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## **01. Administrative**

### **1. Tank Gas Program**

The Tank Gas Program will be closed on Friday, April 2nd for Good Friday. There will be no orders processed, no deliveries will be made.

Submitted by: Kathleen Hill/CAS

### **2. Campus Dining Spring Break Hours of Service**

Campus Dining will be operating under special hours of service during Spring Break. To view these changes, visit our website at [www.campusdining.org](http://www.campusdining.org).

<http://campusdining.org>

Submitted by: Vincent Gentile/FSA

### **3. New UPS Rates, effective 3/22/10**

Please note that UPS has updated their rates, effective 3/22/10. These rates will be in effect for the rest of the calendar year.

<http://www.ogs.state.ny.us/purchase/snt/awardnotes/7901120029pm.pdf>

Submitted by: Mary La Corte/Admin

#### **4. Blackboard: Fall 2009/Winter Session 2010 rosters to be deleted on April 12!**

If you taught a Fall 2009 or Winter Session (January) 2010 course and used Blackboard, please read this important announcement carefully!

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On Monday, April 12, 2010, we will be deleting all rosters from Fall 2009 and Winter Session (January) 2010 Blackboard courses.

If your course falls into either of the following categories, you MUST fill out this form prior to Thursday, April 8, 2010: <http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/DoIT/bbreq.nsf/bbkeeposter>

1. Does not follow the West Campus schedule
3. Courses that overlap semesters
3. You still have students completing incomplete grades
4. You have a pending dishonesty case with the Academic Judiciary

For more information: <http://blackboard.blog.stonybrook.edu/2010/03/22/328/>

<http://blackboard.blog.stonybrook.edu/2010/03/22/328/>

Submitted by: TLT's Blackboard Support Team

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

#### **1. Using the Internet for Historical Research**

More and more valuable historical information can now be found on the internet, especially primary source material being digitized by libraries and research institutions around the world. This workshop will highlight some of the most interesting web sites and web tools, and discuss search methods to help you find quality historical information online. Learn about: history web sites, major digital and audio/visual collections, historic newspaper collections, Google Books and other online book collections, domain searches and other advanced searching, creating a Google custom search, and Wikipedia as a way of finding Online Resources. Wednesday, April 7 @ 2:00 PM held at SINC site in SBS (Social and Behavioral Sciences). Register @ <http://www.stonybrook.edu/library/services/instruction/workshops.htm>.

Submitted by: Yuet Tran/Lib

#### **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

April 6, 2010 12:00pm - 1:00pm, Wang Center, Classroom 301

To Register Call 632-6085 or email us at [eap@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:eap@notes.cc.sunysb.edu)

To Join our EAP Lunchtime Learning Listserve click on:  
<http://lists.sunysb.edu/index.cgi?A0=EAPTALK>

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

Submitted by: Alisha Meston/Pres

### **3. Free 6 Week Smoking Cessation Classes Start April 13th!**

Please call Employee Health & Wellness at 4-7767 to register for the upcoming Free Smoking Cessation Program. Starts Tuesday, April 13th, 11am-12pm. All are welcome!!!

Submitted by: Maria Loret De Mola/UHMC

### **4. Civil Service in a Nutshell**

April 9th 9:30am 12:30pm

This workshop will help provide you with information about Civil Service list appointments, canvassing lists, transfers, types of appointments, and much more...

Target Audience: VP Coordinators, hiring department managers and employees seeking Civil Service list information on West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan, and Southampton. Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0008>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

### **5. Independent Contractor Workshop**

4/9/2010 10:00am 12:00pm

This workshop will help to identify the difference between an employee and an independent contractor.

You will learn about the resources and forms that are available on the internet to help determine what documentation is required by HRS in order to process requests for payment. We'll cover some frequently asked questions, and go over the IRS 20 Factors of the Common Law Test which helps to identify independent contractors.

Target Audience: Anyone responsible for preparing payment requests for Independent Contractors

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0038>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

### **6. Make a great lasting impression now! Effective Customer Service will leave customers remembering YOU!**

04/06/2010 - 09:30am - 12:30pm

All customer interactions have an impact on the perception of your organization. Excellent customer service is more than just employees smiling and making eye contact. It is an all-encompassing approach to making excellent service delivery part of the culture of your area. Everything a customer sees, hears or touches impacts the experience.

Key Highlights:

- Identify customer expectations and needs using active listening techniques.
- Learn how to create a culture of service excellence for your internal and external customers.
- Develop solutions to more challenging and difficult customer service situations.
- Identify ways to create more customer-friendly processes.
- Learn the benefits of providing excellent customer service

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/wc0022>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

## **7. Email Etiquette- Why is it important?**

April 15 9:00am 12:00pm

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

- Proper formatting for emails
- Content development
- Lotus Notes tips and tricks.
- Stony Brook policies and procedures in email communication
- Identify common pitfalls with emailing

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0032>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

## **8. Counseling and The disciplinary Process for Supervisors of State Employees, only a few seats available!**

04/14/2010 - 09:00am - 12:00pm

This program will provide you, the 1st or 2nd line supervisors and managers, with information regarding the Counseling and Disciplinary processes under all Collective Bargaining Agreements on campus and for non-represented Management/Confidential (M/C) employees in the Stony Brook University community. In addition it will provide you with the ability to support the supervisors in your departments who are faced with employee issues requiring counseling or discipline. The session includes:

How and when to conduct a counseling session  
The difference between a verbal and a written counseling  
How to write a counseling memo  
How to identify problem situations  
How to determine when to counsel an employee and when to seek disciplinary action.  
The roles of the Supervisor, the Department and Employee and Labor Relations in the process.  
Target Audience: Supervisors and Managers of State employees.  
Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0015>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

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

### **1. Office of Curriculum Affairs & Faculty Development: ACGME Faculty Development Workshop**

Fellowships & Common Requirements presented by Dr. Susan Guralnick Tuesday, March 30, 2010 at 5:00 to 6:30PM in the HSC OVP Conference Room, Level 4. These workshops are specifically designed to assist in meeting the ACGME requirements for faculty development in key areas pertaining to teaching skills of educators. There is one session per month year round. RSVP to Jean D'Andraia at 4-1098 or email [jdandraia@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:jdandraia@notes.cc.sunysb.edu)

Submitted by: Jean D'Andraia

Submitted by: Jeanette D'Andraia/UHMC

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

### **1. Molecular Genetics & Microbiology Department**

Please join Host Ando van der Velden today Monday, 3/29/10 as he and the department welcome Seminar Speaker Dr. Sarah D'Orazio of the University of Kentucky. Dr. D'Orazio will be presenting her seminar entitled "Bystander activation of CD8+ T cells during Listeria monocytogenes infection" at 12:00 noon in room 038 of the Life Sciences Building.

Submitted by: Carol Brekke/UHMC

### **2. Intellectual Property Management Workshop**

April 15, 2010 12:00p-1:30p

Ron Baron, Esq.  
Brian Nguyen, Esq.  
Sean Boykevisch, PhD SBU OTLIR  
Nature & Relationship of IP in a Precommercial Environment  
LI High Tech Incubator  
www.lihti.org/map-directions  
RSVP francescalabro@lihti.org

Submitted by: Frances Connolly-Calabro/Affl

**3. Women's and Gender Studies Job Talk, April 6th, 4PM, Old Chem 118. Sima Shakhsari presents "Weblogistan Goes to War"**

"Weblogistan Goes to War: Representational Practices, Gendered Soldiers, and Neoliberal Diasporic Entrepreneurship." Through discussing interviews with diasporic Iranian bloggers in Toronto, and a discourse analysis of a documentary film about Weblogistan, Shakhsari shows the way that some Iranian diasporic bloggers use their weblogs as entrepreneurship resources during the "war on terror." Shakhsari argues that as a post-9/11 phenomenon, Persian language blogging is implicated in discourses of militarism and neoliberalism that interpellate the representable Iranian blogger as a gendered homo oeconomicus in the market for information during the "war on terror." Professor Sima Shakhsari's areas of research include: Iran/Iranian diaspora; globalization; weblogistan; queer studies; Middle Eastern studies. Please join us on April 6th, at 4PM in Old Chemistry 118.

Submitted by: Colleen Wallahora/CAS

**4. Provost's Lecture with Shah Newaz on Wednesday, April 7, 3:30 PM, Wang Center, Lecture Hall 2**

Shah Newaz, Senior Vice President and General Manager of Grameen Bank, Inc., will present his talk on "Experiences with Grameen Bank in Bangladesh and Grameen America." Grameen America is a nonprofit microfinance organization founded by Nobel Peace Prize recipient Muhammad Yunus. Grameen America's mission is to alleviate poverty and spur entrepreneurship by providing small loans and financial education to people living below the poverty line in the U.S. Shah Newaz worked for Grameen Bank in Bangladesh for 25 years and for two years in the Dominican Republic. In his talk, Newaz will offer a historical background of the Grameen Bank project in Bangladesh from 1976 to the present, and share his most recent developments in starting up Grameen America in New York and Nebraska. Seating for the lecture is limited and on a first come, first served basis.

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

Submitted by: Janine Pearce/Prov

**5. Dr. Amy Kaplan, University of Pennsylvania, to present a talk in Humanities Institute on April 5th**



Dr. Amy Kaplan, the Edward W. Kane Professor of English at the University of Pennsylvania will present "Transnational Melville" at the Humanities Institute (room 1006, Humanities) on Monday April 5th at 4:30PM. This talk is part of the Humanities Institute's Voices in Cultural Studies series which is coordinated by Dr. E. Ann Kaplan, SUNY Distinguished Professor and Director, Humanities Institute and Dr. Raiford Guins, Asst. Professor in Comparative Literary and Cultural Studies.

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

Submitted by: Ann Berrios/CAS

## **6. UUP Women's Concern Committee Talk**

Tuesday, April 6-Noon-1:00PM-118 Old Chemistry

The Suffolk County Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Inc.(SCCADV)

The program goal is to educate women in our community with information they may share and with information about how to access needed services. Lunch will be served - please RSVP at [www.uupsbu.org](http://www.uupsbu.org)

<http://www.uupsbu.org>

Submitted by: Diane Bello/Prov

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

### **1. The 12th Annual Cleft Palate Craniofacial Center Symposium**

The Cleft Palate Craniofacial Center @ Stony Brook University Medical Center will host its annual Symposium on The Team Approach to the Management of Cleft Lip/Palate and Craniofacial Anomalies on Monday, April 12, 2010 on Level 2, Lecture Hall 2 from 8am - 12noon. We are offering both CME and CDE credits. A continental breakfast will be served. There is no charge for this symposium but registration is necessary. Please call Dina Olivieri at 631-444-8167 to register or for more information.

Submitted by: Dina Olivieri/UHMC

### **2. 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

### **3. NIH General Clinical Research Center (GCRC)**

Department of Medicine Seminar Series

Dr. William Young, Professor of Medicine, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

"Pitfalls in the Diagnosis of Pheochromocytoma and Genetic Evaluation of Patients with Apparent Sporadic Pheochromocytoma".

Wednesday, April 14, 2010, 7:30am - 8:30am, HSC T16 - Room 025

Refreshments Will be Served

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

### **4. THE 2010 Zickler Lecture: Tomas Lindahl, M.D., F.R.S.**

Dr. Tomas Lindahl of the London Research Institute will present the 2010 Zickler Lecture to the Stony Brook community on Tuesday, March 30th at 4pm. Dr Lindahl's lecture is entitled "Endogenous DNA damage as a risk factor: from biochemistry to mouse models and human disease". The lecture will take place in Lecture Hall 1, on Level 2 of the Health Sciences Center.

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

Submitted by: Pamela Harris/UHMC

### **5. Department of Physiology and Biophysics Seminar on Monday, April 5, 2010 at 12:00 noon, BST,5,140**

Dr. Austin Mircheff of the University of Southern California Keck School of Medicine. Seminar entitled "The Lacrimal Gland, a Simple Model for Studying Chronic Inflammatory Disease. Where We Look Determines What We Find"

Submitted by: Melanie Bonnette/UHMC

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## **07. Charitable**

### **1. The Bench 5K Run/Walk and 1K Fun Run**

Join us for the second annual The Bench Bar & Grill 5K Run/Walk and, new for this year, 1K Fun Run on May 8th. All proceeds go toward supporting Sunrise Fund programs.

Complimentary food and beer following the race. Awards for top age group finishers and all fun

run participants. Fun Run begins at 9 AM and 5K Run/Walk at 9:30 AM. Registration for the 5K is \$20 before May 5th and \$25 after. Fun Run registration is \$10. For more information or to register go to [www.sunrisefund.org](http://www.sunrisefund.org). If you can't make the run, please visit The Bench between Friday, May 7th and Sunday, May 9th for lunch, dinner, or drinks. The Bench will donate 10% of all sales from that weekend to the Sunrise Fund. For more information contact Ray McKenna at [raymond.mckenna@stonybrook.edu](mailto:raymond.mckenna@stonybrook.edu) or 444-6169.

<http://www.sunrisefund.org>

Submitted by: Raymond McKenna/HSC

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## **08. Culture & Entertainment**

### **1. Men's Lacrosse vs. Hartford-Saturday, 4/10 7PM**

Stony Brook Seawolves fans don't forget to reserve your seat for Saturday, 4/10 at 7PM as your Men's Lacrosse team takes on Hartford! To purchase tickets call 631-632-WOLF or visit [www.goseawolves.org](http://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

### **2. Stony Brook Opera presents Cavalli's Eliogabalo**

On Friday, April 9, 2010 at 8 pm, and Sunday, April 11 at 2 pm, Stony Brook Opera will present the New York premiere of Stony Brook faculty member Mauro Calcagno's edition of Pier Francesco Cavalli's opera Eliogabalo (1667) at the Recital Hall. The production is a collaboration between Stony Brook Opera and the Stony Brook Baroque Players, who will perform on period instruments. David Lawton conducts, and the show is directed by Jennifer Griesbach with costumes by Sidney Shannon and lighting by Jeanette Yew. Tickets \$20 general, \$10 students and seniors at the Staller Center box office. Pre-opera lectures one hour before each performance.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/opera/index.shtml>

Submitted by: David Lawton/CAS

### **3. Film: Autumn Gem - The True Story of China's First Feminist**

Autumn Gem is about the life of the Chinese revolutionary heroine and women's rights activist Qiu Jin. During the reign of the last dynasty in China, Qiu Jin challenged traditional gender roles and demanded equal rights and opportunities for women. An introduction on the making of the

film and historical background will be given by producer Rae Chang.  
Thursday, April 8, 4:00 pm, Wang Theater, Free admission

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

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

#### **4. Free Performance**

Please join us for a diversity awareness event on April 15th in the SAC Auditorium at noon. A wonderful dance group of people with disabilities will be performing, and it is free to attendees.

<http://studentaffairs.stonybrook.edu/res/images/gimp.jpg>

Submitted by: Berengaria Brine/UHMC

#### **5. A Spring evening with Canadian singer-songwriter Lynn Miles at The University Cafe, Sunday, April 25th at 7 P.M.**

Lynn Miles, one of Canada's outstanding recording and performing artists and a Juno Award-winning artist, will be performing at The University Cafe in a special Sunday evening concert on April 25th at 7 P.M.

Miles delivers finely-crafted songs with strong, unique lyrics matched by one of the best voices on the music scene today accompanied by an innovative guitar style.

According to the Gavin Report, "if there is any justice left in the music business, Miles will be a star. Lynn is a talented writer and singer whose songs are filled with emotion and filled with rootsy, pop-edged stories that are radio-ready." ([www.lynnmilesmusic.com](http://www.lynnmilesmusic.com))

Advance sale at \$20.00 at [www.universitycafe.org](http://www.universitycafe.org) until Wednesday April 21st. Tickets at the door: \$25.00

Information inquiries to [SundayStreetWUSB@aol.com](mailto:SundayStreetWUSB@aol.com) or 631-632-1093

Coming to The University Cafe Sunday June 6th 7 P.M. - The Legendary Tom Russell

<http://universitycafe.org>

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

#### **6. Join this summer's Study Abroad India program**

Interested in studying in India this summer and earning up to 12 credits, then please contact the Center for India Studies, Melville Library, Rm E5350, email: [james.pearce@stonybrook.edu](mailto:james.pearce@stonybrook.edu) or tel 631-632 9742, for further information or an application form. Please note the application deadline date is April 15th. There will be an information session at the Center for India Studies on Wednesday 4/7/10 between 1-2:00pm. Lunch will be provided.

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/CAS/india.nsf/pages/abroad>

Submitted by: James Pearce/CAS

### **7. Campus Recreation Annual Golf Tournament - Friday, May 7, 2010 @ 12pm.**

The Department of Campus Recreation will be holding its' Annual Golf Tournament on Friday, May 7th at the Heatherwood Golf Club in South Setauket. The tournament will begin at 12:00pm with a shotgun start. The tournament format is best ball, with team low gross, longest drive and closest to pin awards given out.

The tournament is open to all students, faculty/staff, alumni & community members. Cost, which includes green fees, carts, shotgun start and lunch, will be \$80.00 per person for faculty/staff, graduate students, alumni & community and \$65.00 per person for undergraduate students. The registration deadline is Monday, April 26,2010.

Visit our website at: <http://studentaffairs.stonybrook.edu/rec/> to download the registration form. For more information, please call 632-4145

<http://studentaffairs.stonybrook.edu/rec/>

Submitted by: Marie Turchiano/Pres

### **8. Earthstock 2010 events**

The festivities at Stony Brook Southampton begin the week of April 19: On Monday the film End of the Line, screens at 6:00 pm in Duke Lecture Hall. On Tuesday, a planting at the Childrens School runs from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Wednesday features a Green Job Fair at the Student Center from 1:00 to 2:00 pm. The film Earth screens at 8:30 pm in the Tree House Lounge. On Thursday, students can attend the Green Formal from 8:00 pm to 11:00 pm or the Tap vs. Bottled Water Challenge at the Student Center. On Friday, the panel discussion Copenhagen Accord Mitigation-in the Context of Sustainable Development, takes place at 7:30 pm at the Avram Theater. On Saturday, a windmill planting is scheduled from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm followed by an African Conservation Lecture at the Avram Theater at 7:00 pm.

The Earthstock Festival will feature more than 100 educational displays and exhibits on Friday, April 23 on the Academic Mall. Other highlights that day include live music by Peat Moss and the Fertilizers on the main stage from 11:30 am to 3:30 pm, a lecture from keynote speaker, author and Stony Brook adjunct professor Carl Safina titled In the Same Net; Ocean Life, Ethics, and the Human Spirit, at the Charles B. Wang Center, and a performance by Jack's Waterfall 9 pm at the University Cafe.

For more information, visit [www.stonybrook.edu/earthstock](http://www.stonybrook.edu/earthstock)

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

Submitted by: Karen Keeley/UAff

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

## **1. Advanced Topics in Microsoft Excel**

NCE 314.1 - 4 Sessions - Fee: \$229

This special topics course covers graphing and covers multiple file management, linking, consolidating, auto-filter, pivot tables and macros.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Introduction to Microsoft Excel or similar experience.

Note: In order to save their work, all 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. Students must bring textbook to their first class meeting.

Section A: Tuesdays, 6-9pm; April 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2010

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

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **2. 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.

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **3. Interconnecting CISCO Network Devices Part 1 (ICND1) v1.0**

NCE 450.1 \* 8 sessions \* \$980

The course focuses on providing the skills and knowledge necessary to install, operate, and troubleshoot a small branch office Enterprise network, including configuring a switch, a router, and connecting to a WAN and implementing network security. A student should be able to complete configuration and implementation of a small branch office network under supervision.

This course prepares the student for Cisco Exam 640-822 which is part 1 of achieving your Cisco CCNA Certification.

Required Text (Not included in cost of course): Interconnecting Cisco Network Devices, Part 1

(ICND1): CCNA Exam 640-802 and ICND1 Exam 640-822, 2nd Edition by Stephen McQuerry  
Schedule: Thursdays, 6-9:30pm; April 15, 22 & 29; May 6, 13, 20, 27 & June 3, 2010

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

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## **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](mailto:fred.friedberg@stonybrook.edu)

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

### **2. 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

### **3. Research Faculty and Professors: Stony Brook University Seed Grants for Survey Research Competition**

We announce the fourth Seed Grants for Survey Research (SGSR) competition. This program is designed to help faculty better position themselves to apply for and receive extramural funding for research designed to collect original survey research data. Recipients of SGSR awards are expected to use the data collected from the seed grant program to actively submit proposals to extramural sponsors for added funding to conduct more extensive survey research. Tenured, Tenure-Track, and Research faculty members including Assistant Professors, Associate Professors and Full Professors, and Assistant, Associate or Full Research Professors may apply. Proposals can be a collaborative effort among several faculty members. Four awards of up to \$10,000 each will be allocated in 2010. The Application Deadline is April 23, 2010; awards announced towards the end of May, 2010. For more information please see our website <http://www.sunysb.edu/surveys>.

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Submitted by: Carol Davies/CAS

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## **11. Miscellaneous**

### **1. Campus Child Care Available**

Stony Brook Child Care is now accepting applications for children 2 months through 5 years old. NAEYC accredited Center with caring, professional early childhood teachers, low child-to-teacher ratio, and sliding fee scale. Call 632-6930 for more information and to arrange a tour. Visit our website at [www.sunysb.edu/childcare](http://www.sunysb.edu/childcare).

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### **2. Acer Netbook \$299.99**

Acer Aspire One 532h netbook is now available at Seawolves MarketPlace and [shopsbu.com](http://shopsbu.com) for \$299.99.

Technical Specifications:

1.66GHz Intel Atom N450 processor

1GB 800MHz DDR2 SDRAM

160GB Hard Drive

10.1" WSVGA display

Windows 7 Starter

Fast Ethernet and Wi-Fi

Available in Silver, Red, or Blue

<http://shopsb.fsa.sunysb.edu/index.php?productID=942>

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