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April 30, 2014

The Chairs' Chatter



**April showers bring May flowers and lots of action at
PTRS!!
*Mark and Mary***

Department News



Pinning Ceremony

Friday, May 2, 2014

3:00 pm

WESTMINSTER HALL

515-519 W. Fayette Street

Baltimore, MD



Pinning celebrates the approaching completion of the first year of the DPT program, and advancement onto the clinical portion of the curriculum. Students are "pinned" by the faculty. This gesture is symbolic of the student-teacher relationship that will eventually transition to that of colleague-to-colleague. Each student creates a PowerPoint slide that reflects the significance this ceremony holds for of him/her. As the students are pinned, the slides will be projected. Name badges, lab coats and department pins are given to students at the ceremony. Family and friends are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served in the SMC Campus Center following the ceremony.

Guest Lecturer



The Class of 2016 had a guest lecturer on Tuesday from **Gene Shirokobrod, DPT '11!** He spoke to our students about professionalism and how to distinguish oneself in the PT community. Thanks Gene!

Accepted Students' Day

The DPT Class of 2017 joined us for Accepted Students' Day on Friday, April 25. The 56 members of the class are looking forward to the start of an exciting and challenging journey through PT school.

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Announcements



Amputee Walking School



UNIVERSITY of MARYLAND
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AMPUTEE
WALKING SCHOOL

**ADVANCED TRAINING
FOR THERAPISTS & INDIVIDUALS
WITH AMPUTATION**

This advanced gait training and running program is for individuals with lower extremity amputation, therapists and other health care professionals who work with persons with amputation. The **Amputee Walking School** offers a hands-on and interactive clinic featuring demonstrations and training. We have applied for continuing education credit from the Maryland Board of Physical Therapy Examiners.

Presented by University of Maryland Rehabilitation & Orthopaedic Institute and Dankmeyer, Inc.



SATURDAY, MAY 31, 2014
9:30 am - 4:30 pm
Baltimore City Community College, Liberty Campus
2901 Liberty Heights Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21215

Registration and morning sessions: Admin Main Building, Fine Arts Wing, Mini Conference Center

Afternoon sessions: PE Center, near the tennis courts

Campus map: umrhabortho.org/events

Special presenters: Former paralympic athletes Todd A. Schaffhauser and Dennis Oehler

COST
\$125: PT and OT
\$65: PTA, COTA, O and P providers, other professionals
\$65: University of Maryland Rehabilitation Network PT and OT
\$50: Students
Free for individuals with amputations and their families.

QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS?
Contact Sheila Schaffer at
sschaffer@umm.edu or 410-448-6802

Please mail registration form and payment to: University of Maryland Rehabilitation & Orthopaedic Institute, Attention: Sheila Schaffer, Room 1220, 2200 Kernan Drive, Baltimore, MD 21207.

Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar

No Lecture this Week!

Friday, May 2, 2014

Research Day 2014



Date: May 12, 2014
Time: 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Location: MSTF Auditorium/Atrium

Keynote Speaker:

Gammon M. Earhart, PT, PhD, Professor

Program in Physical Therapy, Department of Anatomy & Neurobiology, and
Department of Neurology, and Associate Director, Movement Science PhD
Program, Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis

Dr. Earhart is a nationally and internationally recognized research scientist in physical therapy whose work is focused on developing exercise and other interventions including the use of dance and investigating neural mechanisms in people with Parkinson's disease.

Additional Presentations Include:

"The Importance of Intramuscular Fat in Older Adult Function"

Odessa Addison, DPT, PhD
Postdoctoral Fellow

"The effect of self-triggered sensory cueing on sit-to-stand movement in individuals with Parkinson's disease"

Cheng-Chieh Lin, PT, MPT, PhD
UMANRRT Postdoctoral Fellow

"Auditory motor adaptation in children with and without developmental coordination disorder (DCD)"

Renuka Roche, PhD, MS, OTR/L
PRS PhD Graduate

Research day will be taking place in the MSTF Auditorium/Atrium, 685 W. Baltimore Street. Parking is available in the Penn Parking Garage - [UMB campus map can be viewed here.](#)

Click here to register:

Golf Tournament



PTRS has been notified that we will be the beneficiary of the URecFit golf tournament this year! The tournament will take place on Thursday, May 22, 2014 at Oakmont Greens Golf Club in Hampstead, MD.

We welcome PTRS participation! If you are interested in registering for the golf tournament or know someone (like family members) who would be interested in participating, please help us spread the word and share [this link!](#) This is a great way to have PTRS friends support our department. We are also looking for sponsors for the event, should you know of someone who might be interested, please contact Alex Ganzermiller at aganzermiller@som.umaryland.edu or stop by her office 205-A! All information on the golf tournament can be found by visiting:

http://www.umaryland.edu/urecfitspecial_events/golf_tournament.html

Mark your Calendars!

Second Year Send-Off Soiree

PRATT STREET ALE HOUSE

FRIDAY, MAY 23, 2014

4:00 PM

All members of the class of 2015, faculty, and staff are invited to the second year send-off soiree. Come join the festivities as the class of 2015 celebrates the milestone of their last day of classes and begins their journey into the clinics.

Sponsored by:

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PLEASE RSVP BY MAY 9TH TO: [KATHRYN.PALL@SOM.UMARYLAND.EDU](mailto:kathryn.pall@som.umaryland.edu)

Call for Submissions



American Physical Therapy Association



Already time to plan for next year's Combined Sections Meeting (CSM) 2015 scheduled February 4 - 7, 2015 in Indianapolis, Indiana. Abstract submission deadline is June 2, 2014. Click here for more information:

<http://www.apta.org/CSM/Submissions/>



The 19th International Functional Electrical Stimulation Society (IFESS) "Powering the Human Body: Create to Rehabilitate," will be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia from September 17 - 19, 2014. Submission of special session and workshop topics is April 30, 2014, and submission deadline for full papers is June 30, 2014.

[International Functional Electrical Stimulation Society \(IFESS\)](http://www.ifessi2014.um.edu.my)

DEADLINES!!

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



Reminders

Have news to share?



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Thanks for sharing!!!!

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