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The Chair's Chatter



Department News



Welcome to PTRS



Please join us in welcoming **Jacynta Brewton** to PTRS! Jacynta started on Monday, March 7th as the new Director of Development for PTRS. Her office is located on the 5th Floor in Room 505D. Stop by and introduce yourself!!



Alumni Update



The American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) held its annual Combined Sections Meeting (CSM) in Anaheim, CA from February 17th-20th, 2016. At least sixteen PTRS graduates were recognized and received specialist certifications at the Recognition Ceremony for Clinical Specialists on February 17th, 2016:

GCS = Geriatric

Linda Bernadette Horn, PT, DScPOT, MHS, GCS, NCS
Melissa Rose Schillenber, PT, DPT, GCS

NCS = Neurologic

Brandi R. Brian, PT, NCS
Kelly Hawkins, PT, DPT, NCS

OCS = Orthopaedic

Maureen Riley Ambrose, PT, DPT, OMPT, CMTPT, OCS
Kurt Stacy Brooks, PT, DScPT, OCS
Andrew Kunin, PT, DPT, OCS
Stephanie Kuzemchak McGowan, PT, DSc, OCS
Amy Ashley Morlock, PT, DPT, OCS
Dat Ba Quach, PT, DPT, OCS
Bryan Michael Wiles, PT, DPT, OCS

PCS = Pediatric

Bryana Bernadette Keenan, PT, DPT, PCS

SCS = Sports

Fumie Takahashi, PT, SCS
Michael Jason Zarro, PT, DPT, SCS, CSCS

WCS = Womens Health

Lindsay Mohr Rothermel, PT, DPT, WCS

SRAI Meeting



Karen Sack, BS, PTRS Administrator and **Surekha Vishwasrao**, MA, MS, PTRS Director of Finance, recently attended the SRA International 2016 Northeast/Southern Combined Sections Meeting held in New York City on February 28th - March 2nd, 2016. Karen was a co-presenter, and served on the Northeast/Southern Section Planning Committee as Track Chair for Pre-Award Sponsored Programs, Ambassador, Chair of the dinner groups, and Room Monitor.

Surekha served on the Planning Committee.

Karen's presentation at the Society of Research Administrators International Meeting was entitled, "Faculty Transfers - Hello and Goodbye!!". Pictured below (center) with Karen are her co-presenters, William F. Hoffman, Jr. , MAS, President, Society of Research Administrators International (SRAI), Northeast Section, Department Administrator, University of Maryland School of Dentistry, Endodontics, Periodontics, and Prosthodontics Department along with Janet Simons, M.S., Director, Research Policy, Office of Research and Development, University of Maryland, Baltimore.



CE Course

Thank you to everyone that attended the CE course:

MORE BANG FOR THE BUCK: ENHANCING OUTCOMES THROUGH IMPAIRMENT-BASED TREATMENT

Taught by Michelle Green, PT, DPT, c-NDT, NCS. (pictured below)



The next CE Course is on March 23rd:

**NORMAL AND VARIANT ANATOMY OF THE UPPER EXTREMITY:
CLINICAL APPLICATIONS?**

Taught by Vincent Conroy, PT, DScPT

Spaces are still available.

Scroll down for additional information and the registration link.

Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar



***"Cognitive and neural underpinnings of the reach to grasp
corrective balance response***

Kelly Westlake, PT, PhD

Please plan to join us on Friday, March 11th from 9:00am - 10:00am in Room 511 of the Allied Health Building at 100 Penn Street.

PT Residency Acceptance



Eleanore "Leslie" Gartner was accepted into the University of Delaware's 14-month-long Sports Physical Therapy Residency that will begin immediately after she graduates from PTRS in May. Congratulations, Leslie!



Continuing Education Opportunities

NORMAL AND VARIANT ANATOMY OF THE UPPER EXTREMITY: CLINICAL APPLICATIONS?

Wednesday March 23, 2016
5:30-10:00 PM

Instructor: Vincent Conroy PT, DScPT
CEU Credits: .4 CEUs Approved by the Maryland Board of PT Examiners

Where: Allied Health Building: 100 Penn Street, Baltimore, MD 21201

Free for CIs with voucher credits*. Discounted pricing for Alumni. Space is limited to 25 participants.

*If you are a PTRS CI and do not know your voucher number please check your CORE ELMS profile or email ptrsclined@som.umaryland.edu

This course is designed to enhance the participants' understanding of anatomical rationale associated with clinical diagnoses of the upper limb. Participants will be provided with a detailed anatomical review, both normal and variant, of the upper extremity and adjacent anatomical regions that may have influence on diagnoses. This review will allow each individual to formulate objectives that can be pursued in the laboratory sessions.

Register [HERE](#)

APTA CREDENTIALLED CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR COURSE

Saturday & Sunday, April 2 & 3, 2016
7:30-5PM

Instructor: Janet Mutschler PT, DPT, MHS
CEU Credits: PTs/PTAs: 1.5 CEUs, Healthcare providers from other disciplines: 1.2 CEUs

Where: Allied Health Building: 100 Penn Street, Baltimore, MD 21201

Discounted pricing for Alumni or CIs* & CCCEs with voucher credits. Space is limited. **Registration Deadline March 5, 2016**

*If you are a PTRS CI and do not know your voucher number please check your CORE ELMS profile or email ptrsclined@som.umaryland.edu

The program addresses issues of planning for students during their clinical education experiences, developing and facilitating learning experiences, supporting ongoing learning through questioning and effective feedback, and partnering between the academic program and clinical sites.

Register [HERE](#)

IT TAKES A VILLAGE: MENTORSHIP FOR THE CLINICAL EDUCATOR

MAC Spring Workshop

April 8, 2016
Registration 1:30-2:00PM
Workshop 2-6PM

Where: Allied Health Building: 100 Penn Street, Baltimore, MD 21201

Course Description:

In 2014, with the support of APTA, the Education Section, and FSBPT, the American Council of Academic Physical Therapy held a Clinical Education Summit where stakeholders shaped a shared vision of a "common culture of teaching and learning based in strong partnerships with shared responsibility..." This innovative program is designed to foster collaborative networks that will provide educational mentorship opportunities for novice and experienced clinical educators. Participants will receive an overview of best practices in mentorship in clinical and educational arenas, discuss various strategies for the provision and receipt of feedback among all clinical education stakeholders, and explore the paralleled opportunities for mentorship for the clinical educator. The program will be offered in a multi-modal format including presentations, interactive simulations, and opportunities for informal networking.

Register [HERE](#)

Questions about CEU Opportunities? Contact Deidra Stevens
at djstevens@som.umaryland.edu or 410-706-2163

Class Fund Raiser

BULL *and* SHRIMP ROAST

You are invited to join the **Class of 2017** for their 2nd Annual Bull and Shrimp Roast! Join the Class of 2017 as they celebrate the end of the semester while raising money for great causes with friends, family, and classmates on Friday April 22nd from 7pm-11pm in Canton (right by Brewer's Hill).

This is an all- inclusive event....all you can eat and drink for \$40! There will be a silent auction, 50/50 raffle, door prizes, money wheels and so much more. The Class of 2017 works hard to put on a great event and they would love for you to join them. Proceeds from this event contribute to their class banquet, department gift, and the 2015-2016 Pittsburgh-Marquette Challenge!

For tickets and more information, email **Kelsey Rogers**, SPT '17:
Kelsey.Rogers@som.umaryland.edu

Campus Happenings



Blood Donations Needed



The American Red Cross has issued an emergency need for blood donations, so please donate and save 3 lives.

UMMC will be holding four blood drives throughout March. The drives will be on March 17th and 22nd from 8am-8pm, in the Medical Center's Gudelsky Hallway.

All donors will receive a \$5 coupon to any of the hospital eateries and a chance to win other special giveaways.

You can schedule an appointment or by emailing Katey Leiter at kleiter@umm.edu with the time you want to give.

InterProfessional Education



2016 IPE Faculty Development Session
March 23
2 to 5 p.m.
Location TBD

Registration will begin at 1:30 p.m. *Register for this event* by March 16.

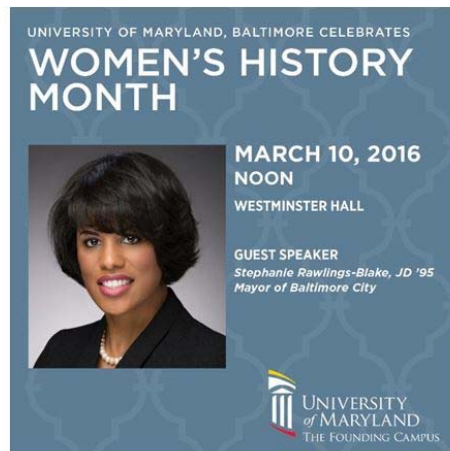


Fourth Annual IPE Day
April 13
1 p.m.
School of Nursing, SMC Campus Center,
HS/HSL

The Fourth Annual IPE Day will enhance the knowledge of faculty and students about this emerging collaborative movement in health care, law, and social work. *Visit our website* to register and for the day's schedule.

For more information, visit their website at:
<http://www.umaryland.edu/ipe/>

Women's History Month



Women's History Month

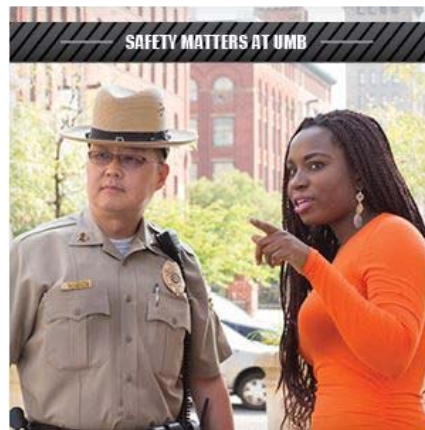
Join us as we welcome Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake to celebrate Women's History Month. *Donations* for Paul's Place will be collected; please bring your items on March 10. *Registration* is required and all are welcome to attend. A light lunch will be provided.

Visit this site to register
[Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake Lecture](#)

Public Safety

Feel Safe

If you feel unsafe walking around campus, call for a police escort at 6-6882 or 410-706-6882. Walking escorts are available 24/7.



For more campus safety tips, visit:
<https://www.umaryland.edu/publicsafety/safety-tips/>

Additional Meeting Deadlines

For additional meeting deadlines, visit <http://pt.umaryland.edu/research.asp> and select the "Research Events Calendar" file.



Reminders

Have news to share?




Please send news, announcements, updates and pictures to **Donna Bethke**, dbethke@som.umaryland.edu, by Monday at 5 PM to be included in the current week's issue.

Thanks for sharing!!!!

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