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Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Science

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The Chairs' Chatter

Greetings!



Congratulations John Grossman ('15) for being the first one to answer last week's trivia question in honor of PT month!! **How many PTRS alumni are there? 2600**

Last chance to win a fabulous PTRS memorabilia prize! The first person to answer the question correctly will win. Send your response to dbethke@som.umaryland.edu.



Question for the week of October 28th:

We are currently ranked in the top _____ percent of physical educational programs in the United States. (Fill in the blank)

Mark & Mary

Department News



Maryland Disability History and Awareness Month



*Kudos to **Faunice Jackson**, a second year student in the DPT program, for her participation in the Maryland Disability History and Awareness Month and National Disability Employment Awareness Month panel discussion, held on Monday, October 28 in the campus center. The panel featured four people, including Faunice and a student from the Social Work program, who answered a variety of questions about laws, and how people with perceived and unperceived disabilities are treated at UMB and in the greater community. Faunice herself spoke about how ambiguous language in laws such as the ADA can lead to confusion and even barriers for people with disabilities in school and in the workplace. Way to go, Faunice!*



National Student Conclave

October 24-26, 2013 | Louisville, Kentucky

Stacy Dishman, Faunice Jackson, Nicole Morici, Liz Prager, Ashley Thornton, and Kaitlyn Wille all traveled to Louisville, Kentucky last week from October 24th-26th for the National Student PT Conclave. During their trip the students got to experience a wide variety of events and presentations from different speakers, and had the chance to attend

various lectures on topics they were interested in. The presentations focused on post-graduation topics, resume-building, student advocacy, residencies and fellowships, certifications, and special interests within the PT profession including neurology, orthopedics, pediatrics, geriatrics and women's health. There was also an exhibit hall that hosted dozens of PT employers, sections of the APTA, and medical equipment companies that were raffling off prizes and giving away samples. The students had a great time exploring downtown Louisville while getting to network and expand their knowledge of the PT world!

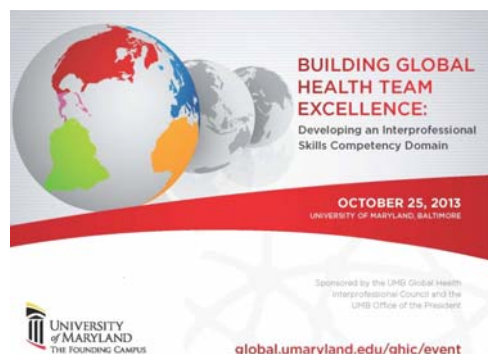
Current Admissions Data

The DPT Admissions process continues to experience an increase in the number of applications and in the quality and geographic, ethnic and academic diversity of applicants.

	As of 10/28/2014	As of 10/28/2013
Applications received	294 (+15%)	256
Applicants interviewed	56	47
Offers of admission extended	33	23

The admissions committee will meet on Tuesday, October 29, at 2:00 pm to review the application for the students who attended the October 23 interview.

The remaining interview dates are: Wednesday, November 6, Wednesday, November 20 and Friday 10.



With the theme, "Building Global Health Team Excellence: Developing an Interprofessional Skills Competency Domain," over 45 invited leaders in global and interprofessional education from the US and Canada met to identify core interprofessional skills necessary for global health

professionals, frame them into general interdisciplinary competency statements, and develop a roadmap for finalizing the content of an interdisciplinary competency domain and a model curriculum. The focus of the roundtable was to look at the intersection of global health education and interprofessional education (IPE) to determine what IPE concepts should be part of a well-designed global health education program, ensuring that global health lives up to its definition - and promise - as a truly interprofessional field. The interprofessional competency domain is non-profession specific and broad enough to incorporate students from fields that have traditionally been left out of global health education initiatives, e.g., law, business, and engineering students.

Participating in the roundtable and its development was PTRS faculty, Leslie Glickman, a member of the UMB Global Health Interprofessional Council (GHIC) Steering Committee and Jody Frost, Lead Academic Specialist, APTA. Jody brings extensive expertise to the roundtable in the area of interprofessional education.



GHIC is now a part of the UM Center for Global Education Initiatives.

Announcements



Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar

Friday's Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar will feature a presentation by Cheih-ling Yang, Ph.D. student in the Physical Rehabilitation Science doctoral program, entitled:

"A loud acoustic stimulus evoked-response during movement planning facilitates voluntary reach in patients with chronic stroke."

Please join us **Friday, November 1st, 9:00AM-10:00AM in Room 211** of the Allied Health Bldg (PTRS).

PTRS Annual Phonathon

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Calling all PTRS Students and Faculty to assist with this year's fall phonathon!

Monday, Nov. 18th
Tuesday, Nov. 19th
Wednesday, Nov. 20th

5:30 PM Dinner and Training
6-9:00 PM Calling

We need to fill the phones for a successful campaign. 15 callers are needed each night. **Free dinner** for everyone! **Special prizes** for top callers!

Further details will be forthcoming. If interested in assisting, please contact Alex Ganzermiller at 410.706.5742 or aganzermiller@som.umaryland.edu.

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Interprofessional Education Center Launch:



The IPE Center will be formally launched on Wednesday, November 20, 2013 from 1:00pm - 4:00pm. The meeting will occur in the Elm Room (Room 210) on the 2nd floor in the SMC Campus Center. An agenda for the November 20 meeting will be forthcoming. Please RSVP to Patricia Danielewicz pdanielewicz@umaryland.edu by Wednesday, November 13.

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Interprofessional Education Day

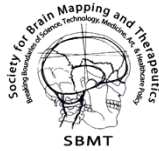
Wednesday, February 19, 2014
Details to Follow



Abstract Submission Timeline

Society for the Neural Control of Movement (NCM) 24th Annual Meeting abstract submission for team presenters is November 22, 2013. This year's meeting is being held April 22 - 25, 2014 in Amsterdam, Netherlands.





Society of Brain Mapping and Therapeutics 11th Annual World Congress meeting abstract deadline is end of November 2013. This year's meeting is being held March 17 - 19, 2014 in Sydney, Australia.



7th World Congress of Biomechanics will begin taking application submissions November 15, 2013 Through January 15, 2014. Podium Presentations will be limited, so please submit early to the continuous review process. This meeting occurs once every four year!

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

Reminders



Have news to share?

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