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1. Chemistry Research Day Friday, March 8 in the SAC

The Chemistry Department is moving to the SAC! (for one day) Share in the excitement of chemistry research at Stony Brook as graduate students, undergraduates, and postdocs display and discuss their work.

Poster session 1:30-3:30 p.m. SAC lobby
Reception 3:30-4:00 pm SAC "Why?" lobby
Public Lecture 4:00-5:00 pm SAC auditorium
Prof. Clare Grey: "Understanding how Batteries and Fuel Cells
Work: NMR Studies of Disordered Materials"

Contact Italia Mazzullo (2-7926, imazzullo@notes.cc.sunysb.edu) for more information.

Submitted by: Nancy Goroff/CAS

### 2. Innovative Technology Development Grant (ITD) Program

The Center for Biotechnology is pleased to announce the 2002 Call for Applications for the Innovative Technology Development Grant (ITD) Program. The ITD program supports a broad range of commercially promising, translational research in all areas of medical biotechnology, including research products, diagnostics, or therapeutics. ITD grant funding is available to faculty at SBU for translational research on the academic campus. Applications must provide evidence for commercialization potential and be consistent with the Centers' mission of economic development in NYS. We encourage projects that are complementary to, and seek collaboration with, the Center's Applied Bioscience Laboratories. Faculty with interest or considering submission, are strongly encouraged to contact Dr. Anil Dhundale, Director, Scientific Affairs (anil.dhundale@sunysb.edu), prior to writing a full proposal. Application forms can be downloaded from the Center's web site at www.biotech.sunysb.edu or by calling 631-632-8521. The deadline for receipt of written proposals is 5 p.m., Friday, February 22, 2002.

http://www.biotech.sunysb.edu/fo/ITD.html

Submitted by: Angeline Judex/CEAS

## 3. Breast Cancer Prevention

The Cancer Clinical Trials office is still recruiting participants for the STAR Study. In STAR, two drugs, Tamoxifen and Raloxifene will be compared for their effectiveness in reducing the risk of breast cancer. We are looking for postmenopausal women ages 35 and older who are at risk for breast

cancer. You will be considered at risk if you have: 1) previous benign breast biopsy, 2) a mother or sister with breast cancer, 3) history of LCIS via excision only, 4) at least 1.66% projected 5 year risk of developing breast cancer per STAR Risk Assessment Form. If you need more information about this study, feel free to call the Clinical Trials Office at (631) 444-7913, and ask for Gerty Fortune, Clinical Research Nurse Coordinator.

Submitted by: S. Denise Ellis/UHMC

#### 4. 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 Friday, Feb. 15 through Saturday, Mar 9. Admission is free. The "MFA Show 2002" includes paintings, drawings, and mixed media installations by Nikki Anderson, D. J. Kim, Michael Kozien, Ji-Hyun Seo, and Chris Stackowicz. All five artists are degree candidates in the Department of Art's Master of Fine Arts program. University Art Gallery hours are Tuesday-Friday, noon to 4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Additionally, the gallery will be open 1 hour before the following Staller Center performances: FLAMENCO!, Fri. March 1, and LEIPZIG STRING QUARTET, Fri., March 8. For information, call 631-632-7240.

Submitted by: Marjorie Debowy/CAS

5. FAMILY VIOLENCE EDUCATION & RESEARCH CENTER-SPECIAL SERIES WORKSHOPS RELATED TO 9/11 TRAGEDY

In response to 9/11 and ongoing world events, The Family Violence and Education Research Center is providing a special series of workshop training:

March 8th (9am-12pm): Arnold Eisman, RCSW, CASAC presents: Posttraumatic Stress Following 9/11 Attacks: Understanding & Treating Survivor Trauma - \$30 Fee

April 19th (9am-12pm): Kathleen Monahan, DSW.,BCD presents: In the Shadow of Terror: Treatment of Children who Experience Terror

May 10th: (9am-12pm): Rev. Lorraine DeArmitt, MSW & Rev. Peter Kelley present: Discussions with God after a Traumatic Event- \$30 Fee

Submitted by: R Kosloff/HSC

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6. FAMILY VIOLENCE EDUCATION & RESEARCH CENTER SPRING COLLOQUIA SCHEDULE

Colloquia are Free and Open to the Public. All meet from  $11:30\,\text{am-1pm}$  in the Health Science Center, Level 2, Hall 4\* Except May 9th which will be on Level 2, HALL 4:

FEB. 7th: Marlene Gralnick, CSW presents: Verbal Agression in Families and it;s Impact on Children.

MAR. 7th: Joseph Santorelli, Dist. Court Judge, Domestic Violence Court presents: The Overview of Suffolk County Domestic Violence Court

APR. 11TH: Nancy Rodman, CSW, Associate Director, Pilgrim Psychiatric Center presents: Sexual Abuse Awareness Training When Working with a Mentally Ill Population.

MAY 9th: Wanda Lavista, PO, Special Assistant to Suffolk Co. Police Commissioner presents: Gang Related Violence and Its Impact on Families.

Family Violence Center Information: Ellen Kosloff 4-3694

Submitted by: R Kosloff/HSC

7. New SUNY Chancellor's Award - Deadline, February 28!!! - Excellence in Schoarship and Creative Activities

SUNY Chancellor Robert King has announced a new Chancellor's Award category, "Excellence in Scholarship and Creative Activities," with a spring 2002 nomination deadline for the first award cycle.

Full-time, tenured, or tenure-track faculty members of any academic rank, who have completed at least three full years of full-time service may be nominated. Students, faculty, and staff may nominate. Deadline for receipt of the completed nomination file is February 28, 2002.

For complete information and nominations forms, go to www.sunysb.edu/pres/

Submitted by: George Meyer/Pres

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8. FEDERAL INCOME TAX WORKSHOPS FOR INTERNATIONAL FACULTY AND SCHOLARS, AND FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Workshop for J-1 and H-1B International Faculty and Scholars: Wednesday, February 27, 2002. 1:00 p.m. Health Sciences Center, Level 2, Lecture Hall 3

Workshop for F-1 and J-1 International Students: Wednesday, March 20, 2002. 1:00 p.m. Stony Brook Union Auditorium

A representative from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will provide information and training on requirements for filing Federal income tax forms for tax year 2001 for international faculty, scholars and students. Forms will be available at the workshop and in the Graduate School reception area after the workshop.

NOTE: All international students, faculty and scholars, and their spouses (if applicable), who were present in the United States during the calendar year 2001 MUST file a Federal income tax return. International Services cannot help with Federal income tax preparation. We encourage all who can to attend this workshop.

Submitted by: Rose Cohen-Brown/Grad

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### 9. Laser Eye Surgery (i.e. LASIK) at Stony Brook

The response to the establishment of a LASER REFRACTIVE SURGERY service at Stony Brook Ophthalmology has been phenomenal. In an effort to "stream-line" the evaluation process, we have established a new phone number ((631) 444-4996) dedicated solely to refractive surgery.

Refractive surgery (i.e. LASIK) can reduce one's dependence on glasses or contact lenses. The laser can now be used to treat many forms of near-sightedness (myopia), far-sightedness (hyperopia), and astigmatism.

A special discounted rate will be extended to all Stony Brook students, faculty, staff, and their immediate family members.

If you would like to learn more about LASIK (and other types of refractive procedures), or to schedule a FREE & INFORMATIVE consultation with our laser vision specialists, call (631) 444-4996.

Submitted by: Marc Dinowitz/UHMC

10. Polaroid Stories - A play by Naomi Iizuka - Opens February 28th, Staller Center for the Arts

"Metamorphoses?" the old are whispering their secret tales, while the young are listening. With the help of Ovid's ancient stories, Naomi Iizuka has created the world of homeless kids - kids who live to disappear. Drugs, fear, love, music, sex and the desire to just simply leave the darkness of the labyrinth, forces each one of them to finally make a decision about life or death.

Due to its adult content, Polaroid Stories is recommended for audience members 14 years and older.

Polaroid Stories opens on Thursday, February 28th at 8 p.m. in Theatre II, Staller Center.

Other Performances are 8 p.m. March 1, 2, 7, 8, 9th and 2 p.m. matinees on Sunday, March 3 and 10th.

Tickets: \$10/general admission/; \$8/faculty and staff; \$6/students and seniors. Call the Box Office at 632-ARTS.

Submitted by: Augusta Kuhn/CAS

11. 2nd Annual Bioscience Careers Seminar Series-Embarking on a career in business development in the life sciences.

Wednesday, February 27, 2002. 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm. Center for Biotechnology. Speaker - Joseph Scaduto, Executive Director, Long Island Life Sciences Initiative and Business Development Associate, Center for Biotechnology. Join Mr Scaduto, as he discusses the transition from graduate school to a career in the bioscience industry. He will provide a personal insight into his professional career development as he outlines critical steps involved in gaining industry experience through internships, creative networking techniques, diverse and exciting career opportunities in industry and what a career in business development entails. This is a must attend seminar for all life sciences graduates who are serious about pursuing a career in the industry. Don't miss this opportunity to meet and discuss the realities of working in industry and strategies for breaking into it. Light refreshments will be served. Presentation will begin promptly at 12:30 pm. Seating is limited. Please register online at http://www.biotech.sunysb.edu/news.html#seminar

Submitted	by:	Angeline	Judex/CEAS

12. CAMPUS CHILD CARE AVAILABLE! AND NEW SCHOOL-AGE SUMMER PROGRAM, JUNE 26 TO AUGUST 30.

Moving into our new childcare facility on South Drive in September increased our capacity by more than 50%. The space is designed and equipped especially for young children.

We have openings in our year round childcare program, after school, and full summer coverage for school age (K-2nd) children.

Our summer school age program will provide coverage from the last day of school 6/26 to the Friday before Labor Day 8/30, in an intimate, child friendly setting.

Please call 632- 6930 for more information.

Submitted by: Denise Masone/Affl

13. Update on Laser Eye Surgery at Stony Brook

The response to the establishment of a LASER REFRACTIVE SURGERY service at Stony Brook Ophthalmology continues to be strong.

Two weeks ago, a new phone number ((631) 444-4996) dedicated solely to refractive surgery was created.

Our refractive surgery evaluations typically are scheduled on Friday afternoons. In an effort to further "stream-line" the evaluation process, and to accommodate our patients' busy

schedules, we have now added additional time for consultations on Tuesday afternoons.

As always, a special discounted rate will be extended to all Stony Brook students, faculty, staff, and their immediate family members.

If you would like to learn more about laser eye surgery or to schedule a FREE & INFORMATIVE consultation with our laser vision specialists, call (631) 444-4996.

Submitted by: Marc Dinowitz/UHMC

14. Neurobiology and Behavior Seminar, Thursday, February 28th

David Berson, M.D., of Brown University Department of Neuroscience, will give a Seminar for the Department of Neurobiology and Behavior on Thursday, February 28th, at 12 Noon, in Room 038 of the Life Sciences Building. The title of Dr. Berson's talk is: "Strange Vision: How the Retina sets the Circadian Clock."

Submitted by: Kathleen Delaney/CAS

15. Summer Camp at Stony Brook June 24 - August 16, 2002

The Summer Camp at Stony Brook is back for its third exciting year. The Camp combines a unique twist of educational activities and athletics for children between the ages of 5 to 12. Tuition includes provision of a camp T-shirt, as well as a hot lunch and snack each day. For more information on the Summer Camp at Stony Brook please come to one of our Open Houses or call our camp office at 632-4550.

10% Discount on Tuition for Stony Brook Staff Members.

Open House dates/times: Sunday March 3rd 12pm to 3pm / Saturday March 16th 9 am to 12pm / Saturday April 6th 9am to 12pm

All Open Houses are located in the Stony Brook Sports Complex

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/CAS

16. Careers in Research and Development at OSI Pharmaceuticals, Inc

Careers in Research and Development at OSI Pharmaceuticals, Inc Chemistry Department. Room 412 Wed, Mar. 06, 2002.12:00 pm - 1:30 pm.Dr. Mark Mulvihill, Research Investigator. Join Dr. Mulvihill as he explores the diverse research and development opportunities at OSI Pharmaceuticals Inc. OSI Pharmaceuticals is a leading biotechnology company primarily focused on the discovery, development and commercialization of innovative

products for the treatment of cancer. The Chemistry group at OSI Pharmaceuticals focuses on various aspects of small molecule organic syntheses and medicinal chemistry, analytical, combinatorial, and computational chemistry in the support of drug discovery programs in cancer and diabetes. Exciting and diverse career opportunities exist for students majoring in Chemistry (undergraduate and graduate). Please register online to attend. http://acteva.com/booking.cfm?binid=1&bevaID=20104

http://www.biotech.sunysb.edu/news/index.html#seminar

Submitted by: Angeline Judex/CEAS

17. Visit to Pall Corporation for Life Sciences Graduates.

Tue, Mar. 12, 2002.10:00 am - 12:30 pm. Pall Corporation . 25 Harbor Park Drive, Port Washington, NY. The Center for Biotechnology is pleased to organize a visit to Pall Corporation. Pall is the global leader in the highly sophisticated filtration, separation and purification industry. Pall's technologies play a vital role in the production of many consumer and industrial products, as well as in most drugs and medical therapies. All graduate students in the life sciences are invited to take this opportunity to visit Pall's Port Washington facility. Spaces are limited. Please register online to attend http://acteva.com/booking.cfm?binid=1&bevaID=20104

Submitted by: Angeline Judex/CEA
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#### 18. SHTM Photo Contest

The School of Health Technology and Management is pleased to announce it's Second Annual Photo Contest. Our theme this year is "A Celebration of Life in America", and once again, First Prize is a brand new Olympus camera, donated by Olympus America, Inc., Clinical Instrument Division. The contest is open to amatuer photographers who are either faculty, staff, students, alumni or friends of the SHTM - in other words, all amateur photographers! An unlimited number of entries will be accepted with an entry fee of \$5.00 per entry; Black and white prints or black and white slides as well as digital images will be accepted. The deadline for all entries is February 28, 2002.

For further information or to obtain an entry form, please call 4-2252.

Submitted by: Catherine Horgan/HSC

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19. Graduate Internship in Biotechnology and Patent Law for life sciences graduates

The Center for Biotechnology is accepting applications for Summer and Fall 2002. This program provides third and fourth year graduate students, and postdoctoral fellows, with an opportunity

to work in a legal environment conducting research into prior art and learning the basic principles of intellectual property rights. Successful candidates will be placed in law firms in Suffolk, Nassau and New York City. To apply, please submit a cover letter, cv and application form to Kate Posnanski at kposnanski@sunysb.edu. More information on the program and application forms can be found on the Center's website. Deadline for application - Wednesday, February 27, 2002.

http://www.biotech.sunysb.edu/ps/intern.html#grad

Submitted by: Angeline Judex/CEAS

20. EVENT ANNOUNCEMENT - "Keep on Keeping on: Music from the Civil Rights Movement"

Please join us on Wednesday, February 27 from 12:40 - 2 p.m. in the Alliance Room of the Melville Library for "Keep on Keeping on: Music from the Civil Rights Movement." This event features music and discussion of issues pertinent to the Civil Rights Era. Performers and speakers include Ken Anderson, Melodee Roderick, and Reverend Reginald Tuggle.

Sponsored by the Africana Studies Department, the Melville Library/Special Collections, and the Music Department.

Please contact Kristen.Nyitray@stonybrook.edu (632-7119) or Floris.Cash@stonybrook.edu for further information.

Submitted by: Kristen Nyitray/Lib

21. Dialouques Across Differences presents: "FACES OF RELIGION"

Did You Know?

There are Caucasian American Sikhs?

There are Latino Muslims?

There are South Asian Christians?

There are women Zen Buddhist Priests?

Come and listen to our panel and learn about the diversity in our world religions and how they are experienced in our global society. Discussion to follow presentations.

Please join us on Tuesday March 5th at 7pm in the Student Activities Center Auditorium

Event Co-sponsored by: Office of Diversity and Affirmative Action, The School of Social Welfare, "Dialogues Across Differences" Grant, Muslim Students Association, Catholic Campus Ministry, Protestant Campus Ministry, Baptist Campus Ministry Stony Brook Gospel Choir, Center for India Studies, Inter-Fraternity-Sorority Council, and Community Based Action

Research (C-Bar).

Refreshments will be served! We look forward to your participation!

For further information please contact Sam Quiah at the Office of Diversity and Affirmative Action (631) 632-6280 or Jonnel Doris at the Vice President for Administration Office (631) 632-6353.

http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/Pres/aaeeo.nsf/pages/news

Submitted by: Samuel Quiah/UST

22. Help Build the Habitat for Humanity Stony Brook House

Homelessness is on the rise on Long Island, but you can help break the cycle of poverty for a deserving family. Join our campus community and Habitat for Humanity as we work together to make a North Bellport family's dream of home ownership come true. It costs roughly \$60,000 in materials and services to build a house on Long Island. Stony Brook has committed to raising \$40,000; the balance is funded through Habitat for Humanity. Every department on campus and a variety of student groups are making plans to raise funds for their designated part of the house. So, take the Habitat Challenge calling for communities to eliminate substandard housing in their area within this generation. Support the Stony Brook House fundraising events and help us reach our goal. For more information, contact your department coordinator, or visit our web site on the YOCL page at www.stonybrook.edu.

Submitted by:	Karan	Keelev/UAff
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23. Jewelry Sale to benefit Sylvia Fund for students with disabilities - Wednesday, February 27!

On Wednesday, February 27, 9a.m. to 5:30 p.m., you'll have the opportunity to buy some unique jewelry creations in the Administration Building lobby, while helping Stony Brook students with disabilities. A significant percentage of the sales of jewelry items will be donated to the Sylvia Fund, which grants awards to students with disabilities. Notecards and prints designed by Sylvia Geoghegan will also be on sale. Please stop by the Admin lobby to see for yourself!

Submitted by: George Meyer/Pres

24. SAVE THE DATE - Friday, April 26th 6:00 p.m. Benedict Atrium WISDOM: Rules for Living in the Universe

Join us in celebrating Earth Day with an inspiring lecture by theologian and best-selling author, Matthew Fox. Fox, author of 24 books on the topics of Creatism and Spirituality holds Masters degrees in philosophy and theology. His lecture, WISDOM: Rules

for Living in the Universe, explores living in harmony with the environment with an understanding of today's science. Event is free. RSVP requested. For more information contact Br. Clark Berge at 632-6563, or visit our web site at www.stonybrook.edu. Sponsored by the Protestant Campus Ministries and Year of Community Leadership Committee in honor of Earth Day.

Submitted by: Karen Keeley/UAff

25. Topics in Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences Seminar February 27, 2002

TAOS Seminar

Wednesday, February 27, 2002, 11:30 a.m. Institute for Terrestrial and Planetary Atmospheres, Marine Sciences Research Center, Endeavour Hall 120

Speaker: Dr. Steven Platick, Goddard Space Flight Center, NASA Topic: "Multispectral Cloud Retrievals and the MODIS Algorithm"

http://atmos.msrc.sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Gina Gartin/MSRC

26. Marine Sciences Research Center-Friday Afternoon Seminar Spearker

Marine Sciences Research Center presents Dr. Richard Kerr of AAAS/Science on Friday, March 1st(2002) in Endeavour Hall, room 120 @12:30 P.M. His topic will be "An alternative Career in Oceanography:From Gelbstoff to Science in the Media." Please join us!!

Refreshments will be served at 12:15P.M. Host:Cindy Lee

Submitted by: Patricia Corn/MSRC

27. Defensive Driving Program offered for UUP employees and their immediate family members.

A NYSUT sponsored Defensive Driving program is being offered on Saturday, March 2, from 10 am to 4 pm in the Student Activity Center, Room 304, for all UUP employees and their immediate family members. Cost is \$25 per person. 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. Contact Willa Smith at Ext. 26570 for more information.

Submitted by: Willa Smith/Affl

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Submitted by: George Meyer/Pres

29. THE ROUND TABLE presentation of "FROM THE FIRES"-March 15th.

The Round Table invites you to attend a special presentation by the Theatre Three Traveling Theatre, on Friday, March 15th, 2002 in the Stony Brook Union Auditorium at 2:45 p.m. "FROM THE FIRES"-Voices of the Holocaust, written and directed by Jeffrey E. Sanzel, is a play based on extensive research on the era 1937 to 1945. It traces one individual girl's life during this dark era and focuses on her experiences. The play is fiction - the times, the place, the experiences chronicled - unfortunately - are not. Tickets are not required - we encourage you to attend. Please contact The Round Table office - 2-7063, if you have any questions

Submitted by: Janet Mclean/Prov

30. Wed 2/27 4:30pm: Valerie Smith, Princeton University: "Memory and the Civil Rights Movement." Thu 2/28 10:30am Smith Seminar

Both events will take place at the Humanities Institue,  ${\tt E4341}$  Melville Library.

In recent years, increasing numbers of writers, filmmakers, and visual artists have sought to memorialize the failures and triumphs of the U.S. Civil Rights Movement. Smith's paper, "Memory and the Civil Rights Movement," will explore the politics and uses of memory and nostalgia in selected films that look back on the movement. Her lecture will take place on Wednesday, February 27 at 4:30pm at HISB. Her seminar will take place Thursday, February 28 at 10:30am at HISB.

Valerie Smith is Professor of English and African-American Studies at Princeton University. She is the author of Self-Discovery and Authority in Afro-American Narrative and Not Just Race, Not Just Gender: Black Feminist Readings, and editor of New Essays on Song of Solomon, Representing Blackness: Issues in Film and Video, and African American Writers. 

## 31. Stony Brook Alumni Law Day

Get the feel for what practicing the law is really like at Stony Brook Alumni Law Day, on Thursday February 28, 2002 at the Student Activities Center. Panel discussions begin at 5:00 PM, and are open to all students at Stony Brook University.

Stony Brook Alumni working in the field will lead panel discussions of interest to all students contemplating law schools. This is a great opportunity to learn from the pros. Topics include:

- \*Criminal Law vs. Civil Law Practice
- \*Practicing Law in a Small Firm vs. a Large Firm
- \*Public Service vs. Private Service
- \*Careers Outside Practicing Law

Refreshments will be served. For more information and to RSVP please call the Alumni Office at 632-6330. This event is sponsored by the Law Offices Of Cartier, Hogan, Bernstein, and Auerbach, P.C. Specializing in Accidents, Estate Planning and Commercial Law 77 Medford Avenue, Pathchogue, New York 631-654-4900

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32. "Re-mapping Latin American Studies: Postcolonialism, Subaltern Studies, Post-Occidentalism and Globalization Theory"

Tuesday, February 26 5:00-6:30 PM SBS, N-320 LACC Conference Room

Talk given by EDUARDO MENDIETA from the Philosophy Department at Stony Brook.

Submitted by:	Domenica	Tafuro/CAS
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## 33. Distinguished Lecture in Computer Science

The Computer Science Department welcomes everyone to its 2001-2002 Distinguished Lecture Series, sponsored by Citigroup Corporate & Investment Bank.

Dr. Mark Wegman (IBM T.J. Watson Research Center) will discuss "Optimizing Component Interaction", which is a fundamental problem in constructing efficient component-oriented programs.

The lecture will be at 2:15pm on Friday, March 1, in Javits 102.

Dr. Wegman is a Fellow of the ACM, in recognition of his contributions to compilers and algorithms. He is a senior manager at IBM Research responsible for the area of Object and Enterprise Programming.

http://www.cs.sunysb.edu/website/research/lectureseries.html

Submitted by: Scott Stoller/CEAS

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#### 34. Lipid Series

Stony Brook University Hospital's Division of Wellness and Chronic Illness in the Department of Family Medicine will be conducting four, two-hour group visits for patients with elevated lipids and cholesterol.

After an individual clinical evaluation, group visits will review the factors that contribute to increasing levels of lipids and insulin and how they can be decreased with whole foods. Evidence-based information on supplements, genetic influences and indications for anti-lipid medications and their side effects will be reviewed. The role of exercise and stress reduction will also be covered.

The series of four, two-hour sessions will be conducted on consecutive Wednesdays, February 27th March 6th, 13th and 20th from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at 33 Research Way, Stony Brook Technology Park. Most insurance plans are accepted with appropriate co-pay for each visit. For those without coverage, the cost for the series is \$150.00.

Early registration is suggested. Telephone: 4-9815

Submitted by: rjaber/UHMC

35. OSC Mandates the use of the BTA for State Travel Airfare

STATE TRAVEL: On January 1, 2001, the Office of the State Comptroller mandated that all airline tickets for State funded travel must be purchased on the AMEX Business Travel Account. Travel arrangements must be made by contacting Austin Travel, the authorized State agency, located in the Main Campus Library Building. Please be sure to indicate the correct valid state account number funding your trip. The BTA policy reduces the need for "Out of Pocket" expenses, failure to comply with this procedure shall delay the processing of your travel reimbursement. Questions regarding the BTA can be directed to Rosalie Makarick of Procurement at 2-6022.

http://www.procurement.stonybrook.edu

Submitted by: Christine Wilson/Admin

36. Distinguished Scholar Femi Ojo-Ade speaks on "Africa and Her

#### Detractors"

Distinguished scholar Femi Ojo-Ade, a candidate for the position of Chair of the Africana Studies department, will deliver a talk on "Africa and Her Detractors, or Jojo Wan Go Back to Uganda", Thursday, February 28th, from 4:30-6:00 in the Richard B. Moore Library, Social and Behavioral Sciences building, room S-224. A reception will follow the talk. The campus community is invited to attend.

Submitted by: Kathleen Breidenbach/CAS

### 37. Career Women's Luncheon on March 7

The Employee Activities Council would like to invite you to our Career Women's Luncheon on Thursday, March 7, at 12:00 noon, in the Student Union Ballroom. We are honored to have Vivian Viloria Fisher, mother of five children, who is a teacher on leave from Ward Melville High School, and Legislator of the 5th Suffolk County Legislative District, as our speaker. Among her many accomplishments, she secured a \$50,000 grant with emphasis on services for children and families. She will talk to you about her life as a politician.

Bring payment of \$8.50 before March 1 to the people listed below. Checks may be made payable to "Chartwells".

Caroline Morbillo 2-9796, Pat Burke 2-4194, Alba Beltran 2-4151, Pat Miller 2-6010, Lucille Meci 2-8260, Pat Peiliker 2-8080, Chris Eastman 4-3056, Marie Barnouw 2-9248, Augusta Kuhn 2-7280

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38. CALL FOR NOMINATIONS - YEAR OF COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP "RAY OF LIGHT AWARDS"

The YOCL Committee seeks nominations for individuals to honored for their community involvement at the "Ray of Light Awards," on April 29, 4:00pm, Student Activities Center. Nominees shall be selected from six categories:

- 1. Social Justice Establishing and maintaining the rights of individuals or underrepresented groups through social change or activism.
- 2. Emerging Leaders For Stony Brook students whose leadership has benefit the surrounding communities.
- 3. Arts Advancing appreciation of the Arts through access and promotion.
- 4. Health Improving the health status of the community through programs, services, education or research.
- 5. Environment Protection and stewardship of the environment

through education, research or practice.

6. Human Services - Improving access or providing services such as housing, food assistance, counseling, etc.

By March 6, please send name of nominee, organizational affiliation, and a brief paragraph explaining why the nominee should be honored to: Cheryl.Chambers@sunysb.edu (pH: 2-9968)

Submitted by: Cheryl Chambers/OSA

#### 39. Aikido Class

Tuesday's @ 7:00 P.M.

Dates: 2/26, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19, 4/2, 4/9, 4/16, 4/23, 4/30

Site: Sports Complex Exercise Room

Cost: \$40.00 for 9 sessions

To register for class contact Susan DiMonda via notes or 632-7206.

http://www.recreation.sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Susan Dimonda/CAS

40. Free Wellness Seminar in Self Defense for Women

Offered by Wellness Center and University Police Wednesday's @ 5:15pm on 3/6, 3/13, 3/20 Site: Wellness Center Located in SAC Registration required and only a few slots are left.

http://www.recreation.sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Susan Dimonda/CAS

## 41. New Wellness Fitness Class Schedule

Registration for classes starting in March going on right now for:

Monday's @ 5:15pm - Stretch & Flex Camp Tuesday's @ 5:15pm - Body Sculpting Tuesday's @ 5:30pm - Intermediate Yoga Wednesday's @ 5:15pm - Beginner Yoga Thursday's @ 5:15pm - Low Impact Aerobics

Cost for each class is \$35.00 for 6 sessions. Check out our web site for detailed information on each class. To register contact Sue DiMonda via e-mail or 632-7206.

http://www.recreation.sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Susan Dimonda/CAS

# 42. Universtiy Senate now accepting Nominations

Nominations are now being accepted for positions on the 13 Standing Committees of the University Senate.

Places will be opening up on these committees as part of the normal election cycle, and we urge you to volunteer yourself or to suggest colleagues to stand for election to any of these committees in the Senate. You can view the charges and vacancies for each committee by going to the University Senate website and clicking on Standing Committees (the vacant terms are those whose terms end 9/02) at

http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/Admin/usenate.nsf

Submitted by: Laurie Theobalt/Prov

43. ENROLLMENT OPEN HOUSE. SCHOOL AGE SUMMER and AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS, KINDERGARTEN, and CHILDCARE AT SBCCSI.

Stony Brook Child Care on South Drive is opening it's doors to potential new families on Saturday March 9th11 am to 1 pm and Wednesday March 13th 6-7:30 pm. Come and tour the facility, talk to the teachers, administrators, and parents with children already enrolled in the program. Learn about our programs for children ranging in age from 2 months to 8 years. Come and learn about quality early education and care available right here on campus.

Call 632 6930 for more information or e-mail dmasone@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Denise Masone/Affl

44. TIAA-CREF Seminars - for state employees of Stony Brook Uiversity Hospital, Coram Health Center, Tech Park and the LISVH.

TIAA-CREF will be conducting the following workshops: Staying on Track in a Market Downturn - Tues., Feb. 26th Classroom 159, Level 3, HSC \*\*\*\* A Woman's Money, A Women's Future - Tues., March 19th, Classroom 171, Level 3, HSC \*\*\*\*\* Tax-Deferred Annuities - Tues., April 23rd, Classroom 159, Level 3, HSC. All seminars are from 12 noon to 1 pm. To reserve a seat at either seminar, please call TIAA-CREF at 800-842-8412 between 9 am and 4 pm.

http://www.tiaa-cref.org

Submitted by: Cassandra Moore/UHMC

45. Shirley Strum Kenny Arts Festival

The Shirley Strum Kenny Student Arts Festival Committee is trying to locate talent in the Arts for the weeklong festival. (April 15-21) Applications for performers, artists, dancers, film makers, poets, musicians are available in the Women's Studies Office, Old Chemistry 105 and in the Theatre, Art and Music Departments and the Staller Center Gallery. For more information write: ckoppelman@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

Submitted by:	Constance Koppelman/CAS
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