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**Lectures and Seminars**

**Wednesday, May 20, 2009**
Medical Anthropology Colloquium Seminar

‘Ethnics’, Ethics and Equity: Increasing “Minority” Accrual to Cancer Clinical Trials

**Galen Joseph, PhD,**
Assistant Professor, Cancer Center
Medical Anthropology, UCSF

Laurel Heights Ste 474 | 3:30-5:00

Contact: Kimberly Bissell at bissellk@dahsm.ucsf.edu or 415-476-7223

**Wednesday, May 20, 2009**
Center for the Health Professions

**Peeling the Onion: Evaluating the CHCF Program’s Impact and Potential**

**Peter Rudd, MD**
Professor of Medicine (General Internal Medicine), Stanford University School of Medicine
This session explores the impacts of the California HealthCare Foundation’s Health Care Leadership Program.

**Agenda:**
1. Top Layer: the OBVIOUS
2. Middle Layer: the EASY
3. Inner Layer: the ELUSIVE
4. The ONION opportunity

12:00-1:00 pm
UCSF Laurel Heights, Suite 410
3333 California Street, San Francisco, CA
SEMINAR SERIES occurs the third Wednesday of every month and features presentations and discussions led by CHP staff and colleagues.

Anyone is welcome to attend.

Contact: Melissa Knox at mknox@thecenter.ucsf.edu or 415-502-1638

**Non-UCSF Open Position**

I wish to make you aware of our current opening in *health disparities research* at the National Institute on Aging/NIH in Baltimore, Maryland (see below).

The NIH Intramural Research Program provides an ideal environment for physician-scientists, with no grant writing or teaching requirements. NIH is dedicated to building a diverse community in its training and employment programs.

Sincerely,
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**Health Disparities Research Physician**
Clinical Research Branch, NIA
*(deadline: 1)*

The Clinical Research Branch (CRB) of the National Institute on Aging’s (NIA) Intramural Research Program (IRP) seeks a highly motivated physician with interest in health disparities research to work as a Staff Clinician for an ongoing longitudinal epidemiologic study. Healthy Aging in Neighborhoods of Diversity across the Life Span study (HANDLS) is a multidisciplinary, community-based, prospective longitudinal epidemiologic study examining the influences of race and socioeconomic status (SES) on the development of age-related health disparities among socioeconomically diverse African Americans and whites in Baltimore. Study will assess over a 20-year period physical parameters as well as...
evaluate genetic, biologic, demographic, psychosocial, and psychophysiological parameters of African American and white participants in higher and lower SES groups. Also employs novel research tools, mobile medical research vehicles, in hopes of improving participation rates and retention among non-traditional research participants.

Principal duties include serving as a co-investigator of the HANDLS study and as one of the mobile medical research vehicle physicians responsible for performing research related physical assessments on research participants, communicating clinical findings to participants, and publishing clinical research data. Ideal candidate will have excellent clinical judgment, interest in building a career in clinical research as well as the appropriate education and training background to maintain licensure and credentialing consistent with Maryland State law and the policies of the NIH and the NIA. Qualifications include an M.D. degree, board eligibility/board certification in Internal Medicine or Family Practice and demonstrated relevant clinical and clinical research experience. Information about the study is available at http://handls.nih.gov. Additional information about the NIA IRP is available at http://www.grc.nia.nih.gov.

Salary is commensurate with research experience and accomplishments, and a full Civil service package of benefits (including retirement, health, life and long term care insurance, Thrift Savings Plan participation, etc.) is available.

To Apply:

Please send a cover letter, curriculum vitae, statement of research interest, bibliography, and three letters of recommendation to:

Peggy Grothe, Intramural Program Specialist Office of the Scientific Director (Box 09) Vacancy # IRP-09-05 National Institute on Aging 251 Bayview Blvd., Suite 100 Room 04C232 Baltimore, MD

Position will remain open until filled; however, the application review process will begin June 1, 2009. Additional information is needed; please call 410-558-8012. and NIH are Equal Opportunity Employers.

Link to Fellowships, Staff Scientist and Tenured/Tenure-Track Research Positions
Link to NIH Jobs
UCSF Laurel Heights Food Drive Begins!

Monday, May 18th until Thursday, June 4th

Requested donation of:

• Rice & Pasta
• Canned Fruits & Vegetables
• Canned Meat
• Soups, Stews & Chili
• Tuna
• Peanut Butter
• Cereal

Drop off locations: BINS located on the 2nd floor outside The View Café and The Source

No glass containers, or expired food please!

If you wish to make a financial contribution, you may contribute on-line at San Francisco Food Bank or https://org2.democracyinaction.org/o/5420/shop/custom.jsp?donate_page_KEY=808

and indicate the UCSF Laurel Heights Food Drive.

If you wish to write a check, please make it out to SF Food Bank and send to :

Claire Brindis, Box 0936

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