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

1. Enrollment & Retention Management has moved

Enrollment & Retention Management has moved to 440 Administration Building, z:1919 as of May 26, 2005. Please make sure that all correspondences are sent to our new address. Our telephone numbers and fax have remained the same.

Submitted by: Italia Mazzullo/Prov

2. Diversity and Affirmative Action has relocated!

Effective Monday, May 16, 2005, the office of Diversity and Affirmative Action has relocated to Administration Building Room 201. This is across the hall from our former location of 294 Administration Building. Our phone number has remained 2-6280 and our zip is still z=0251. Please visit us at our new location.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/diversity

Submitted by: Jean Johnston/Pres

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

1. Leadership: Would I Follow Me?

If you could be on the receiving end of your own leadership style, how do you think you'd answer the question: Would I follow me? Most people in leadership positions are unaware of how the people they lead really see them. But how a leader is perceived is crucial to the productivity of any group. This instructor-led, video-based session demonstrates one leader's

behavior and the results in two different situations: first as a newly appointed leader, and then five years later after. Participants will learn effective leadership behaviors and appreciate the impact those behaviors have on the success of their work group.

Date: June 7th - Time: 9:30 am-12:00 pm - Place: Admin Bldg. Rm 192

To Register: email registration form (found on HRS website) to Pat Lore or call 2-4501

Submitted by: Patricia Lore/Admin

2. EAP Lunchtime Learning Breaking the Ice, How to Talk to Anyone, Anytime, Anyplace

Fran Greene, A.C.S.W., a well-known communication and relationship expert, will discuss the art of meeting people for fun, friendship, adventure, or romance. She also gives tips on how to make a fabulous first impression while radiating poise and confidence. Her expertise is on such topics as social and relationship skills, assertiveness, communication, and dating. She has taught at Cornell University, Adelphi and Suffolk Community College. Fran has appeared on such TV programs as The Today Show, Dateline NBC and News 12. She also has been featured in The New York Times, Newsday and Self Magazine.

Date: June 9, 2005, 12:00-1:00 p.m., Charles B. Wang Center, Room 201 To register call EAP at 632-6085.

Please feel free to bring your lunch.

http://www.sunysb.edu/eap

Submitted by: Linda Tatem/Pres

3. Managing Multiple Priorities

Learn how to make the most effective use of your time, meet deadlines and manage multiple priorities by taking an action-oriented approach.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

- Set goals, prioritize tasks and plan for each day
- Identify inefficient uses of time and ways to improve or eliminate them
- Work "smarter" to reduce stress and increase productivity

This is an introductory workshop

Date: June 8th - Time: 9:30am-12:30pm - Place: Admin. Bldg., Rm 192

To Register: email registration form (found on HR website) to Pat Lore or call 2-4501

Submitted by: Patricia Lore/Admin

4. Free SBDC Workshop "Business Basics & Writing a Business Plan", Sat. 6/4/05, Harriman Hall, Rm 304 SBU, 9:30am-11:30am

If you are considering starting a business, but are unsure about how to get started, then this workshop is for you. There is no fee for this workshop but registration is required. To register, please call Ann at 29140.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/smallbusiness

Submitted by: Ann Garbarino/CEAS

5. Free SBDC "Business Solutions Roundtable" Thurs. 6/2/05, Harriman Hall Rm 304, Sbu 8:30Am - 10:30Am

Learn how other business owners have solved their issues. Would you like help with -the best software solutions for your business/how can you get the most 'bang for your buck" from your marketing budget/getting and keeping quality employees. Come with your problems and leave with your solutions. This is your Business Solutions group.

To register, call Ann at 29140

http://www.stonybrook.edu/smallbusiness

Submitted by: Ann Garbarino/CEAS

04. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Doctoral Defenses this week

Please click on the URL below to see this week's Doctoral Defences http://www.grad.sunysb.edu/ddd/weekly.html

Submitted by: Yordanos Beyene/GST

05. Hosp/HSC Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Biochemistry and Cell Biology Seminar: Thursday, June 2nd

You are cordially invited to attend a seminar presented by Dr. Eugene Nester, University of Washington, entitled, "Agrobacterium Mediated Transformation of Plants: Involvement of Chromosomal Genes". It will be held on Thursday, June 2nd at 4:00pm in room 038, Life Sciences Building. Refreshments will be served at 3:45pm.

The Host is Dr. Vitaly Citovsky, 2/9534.

Submitted by: Diane Rodriguez/CAS

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

1. National Cancer Survivor Day - Carousel of Life

SBUH is proud to host CAROUSEL of LIFE, as we celebrate National Cancer Survivor Day. All survivors and their guests are invited to join us on Sunday, June 5, 2005 at Ward Melville High School for this exciting event. There will be entertainment, food, games, prizes, a chance to share some quality time with your family and medical staff in an informal, festive setting. Registration is required. There is no charge for this celebration. 444-4000 or 444-2693. Any staff members who would like to volunteer for this event, contact Linda Bily at 444-1386.

Submitted by: Victoria Irwin/UHMC

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

1. Benefit for Endowed Chair in Italian American Studies: Cristina Fontanelli Concert, Friday, June 3, 7:30 p.m. Student Activities Center.

The Center for Italian Studies proudly presents Soprano, Cristina Fontanelli in Concert, Friday, June 3, 7:30 p.m., Student Activities Center Auditorium. Tickets: \$35 per person may be obtained by calling 631-632-7444. Cristina Fontanelli has appeared with opera companies throughout the United States and abroad. She has performed at the White House, Lincoln Center, and has been a guest artist with the Boston Pops, St. Louis Philharmonic, Palm Beach Opera, and many more. Join us as she shares the music of her Italian heritage in this special performance. This concert is co-sponored by UNICO National and the Order of Sons of Italy in America. Call (631) 632-7444 for additional information.

Submitted by: Josephine Fusco/CAS

2. 2005 Stony Brook Girls Soccer Camp

The Stony Brook Women's Soccer Staff is running 2 soccer camps this summer. The first camp is for players in grades 9 - 12 and will run the week of June 27th - June 30th from 9:00am to 3:00pm. This camp is designed specifically for club and high school players who are searching to take their game to the next level.

The second camp is designed for players between the ages of 7 - 13 the week of July 25th - 29th. The camp will run from 9:00am to 3:30pm. We do offer both team and individual training sessions for players who have a strong commitment to improve. If you are interested in either camp and would like additional information and a brochure, please contact Megan Mills at 632-3286 or by email megan.mills@stonybrook.edu.

Submitted by: Megan Mills/Pres

3. Summer Football Camps

Sam Kornhauser, the Stony Brook University Head Football Coach is running two exciting

summer camps here on the Stony Brook University campus. The Non-Contact Youth Football Camp will be held June 27th thru July 1st 9am-4pm. Camp tuition is \$285 for the week. The Contact (you must provide your own equipment) All-American Youth Football Camp will be held July 18th thru 22nd 9am-4pm. Camp tuition is \$335. Both camps are for boys ages 7-15. For more information or a brochure please contact Sam Kornhauser at 632-7198 or by email at skornhauser@notes.cc.sunysb.edu or contact Elise Gasparini at 632-4670 or by email at egasparini@notes.cc.sunysb.edu.

Submitted by: Elise Gasparini/Pres

4. Weekend Summer Football Camps

Paul McGonagle, the Stony Brook University Offensive Coordinator, is running two exciting weekend summer camps here on the Stony Brook University campus. The Air Raid Camp will be held July 23rd and 24th. Camp tuition is only \$200 for the weekend. The OL DL Camp will be held June 25th and 26th. Camp tuition is only \$200. Both camps are for boys entering grades 7-12. For more information or a brochure please contact Paul McGonagle at 632-7424 or by email at pmcgonagle@notes.cc.sunysb.edu.

Submitted by: Elise Gasparini/Pres

5. Summer Lacrosse Camp

Lars Tiffany, the Stony Brook University Head Men's Lacrosse Coach, is running a summer Lacrosse camp here on campus for boys aged 9-17. The dates are July 6th to July 10th. Overnight (resident) campers and day campers are accepted. Cost for the overnight camp \$595. Cost for the day camp \$495. For more information please go to www.stonybrooklacrossecamps.com or contact Lars Tiffany at 632-7219 or at Lars.Tiffany@stonybrook.edu.

Submitted by: Elise Gasparini/Pres

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

1. Summer Sessions 2005

Classes begin on Tuesday, May 31st for Summer Session I and Extended Session.

There is still time to enroll!!

You can earn six college credits or more in six short weeks. Eligible students can earn up to 9 credits in 6 weeks -- or up to 18 credits total -- during Summer Sessions 2005 at Stony Brook University.

Enroll now for these sessions: Session I: May 31 - July 8, Session II: July 11 - August 19,

Extended Session: May 31 - July 22

Online Graduate Courses: May 31 - August 1

Please visit the Stony Brook Summer Sessions web site for additional information and course listings: http://www.stonybrook.edu/summer/

We look forward to seeing you during the Summer Session at Stony Brook University.

http://sunysb.edu/summer/

Submitted by: Diane Baldwin-Bello/Prov

2. Summer Programs in Arts & Leisure

The Stony Brook Union Crafts Center offers a variety of summer classes for your enjoyment. These are adult, non-credit courses and are open to everyone at the University and in the community. To receive a copy of our summer schedule call the Crafts Center at 632-6822, or stop by the office located in the lower level of the Student Union room 049. Registration is limited so register early by mail. Summer class offerings include a variety of ceramics and photography classes, watercolor painting, pastels, Bartending and Defensive Driving.

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

3. 4 Dance

4 sessions of children's creative movement workshops. Fridays, June 3, 10, 17, and 24 from 4:30-6pm, at the DanceSpace, 104/114 Nassau Hall, South Campus, SUNY-StonyBrook. Children ages 5-12 are welcomed. Cost is \$80 for all 4 sessions. Taught by Amy Yopp Sullivan, Associate Professor in Dance and Director of the DanceSpace. For more information, contact her at 632-7392

Submitted by: Amy Yopp Sullivan/CAS

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. Free Couples Therapy!

Dr. Daniel O'Leary and Ms. Shiri Cohen from the University Marital Clinic are looking for depressed women and their husbands/partners to participate in a study on couples treatment for depression for the months of May through July. Eligible couples will receive a free, 5-week couples treatment to help both partners learn more about depression and ways to cope with the stress they may be facing. Please contact Ms. Shiri Cohen at (631)632-7850 for more information about this study. This is a non-profit research project funded by the National Institute of Mental Health.

Submitted by: Shiri Cohen/GST

3. Seeking Volunteers Men And Women 18 Years Of Age And Older With A Diagnosis Of HIV+ And/Or AIDS

We are researching the effectiveness of chromium picolinate (a dietary supplement) in the treatment of complications of current HIV therapy, including insulin resistance (leading to diabetes) and possibly body fat distribution (HIV Lipodystrophy).

COMPENSATION UP TO \$475.00 plus transportation expenses

Contact: Dr. Bob Ferris (631) 444-3740

We are researching insulin sensitivity in HIV (leading to diabetes) and possibly body fat distribution (HIV Lipodystrophy)

COMPENSATION UP TO \$2,450.00 plus transportation expenses

Contact: Jeanne Kidd (631) 444-3740

General Clinical Research Center, Stony Brook University Hospital

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

4. Volunteers needed for a study that investigates sleep and metabolism in women with Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS)

If you are woman in good health, We Would Like to Invite You To Participate in a Research Project.

In association with the Northport Veterans Administration and the Stony Brook General Clinical Research Center, researchers are conducting a study that investigates sleep and metabolism in women with Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS) compared to healthy women.

Healthy volunteers are needed to serve as the comparison group for IBS patients.

Participation involves a blood draw and two over-night sleep studies.

Every aspect of your participation in this study will be kept confidential.

And, as a courtesy for spending time and assisting the completion of this research, you will be compensated financially.

Please call our research office at Stony Brook University Medical Center to learn more about his study 632-3050.

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

5. Seeking Healthy Individuals Ages 18-40 to participate in a research study on the Absorption of Levothyroxine

Seeking Healthy Individuals Ages 18-40 to participate in a research study on the Absorption of Levothyroxine (thyroid hormone) when co-administered with other medications Compensation of \$25 per session for your participation (up to \$100 total)

Please contact The General Clinical Research Center at (631) 444-6900 weekdays between 9:00am and 4:00pm

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

6. Volunteers Needed For A Study To Determine If Prenatal Obstetric Anesthesia Consults Improves Maternal And Infant Birth Outcomes

Volunteers needed for a study to determine if prenatal obstetric anesthesia consults in the third trimester improves maternal and infant birth outcomes compensation \$50.00 For further information contact GCRC at (631) 444-6900.

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

7. Seeking Volunteers for a Cancer Study.

If You HAVE HAD Cancer You May Qualify to Participate in a Research Study Simply by Donating a Sample of Blood

We are seeking to identify new cancer markers in blood, tissue and body fluids. This may allow us to develop laboratory tests which can diagnose cancers earlier and/or identify patients who are at risk for a poor outcome and who may benefit from more aggressive therapy than is normally recommended.

Contact the GCRC at (631) 444-6900 for further details and questions.

Compensation of \$25.00 plus Hospital parking validation will be provided.

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

8. Seeking Volunteers - Healthy Men and Women who are 65 Years of Age or Older and Leading Active Lifestyle

Some Individuals Become Less Sensitive to Insulin As They Get Older. Insulin Resistance is a

- Significant Risk Factor for Cardiovascular Disease
- Major Factor for the Increase in Prevalence of Diabetes Among the Elderly. Subjects will be Compensated \$300.00 For Further Information Contact Shai Gavi, DO @ 631 444-7873

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

9. Did You Ever Wonder Why Some People Get Stressed Out More Easily Than Others?

Stress can affect the brain, heart, hormones, and mental performance.

We are looking for men and women, 18-50 years of age, to participate in a non-invasive study. Participation in this protocol requires that volunteers be free on two consecutive weekdays including two hospital overnights For example: Sunday night to Tuesday afternoon, or Tuesday night to Thursday afternoon

You will be free to pursue your normal activities after 4:15 pm, but you will need to be back for the overnight stay.

COMPENSATION: \$200.00

If you are interested in participating call us at (631) 444-8405, SUNY Stony Brook Laboratory for the Study of Emotion and Cognition or e-mail us at greents@pi.cpmc.columbia.edu

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

10. Do You Have Chronic Fatigue Syndrome?

If you are 18-60 years of age and have Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (CFS), you are invited to participate in a study funded by the National Institute of Health. Participants will be compensated up to \$200.

For further information call Dr Fred Friedberg at (631) 632-8252

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

11. Research Volunteers Wanted At The General Clinical Research Center, Stony Brook University Hospital.

Seniors 60 and over in reasonably good health and young adults 20-35 years of age to participate in a research study.

Eligible volunteers will be compensated up to \$1600 for their participation.

For more information please contact Jeanne Kidd at (631) 444-3740.

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

12. Take Part In Clinical Research Studies

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

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

13. Alzheimer's Disease Trial At SUNY Stony Brook

A Trial of Zocor (an anti-cholesterol medication) to slow the Progression of Alzheimer's Disease. All eligible participants with mild-moderate AD would remain on their current AD treatments, while participating in this trial.

If you would like to participate, or if you are a health care professional who would like to refer a patient, please contact Candice Perkins, MD, Marlene Baumister, RN or Dawn Madigan, RN at

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

14. Participants Needed for Brain Simulation Study of Emotion and Personality

Qualified participants

- must be at least 18 years of age
- have no history of seizures, stroke, and head trauma.
- Not pregnant
- Do not currently take tricyclic anti-depressants or neuroleptic medication
- Other exclusion criteria apply.

Subjects will be compensated \$25.00 per hour (approx. 1-2 hours).

For more information call 631-444-6900 or email Diane.Ruenes@stonybrook.edu

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

15. Free Relationship Assessment

Stony Brook University Marital Clinic Over 20 years of Research and Service to the Community Couples Wanted for Study of Marriage Earn \$50 and receive FREE assessment of your marriage. Call 631.632.7850 to see if you qualify

Submitted by: Heather Foran/GST

16. We Are Seeking Volunteers Who Experience Pain Or Fatigue

For A Study Being Sponsored by the National Institutes of Health to Improve the Measurement of Pain and Fatigue in Medical Patients

To Qualify You Must:

- Have a Medical Condition That Causes Pain or Fatigue on a Regular Basis
- Come to Stony Brook University Twice in a One Month Period

You will be Screened on the Phone to Determine Your Eligibility, all Interviews will be Kept Strictly Confidential

Patients Will Be Compensated Up To \$100.00

To be a Part of this Study, Please Call: (631)-632-3050

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

17. Do You Have A Frozen Shoulder?

If you are affected by a condition called "ADHESIVE CAPSULITIS" (Frozen/Stiff Shoulder), you may be able to join a Clinical Research study.

Participation is free of charge.

Patients with shoulder arthritis or rotator cuff problems will NOT be eligible. Please call (631)444-2215 Orthopedics Dept, for more information.

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

18. Recruiting healthy, right-handed boys, ages 6-11 years, who are not on medication, to take part in a neuroimaging study.

The Cody Center, in collaboration with Brookhaven National Laboratory and the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC) at Stony Brook University, is currently recruiting healthy, right-handed boys, ages 6-11 years, who are not on medication, to take part in a neuroimaging study.

The purpose of the study is to increase our understanding of how language is processed by the brain in the presence of Autism Spectrum Disorder by using an MRI technique called functional MRI (fMRI).

Compensation: \$40.00 Gift Certificate to BORDERS Per Visit

The procedure does not involve any injections, use contrast material or radiation. MRI is considered a safe procedure in children.

If you are interested in participating or wish to learn more about the study please contact: Jonathan Bentwich, Ph.D. Voice: (631) 344-2572 Email: jbentwic@bnl.gov

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

19. Are You Overweight?

We are Seeking Individuals, Both Men and Women, 25 to 45 Years of Age to Participate in a Research Study Looking at "Markers of Pre-Diabetes" in Overweight People This Study is Being Conducted at the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC) at Stony Brook University Hospital.

Participants Will be Compensated up to \$500.00

For More Information, Please Contact Jeanne Kidd @ 631-444 3740

Submitted by: Adnan Rangwala/UHMC

10. Miscellaneous

1. Last Chance - Division of Information Technology Offers Scholarship

Application required

Deadline June 1, 2005

The employees of the Division of Information Technology (DoIT) have established a Scholarship Fund, to offer support towards educational expenses, to a continuing student who has demonstrated an interest in the field of Information Technology.

To apply, please go to http://www.stonybrook.edu/doit_scholarship

This scholarship process is paperless, everything is done online.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/doit_scholarship

Submitted by: Melissa Bishop/DoIT

2. * Recycle Your Laserjet Toner Cartridges *

Did you know that more than 90% of a laserjet cartridge consists of recyclable materials? Please help us remove them from the wastestream.

We accept many model numbers from Hewlett Packard, Canon, IBM, Lexmark, Panasonic, and Samsung.

Please contact Maria Maloney at 632-1287 to arrange for a pickup. She will be more than happy to assist you with any service needs.

Thank you. We look forward to hearing from you!

Submitted by: Michael Youdelman/Admin