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## **01. Administrative (dept moves/closes, employee info, Admin announcements)**

### **1. Citizenship Celebration**

President Kenny invites the campus community to welcome new citizens as they take the Oath of Allegiance and honors those members of the Stony Brook community who recently became American citizens. Tuesday, October 25, 2005 - 10:00 a.m.- Charles B. Wang Center Theatre and Lecture Halls. R.S.V.P. to (631) 632-6320.

Submitted by: Christine Quinn/Pres

### **2. Civil Service Employees**

ATTENTION CSEA MEMBERS: Mark your calendar! There will be a union members meeting on November 3, 2005 from 11:30am to 1:30pm at the Student Activities Center, Ballroom A (west campus). Many prizes to be raffled off. Refreshments to be served. Call 2-6575 for information.

Submitted by: Louise Melious/Admin

### **3. Arts & Sciences Senate**

The Arts & Sciences Senate will meet on Monday October 17 at 3:30 PM in the Javits Room of the Melville Library.

Among the items for discussion will be the Academic Bill of Rights and our response to it. All members of the Arts and Sciences Senate constituency are welcome to attend.

Submitted by: Frederick Walter/CAS

### **4. Employee Benefit Information Fair**

Today is the day! Join us in the Wang Center Lobby from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. for a day of information, giveaways and raffles. Representatives from health insurance plans, retirement plans, union benefits, Social Security Administration, EAP and health and wellness programs will be available to answer your questions. We look forward to seeing all State and Research Foundation employees at the fair!

Submitted by: Skeyv Giannitsas/Admin

## **5. International Travel Policy**

This is a reminder that all students who travel abroad on University programs are required to complete all International Travel Policy (ITP) forms. Faculty traveling abroad with students on University programs are required to complete the two-page itinerary form. Faculty or staff traveling abroad on University business are strongly advised to complete all of the forms as well. They can be found on the International Academic Programs (IAP) website at [www.stonybrook.edu/iap](http://www.stonybrook.edu/iap).

Permission is not required for student travel unless the country in question is on the State Department Travel Warning list which can be found at

<http://travel.state.gov/travel/warnings.html>.

All completed forms, questions, e-mails, or comments regarding the ITP should be sent to Jennifer Schlitz, E5320 Melville Library, Z=3390 or [Jennifer.Schlitz@stonybrook.edu](mailto:Jennifer.Schlitz@stonybrook.edu).

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

Submitted by: Jennifer Schlitz/Prov

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## **02. Hosp/HSC Admin Announcements**

### **1. October is National Physical Therapy Month**

The Department of Physical Therapy will be hosting an informational table from 11:00-2:00 outside the HSC cafeteria on Oct. 20 and at the Tech Park cafeteria on Oct.27; topics will include: "Work Site Fitness", "Staying Fit after 50", Therapeutic Yoga, and information related to clinical diagnoses and departmental programs. In addition the department will be having a fund raiser for the Multiple Sclerosis Society. A 2006 calendar highlighting women over 50 practicing yoga will be available for a donation. All proceeds will go to the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

For further information please contact Cathy Tuppo at 444-2620 or [ctuppo@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:ctuppo@notes.cc.sunysb.edu)

Submitted by: Catherine Tuppo/UHMC

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## **03. Workshops/Courses/Training (work related; HR, EAP, DoIT, etc...)**

### **1. Interpreting University Financial Reports**

This workshop is a hands-on session reviewing the SUNY On-line system and your monthly state accounting reports (AES). Includes review and flow of data and how to compare this data between the "on-line real time" SUNY system and the AES reports.

Target Audience: Personnel responsible for the financial management of their department's

accounts

Date: October 19th, Time: 9:00 - 12:00, Place: ECC Training Room

To Register: email registration form to Pat Lore (plore@notes.cc.sunysb.edu).

Submitted by: Patricia Lore/Admin

## **2. Use Blackboard's Gradebook to post Student's Grades!**

A few weeks ago the registrar's office sent out notification to all faculty/staff regarding FERPA. If you use Blackboard's Gradebook, you are not violating FERPA.

Instructional Computing will be offering the following workshops for Faculty & Graduate TA's who are interested in learning more about this tool.

Monday 10/17/05, 12-1pm

Tuesday 10/18/05, 1-2pm

Thursday 10/20/05, 12:30-1:30pm

Monday 10/24/05, 1-2pm

Tuesday 10/25/05, 12:30-1:30pm

Thursday 10/27/05, 2-3pm

For more information & to register, please visit:

<http://www.sinc.stonybrook.edu/blackboard/workshops.htm>

Workshops with fewer than 5 people registered will be cancelled!

If you are interested but are unable to attend, please let us know what days/times work best for you.

If your department is interested in scheduling a private workshop for faculty and/or Graduate TA's, arrangements can be made as well, please contact us at: [bboard@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:bboard@notes.cc.sunysb.edu)

<http://www.ic.sunysb.edu/blackboard/gradebook.htm>

Submitted by: Blackboard Support Team

## **3. Lawson Training**

Lawson Training to be held on 10/27/05 from 10am - 1pm, in the IT Training Room, (HSB-Library Computer Classroom - Room 3-133A) "For All Employees", to attend this class, please contact Michele Thomas, Lawson Support Specialist, ext. 4-7805. there will be 2 parts covered in this class, one is for ordering from the Storeroom within the hospital, and the other is ordering from a outside Vendor. I suggest that all employees that will be placing orders, who is either new to Stony Brook or just need a refresher course attend this class.

Submitted by: Michele Thomas/UHMC

## **4. Management Resource Tool Training**

Are you responsible for overseeing your area's STATE and IFR financial information? If so, you would be a perfect candidate to use the SUNY Management Resource Tool (SMRT) web-based application. Learn how to manage your SUNY accounts with this integrated tool that generates

account balance, month end, purchase order, payroll summary, and transaction detail reports.  
Target Audience: New users of SMRT Application  
Date: October 26th, Time: 9:00-11:00, Place: ECC Training Room  
To Register: email a registration form to Pat Lore (plore@notes.cc.sunysb.edu).

Submitted by: Patricia Lore/Admin

## **5. Managing IFR Accounts**

This workshop is intended to assist IFR account managers in efficiently budgeting for and managing their IFR programs. The campus budgeting system and the SUNY WEB will be discussed and current available reports and the "on-line real time" SUNY system will be reviewed.

Target Audience: Personnel responsible for the financial management of their department's IFR accounts.

Date: October 27th, Time: 9:00-12:00, Place: ECC Training Room  
To Register: email registration form to Pat Lore (plore@notes.cc.sunysb.edu).

Submitted by: Patricia Lore/Admin

## **6. Getting Started with TIAA-CREF**

The sooner you start to prepare for your retirement, the better off you'll be when you get there. Come find out how TIAA-CREF can be your partner in building your financial future.

Topics will include:

- Taking advantage of retirement plans
- Helpful savings strategies and products
- Developing an investment strategy
- Strategies for multiple financial goals
- The benefits of early planning and tax-deferred savings

Target Audience: Geared towards new entrants or employees who have not signed up with TIAA-CREF for retirement products and services. Lunch will be provided.

Date: October 28th, Time: 12:00-1:15,  
Place: Student Activities Center, Room 308  
To Register: email registration form to Pat Lore (plore@notes.cc.suny.edu).

Submitted by: Patricia Lore/Admin

## **7. HRS-RF Appointments/Payroll/Time and Attendance/Employee Verification and Records**

This program will cover the following:

- Appointment Packages
- Forms
- Time and Attendance
- File Components

- Retention Guidelines

Verification

Date: October 24th, Time: 9:30-11:30,

Place: Administration Bldg., Room 192

To Register: email registration form to Pat Lore (plore@notes.cc.sunysb.edu).

Submitted by: Patricia Lore/Admin

**8. 10/20 Free SBDC "E-Bay and E-Commerce" Workshop, L.I. Bus. and Tech. Ctr., Great River, 9:00-11:00A.M. call 29140 to register.**

Learn about E-Bay and how to sell products and services using the internet. Capitalize on the Internet from setting up and marketing your website, to using the Internet as a business tool.

When used properly, the Internet can increase sales, improve vendor and customer relations, and allow you to compete with the "big" guys.

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

Submitted by: Ann Garbarino/CEAS

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## **04. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures**

### **1. Topics in Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences Seminar, October 19th**

Professor Susanna Bauer from the NASA Goddard Institute for Space Studies (GISS) will present a seminar entitled, "The Effect of Internally Versus Externally Mixed Aerosols on Aerosol Chemical Composition and Climate Forcing: An Investigation with the GISS Climate Model," on Wednesday, October 19. The one-hour seminar begins at 11:45 a.m. at the Marine Sciences Research Center, South Campus, Endeavour Hall 120. Light refreshments will be served. For additional information, please contact the Institute for Terrestrial and Planetary Atmospheres at 632-8009.

<http://atmos.msrc.sunysb.edu>

Submitted by: Gina Gartin/MSRC

### **2. Research Seminar-New Faculty Reception**

The Office of the Vice President for Research will be hosting an informational seminar, including lunch, on Wednesday, November 2, 12:30-2 pm in the Wang Center. This seminar is open to all faculty interested in learning about the resources and policies/procedures available to conduct Research at Stony Brook University. Colleagues from Research Resources, Economic Development, Sponsored Programs, Grants Management, Multidisciplinary and Interdisciplinary Research, Compliance and Technology Licensing & Industry Relations will be discussing the



Research Grant process from start to finish. Please RSVP to Christine Davide at 632-9942 with your name, department and phone number or email Christine.Davide@StonyBrook.edu We invite you to browse our re-designed OVRP website at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/research/index.html>

Submitted by: Christine Davide/Res

### **3. Oceans and Atmosphere Colloquium, October 21, 2005**

Dr. Keith Cooper from Rutgers University, will present a seminar entitled, "Altered reproduction success in aquatic organisms exposed to persistent organic contamination" at 12 noon on October 21, 2005. The seminar will take place at the Marine Sciences Research Center, in the Endeavour Hall 120. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, please call 631-632-8781.

<http://www.msrb.sunysb.edu/news.oac.html>

Submitted by: Katerina Panagiotakopoulou/MSRC

### **4. 11th Annual Perinatal & Pediatric Bereavement Conference**

Mark your calendars: Friday January 20, 2006 for the 11th Annual Perinatal & Pediatric Bereavement Conference. Our keynote speaker, Dr. Kenneth Doka, will speak on disenfranchised grief- recognizing hidden sorrow. For more information, please call (631) 444-3783

Submitted by: Kathleen Southerton/UHMC

### **5. Neurobiology and Behavior Seminar, Thursday, October 20th, 2005**

On Thursday, October 20th, at 12 Noon in Room 038 of the Life Sciences Building, the Department of Neurobiology and Behavior will host a Seminar given by Ajay Chitnis, Ph.D. of NICHD, NIH. The title of the Seminar is: "Patterning Neurogenesis in the Zebrafish Embryo."

Submitted by: Kathleen Delaney/CAS

### **6. President's Lecture Series Presents Author Tim O'Brien this Thursday**

Please join us on Thursday, October 20 at 4:00 p.m. in the Student Activities Center Auditorium for the Fall 2005 President's Lecture Series featuring Tim O'Brien, author of the critically acclaimed novel, *The Things They Carried*. O'Brien is widely considered the pre-eminent novelist of the Vietnam War. A Purple Heart awardee, O'Brien will address his personal experiences, his reporting, and his writing in this stimulating presentation. He will sign copies of his latest book immediately following the lecture.

Bus transportation from East Campus will be provided. Call 632-6320 to reserve a seat.

<http://ws.cc.stonybrook.edu/sb/preslecture>

Submitted by: Shelley Catalano/UAff

### **7. Career Women's Luncheon - Thursday, November 3 at 12 Noon**

The Employee Activities Council would like to invite you to our Career Women's Luncheon on Thursday, November 3, at 12:00 noon, in the Student Union Ballroom. We are honored to have Craig Lehmann, Ph.D., Professor and Dean of The School of Health Technology & Management, as our speaker. The title of his presentation is "Telehealth: health care from your home." The presentation will introduce the latest telehealth technology by demonstration. Telehealth is the use of electronic information and telecommunications technologies to support long-distance clinical healthcare, patient and professional health-related education, public health, and health administration.

Please bring your payment of \$8.50 to any of the people listed below before October 28: (make checks payable to Chartwells)

Judy Friedlander, Admin. 2-6105; Alba Beltran, Library 2-6024; Pat Miller, Library 2-6010; Lucille Meci, Math 2-8260; Betty Ahner, HSC 4-3423, Augusta Kuhn, Staller Ctr 2-7280; Ann Joachim, Dental School 2-8930

Submitted by: Augusta Kuhn/CAS

### **8. Biochemistry & Cell Biology Seminar**

On Thursday October 20, 2005, Dr, Nancy Hollingworth, Distinguished Professor in Biochemistry & Cell Biology will present a Graduate Student seminar entitled, "Meiotic Recombination is Regulated by Multiple Phosphorylation Events".

It will be held in room 038, Life Sciences Building at 4:00 p.m. All Graduate Students Are Invited to Attend. If you have any questions, please call 2/8550. Refreshments will be served.

Submitted by: Faiqa Mirzai/CAS

### **9. Lasik & Refractive Surgery Seminar**

Are you interested in LASIK?

Stony Brook Ophthalmology is pleased to announce a LASIK SEMINAR.

Where: Tech Park, 33 Research Way

When: Tuesday, October 25 - 6PM

RSVP: 4-4996

Come and learn about LASIK and other refractive surgery options!

Submitted by: Marc Dinowitz/UHMC

### **10. 2005 Mid- Atlantic American Society for Engineering Education Conference**

Scheduled Speakers: Richard Gambino (1995 Presidential Metal of Technology Awardee), Dr. Sheldon Weinig (Former Vice Chairman, SONY USA), Dr. Mary Lynn Realff (National Science

Foundation); and Deans, Directors, Administrators, Faculty, and Students from Mid- Atlantic Colleges and Universities

Attendance is free for the Stony Brook Community

Limited to 150 attendees so Please Register in Advance!

Contact: hwhite@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

<http://mpg.matscieng.sunysb.edu/asee>

Submitted by: Henry White/CEAS

### **11. CEAS Dean's Distinguished Lecture University and Federal Funding - Up Close and Personal**

Craig S. Hartley, Ph.D., P.E. Emeritus Program Manager, AFOSR, Former Program Manager, NSF, Former Program Manager, DOE

Seminar Coordinator, Fu-pen Chiang, Chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering.

Wednesday, October 19, 2005 11:00AM room 301 Old Engineering

<http://me.eng.sunysb.edu>

Submitted by: Ann Berrios/CEAS

### **12. For Medical Professionals**

Free health lecture series for Health Care Professionals on "The New Science of Glyconutrients - SUGARS THAT HEAL." Join Guest Speakers James Vitale, L.Ac, Licensed Acupuncture and Dr. Nasir Shaikh, M.D., Nutritional Medicine on Thursday, October 27th 2005 at either 2:00pm or 7:00pm at the Huntington Country Inn 270 West Jericho Tpke, Huntington, NY 11746. Please call Ralph at 631-235-0742 to make your reservation, seating is limited. Hear the latest nobel prize winning research and many "medically impossible" recovery stories.

Submitted by: Ralph C. Stears Jr./Admin

### **13. Childhood Nutrition**

A Free Health Seminar entitled Childhood Nutrition - The New Phase will be presented on Sunday, October 23, 2005, 12 Noon Courtyard Marriot L.I MacArthur Airport, 5000 Express Drive South, Ronkonkoma, NY. 11779 Join Special Guest Speakers Dr. Nasir Shaikh, MD - Nutritional Medicine and Judith Deane, MS Special Ed & Learning Disabilities, for an informative discussion on topics such as a new hope for children who have physical and cognitive challenges, also beneficial in improving many ailments, including but not limited to ADD/ADHD, Allergies, Asthma, Dyslexia, Delayed Neurodevelopment, Depression, Impaired Immune Systems, OCD, ODD, PDD, Skeletal Abnormalities. This new phase of a new emerging technology is also beneficial for adults including with cancer therapy patients. Find out what the scientific world saying about all this. To make your reservation, call Ralph at 631-235-0742. Seating is limited.

Submitted by: Ralph C. Stears Jr./Admin

#### **14. Ecology & Evolution Seminars**

3:30p.m., Wednesday, October 19, 2005, Life Sciences Building, Room 038  
Dr. Sergei Nuzhdin, Section of Evolution and Ecology, University of California, Davis  
"VARIATION AND EVOLUTION OF GENETIC PATHWAYS" (also, informal talk on  
Transposable Element Community Evolution)

Host: Dr. Eanes

3:30p.m., Wednesday, October 26, 2005, Life Sciences Building, Room 038  
Dr. James H. Brown, Distinguished Professor of Biology, University of New Mexico  
L. Slobodkin Lecturer

"THE 'BIOLOGY' OF AN INTERDISCIPLINARY COLLABORATION: ONTOGENY,  
ANATOMY, PHYSIOLOGY"

Host: E & E Graduate Students

If you need a disability-related accommodation, please call: The Department of Ecology &  
Evolution at (631) 632-8600.

Submitted by: Donna Digiovanni/CAS

#### **15. Doctoral Defenses This Week**

Please click on the URL below to see this week's Doctoral Defenses.

<http://www.grad.sunysb.edu/ddd/weekly.shtml>

Submitted by: Fernando Cuenca/GST

#### **16. Special Seminar Lecture \*Please Note Date, Time & Location\***

12:00p.m., Tuesday, October 25, 2005, Student Activities Center, Room 302  
Dr. James H. Brown, Distinguished Professor of Biology, University of New Mexico  
L. Slobodkin Lecturer

"THE SCALE OF LIFE: MICROBES TO MONSTERS, MILLISECONDS TO MILLENNIA,  
MOLECULES TO ECOSYSTEMS"

Host: E & E Graduate Students

If you need a disability-related accommodation, please call: The Department of Ecology &  
Evolution at (631) 632-8600.

Submitted by: Donna Digiovanni/CAS

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

## **1. Caregivers' Practical Help Workshop**

The Alzheimer's Disease Assistance Center of LI is presenting a free educational workshop for family and professional caregivers of those with Alzheimer's disease and other related dementias. Topics include: Medical Overview of Dementia, Caregiving Issues, Managing Challenging Behaviors, Legal & Financial Planning. The workshop will be held on Thursday, November 10, 2005, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. HSC L2 LH1. Registration is required. To register or for more information call HealthConnect at 444-4000 or Darlene Jyringi at 444-1365.

Submitted by: Darlene Jyringi/UHMC

## **2. Department of Physiology and Biophysics Seminar**

Wednesday, October 19, 2005, at 12 noon

"Expression of the Fragile X Protein in Hippocampal Neurons in Slice Culture: An Old Dog Learns New Tricks"

Dr. William Benjamin, Department of Physiology and Biophysics, SUNY Stony Brook

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

Host: Dr. Peter Brink

Submitted by: Robin Green/UHMC

## **3. Graduate Program In Public Health: Public Health Grand Round Lecture**

Speaker: Dr. Wolde Ab Isaac

title: "Public Health in Developing Countries"

date: October 18, 2005

time: 5:30 - 6:30 pm

location: Health Sciences Center, level 3, room 067 (prev.med.)

Submitted by: Patricia Villa/UHMC

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## **06. Charitable (Habitat, Blood drives, Cats, etc...)**

### **1. Volunteers Needed for Special Olympics at SBU**

Attention Faculty/Staff/Students: Special Olympics Needs Your Help! Volunteers needed for the 20th Annual Fall Adapted Games To Take Place At Sony Brook University On October 23, 2005. For additional information and to find out how you can make someone smile contact Peg Abbatiello, Conferences & Special Events, tel. 26320; or contact Special Olympics directly at (631) 254-1465.

Submitted by: Margaret Abbatiello/Pres

## **2. Witness Project of LI hosts "2nd Annual Celebration & Awards Dinner" on Tuesday, October 25, 2005**

Come celebrate with the Witness Project of LI\* on Tuesday, October 25th, at the Hyatt Wind Watch Hotel in Hauppauge as we mark another year of community outreach and salute several "Men of Merit" who have helped us to achieve our goals. Enjoy a delicious dinner, and celebrate with a dance. A Journal is available for your congratulatory messages. Please request your Journal Ad Form now, and purchase your Dinner tickets by October 18th. Dinner Donation: \$50 Call 444-7789 or 444-9341 for more information, and to reserve your tickets.

\*The Witness Project of LI, a breast health and breast cancer awareness program for African American communities, is an outreach program of the LI Cancer Center, in collaboration with the Town of Babylon and community organizations.

Submitted by: Margaret Davis/UHMC

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## **07. Entertainment (Sports, Movies, Events, etc...)**

### **1. Ceiling Installation at University Art Gallery in Staller Center**

"Younhee Paik: Ascending River," a one-person exhibition of recent work by Korean-born painter Younhee Paik, is on exhibition at the University Art Gallery in the Staller Center through Saturday, October 22. To take advantage of the Gallery's 24-foot high ceiling, Paik is presenting a site-specific installation that includes nine draped canvases that cascade down from the ceiling. Floor paintings covered with plexiglass and the sound of ocean waves help immerse the viewer in Paik's meditative environment. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 12-4pm and Saturday, 7-9pm. Admission is free. For further information, please call the University Art Gallery at 632-7240.

Submitted by: Rhonda Cooper/CAS

### **2. Staller Center presents "Music on an Autumn Night" Thursday, October 20 and Martha Graham Dance Company, Saturday, October 22**

Recital Hall, Thursday, October 20th at 8:00 pm: Music on an Autumn Night with award-winning artists in residence from the Dept of Music. Program includes Mozart, Tchaikovsky and percussion pieces. Tickets: \$30. Staller Center Box Office, (631)632-ARTS or online at [stallercenter.com](http://www.stallercenter.com)

Main Stage, Saturday, October 22nd at 8:00 pm: Martha Graham Dance Company in its only New York appearance. Legendary masterworks. Tickets \$40. Staller Center Box Office, (631)632-ARTS or online at [stallercenter.com](http://www.stallercenter.com)

<http://www.stallercenter.com>

Submitted by: Julie Greene/CAS

### **3. Canadian Folk Musician Garnet Rogers to perform at The University Cafe on Sunday, November 6th at 2 P.M.**

The University Cafe continues its celebration of Canadian artists with a performance by Garnet Rogers on Sunday, November 6th at 2 P.M. This master Canadian musician began his career as the fiddle player in the band of his late brother, the legendary Stan Rogers. He has gone on to record ten solo CDs (last year's *Shining Thing* being his most recent) and is one of Canada's best known and most-acclaimed singer-songwriters. Garnet Rogers' performances are always memorable and his lyrics and melodies command your attention. He mixes beautifully-crafted love songs with powerful works of social commentary, brilliantly performed on a variety of guitars. His performances are always seasoned with his incredible humor and his quick wit. Admission is \$ 20.00, with a \$ 15.00 student ticket (with ID). Ticket information/reservations may be made by calling The University Cafe at 631-632-6027 or via e mail (gpalaia@notes.cc.sunysb.edu).

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

### **4. Japanese Horror Film: Chakushin Ari (One Missed Call)(2003)**

The Japan Center at Stony Brook presents Japanese Horror Film co-sponsored with the Charles B. Wang Center, Admission Free

October 18 (Tuesday) 7:00 p.m., Wang Theater

While at a bar, Yumi's friend Yoko's cell phone rings with a call oddly coming from itself. Upon checking the message (dated two days in advance at a specific time), they hear Yoko's voice followed by a scream and the sounds of her apparent death. Disregarded as a prank call at first, things begin to become serious when the death really occurs at the predicted time, and Yumi and her friends discover that whatever killed her is using her phonebook to choose its next victims. (Directed by Miike Takashi, 112 min.)

<http://http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/CAS/japanese.nsf/pages/news>

Submitted by: Etsuko Maruoka-Ng/GST

### **5. Music Department Upcoming Events**

October 2005

October 19, 8pm, Hardin Butcher, trumpet, Staller Center for the Arts Recital Hall

October 20, 8pm, Faculty Recital, Staller Center for the Arts Recital Hall

Tickets: \$30

Music of Mozart and Tchaikovsky featuring Colin Carr, Christina Dahl, Gil Kalish, Eduardo Leandro, Morelli, Katherine Murdock, William Purvis and Steven Taylor

October 25, 8pm, Contemporary Chamber Players, Staller Center for the Arts Recital Hall, Free Admission

Music of Music of Gerard Grisey

October 27, 8pm, Louella Alatiit, violin, Staller Center for the Arts Recital Hall

October 28, 8pm, Frieda Chan, Flute, 2nd Presbyterian Church, 6 West 96th Street and Central Park West, New York City, Free Admission  
Music of Bach, Gaubert, Messiaen, Martin and Mozart

Submitted by: Jessica Powell/GST

## **6. October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month Take a Stand - Walk With Me**

On October 26th, in the spirit of community, come join our faculty, staff, and student procession in support of victims of domestic violence "Take a Stand - Walk with Me". The walk will start at 12:50 at the Stony Brook Union and proceed across campus to Ballroom B in the Student Activities Center, where there will be speaker presentations, refreshments, and an information fair until 3:00 PM featuring various resources from our campus and the community. Walk with us to show your support, or just stop by Ballroom B on October 26th to see what you can do to take a stand against domestic violence.

Call the Wo/Men's Center at 632-9666 or EAP at 632-6085 for more information.

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

Submitted by: Linda Tatem/Pres

## **7. Faculty Chamber Music Concert of the SBU Pre-College and Community Music Programs**

The SBU Pre-College and Community Music Programs are pleased to announce an Evening of Chamber Music that will showcase our outstanding faculty, Friday, November 4 at 8pm in The Staller Center Recital hall. The concert will include music from the Baroque period through jazz and will also include choral singing by SBU Pre-College music students. Tickets may be reserved in advance or purchased at the door. \$10/\$5 for students and senior citizens. For information contact Laura Stevenson at 632-8520. All proceeds will go to the Program's Scholarship Fund.

Submitted by: Edith Auner/CAS

## **8. 2005 Wellness Expo**

2005 Wellness Expo, Wednesday, October 19, 2005, 11:00am - 2:00pm, SAC, Ballroom 'A'  
The Department of Campus Recreation will be hosting a Wellness Expo on Wednesday, October 19, 2005. This event will take place from 11:00am - 2:00pm in the Student Activities Center Ballroom A. Activities will include health screenings, fitness demonstrations, massage therapy, reflexology, reiki healing, interactive activities and information provided by Stony Brook University departments and local community businesses. This event is free and open to all faculty, staff, and Stony Brook students.

Submitted by: Allison Milano/OSA



**9. Second Center/Italian Studies Film Festival: Screenings on three consecutive Sundays: October 23; 30; November 13; Wang Center. Sunday, October 23**

The Second Annual Center for Italian Studies Film Festival Schedule:

Sunday, October 23: Film Screenings: 3 pm, "Catherine in the Big City". 5 pm, "After Midnight.  
Sunday, October 30: Film Screenings: 2 pm, "Once You're Born"; 6 pm, "But When Do the Girls Get Here"; 4 pm, Panel Discussion with film makers. Sunday, November 13: Film Screenings: 2 pm, "The Heart Elsewhere"; 4 pm, "Singing Behind the Screens"; 6 pm, "My Mother's Smile".

Location: Wang Center Theatre.

Free and open to the public. Call (631)632-7444 for reservations and more detailed program information. This event is offered with support from the Department of European Languages, Literatures,Cultures, the Suffolk County Film Commission, and the Town of Brookhaven.

Submitted by: Josephine Fusco/CAS

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**08. For-Pay Workshops/Courses (SPD, etc...)**

**1. Defensive Driving Course Begins Nov 9**

Save money on your car insurance. This six hour course is an Empire Safety Council Accident Prevention Workshop. Two Wednesdays, 11/09 and 11/16, 6pm - 9pm, Union 231. Pre-registration and payment necessary. Send two checks \$18/student or \$22/non-student (payable to SBU Crafts Center), and additional \$13 per person fee (payable to K. O'Brien) and mail to: The Stony Brook Union Crafts Center, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY 11794-3200. Please include your name, address, telephone and class selection. In person registration at The Crafts Center, lower level of the Union, room 049, call for hours. For more info/class brochure call The Crafts Center, Tel:632-6822.

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

**2. Professional Series-Fundamentals of Winetasting for Professionals**

Six Sessions: September 13, 20, & 27; October 11, 18, & 25

Location: Wang Center on the Main Campus of Stony Brook University

Join Cliff Batuello, viticulture and wine industry professional, and Chris Miller, advanced sommelier and wine educator, as they lead this intensive six-session course geared toward those wishing to begin a career in the wine and restaurant industries. Participants will be trained in sensory evaluation, learn about the world's most important wine regions, and taste a broad range of representative wines. Certification will be granted to those who successfully complete this course.

To Register: Call Ginny Clancy at (631) 632-9404.

Note: You must be 21 or over to participate in winetasting events. Space is limited, so please register early. Cost for series: \$395.00

<http://stonybrook.edu/winecenter>

Submitted by: Ginny Clancy/Pres

### **3. Wine Traditions Series- Building Family Traditions with Wine**

Thursday, October 27: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Join Long Island's prominent winemaker Charles Massoud of Paumanok Vineyards as he offers up the secrets to success in a family wine business along with tastes of his blockbuster wines.

Location: Wang Center on the Main Campus of Stony Brook University

Fee: Each class will offer 6-8 quality wines and will include light food pairings complementing the wines and region of origin. Classes are \$55.00 per person. "Bring a Friend" and the second person gets a discounted rate of \$45.00.

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Submitted by: Ginny Clancy/Pres

### **4. Advanced Excel: Module II - NCE 314.2 - 2 sessions - Fee: \$109**

This course, along with the other advanced Excel modules listed, focus on specific functions available in the program and is particularly useful for accountants and budget managers. This advanced topics course covers multiple file management, linking, consolidating, auto-filter, pivot table and macros. Prerequisite: Introduction to Microsoft Excel or equivalent experience

Section I: Mon., 9:00-12:00pm, Dec.5,12,2005

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

To register go to SPD Website Registration Form at

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

For questions call 632-7071

Submitted by: Frank Esposito/Prov

### **5. Defensive Driving Course for UUP Members and their immediate family members.**

A NYSUT sponsored Defensive Driving program is being offered on Tuesday and Thursday, November 15 and 17, 2005 in the Wang Center Room 201 from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM for all UUP members and their immediate family members. Attendance at both classes is required. Cost is \$25.00 per person. Checks should be made payable to "NYSUT Benefit Trust Fund" and delivered to the UUP office, 104 Old Chemistry, Z=3475. Office hours are Monday thru Friday, 9 am to 3 pm.

Participants are usually entitled to a 10% discount on their automotive insurance. Check with your provider. The certificate is good for three years of savings!

Contact Corinne Burns at Ext. 26570 or [cmburns@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:cmburns@notes.cc.sunysb.edu) for more information.

Submitted by: Corinne Burns/Affl

## **6. Qigong Classes**

Bring the mind, breath/energy and body into harmony and balance. Release excess mental, emotional and physical tension with our Qigong class on Tuesday evenings from 5:15pm - 6:15pm. Qigong is the Chinese system of health-nourishing exercises, which bring balance and vitality to the mind, breath/energy and body.

Sports Complex Studio

Instructor Kevin Ott is certified to teach Qigong through the Oregon College of Oriental Medicine.

For a free pass call the Wellness Center Office at 632-6850.

Sponsored by the Campus Recreation Wellness Center [www.recreation.sunysb.edu](http://www.recreation.sunysb.edu)

Submitted by: Allison Milano/OSA

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## **09. Research (Studies, Testing, etc...)**

### **1. Long Island Database Project - Volunteers Needed**

The Long Island Cancer Center is creating a database of blood samples and clinical information to help researchers better understand why some individuals develop breast and prostate cancer while others do not.

Women and men are eligible to participate if they were diagnosed with breast or prostate cancer OR have never been diagnosed with cancer, are 18 years of age or older, are a current Long Island resident and have lived on Long Island for at least 5 years.

For more information about the study, please call Pat Gramer at 444-7995 or 1-800-566-9667.

Submitted by: Erin O'Leary/UHMC

### **2. Are You Depressed? We Can Help!**

The Department of Psychology at Stony Brook University is conducting up to a 6 month clinical trial involving medication with all participants and the addition of psychotherapy with some.

Must be willing to travel up to two times a week for up to 3 months to the site and be available late afternoons/early evenings. If you have been feeling depressed (sad, down) most of the time for at least two years, you may be eligible to participate. All evaluations and treatments will be provided free of charge. If interested, please e-mail [PsychDRC@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:PsychDRC@notes.cc.sunysb.edu) with your name, numbers, and the best times to reach you or call 631-632-6381 with the same and we will get back to you as soon as we can. All information will be kept strictly confidential.

Submitted by: Laura Klein/CAS

### **3. fMRI and EEG Pilot Study**

Volunteers are needed to participate in a pilot functional MRI and EEG study for the Assessment of Brain Language Activation. The goal of the study is to collect preliminary data to understand how the brain in healthy people processes written language and pictures. Our ultimate goal is to use the fMRI and EEG technologies, in conjunction with standard clinical testing, to track the rehabilitation process in stroke patients and to verify the utility of certain drug therapies in enhancing language rehabilitation.

We are seeking right-handed, healthy individuals with no contraindications for MRI & EEG. The study will involve 1 hour for the EEG and about 45 minutes for the fMRI scan. Both components are completely non-invasive. No injections will be given. Eligible participants will be given fifty US Dollars as monetary compensation for participation in this study.

If interested, please contact Mark Wagshul, PhD at 4-9563, or [mwagshul@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:mwagshul@notes.cc.sunysb.edu).

Submitted by: Mark Wagshul/UHMC

### **4. University Marital Clinic offering Free Relationship Assessment**

Couples Wanted for Study of Relationships

Stony Brook University Marital Clinic

Over 20 years of Research and Service to the Community

Earn \$50 and receive FREE assessment of your relationship.

Call 631.632.7850 to see if you qualify

Submitted by: Heather Foran/GST

### **5. Earn Money In Psychology Studies On Traits, Coping, And Problem Solving**

Participate in an experiment involving filling out questionnaires and doing computer-based problem-solving tasks. If you are 18 years or older, you may be eligible to participate in this study.

To find out more, call 632-7811.

Submitted by: Anne Moyer/CAS

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## **10. Miscellaneous**

### **1. White Elephant Sale, Friday, October 21**

The University Hospital Auxiliary is holding a White Elephant Sale in the vendor area by the cafeteria/deli and escalators on Friday, October 21. Hope you can stop by and pick up some excellent bargains while benefiting patient care at the same time!

Submitted by: Patricia O'Brien/UHMC

## **2. Focus On Women On Diversity Submissions. Free Previously Published Journal Issues Are Available In The Women's Studies Office.**

Focus on Women, On Diversity gives members of the Stony Brook Campus an opportunity to speak out on contemporary social issues, and explore the diversity of their lives-lives shaped by ethnicity, sexual orientation, race, economics, age and religion. The journal includes essays, poetry, short stories, academic papers, paintings, drawings and photographs. Preference is given to works addressing feminist, multi-cultural and campus issues.

Free journals from previous years are available in the Women's Studies Office. Old Chemistry 105 where submissions may also be sent or dropped off. Mark them FOCUS.

Editors meet Mondays 4:00 to 5:00 pm.

Submitted by: Constance Koppelman/CAS

## **3. Career Fair**

Career Fair -Wednesday, October 19, 2005- Sports Complex, Arena 12pm-4pm. Full Time Jobs, Internships, and Graduate Schools. This event is for Stony Brook Students and all SUNY Students.

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

Submitted by: Karen Clemente/OSA

## **4. \* You Got Inkjets? Old Cell Phones and PDAs? \***

Recycle your empty Ink Jet cartridge, cell phone, and PDA.

Look for the "Got Inkjet" Free postage-paid envelope displays located throughout campus to easily recycle the above items.

Please contact Maria Maloney at 632-1287 and she will be happy to answer any questions you may have, or address your service needs, or provide you with new displays or envelopes.

**DID YOU KNOW?**

\* According to a recent study, people living in the U.S. will soon be getting rid of about 130 million mobile phones every year.

\* Every year, over 400 million cartridges, with a combined weight of 200 million pounds, are discarded into our nation's landfills.

\* If every used cartridge was recovered for remanufacturing, we could conserve more than 283 million gallons of oil.

This message brought to you by the Department of Recycling/Resource Management.

Thank you.

Submitted by: Michael Youdelman/Admin