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## **01. Administrative**

### **1. Toll Road Closure - 5/24/08**

University Facilities, Design and Construction will be continuing roadway improvement projects on and around campus over the coming summer beginning at the southwest portion of Toll Drive on the morning of Saturday, May 24, 2008.

In order to complete this project Toll Drive will be closed completely to vehicle/pedestrian traffic north of the Physics Tunnel entrance and south of the Gym Road curb line where it enters the Cogeneration Plant parking area for approx. one week to ten days.

Further information regarding scheduled work, modified traffic patterns and/or road closures will be distributed through the following outlets;

Facilities and Services Website

Broadcast Email

Campus Announcements

Portable Video Message Board

Thank you, in advance, for your patience and cooperation in these efforts toward the continued improvement of our campus facilities.

Submitted by: Mark Woodruff/Admin

## **2. Campus Roadway Improvements**

University Facilities, Design and Construction will be continuing roadway improvement projects on campus over the coming summer beginning the morning of Saturday, May 24, 2008.

In order to complete these projects in a timely manner, while maintaining pedestrian and driver safety, there will, at times, be need to modify traffic patterns and/or close roads/sidewalks completely to vehicle/pedestrian traffic.

Further information regarding scheduled work, modified traffic patterns and/or road closures will be distributed through the following outlets;

Facilities and Services Website

Broadcast Email

Campus Announcements

Portable Video Message Board

In addition, personnel in areas and departments that could be directly impacted by scheduled work and or road closures will be contacted and informed of the work schedule and plans for alternate means of building access and/or vehicle parking during that work.

Thank you, in advance, for your patience and cooperation in these efforts toward the continued improvement of our campus facilities.

Submitted by: Mark Woodruff/Admin

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

### **1. Practical Skills for Supervisors**

June 3, 4, 5 9:00am 4:00pm

This 3 day course is skill-based and examines the day-to-day practice of helping employees perform at their optimum level.

Built on practical models of what effective managers think, say and do, the work environment they want to create and the relationships they need to build and sustain, this program focuses on the best practices and techniques necessary to be a highly effective supervisor.

Key Highlights

A competency approach to supervision

Coaching and counseling

Setting direction & focus

Communication

Delegation

Personal styles

Coaching for sustained development

Strategies for influencing and motivating

Action Plan

Target Audience: ALL NEW SUPERVISORS as well as supervisors who have never been formally trained in the supervisory function.

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0028>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

## **2. Search and Selection/Effective Interviewing Techniques**

June 11, 2008 Part 1 9:30am 12:30pm

June 18, 2008 Part 2 9:30am 12:30pm

This two-part program is designed to provide information to State and RF managers, search committees and those responsible for interviewing candidates.

The first session will cover:

Identifying the components of a Resume Screening Document

Writing an effective Resume Screening Document

Writing effective Interview Questions

The second session will cover:

Preparing for an interview

Setting the tone of a successful interview

Avoiding discriminatory and illegal questions

Effectively gathering job related information from an applicant

Closing the interview

Documenting the interview

Target Audience: VP Coordinators, managers, search committee members, search committee chairs, or anyone responsible for selecting and interviewing potential candidates on West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan, and Southampton.

Click below to register now!

Note: Attendance is required for both sessions

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0010>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

## **3. Lotus Notes training on Tuesday and Thursday this week. Come join us!**

Click here to register for "Manage Your Time More Effectively Using the Notes Calendar" on 5/20 or "Welcome to Lotus Notes: You Have Mail" on 5/22.

<http://clientsupport.stonybrook.edu/public/notes/notestraining/regnotestrng.shtml>

Submitted by: Kim Rant/DoIT

#### **4. And Justice for All / Diversity 101 - The Combined Version**

June 10, 2008 9:00am 3:00pm

This full day program will provide participants with necessary information, resources, and guidance about Federal and State regulations; University policies around issues of discrimination; equal employment opportunity complaint resolution and diversity. It will clarify and communicate the roles, rights and responsibilities of supervisors, managers, employees and the Office of Diversity and Affirmative Action in these matters. The program will review appropriate methods for making referrals, the scope of confidentiality and the policy against retaliation. Through the use of case studies and other interactive exercises, this program will allow participants to explore and discuss dimensions of diversity and inclusion, approaches to managing diversity, the impact of stereotyping and bias in the workplace. Each participant will develop a personal action plan.

Target Audience: All employees, supervisors, managers.

Seating is limited so click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0020>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

#### **5. Performance Management The Employee's Role**

June 11, 2008 9:30am 12:30pm

Are you interested in taking ownership of your own performance? If yes, then this program is for you! This interactive session will walk you through the annual performance management process from beginning to end. During our discussion we will cover the following:

Identifying the expectations of a performance program and annual evaluation

Reviewing criteria for measuring individual performance goals and objectives

Identifying communication strategies to enhance managerial discussions

Implementing an action plan for managing your performance

Target Audience: All individual contributors who are not responsible for managing the performance of others on West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan, and Southampton.

Click below to register now!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0011>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

#### **6. 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.

Guest Speaker, Ed O'Connell  
May 29th, 12:00-100  
To register call EAP at 26085

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

Submitted by: Linda Tatem/Pres

## **7. EAP Lunchtime Learning-The Practice of Yoga**

The practice of yoga, traditionally, does not emphasize the physical body as the primary medium for personal growth. Instead, it lies in its ability to cultivate more clarity and ease in our daily life. This workshop clarifies a less westernized yet highly practical understanding of yoga, a philosophy that has its origins in times where inner transformation triumphed over the 'quick fix.' You will: acquaint yourself with the idea of doing yoga practices to support your stage of life,

learn how yoga can be useful beyond a group classroom setting,  
understand certain qualities, which will arise through an appropriate yoga practice, experience some breathing practices you can incorporate into your own life even during a stressful day at work.

Guest Speaker, Danielle Tarantola, Director, The Yoga Foundation  
June 3, 2008, HSC, Classroom 085, Level 2, 12:00-1:00  
June 5, 2008, Wang Center, Room 201, 12:00-1:00  
To register call EAP at 26085

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

Submitted by: Linda Tatem/Pres

## **8. RefWorks: Buy, Sell or Hold? Extended**

Classroom A in the Melville Library will be open on the following additional dates for anyone interested in helping us evaluate RefWorks ([www.refworks.com](http://www.refworks.com)).

Wednesday, May 21, 34 pm

If you prefer to explore RefWorks on your own during the trial period, check

<http://melvilletrials.blogspot.com/2008/04/refworks-on-trial.html>, for instructions on how to set up an account. Remember the trial ends May 31st.

Already using RefWorks? Let us know what you think of RefWorks by email at [Janet.clarke@stonybrook.edu](mailto:Janet.clarke@stonybrook.edu).

<http://melvillelibrary.blogspot.com/2008/04/refworks-buy-sell-or-hold-extended.html>

Submitted by: Fiona Grady/Lib

## **9. Blackboard Workshops for Summer 2008!**

The Blackboard Support Team has planned numerous workshops for Summer 2008. Please consider coming by and preparing for your Fall courses!

Topics include:

- Basics/Posting Content
- Blogs & Wikis
- Tests & Surveys
- Assignment Tools
- Blackboard Tools
- Gradebook

For more information, and to register: <http://www.ic.sunysb.edu/Ic/Classes>

Space is limited!

<http://www.ic.sunysb.edu/Ic/Classes>

Submitted by: Andrea Doherty/DoIT

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

### **1. Two Ecology and Evolution Dissertation Defenses:**

1:30 P.M., Monday, May 19, 2008. "Caribbean *Drosophila Melanogaster*: A Model for Incipient Sexual Isolation in Widespread and Human Commensal Species." Roman Yukilevich, Department of Ecology and Evolution, Stony Brook University.

9:30 A.M., Tuesday, May 20, 2008. "Family Matters: The Effect of Kinship on Social Interactions, Dispersal, and Genetic Structure of an Endangered Lemur," Toni Lyn Morelli, Department of Ecology and Evolution, Stony Brook University.

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

Both in Life Sciences Building, Room 038.

Submitted by: Martha Nolan/CAS

### **2. Biochemistry & Cell Biology Seminar: Thursday, May 22, 2008**

You are cordially invited to attend a seminar given by Dr. Neta Dean, Professor in the Department of Biochemistry & Cell Biology at Stony Brook University, entitled, "Protein Glycosylation in the Endoplasmic Reticulum". It will be held on Thursday, May 22, 2008, in room 038, Life Sciences Building at 4:00p.m. Hosted by Dr. Robert Haltiwanger.

Submitted by: Dianna Berger/CAS

### **3. Science And Research Awareness Series (SARAS)**

"I love Science"



"I am taking Biology as one of my courses"

If you answered "YES" to any one of the above questions try to answer the next three.

"What should I do next?"

"What are the different careers and fields in Biomedical Sciences?"

"How can I plan for my future in the field of Biomedical Sciences?"

If you don't have definitive answers to the above statements, participate in "Science and Research Awareness Series" (SARAS) being organized by the Department of Anesthesiology at Stony Brook Medical Center in the summer of 2008 (July 7-24).

This program consists of lectures, expert's views, 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.

For complete program details, students comments, video excerpts and application material, click on the following website link:

<http://anesthesia.stonybrook.edu/saras.html>

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Submitted by: Srinivas Pentyala/UHMC

#### **4. Dr. Tomaso Poggio Seminar on Wednesday, May 28, 2008 at 3:00pm in the Wang Center, Lecture Hall 2**

Dr. Tomaso Poggio, Eugene McDermott Professor & Director, Center For Biological & Computational Learning from M.I.T (Massachusetts Institute of Technology) will be presenting a seminar entitled "Visual Recognition in the Visual Cortex"

Date: Wednesday, May 28, 2008, Time: 3:00 pm

Location: Wang Center, Lecture Hall 2

Note: Refreshments will be served!

Submitted by: Darschay Harris-Franklin/Prov

#### **5. Applying the Laws of Attraction: Overcoming Obstacles to a Successful Business Speaker: Elizabeth Morgan, Full Spectrum Success**

Small Business Development Center Free Workshop

May 21 9:00 am - 11:00 am

LI High Tech Incubator Conf. Room

To register: call Lynne Schmidt at 29084, or e-mail: [lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu](mailto:lynne.schmidt@sunysb.edu)

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Submitted by: Lynne Schmidt/CEAS

#### **6. Neuroscience Seminar Series**

On Tuesday, March 25 at 3:15 in room 038 of the Life Sciences Building

the Department of Neurobiology & Behavior will be holding a Seminar. Nathaniel B. Sawtell, PhD, Neurological Sciences Institute, Oregon Health & Science University will be giving a talk on "Mechanisms of Sensory Prediction in a Cerebellum-like Structure."

Host: Craig Evinger 632-8643

Submitted by: Karen Morse/CAS

## **7. Phi Delta Kappa General Membership Meeting**

Phi Delta Kappa General Membership Meeting sponsored by the School of Professional Development

Phi Delta Kappa strives to prepare the next generation of educators, serve practicing teachers, administrators, college educators and those concerned with public education.

Join us Wednesday, June 4, 2008 at 6pm in room 301 of the Wang Center.

The topic "Are We Still Americans" will be presented by Eric Lane and Eric J. Schmertz Distinguished Professor of Public Law and Public Service at Hofstra University.

Refreshments will be served. Plan to join us for this important presentation and discussion.

Please RSVP by May 28th to [marlene.brennan@stonybrook.edu](mailto:marlene.brennan@stonybrook.edu)

For more information on Phi Delta Kappa at Stony Brook University please visit [www.stonybrook.edu/spd/pdk](http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/pdk)

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

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

### **1. Institute of Molecular Cardiology and Department of Physiology and Biophysics Seminar**

Tuesday, May 20, 2008, at 4:00 p.m.

A Seminar Honoring Dr. John Sachs, Professor of Medicine and Physiology and Biophysics "Na-K-Cl Cotransporters: Excitement in the C-terminus", Dr. Biff Forbush, Department of Cellular and Molecular Physiology, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut

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

Host: Dr. Richard Lin

<http://newphy.pnb.sunysb.edu/>

Submitted by: Robin Green/UHMC

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

Friday, May 23, 2008, at 12 noon

"Fluorescence Correlation and Cross-Correlation Spectroscopy for the Investigation of

Membrane Protein Interactions and Membrane Dynamics", Dr. Thorsten Wohland, Department of Chemistry, National University of Singapore  
Place: Basic Science Tower, T-5, Room 140  
Host: Dr. Stuart McLaughlin

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

Submitted by: Robin Green/UHMC

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## **06. Charitable**

### **1. National Cancer Survivors Day**

Sunday, June 1st 11 AM - 2 PM

Grounds of the Cancer Center

3 Edmund Pellegrino Drive

Celebratory event for all cancer survivors and their guests. Staff encouraged to attend.

Volunteers needed.

Registration 444-4000

<http://www.stonybrookhospital.com/index.cfm?id=2296>

Submitted by: Linda Bily/UHMC

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## **07. Culture & Entertainment**

### **1. Summer Basketball Camps at Stony Brook University**

Steve Pikiell and the entire Stony Brook Men's Basketball Staff is running 4 sessions of basketball camp this summer for boys and girls ages 8-16. These four weeks are "Session I" Monday June 30-Friday July 3(There will be no camp Friday July 4th), "Session II" Monday July 7-Friday July 11, "Session III" Monday July 21-Friday July 25 and "Session IV" Monday July 28-Friday August 1st. All 4 sessions will run 9 am to 4 pm. The cost of Session I will be \$250 and the cost of Sessions II and II and IV will be \$300. Any Stony Brook employee will be entitled to a discount. If anyone is interested please contact Dan Rickard at 632-4498 or by email [daniel.rickard@stonybrook.edu](mailto:daniel.rickard@stonybrook.edu).

[http://grfx.cstv.com/photos/schools/ston/sports/m-baskbl/auto\\_pdf/mbb-08-camp-1.pdf](http://grfx.cstv.com/photos/schools/ston/sports/m-baskbl/auto_pdf/mbb-08-camp-1.pdf)

Submitted by: Daniel Rickard/Pres

### **2. Steve Tilston, British singer/songwriter and acclaimed finger-style guitarist at The**

## **University Cafe Sunday evening, June 1st at 7:00 P.M.**

Spend a spring evening at the University Cafe with the music of Steve Tilston. Steve Tilston's work has been widely recognized in the world of folk and contemporary music over the course of his career of thirty years. Many of his songs have been recorded by Fairport Convention, among others. Chris Smither says that "Steve Tilston has an annoying habit of doing things with his guitar and lyrics that I wish I'd thought of first. Opening for Steve Tilston is James O'Malley, also a fine finger-style guitarist and a songwriter who stands at the top of the Long Island musical scene. Advance tickets (\$18.00) now at a significant savings at [www.universitycafe.org](http://www.universitycafe.org) until May 29th. Any remaining tickets at the door for \$22.00

<http://www.universitycafe.org>

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

### **3. 2008 Chuck Priore Football Camps**

Seawolves All Positions Overnight Football Camp: Grades 9 - 12, July 19th & 20th  
W.I.N. Youth Day Camp: Ages 6 - 14, July 21st - July 25th  
10% Discount for all Stony Brook employees!

Submitted by: Carlton Goff/Pres

### **4. A Wok through Chinese Culinary History**

Savor and digest the history of Chinese cuisine at a dramatic new exhibition of the Jacqueline M. Newman Chinese Cookbook Collection. Stony Brook University's collection includes more than 3,000 cookbooks from the oldest to the smallest to the longest, and everything in between as well as many other fascinating culinary items. Don't miss this the world premiere of this one-of-a-kind visual banquet for everyone interested in one of the world's greatest civilizations. April 28 - May 30, Charles B. Wang Center

<http://ws.cc.stonybrook.edu/sb/cookbooks.shtml>

Submitted by: Matthew Mcalpin/GST

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

### **1. The Chautauqua 2008 Short Courses for College and University Faculty**

After many years of support by the National Science Foundation, Professional Education Program-Outreach will continue its several years commitment to the Chautauqua Short Courses. This nation-wide faculty development program in natural sciences, social sciences, engineering,

and mathematics will offer eight courses. Five courses will be held at Stony Brook's mid-town Manhattan site- Science & Art (6/5-6/7), Globalization and the Impact of Worldwide Poverty and Inequality(6/12-6/14), Science and Social Justice (6/9-6/11), Using Case Studies to Teach Science--A Workshop (6/19-6/21), Agent Orange: Abandoned Values and "A Kind of Chemical Warfare"(6/26-6/28), one in Washington D.C.-Women and Minorities in the Sciences: How Faculty Can Make a Difference (6/5 -6/7) , and one in Beijing -China Confronts New Security Issues (6/9-6/13). Enrollment is limited to 24 participants only . Doctoral fellows are eligible to participate. For questions, contact Patricia Dixon at: PADixon@notes.cc.sunysb.edu or at (631) 632-7696.

<http://ws.cc.stonybrook.edu/ceie/chautauqua/>

Submitted by: Patricia Dixon/Prov

## **2. Beaded Jewelry Class**

Create your own unique beaded accessories. Learn about the different stringing materials, tools and findings for glass beading. Learn how professionals crimp and attach clasps for a pleasing aesthetic. Materials fee of \$10 due to instructor at class. Wednesday, 7/30, 5:45 pm 8:15 pm \$30/student, \$38/non-student; Union Lower-Level Studio 081. Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us [craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu), or look at our website [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter)

Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

## **3. After Capture Digital Photo Workshop**

This 2 part workshop will take students through the steps of importing, image adjusting, printing and emailing. From start to finish see how subtle adjustments can make an OK picture into a great picture and once you have your picture, see what the possibilities for post production can be. Discussions will include importance of file size, importing methods, selecting paper, printing and finally how to back up your images. Two Tuesdays; 7/22 & 7/29; 6:00 pm 8:00 pm. \$40/student, \$55/non-student; Union lower level room 062. Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us [craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu), or look at our website [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter)

Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

## **4. Defensive Driving Class**

The Empire Safety Council Accident Prevention Workshop which emphasizes traffic safety awareness is proven to reduce both accidents and traffic citations. Your attitudes and behaviors affect the way you drive. Learn to be a defensive driver and save 10% on your auto insurance (liability and collision) and reduce up to four points on your driving record. This is a six hour

course. Two Wednesdays; 7/09 & 7/16, 5:30 pm 8:30 pm, \$31/student, \$35/non-student. . Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us [craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu), or look at our website [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter)

Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

## **5. Drawing basics**

This course is for the beginner or for those who want to brush up on their drawing skills. Emphasis will be on traditional drawing techniques. Using pencil and charcoal student will work from still lifes and photographs. Five Tuesdays, begins 6/24, 6:00 pm 8:00 pm. \$60/student, \$80/non-student . Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us [craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu), or look at our website [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter)

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Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

## **6. A Passion for Pastels**

With their velvety bloom, softness and fresh, bright colors, pastels are one of the most attractive of all media. Here is an opportunity to explore basic techniques that will enable you to enjoy the directness and spontaneity of this classic art form. Five Wednesdays, begins 6/25, 6:00 pm 8:00 pm. \$60/student, \$80/non-student. Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us [craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu), or look at our website [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter)

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Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

## **7. Pottery On the Wheel Classes**

Beginners through Intermediate levels receive a good foundation in the methods of throwing on the potter's wheel while making a variety of forms. Glaze and surface designs will be demonstrated. Fee includes use of glazes, some firings and ceramic membership. \$80/Student, \$100/Non-student; Pre registration required. Different schedules are available. Five weeks classes start in June 18th, June 19th and June 24th 6 to 8 pm. For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us [craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu](mailto:craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu), or look at our website [www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter](http://www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter)

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Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

### **8. The Art of Living Workshop**

The Art of Living workshop is a proven method for improving the quality of life. It is based both on theoretical understanding and practical tools that can immediately be put to use with implications for all aspects of an individual's with direct, long lasting and tangible results. The workshop provides participants with practical and powerful techniques including Eastern breathing techniques, meditation, tension-releasing yogic stretches and exercises, and skills for dealing effectively with challenging emotions and situations. A weekly group follow up practice is available at Stony Brook.

June 6-9 at the Wang Center

Time: Fri and Mon 6 - 9:00 PM, Sat and Sun 9AM - 4 pm

Workshop Fee: \$375 , \$200 (Full-Time Students & Seniors 65 years and older). Limited needs-based scholarships available.

To register and for more information contact Dr. Balaji Sitharaman - 631-655-4736 or Dr. Linda Cocchiarella - 631-495-4134

Submitted by: Balaji Sitharaman/CEAS

### **9. The Southampton Children's Literature Conference, July 9 - 13, 2008**

Are you interested in writing or illustrating children's books? How about studying children's literature? We're inviting writers, illustrators, educators and readers to spend a few days in the Hamptons to analyze and celebrate books, plays, and television programs for children. For more information and an application, visit our website, <http://www.stonybrook.edu/writers/>

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

Submitted by: Carla Caglioti/Prov

### **10. Managing Data with Access**

NCE 317 - 5 sessions - Fee: \$259

This course offers an introduction to the most widely used database management program. An integral and powerful part of the Microsoft Office suite, Access aids budget managers, accountants, and office managers by efficiently organizing customer and inventory information. Topics include how to create databases, forms, filters and reports.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

For a full description of this class, and to register go to SPD Website at

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

For questions call 632-7071

10% discount for University employees, Spouses and Students. CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted  
Section C: Mondays, 10am-1pm; June 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2008

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

## **11. Introduction to Microsoft Excel**

NCE 314 - 5 sessions - Fee: \$259

This introductory course demonstrates the power and ease that makes Microsoft Excel the most-widely used spreadsheet application for office and home financial planning. Accountants, office managers, budget managers, even the family financial planner, will benefit from learning the basics of Excel. Topics include: basics of spreadsheet design, entering data, editing, formatting and printing worksheets, and implementing formulae and functions. The course emphasizes hands-on exercises to reinforce lessons.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

For a full description of this class, and to register go to SPD Website at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer>

10% discount for University employees and Students. CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted  
Section C: Mondays, 1:30pm-4:30pm; June 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2008

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

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## **09. Research**

### **1. Seeking Volunteers With A History Of Asthma**

18 to 65 years of age, 10 years smoke free taking a steroid inhaler daily for the past 6 months to participate in an 8 week study on the effectiveness of mindfulness meditation on asthma. You will be taught mindfulness meditation techniques such as sitting meditation, body scan meditation, walking meditation. Compensation of up to \$100 will be paid upon your completion of this study

For further information please call: 631-444-1200

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

### **2. Crack or cocaine problems?**

Brookhaven National Laboratory

Crack and cocaine users needed, fee paid

Also 18-55 years old in good health for participation in brain imaging medical research.

Confidentiality maintained. Transportation provided.

1-888-352-7380

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

### **3. How well do Your Lungs Work?**

We are studying both overweight and normal weight participants. Are you a never smoker?



If you have no known lung problems, the Division of Pulmonary Medicine at Stony Brook Hospital would like to invite you to consider entering an investigational study of aerosol deposition. The research project is being performed to investigate the pattern of particle deposition in the lungs of patients who are overweight and comparing to the pattern in normal weight people. For details please contact Dr. Daroowalla at 444-3869. Compensation will be awarded to those who participate in the study.

Submitted by: Mario Solomita/UHMC

#### **4. Brookhaven National Laboratory Relationship Conflict Study**

Brain Imaging and Medical Research

Male Participants Needed

Must be 18-50 years old, in good health, and currently married or cohabitating.

Confidentiality maintained. Transportation provided.

Call to see if you qualify

Patricia A. Woicik, Ph.D.

Neuropsychomaging Group

Brookhaven National Laboratory

Bldg 490, Upton, NY 11973-5000

(631) 344-4472

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

#### **5. Seeking Volunteers with Cystic Fibrosis**

18 years of age or older to participate in a 28 week research study to examine the efficacy of IGF-1 treatment to maintain or improve body weight and composition.

This Study is Being Conducted at the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC)

For More Information, Please Call 631 444-6900

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

#### **6. Study of HIV+/AIDS and Chromium Picolinate**

The General Clinical Research Center at Stony Brook University Hospital is seeking volunteers

18 years of age and older with a diagnosis of HIV+ or AIDS to research the effectiveness of

Chromium Picolinate in the treatment of complications of current HIV therapy including insulin resistance, (leading to Diabetes) and possibly body fat distribution (HIV Lipodystrophy).

Volunteers are offered compensation up to \$1,700 plus transportation expenses.

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

#### **7. Effect of Pioglitazone on the course of new onset Type I Diabetes**

Effect of Pioglitazone on the course of new onset Type I Diabetes Looking for Children and

Adolescents Between 6 and 18 Years of Age, With a Recent Diagnosis of Type I Diabetes to Participate in a six (6) month study to see if Pioglitazone can reduce insulin requirements  
This Study is Being Conducted at the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC)  
For More Information, Please Call 631 444-6900

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

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## **10. Miscellaneous**

### **1. CSEA Long Island Region Veterans Committee Memorial Day Ceremony**

To commemorate Memorial Day the CSEA Region 1 Veterans Committee will decorate the graves of deceased CSEA members or their family members who are interred at Calverton National Cemetery. To have a flag placed, please contact Maryann Phelps at ext 4-8356 or at 516-971-4629. Flags will be placed on Saturday, May 24th.

Submitted by: Maryann Phelps/HSC

### **2. Job Opportunity - Roundsman**

Stony Brook University Medical Center's FSA/Department of Food and Nutritional Services seeks an experienced Roundsman. Responsibilities include assisting with the preparation of quality food for patients and customers using standardized recipes and production sheets. Required: High School diploma, minimum of two years of culinary prep and grill experience, and Serv-Safe Certification within six months of getting the position. Preferred: Culinary certification, knowledge of modified diets principles, and safe, sanitary food handling techniques. Send resume and cover letter to Janet Cordero, FSA/Food and Nutritional Services, University Medical Center, Stony Brook, NY 11794-7012 or fax (631) 444-6819. Equal opportunity/affirmative action employer

Submitted by: Christine Oster/FSA

### **3. Job Opportunity - Human Resources Manager**

Stony Brook University Medical Center's FSA/Department of Food and Nutritional Services with a work force of 200 full-and part-time employees seeks an experienced Human Resources Manager/Generalist to perform a full range of HR duties. Required: Bachelor's degree in Business or related field with a minimum of three years of generalist HR experience in a unionized setting that includes recruitment, benefits, wage and salary administration, FLSA, FMLA ADA, work force training, performance management, unemployment and workers compensation experience; excellent word processing, spreadsheet, and Internet skills; strong written and verbal communications; superior organizational and problem solving skills; excellent interpersonal skills; and the ability to handle multiple priorities. Send resume and cover letter with salary requirement by 5/26/08 to Chris Oster, HR Manager, Depart. HRMCA, Faculty

Student Association, Room 250 Stony Brook Union, Stony Brook, NY 11794-3209, or fax to (631) 632-6573. Equal opportunity/affirmative action employer.

Submitted by: Christine Oster/FSA

#### **4. Job Opportunity - Lead Storeroom Worker**

Stony Brook University Medical Center's FSA/Department of Food and Nutritional Services is seeking a lead storeroom worker to assist with purchasing and receiving. Required: Previous supervisory experience, strong customer service skills, and computer literate. Preferred: High-volume purchasing and receiving experience; knowledge of federal, state, and local codes, and regulations pertaining to hospital food service; and strong leadership and communication skills. Send resume with cover letter and salary requirements to Janet Cordero, FSA/Food and Nutritional Services, Stony Brook University Medical Center, Stony Brook, NY 11790-7012, or fax (631) 444-6819. Equal opportunity/affirmative action employer.

Submitted by: Christine Oster/FSA

#### **5. Modified Starbucks Hours**

Starbucks Has Modified Hours For Finals Week.

Monday, 5/19: 12pm - 8pm

Tuesday, 5/20: 12pm - 4pm

Wednesday, 5/21 - Friday, 5/23: Closed

Starbucks Summer Hours (Trial Basis) Start Tuesday, May 27th:

Monday - Thursday 9am to 1:00pm

For More Summer Hours go to [www.campusdining.org](http://www.campusdining.org)

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Submitted by: Lisa Ospitale/FSA

#### **6. New ~ Southampton Summer Camps632-4933**

Stony Brook Southampton is proud to announce a new camp program for children between the ages of 8 to 13 on the picturesque 82 acre campus. The camp offers a variety of athletic activities to fill your child's day with exercise and adventure. Campers can choose either a half-day or full day for one, two, three or four weeks' duration. Each day includes a healthy hot lunch. Open House at Southampton Campus are on Saturdays, May 3rd and June 7th from 10AM to 1PM, call for our brochure.

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

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres

#### **7. Estee Lauder Warehouse Sale - Sat., May 24th**

Estee Lauder special invitation warehouse sale for invited guests on Saturday, May 24. Please e-mail Mary Gallino for tickets: Mary.Gallino@sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Augusta Kuhn/CAS

### **8. Seawolves Sports Summer Camps632-4550**

Stony Brook Athletics provides quality overnight or full day sport programs directed by NCAA Division I college coaches. Each camper is given the opportunity to receive instruction from the top college players in the game today. The Seawolves sports camps are tailored to campers of all skill levels and abilities so that children have the opportunity to progress at their own rate. We offer Baseball, Softball, Boys Lacrosse, Millon Lacrosse, Boys Soccer, Boys Basketball, Football, Girls Basketball, Girls Lacrosse, Girls Soccer, Strength and Conditioning, Tennis, and Volleyball Camp. Please call for our brochures or visit our website. Open Houses are all located in the Sports Complex on Saturday mornings from 9AM to 12PM for the following dates: March 15th, April 12th, and May 17th, 2008.

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

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres