Tuesday, 10 November 2009

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Lectures and Seminars

**Wednesday, November 11, 2009**
DIVISION OF GENERAL PEDIATRICS
Translational Research Seminar Schedule 2009

**PAS Abstract Workshop**
**Multiple Faculty**

11:00am - 12:00pm
UCSF Laurel Heights Campus
3333 California Street, Conference Room 262
*Lunch is served*

Contact Marcela Cazares at 415/476-5473 or email CazaresM@peds.ucsf.edu.

**Thursday, November 12, 2009**
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health & Society Scholars
Program Core Seminar Schedule

**Topic:** Can we strengthen the effectiveness of community-level, preventive interventions by reconceptualising their mechanism of action?

**Speaker:** Penny Hawe
Professor, Population Health Intervention Research Centre, University of Calgary

12:00 - 2:00 pm
UCB, University Hall, Room 714C

Contact: hss@chc.ucsf.edu

**Thursday, November 12, 2009**
UCSF Osher Center for Integrative Medicine

**The Health Benefits of Tai Chi: Art and Science**

**Dr. Paul Lam**
Founder, Better Health Tai Chi Chuan Academy

Dr. Lam will provide an overview of the art forms of Tai Chi, and he will discuss the scientific evidence for its health benefits.
Friday, November 13, 2009
UCSF Department of Psychiatry / Health Psychology Seminar Series:
"Mind and Biology: Mechanisms and Models"

**Topic: The Exposome – A powerful concept for evaluating environmental causes of human diseases**

**Steve Rappaport, PhD**
Professor of Environmental Health School of Public Health University of California, Berkeley

12:00 - 1:15 pm
UCSF Laurel Heights Campus
3333 California Street, Room 474

Sponsored by the Center for Health and Community at UCSF and co-facilitated by Margaret Kemeny, Elissa Epel, and Owen Wolkowitz. Please feel free to bring along a packed lunch.

For additional information about the seminars, please contact Margaret Kemeny (KemenyM@healthpsych.ucsf.edu or 415-476-7620).

Tuesday, November 17, 2009
Postdoctoral Seminar in Psychology and Medicine

**Topic: Spit, Sweat and Tears: Conducting Salivary Cortisol Research in Naturalistic Settings**

**Speaker: Emma Adam, PhD**
Institute for Policy Research Northwestern University

Time: 8:30 - 10:00 am
Location: UCSF Laurel Heights, Conference Room 474
The seminars are open to UCSF graduate students, postdoctoral fellows and faculty.

Contact Health Psychology Program 415-476-7285 or HealthPsychology@ucsf.edu

**Tuesday, November 17, 2009**
GME Grand Rounds 2009-10

"Health Reform and the Culture of Medicine: How the Policy Debate Will Shape Your Practice...No Matter What Congress Passes"

**Daniel Dohan, PhD**  
Associate Professor of Health Policy and Social Medicine University of California, San Francisco

Sponsored by the Dean’s Office of Graduate Medical Education

Time: 12:00-1:00 pm  
Location: N-217  
*Lunch provided for residents and fellows.

**Job Opportunity:**  
Post-Graduate Fellowship at Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation  
The Post-Graduate Fellowship is an intensive training program that provides opportunities both for self-directed research and interdisciplinary collaboration in health metrics. Strong candidates for this program have graduate-level training in quantitative methodology from one of the following areas: health policy, economics, mathematics, computer science, statistics, biostatistics, epidemiology, health services, demography, engineering, physics, medical sciences, or other related fields.

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More information about the PGF program and the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation can be found at: [http://www.healthmetricsandevaluation.org](http://www.healthmetricsandevaluation.org)

CVs/resumes and personal statements may be emailed to pgf@healthmetricsandevaluation.org

**Grant Writing Workshop**  
Attached Please find the "proposal writing agenda" for the Grant Writing Workshop held at **California State, Chico**.
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