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Long to direct Radiological Sciences Program

Bruce Long, MS, RT, has been named director of the Radiological Sciences Program at IUSM. He assumed the position upon the retirement of Emily Hernandez, MS, RT, earlier this month.

Long is an associate professor of clinical radiology. He is the clinical coordinator for the radiograph program and a clinical supervisor for IU Hospital.

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Office temperatures may rise to conserve energy

Campus-wide energy conservation is one of the ways IUPUI is dealing with current budget constraints. Energy management efforts already have resulted in less energy being required to operate each square foot of building space on campus. Those efforts will be expanded in the coming months.

This summer, Campus Facility Services will regulate temperatures at 76 degrees and, in the winter months, at 70 degrees in offices, classrooms and other public areas.

All buildings on campus are to follow these guidelines, with the exception of environmental research areas that may need special consideration.

Some employees may not find the office temperature ideal so it is recommended they bring portable fans or wear lightweight clothing to the office this summer.

John Kamman, campus energy engineer, can be reached at 278-4868 to address concerns about environmentally controlled research areas.

Campus Facility Services will provide information on the winter temperature changes at a later date.

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NIH releases ranking of medical school research grant funding

The National Institutes of Health have issued the fiscal year 2004 rank order list of the number and amount of extramural research awards to medical schools. The data includes financial summaries for research grants, training grants, fellowships, research and development contracts.

Last fiscal year, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine received the most awards overall (991), totaling more than \$449 million. IUSM ranked 40th of the 123 schools ranked with more than \$102 million from 268 awards.

The NIH awards more than half of its extramural research funds to U.S. medical schools and teaching hospitals.

For a complete list, see <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/award/rank/medtt104.htm>.

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Effective teaching workshop taught by a pro – June 30

Guest faculty member Jeanette Norden, PhD, will conduct a workshop promoting effective teaching from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, June 30, at IUSM. The location has yet to be determined.

The workshop, Effective Teaching – From the Mundane to the Creative, will focus on issues facing primarily new, but also experienced, basic science and clinical faculty involved in teaching graduate or medical students. Topics will range from theoretical considerations in setting up a course to practical advice on how to organize stimulating and engaging lectures. Creative aspects of the art of effective communication – whether in a large or small group setting – also will be discussed.

Dr. Norden is a neuroscientist and professor of cell and developmental biology at Vanderbilt University. For more than 20 years, she has conducted research on GAP-43, a protein involved in nervous system development, regeneration, and plasticity. Since 1997, she has devoted her time to medical, graduate and undergraduate education.

Currently, she is the director of medical education in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology. She has been selected by medical students as the recipient of numerous teaching. Additionally, she has been awarded the first Chair of Teaching Excellence at Vanderbilt University, the first Gender Equity Award of the American Medical Women's Association and the Teaching Excellence Award given by the Vanderbilt Medical School.

Most recently, Dr. Norden was the recipient of the Robert J. Glaser Award, a national teaching award from Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society of the American Medical Association.

To reserve a spot at the workshop, contact Kelli Diener at kas1@iupui.edu, or 278-5461 by **Wednesday, June 15**. The workshop is sponsored by the IUSM Office of Faculty Affairs and Professional Development.

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Summer series -- A Career in Medicine: Admission to Physician

Four seminars featuring speakers knowledgeable about navigating the path to become a physician will be offered again this summer. The summer series is intended for college students working on campus and interested in a career in medicine.

All seminars will be in the Ruth Lilly Learning Center, conference rooms A & B, on the lower level of the Riley Outpatient Center. The series is free and participants are welcome to bring their lunch. All sessions begin at noon and

should finish by 1 p.m.

The schedule:

Session 1: Applying to Medical School

Robert M. Stump Jr., Admissions director
Wednesday, June 29, 2005

Session 2: Life as a Medical Student

Medical student panel
Wednesday, July 6, 2005

Session 3: Careers in Primary and Specialty Care

Physician Panel
Wednesday, July 13, 2005

Session 4: Financing Medical School

Jose Espada, Financial Aid director
Thursday, July 21, 2005

The series is sponsored by the Office of Medical School Admissions and the IUSM Office of the Dean. For further information, contact the Office of Admissions at 274-3772.

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OHS/SHS to reopen June 27

IUPUI Occupational Health Services/Student Health Services will reopen in its renovated space in Coleman Hall on Monday, June 27.

To facilitate the return to Coleman Hall, OHS/SHS will close at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, June 22, and reopen at 7:30 a.m. the following Monday.

OHS/SHS will be located on the first floor of Coleman Hall, which is between Ball Residence Hall and Long Hospital at 1140 W. Michigan Street.

After the move, IUPUI Health Services will resume normal which are Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Reception, symposium honoring Conneally to be June 27

The IUSM campus is invited to attend a reception honoring P. Michael Conneally, PhD, Distinguished Professor, and professor of medical and molecular genetics, who is retiring after 40 years of service. The reception will be from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, June 27, in the ballroom at University Place Conference Center and Hotel.

“Forty Years of Progress in Population Genetics: A Symposium in Honor of P. Michael Conneally” is planned for Monday, June 27. This CME-accredited symposium will be 8:30 a.m. – 3:45 p.m., in VanNuys Medical Science Building, room 326. It will highlight the research of six of Dr. Conneally’s former students.

For more information, contact Carol Miller at 274-2218, or cbmiller@iupui.edu. Pre-registration is not required.

To sign a virtual guest book, visit <http://in-mmge-london.ads.iu.edu/medgen> or <http://134.68.87.65/medgen>.

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New creative IUSM publication seeks submissions

Reflections: Enriching Ourselves, Inspiring Others will be published this fall at IUSM as a creative outlet and a source of support and inspiration for students, faculty, staff and patients at the medical center.

As its name implies, *Reflections* is intended to serve as a source of renewal and inspiration for health-care professionals who might lose sight of why they chose a specific career path, and for those who do not fully appreciate the impact that their attitudes, actions and words may have on patients, colleagues and students.

Reflections is an opportunity for people from different backgrounds to reflect on experiences that have positively impacted their careers, altered their view of the health-care system or reaffirmed the desire to dedicate their lives to teaching and serving others.

Submission of essays, narratives, poetry, journal entries, photographs and artwork is encouraged. Submissions can be e-mailed to meca@iupui.edu, or mailed to Dean's Office for Medical Education and Curricular Affairs, Indiana University School of Medicine, 714 N. Senate Ave. EF-200, Indianapolis, IN 46202-3297.

The deadline for submission is **Friday, July 15**. Questions can be directed to Carla Ralston at caralsto@iupui.edu.

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Fuzzy Zoeller, golfers raise funds for Jill's House

Master's champion Fuzzy Zoeller will hit the greens at the Legends of Indiana Golf Course in Franklin, Ind., Friday, June 24, to raise money for Jill's House, to honor the memory of IU coed Jill Behrman.

The second annual tournament will raise funds for the creation of a home-away-from-home for patients of the Midwest Proton Radiotherapy Institute located at the Cyclotron in Bloomington. The facility will be equipped with bedrooms, kitchens, laundry facilities and other amenities to make patients and their families more at ease during treatments at the institute.

Jill, the daughter of Eric and Marilyn Behrman of Bloomington, was a 19-year-old IU sophomore when she disappeared in May 2000 while on a bike ride. Her parents are employed at the IU Alumni Association and the IU Foundation, respectively.

The fee for participating is \$250 per player or \$1,000 per team and each team will be paired with a celebrity. An 11:30 a.m. luncheon will be followed by a golf clinic conducted by Zoeller. The shotgun start is at 1 p.m.

For more information on the golf scramble, see www.buildjillshouse.org/splast.asp. For more information on Jill Behrman, see www.buildjillshouse.org/splash.asp.

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HPV topic of noon Women's Health lecture

Kenneth Fife, MD, PhD, IU professor of medicine, will discuss human papillomavirus in women Tuesday, June 28, during the Women's Health Noon Lecture hosted by the IUSM National Center of Excellence in Women's Health. The presentation will be from noon to 1 p.m. in the IU Cancer Research Institute auditorium.

CME credits are available and lunch is provided.

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Dad's Day 5K Run – June 18

On Father's Day Saturday, June 18, runners and walkers will be in step on the IUPUI campus to promote prostate cancer research and public awareness of the disease. That is the day of the third annual Dad's Day 5K Run and Fitness Walk.

Registration/packet pick-up is from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. the Indiana Cancer Pavilion, and the run/walk starts at Vermont Street and Barnhill Drive at 8 a.m. At 9:15 a.m., youngsters 8 years old and younger accompanied by registered adults can participate in the .7K Kid's Run.

Proceeds from the Dad's Day 5K will support public education about prostate cancer and prostate cancer research at IUSM.

For more information or to register for the Dad's Day 5K Run and Fitness Walk, call 278-8790, or visit www.indydadsday5k.org.

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Nominations sought for AAMC resident community service award

The Association of American Medical College's Organization of Resident Representatives seeks nominations for the 2004 ORR Community Service Recognition Award.

This annual award is given to a resident physician who has demonstrated a commitment to community service above and beyond the rigors of residency training. Residents training at any AAMC member institution are eligible.

AAMC President Jordan J. Cohen, M.D., will present the award at the association's annual meeting this November. Nominations must be received by Thursday, June 30.

For additional information, contact Alexis Ruffin, AAMC Division of Medical Education, at 202-828-0439, or see www.aamc.org/members/orr.

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Honors

John Donohue, MD, who perfected the nerve-sparing surgical procedure for testicular cancer patients, is the recipient of the 2005 Ramon Guiteras Award for his contributions to urology. Dr. Donohue, chairman emeritus of the IUSM Department of Urology, received the life-time achievement award at the American Urological Association annual meeting May 25.

Abigail Klemsz, MD, assistant professor of pediatrics, is the recipient of the 2005 YWCA Salute to Women of Achievement Award in the educator category. She received this award for her outstanding support of the community and for being an excellent role model and advocate for women and their families. In addition to caring for critically ill infants and young children at Riley Hospital in the Section of Developmental Pediatrics, Dr. Klemsz is the associate director of the Pediatric Residency Program and the state medical director for Reach Out and Read Indiana.

Munro Peacock, MD, director of the general Clinical Research Center, was awarded an honorary doctor or science degree at the Purdue University commencement May 14. Dr. Peacock was honored for his contributions to understanding bone metabolism and bone health, and his leadership in building collaborative programs between Purdue and IUSM.

IU Cancer Center social worker **Jane Powers** was the recipient of a 2005 Torchbearer Award June 7 during National Cancer Survivors Day celebration events at the Indiana Cancer Pavilion. Others recognized with 2005 Torchbearers Awards were cancer survivor Ashley Fancher and the Creations for the Cure Bracelet Project Team. IU Cancer Center

Torchbearers are members of the IU Cancer Center team – individuals with cancer, their families or caregivers, as well as staff and faculty – who have transcended the experience of cancer and have made a contribution to others with cancer in their life.

Pediatric urologist **Richard Rink**, MD, and pediatric surgeon **Thomas Rouse**, MD, both IUSM faculty members who see patients at Deaconess Hospital in Evansville, have received a WOW! Award from the hospital. Physicians are nominated for WOW! Awards by Deaconess staff or patient family members to express their appreciation for practicing the hospital credo: Courtesy, Respect, Empathy, Dignity, Optimism.

Stephen Wintermeyer, MD, MPH, medical director of the IUPUI Occupational Health Services, has been re-elected to the board of directors of the American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine. The term is for three years.

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This week on *Sound Medicine*

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, June 19, to *Sound Medicine*, the weekly radio program co-produced by IUSM and WFYI Public Radio (90.1 FM) in Indianapolis. The program is hosted by Barb Lewis. This week's co-hosts are Stephen Bogdewic, PhD; Ora Pescovitz, MD; and Kathy Miller, MD.

The US Preventive Services Task Force recently recommended all current and former male smokers between the ages of 65 and 75 receive an ultrasound screening for abdominal aortic aneurysms. Ned Calonge, MD, who chairs the task force, will discuss the reasons behind the recommendation.

Want suggestions on precautions your family should take when vacationing in exotic locations? John Christenson, MD, medical director of the Pediatric Travel Medicine Clinic at the Riley Hospital for Children, will give advice on healthy travel.

On the lighter side, Eric Metcalf, author of a book on the business of medicine, will present an essay on America's all-consuming focus on health, and Doug Farrago, MD, a family practitioner in Auburn, Maine, and author of "The Placebo Chronicles: Strange but True Tales from the Doctor's Lounge," will share some humorous tales from the waiting rooms of physicians.

Archived editions of *Sound Medicine*, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at soundmedicine.iu.edu/.

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Online IUSM calendars

A comprehensive listing on IUSM seminars, lectures and Grand Rounds can be accessed at www.medlib.iupui.edu/calendar. To place items on the Scientific Calendar, please forward them to Iona Sewell at imsewell@iupui.edu.

A Special Events Calendar for presentations, symposiums, conferences and other activities at IUSM can be found on the School's Web page at www.medicine.iu.edu. The calendar also can be accessed directly at webdb.iu.edu/iusm/scripts/calendar/instr.cfm.

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Submissions to Scope

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There are three easy ways to submit story ideas or information to *Scope*:

- e-mail the information to mhardin@iupui.edu
- mail the information to Mary Hardin, Z-7, Ste. 306, IUPUI
- fax your information to (317) 278-8722

Contributions submitted by e-mail should be forwarded in 12 point, plain text format.

In the interest of accuracy, please do NOT use:

- acronyms
- abbreviations
- campus building codes (use full, proper name of building and include the room number)
- Dr. as a preface before names (designate MD or PhD)

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