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The Chair's Chatter



Department News



Farewell

The department is saying "Goodbye & Best Wishes" to a couple of very valuable faculty members this week:



Dr. Leslie Glickman has decided to retire from her faculty position in the department, effective January 1, 2016. We are grateful for the many contributions that Dr. Glickman has made to PTRS since 2001 including: Coordinator, Post-Professional Doctor of Physical Therapy Program, Director of Post-Professional Programs, Interim Director DPT Program, Executive Director of External Affairs, and as a Core Faculty member since 2007. Dr. Glickman also contributed substantially to the development of the combined DPT/Ph.D. program now in place. Most recently, Dr. Glickman led the grant-supported and successful inter-professional collaborative sustainability project between the Kachere Rehabilitation Centre, Malawi and the University of Maryland, Baltimore. A farewell luncheon is scheduled for Dr. Glickman on Friday, December 18th at noon in Room 211 of the Allied Health Building.



Dr. Michelle Prettyman, who resigned her full-time faculty position effective 8/21/15, has been working part-time on research projects and will officially resign on 12/31/15 to pursue other professional and personal interests and goals. Dr. Prettyman joined the department in 2007 with a teaching focus and then transitioned to a research focus in 2009. In addition to her teaching and research contributions, she was a School of Medicine Council Member, a Department Efficiency and Effectiveness Project committee (DEEP) member, and held a University of Maryland Claude D. Pepper Older Americans Independence Center Data and Safety Monitoring Board appointment. A farewell celebration is scheduled for her on Thursday, December 17th at 3pm in Room 211 of the Allied Health Building.

We thank and wish both a bright and happy future.



Peer Review



PTRS Ph.D. student, **Brian Johnson**, will serve as a peer reviewer this month for a manuscript submitted to the American Journal of Occupational Therapy (AJOT).

Interprofessional Opportunities



The Center for Interprofessional Education at the University of Maryland, Baltimore is pleased to announce an opportunity for \$5,000-\$10,000 seed grants for 13-month IPE and IPC pilot projects. Please see the attached announcement for details. Templates for the proposal and budget are also attached. The deadline for proposals is February 12, 2016.

Additional information can be found [HERE](#)

Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar



The final Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar for this semester/year will be from 9:00am - 10:00am on Friday, December 15th in Room 511 of the Allied Health Bldg (PTRS, 100 Penn Street).

PRS PhD student, **Chieh-ling Yang**, will present:

"The effects of reactive and voluntary stepping training on balance recovery during lateral perturbation in individuals with chronic stroke"

Hope you can join us!!

Security Coverage for Winter Break

Winter Break is approaching. We expect during these times there will be limited activities from faculty, staff, and students on the UMB campus and in School of Medicine facilities. Therefore, entry to all the facilities listed below will be by card access only starting at 5pm on Thursday, December 24, 2015 to resumption of normal security coverage on Monday, January 4, 2016:

100 North Greene Street
737 W. Lombard Street (old Administration Building)
Allied Health Building
Biomedical Research Facility (108 N. Greene Street)
Bressler Research Building/Howard Hall Complex
Dental Museum and Davidge Hall
General Research Building 111 Penn Street (old Medical Examiner's Office)
George Gray Hall (Gray Lab)
Health Sciences Facility I & II
Institute of Human Virology Building
Medical School Teaching Facility
Penn Street Clinic (120 Penn Street)

Holiday Schedule

This will be the final issue of the Chair's Chatter for 2015. Weekly publications will resume on Wednesday, January 6th, 2016.



Public Safety

Feel Safe. Call a Police Escort.

It's getting dark earlier. Don't forget that the UMB Police offers van and walking escorts on campus and in surrounding areas. The boundaries for the services can be viewed on the [UMB campus map](#).

Call 410-706-6882 to arrange an escort.



For more campus safety tips, visit:

UM Shuttle



Winter Holiday Schedule

The UM *shuttle* will not run from Dec. 24 to Jan. 1. Service will resume on Jan. 4.

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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