HISB website: [www.sunysb.edu/humanities](http://www.sunysb.edu/humanities). They are due February 26, 2009.

All complete applications will be evaluated by a board of faculty associated with Humanities

Institute.

Questions? Contact Ann Berrios at (631) 632-9983 or at Ann. Berrios@sunysb.edu

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

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