

Campus Announcements for the week of 06/22/2008

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03. Workshops/Courses/Training

1. Input Requested - Rich Media Classroom Capture Systems

Teaching, Learning + Technology is exploring three different solutions for capturing video/audio/screen content, particularly in a lecture hall environment. A couple of faculty members have participated in trials using various different systems, and will be on hand to discuss both successes and shortcomings. Please join us to ask questions and let us know about any features that you would like included in the final product.

Location is: Javits Lecture Hall 102.

Date: Thursday 6/26/08, Time 1pm-2pm

Submitted by: Jennifer Adams/DoIT

04. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Welcome! Dr. Read Montague, Brown Foundation Professor of Neuroscience

Come one! Come All! DR.Read Montague will be presenting a seminar entitled "Using the Computational Models to Define and Track Control Signals during Learning and Sequential

Choice" on Thursday, June 26, 2008 in the Wang center, Lecture Hall 1 at 1:45pm. Refreshments will be served!

Submitted by: Darschay Harris-Franklin/Prov

06. Charitable

1. Clothing Bins Help the Cause Please Donate

Through its clothing recycling program, Breast Cancer Help, Inc. has placed a pink clothing bin on the grounds of the Ambulatory Care Pavilion opposite the entrance of the Carol Baldwin Breast Care Center. The proceeds from the bin will assist Breast Cancer Help, Inc. in its efforts in the fight against breast cancer. Breast Cancer Help, Inc., along with a grant from State Senator Caesar Trunzo, purchased the first digital mammography system on Long Island located at Stony Brook University Hospital. Please donate generously.

Submitted by: Victoria Irwin/UHMC

2. Carol M. Baldwin Breast Cancer Research Fund's Annual Celebrity Golf Outing

The Carol M. Baldwin Breast Cancer Research Fund's Annual Celebrity Golf Outing will take place on Monday, July 21 at the Nissequogue Golf Club. The festivities begin at 10:30 AM with Registration and Brunch followed by a shotgun start at 12:30 PM. The reception and awards dinner will begin at 5:30 PM. All monies raised from this event funds outstanding research and researchers at the Stony Brook University Medical Center. To date, the Fund has awarded more than 67 research grants totaling in excess of \$3.3 million. For more information regarding sponsorships or golf registration go to our web site at <http://www.findacure.org/> or call 631-444-4300.

Submitted by: Victoria Irwin/UHMC

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.

http://grfx.cstv.com/photos/schools/ston/sports/m-baskbl/auto_pdf/mbb-08-camp-1.pdf

Submitted by: Daniel Rickard/Pres

2. Sustainable Treasures

All concerts will take place at 8:00 pm in the Avram Theater on the Stony Brook Southampton campus.

July 10: Joint Concert with PianoFest -

July 17: Joel Frahm and friends

July 24: Sylvia McNair with Ted Taylor on piano

July 31: Jill Grove, mezzo-soprano, and Kathleen Kelly, piano

August 7: Patrick Carfizzi, bass-baritone, and Kathleen Kelly, piano

August 14: Christine Brewer, soprano, and Craig Rutenberg, piano

August 21: New Jazz Generation

August 28: Liz McCartney with co-star Marcy McGuigan and Ray Fellman on piano

Tickets

\$25 for Stony Brook University and Southampton College alumni, and for Stony Brook University faculty and staff

\$15 for students

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

Submitted by: Jessica Kunis/Pres

08. For-Pay Workshops/Courses

1. Craft Center Summer Courses

Registration has begun for Arts & Leisure classes held at the Craft Center. Summer 2008 class offerings include: Digital Photo, Pottery on the Wheel, Ceramic Hand-building, Pastels, Watercolor Painting, Beaded Jewelry and Defensive Driving. Pre-registration is necessary. The Crafts Center classes are non-credit, low cost and open to the public. Gift certificates available. For registration/brochure either come to the Craft Center located in the Student Union lower level room 049 or contact us: Phone 632-6822; Email craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu; Website www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter.

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

2. Paper Clay handbuilding Classes

The combination of paper fibers and porcelain produces a clay body with amazing possibilities.

Here is an opportunity for beginners and experienced students to create functional and/or sculptural pieces without concern for shrinking, cracking or warping. It's true! Come see for yourself and find your own way with paper clay. \$80/Student, \$100/Non-student. Fee includes use of glazes, some firings and ceramic membership. Five Thursdays, begins 6/26, 6:00 pm 8:00 pm, Union lower level room049. Other classes are also available! Pre registration required. For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us 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. Basic Digital Camera Workshop

This course will help students understand their digital camera so that they can shoot more creatively. Students will learn about the basics and the most useful functions of their personal digital camera. The class will explore how to compose and adjust for optimal image quality and beauty via demonstrations, examples and hands on practice. Bring your camera and owner's manual to class . Two Tuesdays; 7/1 and 7/8; 6:00 pm 8:00 pm \$40/student, \$50/non-student, Union rm062. 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, or look at our website www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter

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Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

09. Research

1. 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

2. 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

3. 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

4. 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

5. 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

6. Brookhaven National Laboratory Relationship Conflict Study

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Confidentiality maintained. Transportation provided.

1-888-352-7380 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.
Neuropsychology Group
Brookhaven National Laboratory
Bldg 490, Upton, NY 11973-5000
(631) 344-4472

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

7. Free Program for Expectant & New Parents

Pregnant or Have a New Baby? Know someone who is?

You may be eligible for the Couple CARE for Parents program if you:

are not married and are expecting or have a new baby 3 months or younger!

This free program focuses on helping expectant or new parents keep their relationship healthy and strong through the stresses and demands of parenting. Topics include infant care, bonding with babies, effective couple communication, managing stress and conflict, and supporting one another.

The program is offered out of the comfort of your own home. A support person will come to you for 3 home visits and schedule 4 telephone support sessions as well. Scheduling is flexible and includes nights and weekends.

Rebecca Bonanno

631-632-7858

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Email: rbonanno@stonybrook.edu

Web: <http://www.psychology.sunysb.edu/ftrlab-/projects/ccp.php>

YouTube Promo: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l-BrC1JIqkI>

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Submitted by: Ashley Hunt/GST

8. Research Study on First-Time Expectant Parents

Expecting your First Baby?

You may be eligible to participate in a study about your thoughts on becoming parents if you: are married OR living with your partner and are expecting your first child!

Participants will complete two questionnaires: one in your 3rd trimester and one when the baby is 3 months old. They ask about yourself, your relationship, and what you expect parenting to be like.

You will receive a Welcome Baby Package from our sponsor, Babies R Us for completing the first questionnaire.

You will be entered into a raffle to win a gift card to a local restaurant or baby store (e.g. Pace's Steak House, Mosaic, Curry Club, Bliss, Precious & Pampered) for completing the second questionnaire.

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631-632-6250
Call now for more information! Tell your friends or family!

Submitted by: Ashley Hunt/GST

9. Not getting along with your partner?

Researchers at Stony Brook University are looking for couples to participate in a RELATIONSHIP BEHAVIOR SURVEY.

Eligible couples will attend the research lab together for one session, and complete questionnaires and interviews.

Each person will be paid \$35 for participation (\$70 per couple) AND will receive referrals for therapy.

You may be eligible if you are married or have been living together for at least one year and aren't getting along with your partner or have been arguing frequently.

Call now: (631) 632-7850 (ask for Anita) or email stonybrook_relationshipstudy@yahoo.com (Include your name and phone number)

Submitted by: Anita Jose/GST

10. Seeking volunteers for a study on work environment and health.

Researchers at Stony Brook University are conducting a study in collaboration with the Gallup organization to understand how work environment affects health. We are looking for volunteers for our study who are over 18 and work Monday through Friday, but do not work on the weekends. Involvement in the study is for less than one week and includes two trips to our campus office. Participants will be compensated up to \$120. For further information, please call 631-632-3050, option 5 for the Workplace Engagement Study.

Submitted by: Leighann Litcher-Kelly/HSC

10. Miscellaneous

1. New & Used Goods Sale

The Auxiliary is holding a New & Used Goods Sale on Monday, June 23 in the vendor area by the cafeteria and deli.

This will be our biggest sale ever!

Please stop by!

Submitted by: Patricia O'Brien/UHMC

2. New Starbucks Summer Hours

Starting Monday, June 23rd Starbucks Will Be Open
Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 3:00pm
Friday 8:30am - 12pm
Located on the 2nd Floor of the Stony Brook Union

<http://www.campusdining.org>

Submitted by: Lisa Ospitale/FSA

3. Camp Academies at Stony Brook 632-4550

We now offer Camp Academies for children entering Kindergarten through grade 11 in the Fall 2008. Our special Camp Academies are designed to satisfy our campers with an interest in Art, Chess, Chess/Medical, Computers, GBA - Video Game Builders, Athletic/Medical, Acting, Sciences and Reading. These programs will run for one-week intervals during the summer. The camper will receive instructional activities relating to his or her chosen topic. A hot lunch and snack will also be provided. Call for our brochure or visit our website.

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

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres

4. University Beverage Partnership Announcement

Stony Brook University is pleased to announce a ten year partnership with Pepsi for the exclusive beverage pouring rights at the University. This agreement will provide the campus with an exciting variety of beverages as well as significant support for student scholarships. The awarding of this contract was the result of an extensive, formal bidding process that included a committee of campus professional staff, undergraduate and graduate students. Pepsi's bid was rated highest in a variety of criteria that included both financial return and other important issues to the University and the campus community.

Submitted by: Angela Agnello/FSA

5. Campus Child Care Available

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

Submitted by: Patricia Birbiglia/Affl

6. Fitness and Nature Walk through the Ashley Schiff Preserve, Wednesdays at 7:30 a.m.

Discover the miles of woodland trails that run through the Stony Brook campus. Every Wednesday morning, Friends of the Ashley Schiff Park Preserve sponsor a fitness and nature study walk, beginning at the trailhead near the traffic circle on Circle Drive. We walk meet every Wednesday at 7:30am, weather permitting. For more information, phone 631-357-3065 or email mcon@optonline.net

<http://pbisotopes.ess.sunysb.edu/a-schiff/>

Submitted by: Sharon Pavulaan/CEAS

7. SBU Celebrates Preservation of George Washington's Route Through Campus Commemorative Sign Being Unveiled at Historical Site

On Thursday June 26, 2008 at 12 Noon, President Shirley Strum Kenny, Professor Malcolm Bowman and guests will commemorate the preservation of Old Colonial Road on campus property by unveiling the cast historical sign located at the junction of Dogwood Drive and Mount Rd, Stony Brook. This location marks the passage of George Washington from Setauket to Huntington on April 23, 1790 through the old colonial highway on campus. We wish to preserve, protect and celebrate the most likely route America's first President took returning to Brooklyn after visiting Captain Austin Roe of the Setauket spy ring. Open to the public.

Submitted by: Donna Bannon/UAff