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

### **1. Organizational Meeting for Stony Brook Google Earth Users Group**

The first meeting of this new group is scheduled for July 29, 2008 at 3:00 pm in ESS, room 123. Google Earth has wide applications across disciplines ranging from Physical Sciences (Geosciences, Environmental) through Social Sciences (History, Economics), Mathematics (spatial and functional relationships), Engineering (Energy) and Computing to Medical Sciences (Epidemiology). Google Earth can offer standard Google Earth layers, third party layers and your own custom-created data to display on a map. It is easy to learn Google Earth without a steep learning curve. We will discuss: 1) How we can use Google Earth in our classrooms 2) Plans for future meetings of this group 3) Training workshops for faculty and students on the campus.

If you are interested and would like to attend please register by sending an email to [Mirza.Beg@sunysb.edu](mailto:Mirza.Beg@sunysb.edu) or [Glenn.Richard@sunysb.edu](mailto:Glenn.Richard@sunysb.edu)

Submitted by: Mirza Beg/CAS

### **2. EAP Lunchtime Learning- Labyrinth Walking, ulyPathway 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

July 31st, 12:00-1:00, 4:30-5:30, SB Red Dragon Labyrinth

To register call EAP at 632-6085

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

Submitted by: Linda Tatem/Pres

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

##### **1. The Faculty Director Lectures - All faculty and staff invited.**

Wednesday, July 23 from 11am to noon. Charles B. Wang Center, Meeting Room 201. Creating Learning Communities, by Kim Moorning, Director of Instructional Technology Services and an assistant professor in computer information systems at CUNY. Learning Communities have existed for decades, but this present age brought changes in teaching models and multimedia tools which dictate the need to collaborate. The higher education challenge is to create solid Faculty Learning Communities (FLC). Student Learning Communities are more concrete because students with similar courses or majors can form a community. Their communal lines are defined. Establishing, developing and sustaining FLCs require individual and continuous buy-in from faculty cohorts. FLCs are based on a dynamic philosophy of knowledge which requires research, assessment and innovative approaches to education stimulated by intellectual dialogue.

Submitted by: Theresa Ogazon/DoIT

##### **2. "What is RACE? The Cultural, Social, and Scientific Bases of Human Race"**

Open to all: "What is RACE? The Cultural, Social, and Scientific Bases of Human Race" Are there multiple human races? What are the cultural and social norms by which humans define their uniqueness and differences? What are the scientific and genetic bases of human race? What are the implications of genetic differences in medicine and pharmaceutical applications? Is there a pure human race? by Mala R. Chinoy, PhD, MBA. Tuesday, August 5, 2008 at 3:00-4:00 pm in Lecture Hall 2, HSC. Contact: Caroline Lazzaruolo, Office of Faculty Affairs, 638-2005(caroline.lazzaruolo@stonybrook.edu)

Submitted by: Caroline Lazzaruolo/UHMC

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

##### **1. The Women in Medicine Program presents "CREATE Tomorrow: What is the Problem for Women?"**

Open to all SOM Women Faculty: "CREATE Tomorrow: What is the Problem for Women?" The ability to negotiate is not a luxury but a necessity to advance professionally. Is there a

double standard? Are women and men judged differently when they speak their minds? Do women professionals get punished for asking for what they want? How does a woman successfully ask without provoking hostile responses? What is power? What is perceived power versus actual power and how to leverage it during negotiations? by Mala R. Chinoy, PhD, MBA. Tuesday, August 5, 2008 at 5:00-7:30 pm in the hospital cafeteria dining area. RSVP to: Caroline Lazzaruolo, Office of Faculty Affairs, 638-2005(caroline.lazzaruolo@stonybrook.edu)

Submitted by: Caroline Lazzaruolo/UHMC

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## **06. Charitable**

### **1. Fall Fashion Festival**

Tickets are now on sale for the 8th annual event. Thursday, October 16 from 6:30 to 10:30 PM at Villa Lombardi's. Ticket \$60 includes cocktail hour (cash bar), DJ, live entertainment, "Your Choice" auction, Parade of Survivors and our legendary fashion show, featuring (new-to-the-runway) COO Bruce Solomon, Administrator Rose Cardin, Drs. O'Hea, Chalas, Lu, Kudelka and a few surprises.

Tickets sell out fast, so make your reservations soon.

<http://www.fallfashionfestival.com>

Submitted by: Linda Bily/UHMC

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## **07. Culture & Entertainment**

### **1. Trip to Shea Stadium July 23 Mets vs. Phillies**

Only 12 tickets left! The Department of Campus Recreation will be organizing a trip to Shea Stadium to see The New York Mets take on the Philadelphia Phillies Wednesday July 23rd @ 7:10pm. Departure Time will be 4:15 pm from LaValle Stadium Parking Lot. This trip is FREE for SBU undergraduate students who are registered for summer class's, however a \$10.00 deposit is required to reserve your spot. (includes ticket and bus transportation) Tickets are available for graduate students/faculty/staff. Cost is \$20.00 payable at the time of registration. (includes ticket and bus transportation) For more information, please contact David Hairston at 632-7120.

<http://studentaffairs.stonybrook.edu/rec/index.shtml>

Submitted by: David Hairston/Pres

### **2. Music at Southampton - Sustainable Treasures Concert Series Sylvia McNair with Ted**

## **Taylor**

Join us Thursday, July 24 for the third concert of the series.

Sylvia McNair with Ted Taylor on piano -- Performing standards from the Great American Songbook, this Grammy award-winning soprano and cabaret artist will knock you out. After hearing McNair's performance, Rex Reed of the New York Observer said, "I could get used to this kind of ecstasy."

Concert takes place at 8:00 pm in the Avram Theater at Stony Brook Southampton. For more information visit [stonybrook.edu/treasures](http://www.stonybrook.edu/treasures) or call 631-632-8000.

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

Submitted by: Karen Keeley/UAff

### **3. The Many Faces of Origami Exhibition**

The Charles B. Wang Center and the Long Island Folding Enthusiasts (L.I.F.E) Presents  
The Many Faces of Origami Exhibition August 2-8, 2008

Open August 2-3, 2008: 10 am-5 pm, August 4-8, 2008: 10 am-7 pm at the Charles B. Wang Center

Come see Joel Cooper's breathtaking and innovative origami masks. Folded from single pieces of paper using advanced geometric folding techniques originally developed in 1960s Japan, called tessellation, these magnificent masks are reminiscent of classical sculptures from ancient civilizations and have been exhibited throughout the world. Joining Joel will be a second installation featuring Long Island origami artist, Anna Yu Powell, and painter, Dean Powell's handpainted origami pieces. Vibrantly colored origami animals will adorn the walls of the Wang Center pleasing the old and young alike.

Co-sponsored by the Japan Center at Stony Brook

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

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

### **4. Origami Heaven: Long Island's Only Summer Origami Festival**

The Charles B. Wang Center and Long Island Folding Enthusiasts(L.I.F.E)are very excited to be sponsoring the fourth annual summer origami festival. This year proves to be one of the most exciting yet featuring the usual array of origami activities and exhibitions of both national and local origami artists

Co-Sponsored with the Japan Center at Stony Brook

Origami Heaven Festival August 3, 2008, 11am-4pm

-A talk by film maker, Vanessa Gould (Green Fuse Films) and excerpts from her documentary, Between the Folds

-Storigami is back again with more exciting stories and origami!

-The super popular greeting card workshop

-Puppet portal

-Traditional Japanese Tea ceremony  
-Workshops/teaching tables with the Long Island Folding Enthusiasts who will help you learn origami!

The Many Faces of Origami is free and open to the public

Suggested Donation of \$5 for Origami Heaven

Groups of 15 or more must pre-register by emailing [origamiheaven@stonybrook.edu](mailto:origamiheaven@stonybrook.edu)

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

Submitted by: Jennifer Iacona/Pres

**5. Six days left -- 13th Annual Stony Brook Film Festival --  
[www.stonybrookfilmfestival.com](http://www.stonybrookfilmfestival.com) or 631-632-2787**

The Stony Brook Film Festival at Staller Center for the Arts continues through Saturday, July 26. The Closing Night film, "Camille," stars Sienna Miller and James Franco, and will be followed by an Awards Reception on Main Stage (Tickets: \$25 for non-passholders, \$20 for passholders. For the complete schedule of films, visit [www.stonybrookfilmfestival.com](http://www.stonybrookfilmfestival.com) or call the Box Office at 631-632-2787. Single tickets are \$8; \$6 for students and seniors.

<http://www.stonybrookfilmfestival.com>

Submitted by: Julie Greene/CAS

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

### **1. Advanced Microsoft Excel: Module II**

NCE 314.2 - 2 sessions - Fee: \$109

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

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

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

For questions call 632-7022

Section C: Mondays, 1:30pm-4:30pm; July 28 & August 4, 2008

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

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## **09. Research**

### **1. 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 Medical Center . Participants will be compensated up to \$750.00  
For More Information Please Call 631-444 3740

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

### **2. 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

### **3. 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

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## **10. Miscellaneous**

### **1. Buy any Mac laptop and get a free ipod\* and a free printer!**

Choose your Mac. If you're a student, faculty member, or staff member and you buy a Mac with your education discount between June 3 and September 15, 2008, you can get a free iPod touch

or iPod nano after rebate.\* You can learn about all of the new Apple products and promotions at the Seawolves MarketPlace in the Student Activities Center.(\*terms and conditions apply)

<http://www.apple.com/stonybrook>

Submitted by: Angela Agnello/FSA

## **2. New Fashion for Fridays clothing now available!**

Go to [www.shopsbu.com](http://www.shopsbu.com), click on Fashion for Fridays and then click on Summer 2008. Great new polo shirts and light-weight jackets!

If you would like a copy of our new catalog, please call Angela Agnello at 2-1464.

<http://www.shopsbu.com>

Submitted by: Angela Agnello/FSA

## **3. 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](mailto:mcon@optonline.net)

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

Submitted by: Sharon Pavulaan/CEAS

## **4. Books and Records for sale**

We have hundreds of books and a large collection of big band era and jazz record albums for sale. Most items are \$.50 or \$1.00. Come to the third floor stacks, Main Circulation Services in the Frank Melville Jr. Memorial Library, and find some great treasures.

Submitted by: David Weiner/Lib

## **5. Seawolves Sports Summer Camps 632-4550**

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