Wednesday, 9 September 2009

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Lectures and Seminars

Thursday, September 10, 2009

The UCSF Institute for Health & Aging and the Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences are proud to present:

“Evading Laws against Sex Selective Abortion: How Social and Medical Networks Operate in India”

Tulsi Patel, PhD

Dr. Patel is Professor of Sociology at the University of Delhi, focusing on gender studies, population and demography, medical sociology, and sociology of the family. Her work has examined the status of women in India, sex-selective abortion, and population policies.

12:00 – 1:15 pm
UCSF Laurel Heights
Institute for Health & Aging
Gay Becker Room, Room 340

Bring Your Lunch, additional refreshments provided!

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Topic: HIV/STI Risk in Street Youth in San Francisco, CA and Kisumu, Kenya

Speaker: Coco Auerswald, MD  
Assistant Adjunct Professor, Community Health & Human Development Director of Research Training, UCB -UCSF Joint Medical Program, School of Public Health UCB

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health & Society Scholars  
Program Core Seminar Schedule

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

If interested in attending, please contact hss@chc.ucsf.edu.
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Please join the Center for Translational and Policy Research on Personalized Medicine (TRANSPERS Center), the UK Science and Innovation Network, and other co-sponsors, including The UCSF Department of Clinical Pharmacy, The UCSF Center for Health and Community, The UCSF Helen Diller Family Comprehensive Cancer Center Population Sciences Group, The UCSF Institute for Health Policy Studies, The UCSF Institute for Human Genetics, and the UCSF QB3 Institute for a special seminar:

“Using Genomics to Advance Medical Care”

Lord Naren Patel
Chair of the Inquiry Into Genomic Medicine
Science and Technology Committee, UK House of Lords

Lord Patel will provide an overview of the Committee’s findings and recommendations the UK government presented in its July 2009 “Genomic Medicine” report. The growing “direct-to-consumer” (DTC) test industry, regulation of genetic tests, and the gap in training provided to medical professionals will also be discussed. A Q&A session will directly follow Lord Patel’s talk.

11:45AM (light lunch/refreshments), 12PM (talk)
UCSF-Laurel Heights, Chancellor’s Room
3333 California St, San Francisco, 94118

By appointment, Lord Patel is available to meet with individuals or small groups following the seminar.

more about Lord Patel, full House of Lords Report, and more about the TRANSPERS Center
Friday, September 11, 2009

State of the Science in Stress Conference

Susan Folkman, PhD

Advancing the field of stress and coping through active exchanges among researchers, clinicians, and students.

We invite you to join us at this exciting conference, which will honor the 30-year career of Susan Folkman, PhD, and her enormous contribution to the field of stress and coping. The conference will feature thought leaders and eminent scholars in the field of stress and coping.

8:00 am-6:00 pm
UCSF Laurel Heights Conference Center
3333 California Street
San Francisco, CA 94118

The American Psychological Association and the UCSF Osher Center have generously funded this conference for Integrative Medicine.

For more details, visit www.osher.ucsf.edu

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How to Register
To register, go to: http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=H9XS231E3NOnW_2b39jVE5gg_3d_3d. Note: Includes continental breakfast, lunch, and a cocktail reception at the end of the day. However, seating for the lunch is limited, so register early if you would like to join us for lunch.

Contact Marcia Gutierrez at 415.353.9645 or gutierrezm@ocim.ucsf.edu
Monday, September 14, 2009

ADOLESCENT MEDICINE
Division Research Seminar
Lecturer Schedule 2009-2010

**Topic: Nutrition Information And Fast Food Ordering Behavior In Adolescents And Young Adults: Will Menu Labeling Legislation Change Their Mind?**

Andrea Garber, PhD

10:30-11:45 am
UCSF Laurel Heights Campus
3333 California Street, Conference Room 245

Contact Anthony Kung at 415-502-4689 or email KungA@peds.ucsf.edu.

Wednesday, September 16, 2009

Institute on Aging

“Capacity: What Is It? How Do We Assess It? What Happens When We Lose It?”

This program will provide an overview of decision-making capacity in older adults. Focusing on financial, medical, cultural, legal and ethical topics, presenters from a wide range of disciplines will examine the difficulties that surround the issue of capacity. Presentations will include: to help your client and their family plan for incapacity, advance directives, tools, working with victims with diminished capacity, diversity, updates on legislation/laws, autonomy vs. safety, financial abuse, scams and fraud; and your client. More information 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

**Accepting Applications**

The University of California San Francisco (UCSF) is now accepting applications for the 2011 class for the Masters of Science degree in Global Health Sciences

UCSF Global Health Sciences, the first in the country to offer a Masters of Science (MS) degree in Global Health Sciences, is now accepting applications for the class of 2011, matriculating in September 2010.
This unique one-year program provides students in the health sciences and allied fields with the knowledge and skills necessary for leadership roles in global health through a multi-disciplinary curriculum and an applied global health fieldwork experience. More than 70 faculty from UCSF, as well as from UC Berkeley, teach and mentor students, preparing them for careers in international health policy, health care services, education, research or development.

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