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# ***The Chairs' Chatter***



**PTRS is fired up for fall!**

***Mark and Mary***



## **Department News**



### **National Physical Therapy Month**

Each issue of this month's Chairs' Chatter will feature a trivia question. The first person to answer the question correctly will win PTRS memorabilia! Send your response to [aganzermiller@som.umaryland.edu](mailto:aganzermiller@som.umaryland.edu).

Question for the week of October 22nd:

**When did the very first PTRS class graduate?**



### **Presentation**

**"Performance-driven control of Functional Electrical Stimulation for upper limb stroke rehabilitation using non-contact sensors"**

**Dr. Jane Burridge**

Professor of Restorative Neuroscience and Head of Rehabilitation and Health Technologies  
Faculty of Health Sciences  
University of Southampton, UK



Thursday, October 23rd, 2014  
9:00am  
Bressler Bldg, Room 12-035

Professor Burrige is an internationally recognized scholar specializing in the use of technology to facilitate research in upper extremity rehabilitation for stroke survivors. She is visiting PTRS under a Global Partnership Grant from the University of Southampton with the intent of forming and furthering research collaborations with the Departments of Neurology (**Dr. George Wittenberg**) and Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Science (**Dr. Jill Whittall**).

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## Global Projects



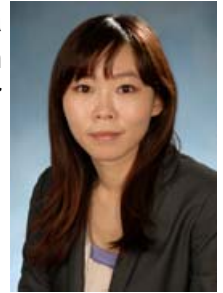
**Dr. Leslie Glickman** (pictured above, far right), was part of a group of faculty and students who met with President Perman to discuss our recent global projects through the Center for Global Education Initiatives.

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## Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar

This week's Rehabilitation Science Research Seminar will feature a presentation by Wan-wen Liao, PhD student in Physical Rehabilitation Science. She will be discussing preliminary work leading toward her dissertation proposal. The title of her talk will be:



**"Reduced intracortical inhibition is associated with bimanual common and dual goal tasks"**

Please plan to join us from 9:00AM-10:00AM, Friday October 24th in Room 211 of the Allied Health Bldg. (PTRS)

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## State of the School of Medicine Address

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# Register Now!

**E. Albert Reece, M.D., Ph.D., M.B.A.**

Vice President for Medical Affairs, University of Maryland  
John Z. and Akiko K. Bowers Distinguished Professor and Dean,  
University of Maryland School of Medicine

*Cordially invites you to the:*

## 2014

**State of the School of Medicine Address**  
***“From Vision to Venture”***



**When: Wednesday, October 22, 2014 - 3:30p.m.**

**Where: Medical School Teaching Facility  
(MSTF) Auditorium - 685 W. Baltimore St.**

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For more information contact: **Vanessa Carroll**  
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**Baltimore Running Festival**



Members of the PTRS Class of 2016 participated in the Baltimore Running Festival this past weekend on Saturday, October 18th, 2014.



Pictured above (left) is Annie Neurohr, a member of PTRS Class of 2016, sitting with fellow team members of Helping Up Mission's team through Back on My Feet. Annie has taken a volunteer leadership position with this organization that helps those affected by homelessness in Baltimore get back on track through life through running. Go Annie! Other members of the PTRS Class of 2016 who participated in the 5k race are featured above as well (pictured above, right).

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## Call for Submissions





Abstracts are now being accepted through **November 1, 2014** for the [12th Annual World Congress of SBMT](#). This year's event is being held in Los Angeles, CA, March 6-8, 2015.

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[The American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine \(ACRM\)](#) online proposal submission portal is open for the 2015 ACRM Annual Conference, Progress in Rehabilitation Research. Submission deadlines include: Pre- and Post-Conference Instructional Course proposals due by December 15, 2014; Symposia proposals due by January 15, 2015; and Scientific Paper and posters due by March 2, 2015.

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[International Society for Posture & Gait Research](#)

is now accepting abstracts through December 1, 2014 for World Congress 2015 in Seville, Spain from June 28 - July 2, 2015.



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You are invited to join the [Cognitive Neuroscience Society \(CNS\)](#) at their 22nd Annual Meeting. CNS 2015 will be held in San Francisco on March 28-31, 2015 at the San Francisco Hyatt Regency. Cognitive Neuroscience Society (CNS). For the 2015 annual meeting you may make either a Poster Submission or a Mini Symposium submission. Both submissions are now being accepted for the 2015 meeting. All submissions are due on **October 22, 2014**.



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[Society of Neural Control of Movement](#)

Join the 25th Annual Meeting and Satellite Meeting from April 20 - 24, 2015 at the Francis Marion Hotel in Charleston, South Carolina. For the 2015 Annual Meeting, the following submission schedule has been established. Please refer to the submission guidelines for each of these submission types (Team, Individual) prior to submitting your abstract.

[Team \(Multi-Author\)](#): October 20, 2014 - November 28, 2014

[Individual \(Oral\)](#): December 12, 2014 - January 9, 2015

[Individual \(Poster\)](#): December 12, 2014 - January 30, 2015

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## Additional Meeting Deadlines



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

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## Reminders

Have news to share?



Please send news, announcements, updates and pictures to **Donna Bethke**, [dbethke@som.umaryland.edu](mailto: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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