

## Campus Announcements for the week of 08/20/2007

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## **01. Administrative**

**1. Employees - take this opportunity to update your office address and phone number for the 2007-2008 Faculty and Staff Directory.**

Employees should login to the SOLAR system to verify and update your own office phone number and office address. When logged in, go to the right side of the page and click "Office Address" under the Employee Services heading. The deadline to make your final entry is Friday September 7.

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

Submitted by: Rick Sadetsky/Admin

### **2. Staff Information Tables**

(September 3 - September 7) to staff Information Tables in Administration Building, 2nd floor lobby to assist new and returning students. Call Dorothy Kutzin at 2-6040.

Submitted by: Augusta Kuhn/CAS

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

## **1. HSC Library Electronic Resource Access**

HSC Library is now using the University wide Net ID for all electronic resource access:

[http://www.hsclib.sunysb.edu/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=240&Itemid=358](http://www.hsclib.sunysb.edu/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=240&Itemid=358)

Submitted by: Kevin Collins/UHMC

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

### **1. Lawson Training for the month of September**

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

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

Submitted by: Michele Thomas/UHMC

### **2. EAP Lunchtime Learning Labyrinth Walking: Pathway to Stress Management & Improved Performance**

Take a break from the stress of modern life by going back a few thousand years. People are discovering anew that walking the concentric circles of ancient labyrinths can create inner peace and healing. EAP invites you to join Labyrinth Builder, Ed O'Connell, for a refreshing introduction to the Red Dragon Labyrinth as a walking meditation practice.

August 23rd, 12:00-1:00, Labyrinth, across street from back of Wang Center, To right of Student Union

To register call EAP at 26085

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

Submitted by: Linda Tatem/Pres

### **3. Blackboard Basics Workshop - Thursday 8/23/07 - 10:30am - 12pm - Melville Library PC Classroom C1640 B**

If you are thinking to yourself "I know what Blackboard is, I'd like to use it, but where do I begin?"

Then this is the workshop for you!

Give the Blackboard support team an hour and a half of your time and we'll show you how you can post materials to your Blackboard site.

In order to attend, and be able to actively participate, you must have: A Blackboard User and Class account.

A disk (Floppy / CD or Jump Drive) with files on it that you would like to post.

If you are interested in attending, send an e-mail to: [bboard@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:bboard@notes.cc.sunysb.edu)

<http://tlt.stonybrook.edu/blackboard/postinginfo.shtml>

Submitted by: Diana Voss/DoIT

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

### **1. "Lauterbur's Legacy: Looking at Life" Symposium**

A Special Symposium at Stony Brook: A symposium in remembrance of Paul Lauterbur, who received the Nobel Prize for the discovery of Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), will be held on Friday (2:00-5:30 pm), September 7, 2007. The plenary Presidential Lecture entitled How One Man Helped to Revolutionize Medicine will be presented by the Nobel Laureate, Richard Ernst plus frontier research talks on imaging, health, environment and energy.

The symposium will take place in The Student Activities Center Auditorium, Stony Brook University, Long Island, NY. For more information about the symposium visit our website:

<http://sunysb.edu/chemistry/news/pcl>

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Submitted by: Norma Reyes/CAS

### **2. Pain Awareness Day - September 19, 2007**

Stony Brook University Medical Center Division of Nursing, Department of Clinical Education presents, Pain Awareness Day September 19, 2007 from 8am to 5pm in the HSC Level 3, Galleria. Please RSVP to Catherine Jannace at 444-8427 or e-mail [catherine.jannace@stonybrook.edu](mailto:catherine.jannace@stonybrook.edu).

Submitted by: Catherine Jannace/UHMC

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## **06. Charitable**

### **1. Habitat for Humanity Annual Golf Outing**

## SAVE THE DATE!

Who: Anyone interested in supporting the Stony Brook University efforts for Habitat for Humanity

What: Stony Brook University Fifth Annual Golf Outing to benefit Habitat for Humanity

When: Thursday, October 4, 2007

Where: Hamlet Willow Creek Golf and Country Club, Mt. Sinai, NY

Why: Because your support is vital to our efforts to continue our work to help fellow Long Islanders achieve the dream of homeownership

How: Simply register and submit your payment, then be at the Hamlet by 9 am on October 4 for breakfast and practice, followed by an 11 am shot gun start. Scramble format

Not a golfer? Not a problem! Come late and join us for the evening program which will include a buffet dinner and dozens of great prizes.

Watch the website for additional details, or contact Catherine Horgan at [chorgan@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:chorgan@notes.cc.sunysb.edu) to be added to our mailing list.

Submitted by: Catherine Horgan/HSC

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## 07. Entertainment

### 1. Sustainable Pleasures Music At Southampton

Wednesday, August 29

Christine Goerke and Friends

Program to be announced.

All performances at 7:30 pm in the Avram Theater on the Stony Brook Southampton campus

TICKETS: Tickets are \$35 each.

Discounts for Stony Brook & Southampton College Alumni are \$25 each.

Student tickets are \$10.

Please e-mail Linda Merians, [Linda.Merians@stonybrook.edu](mailto:Linda.Merians@stonybrook.edu) for further information.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/southampton/pleasures/>

Submitted by: Jessica Kunis/Pres

### 2. Lauterbur Memorial Symposium Banquet

The closing banquet for the Lauterbur's Legacy: Looking at Life memorial symposium will take place on Friday, September 7, 2007 in the Charles B. Wang Center. The evening will begin with a champagne reception at 6:00 PM and will feature a four-course dinner with a Mediterranean essence paired with distinguished award-winning Spanish wines. The ticket price for the banquet is \$100 per person. Please join the Department of Chemistry for a memorable night. Reserve your seat today at our website: <http://sunysb.edu/chemistry/news/pcl>.

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Submitted by: Norma Reyes/CAS

### **3. University Cafe Sunday Street Acoustic Series announces Fall, 2007 schedule - Bill Morrissey to begin series on Sunday, September 30th**

Bill Morrissey, an outstanding New England-based singer songwriter, will begin the Sunday Street Acoustic Series at The University Cafe on Sunday, September 30th, at 2 P.M. The series is co-sponsored by WUSB-FM and is in its fourth year.

Other shows include:

Sunday, October 7th - Devon Sproule with Hope Nunnery

Sunday, October 21st - Aztec Two-Step

Sunday, November 4th - Sloan Wainwright

Sunday, November 11th - Taxi Chain

Sunday, December 9th - Nerissa and Katryna Nields

Ticket prices for most shows are \$20.00 general/\$15.00 Stony Brook Faculty/Staff/Students (special pricing for Aztec Two-Step)

Information/reservations by e mail to [SundayStreetWUSB@aol.com](mailto:SundayStreetWUSB@aol.com)

Telephone inquires: leave message at 632-1093

All details on University Cafe website: [www.universitycafe.org](http://www.universitycafe.org)

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Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

### **4. Four For The Price Of Three This Fall @ Wang Center Don't Miss Out!**

\$75.00 for Sponsor Tickets: VIP seating, priority and assigned seating \$45.00 General Admission \$30.00 Students and Seniors Individual tickets for each performance: \$10 for Students and seniors \$15 general admission \$25 VIP Reservations Highly recommended for all!

1. SUFI ROCK by Salman Ahmad of Junoon at the Wang Salman Ahmad of the famed Pakistani Band Junoon Rocks the Wang!

The film "Islamabad Rock City" will also be screened.

Wednesday, September 26, 7 pm, Wang Theater

2. MOURNING BY EIKO & KOMA, AND TAN Butoh-inspired MacArthur Genius awardees Eiko & Koma collaborate with acclaimed avant-garde pianist Margaret Leng Tan in celebrating their idiosyncratic styles and spirits.

Saturday October, 6 2007 8PM Theatre

3. I LAND

SPOKEN WORD! STORY! HULA! AND HIP HOP!

Wednesday, November, 7 2007 7PM-10PM Theatre

4. KINSMAN/SVAJANAM Jazz Saxophone and South Indian Classical Music

Thursday November, 15 2007 7PM-10PM Theatre

For details go to website

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

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

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

### **1. Sustaining The Good Life Symposium 2007 -10/27/07, Stony Brook Southampton**

Local, Fresh, Authentic: What Makes Food Great?

Is it flamboyant grill skills? Pristinely fresh ingredients, from lettuce to lobster? A profound connection to ethnic traditions? A chef's intuition for fulfilling the diner's desires? On Saturday, October 27, 2007, a Pulitzer Prize-winning food critic, an expert on ethnic gardens, and the NY Times premier wine, food, and travel journalist will present a lively discussion of the sublime in food, followed by a walkabout tasting and Harvest Celebration hosted by leading wineries and restaurants and accompanied by live music from Stony Brook's renowned school of music.

Date: Saturday, October 27, 2007

Sustaining the Good Life Symposium: 1:00 to 5:00 pm

Harvest Reception: 5:00 to 7:00 pm

Location: Fine Arts Center, Stony Brook Southampton

Cost: Symposia/Panel Discussion: \$85; Harvest Reception Only: \$50

Register on line now at [www.stonybrook.edu/winecenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/winecenter)

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

Submitted by: Ginny Clancy/Pres

### **2. Mini Med School - Registration deadline 9/24/07 Thursdays, 10/4 - 11/8 from 7-9 pm, HSC, LH 2**

Mini Med School is an informative and entertaining six-week course designed to familiarize participants with medical terminology, enhance knowledge of medicine and provide new insights into medical research. Featured topics include: Osteoporosis, Simulations as a Teaching/Learning Tool, Marijuana and the Endocannabinoids as Therapeutics, X-Ray interpretation, End of Life Care Decisions and Overcrowding in Hospitals.

Tuition: \$35 per person, \$25 per Mini Med Alumni Association member

For additional details and registration, please contact Betty Ahner at 631-444-3423.

Submitted by: Heidi Campani/UHMC

### **3. Center for Legal Studies at the School of Professional Development**

In conjunction with the Center for Legal Studies, SPD offers intensive, nationally acclaimed certificate programs in Paralegal and Alternative Dispute Resolution as well as a LegalNurse Consultant Training Course. Online, video, and face-to-face options are available.

The following are offered online throughout 2007!

- \* LegalNurse Consultant training Course
- \* Alternative Dispute Resolution Certificate Course
- \* Victom Advocacy Certificate Course
- \* Legal Secretary Certificate Course
- \* Legal Investigation Certificate Course
- \* Paralegal Certificate Course is offered online as well as in person.

Get detailed information on these programs, including a breakdown of the curriculum, dates, and costs at our website: <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/career/index.html>

For additional information and registration call the Center For Legal Studies at 1-800-522-7737

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

#### **4. PHR/SPHR Certification Preparation Course**

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

By attending our course, you will develop new knowledge and skills that will improve your workplace effectiveness immediately. By enrolling in our classroom based format, you also get the added benefit of:

- \*A structured classroom environment that enhances learning and helps you stay on track
- \*An experienced instructor to explain concepts and apply them to your industry
- \*Opportunities to network and share real-world experiences with other HR professionals
- \*Minimizing travel and maximizing employer tuition assistance

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

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

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## **09. Research**

### **1. MRI Study: Volunteers needed Children ages 6-17**

Volunteers are needed to participate in an MRI study to investigate new methods for imaging flow patterns of blood and cerebrospinal fluid in the brain. The goal of the study is to understand flow patterns in healthy individuals to compare these results with the abnormal flow patterns seen in individuals with diseases such as hydrocephalus. Because these diseases are common in children, we are seeking healthy children with no previous history of neurological disease, head trauma, hydrocephalus, or any contraindication for an MRI, to serve as a control group for our study. The study will involve 1 hour of your time and be completely non-invasive. No injections will be given. Subjects will be given a \$25 gift certificate to Border's Bookstore for participating



in the study.

If interested, please contact Veronica Geronimo, study coordinator, at 4-2409, or vgeronim@notes.cc.sunysb.edu, or Mark Wagshul, PhD at mwagshul@notes.cc.sunysb.edu.

Submitted by: Mark Wagshul/UHMC

## **2. Seeking Volunteers For A Colon Cancer Study**

If You Have Colon 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. CALL: (631) 444-7214 (ask for Tina)

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

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## **10. Miscellaneous**

### **1. Volunteer Opportunity for Faculty, Staff and OLLI Members**

Date: Week of 24 September

Place: N-255 in The Social and Behavioral Science Building

Many of our international TA's who are in our ESL Program need to spend more time in English conversing. Would you consider volunteering 1/2 hour a week to talk with an international PhD student? The program runs through The Linguistics Department and has great potential for improving the English Proficiency on this campus!

Sign up on the table outside N-255. Put down your name and and half hour you can volunteer.

You meet your partner for the first time at the table where you signed up in SBS N-255 the week of 24 September. You can meet in the lobby on that floor or where ever you both choose.

The sessions are very individualistic. The idea is to get the student talking!

Contact Dr. Barbara Brownworth <Barbara.Brownworth@stonybrook.edu>

Thank you for considering this important opportunity!

Submitted by: Barbara Brownworth/CAS

### **2. Weekend Enrichment Program for children 3-15 years old in Stony Brook University**

SchoolPlus Enrichment Program in Stony Brook offers:

Mathematics - ages 5 - 15;

Physics - ages 9 - 15;

Russian language - ages 5 - 15, including Russian as a second language for children and adults;

English Language - ages 9-15, advanced;

French Language - ages 5-15, all levels, including classes for native speakers;  
Original Enrichment program for children 3-4 years old - separate classes for Russian and English speaking children;  
Art - ages 5 -15;  
Registration is open online: <http://www.schoolplusstonybrook.org/>  
Contact information: e-mail: schoolplus\_sb@yahoo.com, Phone: (631) 615-4215 (ask Marina Polonskaia - director of the program)

<http://www.schoolplusstonybrook.org/>

Submitted by: Alexandre Abanov/CAS