Mayor Peterson to speak at Fall Faculty Meeting Oct 18

Indianapolis Mayor Bart Peterson will be guest speaker at the IUSM Fall Faculty Meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 18, from 3:30 to 5 p.m. in the Riley Outpatient Center auditorium.

The agenda for Tuesday's meeting:

- Call to order and approval of the May 17 minutes of the Spring Faculty Meeting – Praveen Mathur, MB, BS, president of the Faculty
- "What’s New at Wishard?" – Lisa Harris, M.D., associate dean for Wishard Affairs, and the John F. Williams Jr., MD, Scholar
- Remarks by Indianapolis Mayor Bart Peterson
- Questions and Answers
- President’s Business
- Preference Sheet Addition to Ballots
- Adjournment

Advancing Indiana office opens in Indy

IU President Adam Herbert announced Oct. 11 that IU’s Advancing Indiana economic development team has opened an office in Indianapolis and is ready to do business.
The office will provide businesses and governmental units throughout Indiana with a central point of contact to help them access the university’s wide array of expertise and assets supporting the state’s economic development goals.

"The Advancing Indiana initiative further reflects Indiana University’s commitment to be responsive to the needs of Indiana communities and businesses," Herbert said. "In addition to establishing a formal point of contact within the university, we also are identifying where a strategic concentration of additional institutional resources will maximize return and support the state’s economic development."

The team is headed by Bill Hunt, retired vice chairman and president of ArvinMeritor Inc., a $7 billion global supplier of auto and truck components. Hunt, chairman of Hunt Capital Partners, LLC, a venture capital and consulting firm based in Indianapolis, is serving in a volunteer capacity as IU’s chief economic development representative. Hunt also serves on the boards of the Indiana University Research and Technology Corporation, Clarian and the IU Foundation.

Kyle Salyers will share economic development responsibilities with Hunt in his consulting capacity as special advisor for economic development to the president. Salyers has served in a number of economic development leadership roles which have supported the formation of some of the state's most critical economic development efforts, including service with former Indianapolis Mayor Stephen Goldsmith's administration, the Mayor's High Technology Task Force, the Indianapolis Economic Development Corp., Techpoint, Thomas P. Miller & Associates and Rose-Hulman Ventures.

Salyers also serves on the Indiana University Research and Technology Corporation Advisory Board, the DePauw University 361 National Advisory Board and the Indiana Venture Center Board.

The Indianapolis office of Advancing Indiana is in the IU Research & Technology Corp. building, 351 W. 10th Street. This building also is home to the IU Emerging Technology Center that houses 22 start-up companies engaged in commercializing technology developed in IU research laboratories.

Advancing Indiana is a statewide effort with participation by all IU campuses, including the regional sites in Gary, South Bend, Fort Wayne, Kokomo, Richmond and New Albany.

Creation of this office is part of an economic development plan completed last year by a presidential task force that visited 10 communities across Indiana seeking input on what IU could do to help them become more competitive.

Medical students’ health fair serves Indy’s underserved

For the eighth consecutive year, IUSM students and other health care professionals will provide screenings and information at a health fair at the Westside Community Health Center.

The event, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 15, coincides with National Primary Care Week. The health center is at 2732 W. Michigan St., just west of the IU Medical Center campus.

"The Westside Health Fair provides a unique opportunity for the IU medical and dental students, under faculty supervision, to provide basic health screening and information to members of the community with limited or no access to health care," said Nkeiruka Nwoko, a medical student helping organize the fair. "This year members of the community also will get an opportunity to discuss problems they may have in communicating with their physicians through a town hall meeting."

The town hall meeting, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., will enable community residents to discuss their concerns with physician-patient communication, echoing this year’s theme of National Primary Care Week: "Breaking Down Barriers: Health Literacy in Community Health."

Members of the panel fielding questions will include Judith Monroe, M.D., Indiana state health commissioner; Virginia Caine, M.D., director of the Marion County Health Department; Betty Routledge, M.D., medical director of the Westside Community Health Center, and Pat Kiergan, R.N., a nurse with the Indianapolis Public Schools.
This year’s event, which is sponsored by the Internal Medicine Student Interest Group, includes screenings for diabetes, cholesterol, osteoporosis, blood pressure, vision and dental health. Education and information sessions will be available on a variety of health and safety topics. Co-sponsors include IUSM, Westside Community Health Center Advisory Council, IU Medical Group and Wishard Health Services.

National Primary Care Week observance

“Breaking Down Barriers: Health Literacy in Community Health” is the theme of the 2005 National Primary Care Week observance the week of Oct. 17.

Shannon Gearhart, the National Primary Care Week student leader at IUSM, said programs and a free lunch will be offered from noon to 1 p.m. Oct. 17-20 to celebrate the week.

Judith Monroe, MD, Indiana state health commissioner, and Eric Neuberger, executive director for the Governor’s Council for Physical Fitness and Sports, will present “Kick-off INShape Indiana,” Monday in room 326, Van Nuys Medical Science Building.

On Tuesday, in Hurty Hall C of Fesler Hall, Ken Stella, president of Indiana Hospital and Health Association, and Leigh Stella, a sixth grade math teacher at Westfield Community Schools, will present “Partnering with K-8 Schools to Improve Health Literacy.”

“Health Literacy and the Indianapolis Mayor’s Office” is the topic of Wednesday’s presentation by Ellen Quigley, assistant deputy mayor for policy, and Marya Jones Overby, special counsel for economic development in the Indianapolis mayor’s office. This presentation will be in Hurty Hall C, Fesler Hall.

Javier Sevilla, MD, IU assistant professor of family medicine and director of International Medicine and Hispanic Health, will speak on “Cultural Competence – Health Literacy in Special Populations.” His presentation also will be in Hurty Hall C.

Rothman to present Beering Lecture Oct 26

James E. Rothman, the recipient of the 2005 Steven C. Beering Award for Outstanding Achievement in Biomedical Science, will present the Beering Lecture at 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, Oct. 26, in the University Place Conference Center auditorium.

Dr. Rothman's topic will be "Principles of cellular membrane fusion." Dr. Rothman, who is being recognized for discovering the molecular machinery responsible for transfer of materials among compartments within cells, is the Clyde and Helen Wu Professor of Chemical Biology in the Department of Physiology and Cellular Biophysics and the director of the Judith P. Sulzberger, M.D. Columbia Genome Center, at Columbia University.

He also will lecture to medical and graduate students at 9 a.m., Tuesday, Oct. 25, in the Emerson Hall auditorium on "Biomedical discovery after the genome."

Mentoring is food for thought at FEED Series

“Where Have All the Mentors Gone?” will be discussed at the Thursday, Oct. 20, Faculty Enrichment and Education Development (FEED) Series hosted by the IU Department of Medicine. The workshop will be from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on the lower level auditorium of the Riley Outpatient Center.
The need for mentoring is great, however, the availability of mentors is rapidly declining. Knowledge of how to mentor will not reverse this trend. Are we doomed to watch this demise of mentoring continue? Only if we persist in applying the strategies for solving complicated problems to this extraordinarily complex situation.

Participants will:

- Briefly examine state-of-the-art materials for mentoring in academic medicine.
- Consider a new hypothesis for why mentoring is eroding.
- Analyze strategies for investigating and understanding problems within complex systems.
- Practice a new skill for engaging colleagues in discovering new knowledge as it relates to mentoring.

If you are interested in attending, please e-mail Donna Skatrud at dskatrud@iupui.edu or call 278-0340.

FEED is a quarterly series offering of key topics in clinical teaching. These workshops are designed to provide an opportunity for the department faculty to improve their teaching skills in a collegial and fun environment and as part of the Department of Medicine’s continuing commitment to provide the highest quality learning environment for medical students, residents and fellows.

VA research grant applications wanted

The VA Medical Research Service at the Roudebush VA Medical Center seeks applications for small research grants up to $25,000 directed at the study of discrete projects intended to produce preliminary data in support of a future application for a VA Career Development Award, Merit Review Entry Program or Merit Review Grant.

The deadline for submission is Wednesday, Dec. 21.

Eligible applicants should be clinician investigators with an academic rank not exceeding assistant professor. Full details regarding the eligibility criteria as well as submission instructions may be found at http://adminfinance.iusm.iu.edu/operations/VA%20YIA.htm

Post-partum depression topic of women’s health lecture

The IU National Center of Excellence in Women’s Health Monthly Lecture Series will feature Birdie Gunyon Meyer, RN, MA, coordinator of Clarian Women’s Mood Disorders Program, from noon to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 25.

Her discussion on understanding post-partum depression will be in the auditorium of the IU Cancer Research Institute. It also can be viewed live at video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/encoder/vic/womens_health_20051025.rm. The presentation will be archived for later viewing at video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/vic/womens_health_20051025.rm.

Public health and legal education forum – Oct. 28

The Indiana Mid-America Public Health Training and the Indiana Continuing Legal Education Forum will present “Public Health and the Law: No Fear – The Practice of Law During an Infectious Disease Outbreak” from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28, at the forum’s conference facility at 230 E. Ohio St.

Topics include Jurisdiction of Public Health Issues; Searches, Seizures and Other Government Actions to Ensure Public Health; and State of Emergency and Model Orders.

To receive a brochure, contact Susan Meece-Hinh at 274-3178, or smeecehi@iupui.edu.
Young Sibshop celebrates special needs children

Sibshop is a special event for brothers and sisters of children with special health and developmental needs. Young Sibshop is designed for siblings ages 4 to 7 years to help them celebrate the contributions of their special needs siblings.

A Young Sibshop will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 5, at the Easter Seals Crossroads, 4740 Kingsway Dr. The price is $10 for one sibling and $15 for two or more siblings. A limited number of scholarships are available.

To register, call Kacey Matthews at 466-1000, ext. 2451.

The event is sponsored by Easter Seals Crossroads and Riley Hospital’s Community Education and Child Advocacy Department.

Hoops for Hope to raise money for HD research

"Hoops for Hope," the IU Center for Excellence in Huntington Disease’s first Hoop-A-Thon will be from 8 a.m. to noon, Saturday, Nov. 12, at St. Richard’s School, 33 East 33rd St.

The Hoop-A-Thon offers individuals of all ages an opportunity to participate in a Hoosier tradition – basketball -- and raise money to help families affected by Huntington disease.

Each hoop shooter will have 10 minutes to attempt to shoot as many free-throws as possible – each successful free-throw provides funding for research. Hoop-sters will be divided into four categories: kindergarten and younger; grades one through six; grades seven through 12; and adults. Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 shooters in each category.

For more information, contact Patti Day at the Center of Excellence for Huntington disease at 1-866-488-0008.

More than 30,000 people in the United States have this incurable illness and Indiana has the highest per capita population of Huntington disease patients in the nation.

M Plan insurance coverage changes

The contract between Indiana University Psychiatric Management and Methodist Medical Group (for M Plan members) will terminate Jan. 1. This means all patients, including IU employees and their covered family members, who have M Plan insurance, will no longer have access to IU Department of Psychiatry behavioral health faculty at “in-network” rates.

Some M Plan products have no – or very limited – provision for out-of-network coverage for behavioral health. Therefore, some individuals insured through M Plan may have no coverage if they are seen by Department of Psychiatry faculty. This includes services provided by psychiatry faculty at Riley Hospital, IU Hospital and other sites.

IU employees who wish to continue to access Department of Psychiatry behavioral health faculty with in-network coverage are urged to choose an Anthem PPO product (IU-PPO Plus or IU PPO $900 Deductible) during open enrollment in November. Employees who continue M Plan coverage can elect to receive services from Department of Psychiatry faculty, but they may be responsible for a significantly larger portion of their charges.

IUPM regrets any hardship this may cause patients and physicians. Despite sincere negotiation, they were unable to
obtain a reimbursement rate suitable to cover expenses.

Questions about coverage or ongoing care should be directed to Gerri Voreis, LCSW, Methodist Medical Group, at 865-6925.

**IUPUI United Way Campaign - now thru October 28**

The IUPUI United Way Campaign is off to a successful start and has raised $60,000 of the $335,000 campaign goal.

Make your pledge online by going to the IUPUI United Way website at [www.iupui.edu/~uwaycamp](http://www.iupui.edu/~uwaycamp). For additional information about the campaign and why United Way is important to the community, view a 4 minute streaming video at [video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/ip/ltvideo/united_way_092805.rm](http://video.indiana.edu:8080/ramgen/ip/ltvideo/united_way_092805.rm).

Individuals with questions may contact Mary Kate Myers at [myersmk@iupui.edu](mailto:myersmk@iupui.edu).

**Five from IUSM honored at Chancellor’s Convocation**

IUSM faculty and staff were recognized Oct. 11 at the annual IUPUI Chancellor’s Employee Recognition Convocation.

2005 Glenn W. Irwin Jr. M.D. Experience Excellent Awards were presented to Thomas Hurley, PhD, professor and former acting chair of biochemistry and molecular biology; Nancy Baxter, director of Graduate Medical Education; Loriann Fields, assistant director for special events, IUSM Office of Gift Development; and Kelly Forestal, assistant director, IUSM Graduate Affairs.

The Irwin Awards recognize faculty and staff members who perform service above and beyond the call of duty. Service for the benefit of the university as a whole or for any of its units which is non-reimbursed and is not specifically job-related is recognized. In all, five academic recipients and 10 staff winners were presented Irwin Awards.

Sheila Chadwick, human resources specialist, Division of Biostatistics in the Department of Medicine, is the recipient of a Carol D. Nathan Scholarship, which is awarded by the IUPUI Staff Council. The scholarships are awarded to full-time staff members who are pursuing an associate, bachelor or graduate degree at IUPUI.

Sheila, who is studying organizational leadership and supervision at IUPUI, also will complete a bachelor’s degree in business management at Indiana Wesleyan University in December. In January, she will begin a master’s degree in adult education at IUPUI. She is the mother of 12-year-old twin daughters.

**Honors**

Marilyn Bull, MD, Morris Green Professor of Pediatrics, received the 2005 American Academy of Pediatrics National Education Award at the organization’s national conference Oct. 8. She was honored for her long-term leadership in the organization and her development of programs to prevent injuries to children.

D. Wade Clapp, MD, the Freida and Albrecht Kipp Professor of Pediatrics, was honored Oct. 8, with an alumni Achievement Award during homecoming festivities at Hanover College. Dr. Clapp was a member of the class of ’77.

Third-year family practice resident, Khwaja Ahmed Hussain, MBBS, was the winner of the first place award of Family Medicine Research Presentations at the American Academy of Family Physicians Scientific Assembly. Dr. Hussain’s research presentation was "Utilization of Healthcare Quality Markers in a Family Medicine Outpatient
Richard Miyamoto, MD, the Arilla Spence DeVault Professor and chair of the Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, is the president-elect of the American Academy of Otolaryngology—Head and Neck Surgery and its Foundation. The AAO-NHS represents 12,000 ear, nose, and throat specialists. Dr. Miyamoto’s one-year term as president will begin in September 2006 at the organization’s annual meeting in Toronto, Canada.

Walther Cancer Institute will present $53,000 in research prizes and scholarships to honor the outstanding accomplishments of scientists and clinicians at its 20th Anniversary Celebration Nov. 3. Recipients from IUSM include: Matthew Ralstin, a fourth-year student in the M.D./Ph.D. program, who will receive the $6,000 Dr. J. William Wright Sr. Scholarship; Erin Breese, a sixth-year student in the M.D./Ph.D. program, and Anubhav Mathur, a fifth-year student in the M.D./Ph.D. program, both of whom will receive a $3,500 Marilyn Hester Scholarship.

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This week on *Sound Medicine*

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 16, 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. Co-hosting the program will be David Crabb, MD, and Kathy Miller, MD.

Guests include DaWana Stubbs, MD, IU assistant professor of medicine, who will discuss domestic violence and the inadequate training some physicians receive to recognize it. Dr. Stubbs currently practices at the Westside Community Health Center in Indianapolis.

Nancy Metcalf, senior editor of *Consumer Reports*, returns to *Sound Medicine* to talk about the magazine’s recent reader survey on alternative medicines and therapies.

John Barry, author of “The Great Influenza,” will weigh the possibility of a pandemic flu in the United States.

Rafat Abonour, MD, associate dean for clinical research at IUSM, will share information on multiple myeloma and his personal quest to raise funds for research for this disease. He recently ran and biked from Indianapolis to Fort Wayne to raise awareness – and money – for his research.

Tune in Sunday, Oct 23, to learn more about the avian flu and the development of a vaccine to treat the illness. *Sound Medicine* essayist Eric Metcalf will explore the world of tattoos and some oldies but goodies from the show’s archives will be revisited.

 Archived editions of *Sound Medicine*, as well as other helpful health information, can be found at [soundmedicine.iu.edu/](http://soundmedicine.iu.edu/).
Scientific Calendar online

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.

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