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## IU Day at the Indiana State Fair



It will be “Red Hot” at the Indiana State Fair next Thursday, Aug. 10, when Indiana University takes center stage. IU Day celebrates the university’s commitment to the state and its citizens.

Come join the fun, which will include more than 50 interactive exhibits about IU, health information from IUSM, three pep rallies and a parade that will begin at 6:30 p.m.

The university is inviting its more than 240,000 alumni in Indiana to wear cream and crimson on IU Day and to participate in the parade. IU activities will be continuous from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., and most will take place on IU Boulevard, located near the Farm Bureau Building by the Gate 12 entrance. The school’s radio program, *Sound Medicine*, will raffle two iPods programmed with three of the shows on IU Day.

The IU School of Medicine and the IU Cancer Center also will have tent space at the State Fair all day Sunday, Aug. 13.

For more information on IU Day at the Indiana State Fair, see [www.indiana.edu/~fair/](http://www.indiana.edu/~fair/).

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## Morphis named Mitchell Professor

James G. Morphis II, MD, has been named the William A. Mitchell Professor of Radiation Oncology at IU. He also will retain his title of chairman of the Department of Radiation Oncology.

The Mitchell Professorship was established in 1994 by Mary Elizabeth Mitchell and the Fort Wayne-based English-Bonter-Mitchell Foundation in memory of her late husband William A. Mitchell. The foundation was established in 1972 in honor of Dr. Calvin English, the first medical director of Lincoln National Life Insurance Co.

Dr. Morphis was named chairman of radiation oncology in April. He had served as interim chair since Nov. 1, 2004. He joined the department in 1980. Before coming to IU, he was a staff radiation oncologist at United General and Skagit Valley Hospital in Washington state. His clinical specialties include prostate brachytherapy, genitourinary malignancies and breast cancer.

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## New tobacco-free policy begins Aug. 14

Beginning Aug. 14, the use or sale of tobacco, including but not limited to smoking, is prohibited on IUPUI-owned, -operated, or -leased property.

Enforcement of this policy will depend upon the cooperation of all faculty, staff and students not only to comply with this policy, but also to encourage others to comply with the policy, in order to promote a healthy environment in which to work, study, and live.

Violations of this policy should be referred to the appropriate administrative office for review and appropriate administrative action: for faculty, the Office of Academic Policies, Procedures and Documentation; for staff, Human Resources Administration; or for students, the Office of The Dean of Students.

See [www.iupui.edu/news/releases/060517\\_tobacco\\_free.htm](http://www.iupui.edu/news/releases/060517_tobacco_free.htm) for details.

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## Applicants sought for IUSM - Fort Wayne directorship

Indiana University School of Medicine is seeking an outstanding and dynamic medical educator and/or biomedical scientist to lead and direct the Indiana University School of Medicine-Fort Wayne, which is located on the campus of Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne. This position also has the responsibilities of assistant dean in the medical school. Rank and tenure are negotiable.

IUSM-Fort Wayne, one of eight sites of the Indiana University Statewide System of Medical Education, currently provides the first- and second-year medical classes. New physical facilities are being planned that will position IUSM-Fort Wayne to play a role in any future expansion of the Indiana University School of Medicine's competency-based curriculum.

Candidates must possess an MD and/or PhD or the equivalent, and have demonstrated excellence in research and/or clinical skills. The applicant should have a keen interest and expertise in medical student education, leadership skills, and an aptitude for community involvement. The program's website ([histo.ipfw.edu/](http://histo.ipfw.edu/)) can be consulted for additional information.

Address all nominations and applications for this position to Robert H. Schloemer, PhD, and Rudolph M. Navari, MD, PhD, Co-Chairs, Search and Screen Committee, Indiana University School of Medicine, 1120 South Drive, Fesler Hall 318, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-5114. Applications will be reviewed as received. Indiana University is an EEO/AA employer, M/F/D.

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## Life sciences entrepreneurship course offered again this fall

The course "Entrepreneurship in Biomedical, Life Sciences and IT" will be offered this fall on Tuesday nights, taught by Jack M. Gill, PhD, of Vanguard Ventures, Donald F. Kuratko, PhD, of the Johnson Center of Entrepreneurship and Innovation at the IU Kelley School of Business and Robert McDonald, MD, MBA, of the IU School of Medicine and the Johnson Center.

The course, from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m., will begin Aug. 29 and last 16 weeks. It will meet in the global classroom at the Kelley School of Business at IUPUI.

This course is a pragmatic, fast-paced primer on the dynamics of entrepreneurship in the biomedical, life science and IT worlds. The course will include fundamentals on financial and organizational planning for start-up companies and discussions by regional, national and international leaders who have started successful biotech companies. The output of the course will be a business plan worthy of consideration for funding by each team. Several business plans will be reviewed by a panel of high technology investors in the final class.

This class was last taught in 2004. Since then, several of its graduates have gone on to found or advance their own companies. Enrollment is limited to 25 students. For information about the course and enrollment procedures contact Robert McDonald at 274-6490.

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## IUSM internal grant deadlines

The next deadline for Biomedical Research Grants and Research Enhancement Grants is **Friday, Sept. 1**. Grants are to be submitted electronically. For complete information, visit the IUSM internal funding webpage at [adminfinance.iusm.iu.edu/operations/irf.htm](http://adminfinance.iusm.iu.edu/operations/irf.htm).

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## Kirschstein grants policy changes

The National Institutes of Health has announced major changes in the policy for funding of tuition, fees and health insurance costs associated with Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Awards. The new policy applies to new and competing-continuation (renewal) NRSA institutional research training grants (T32, T34, and T35) beginning in fiscal year 2007, and competing individual fellowships (F30, F31, F32, and F33) awarded beginning in FY 2007.

It also applies to institutional research training grants that received competing awards in FY 2006. For this cohort, the FY2007 non-competing awards will be issued recalculating budget categories to reflect this new policy. The new policy is available at [grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-06-090.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-06-090.html).

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## CORES software demonstration

A demonstration of the CORES software developed at Vanderbilt University will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Monday, Aug. 7 in the Daly Center, room 186. The Core Ordering and Reporting Enterprise Systems allows for efficient internal electronic billing within the research community, specifically directed toward core facilities billing.

More information about the CORES software is available at this web site:

[www.mc.vanderbilt.edu/root/vumc.php?site=CORES](http://www.mc.vanderbilt.edu/root/vumc.php?site=CORES).

For further information about the demonstration, contact Mark Deeg, MD, PhD, chair of the Core Oversight Committee, at 554-0000 or [mdeeg@iupui.edu](mailto:mdeeg@iupui.edu), or Lisa Dinsmore, at 274-4404, or [ldinsmo@iupui.edu](mailto:ldinsmo@iupui.edu).

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## Biotechnology Training Program accepting applications

The IUSM and IU Graduate School offer a Biotechnology Training Program for technician employees to enhance their knowledge base and skills in basic biomedical research.

A 17-credit certificate involving hands-on laboratory and problem-based learning courses is offered on a part-time basis (late afternoons and early evenings). Students who complete the certificate may continue in an MS degree. This academic program is housed in the state-of-the-art Biotechnology Research and Training Center. See [www.medicine.iu.edu/%7Egradschl/biotechTraining/index.html](http://www.medicine.iu.edu/%7Egradschl/biotechTraining/index.html) for program and contact information. Applications are being accepted through **Friday, Aug. 11**.

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## Life Sciences Lunch Series continues Aug. 15

The next in the Life Sciences Lunch Series, presented by the Indiana Health Industry Forum, Barnes and Thornburg LLP and BioCrossroads, will be from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. ET Tuesday, Aug. 15. The formal presentation begins at noon.

"Early Stage Funding in Indiana — Mirage or Oasis?" will be presented by Claire Deselle, CEO, CS-Keys, Inc.; Kevin Etzkorn, managing director, Heron Capital LLC; Robert B. Jones, MD, PhD, associate vice president, life sciences, Indiana University; and Brian Stemme, project director, BioCrossroads.

The panelists, representing different facets of the funding environment, will discuss how early stage funding is used, strategies to obtain funding and future trends, along with resources that are available for Indiana's life sciences entrepreneurs.

The series is simulcast at Barnes and Thornburg offices in Indianapolis, South Bend, Fort Wayne and Elkhart, and in cooperating facilities in Muncie, Terre Haute, West Lafayette, Evansville, Bloomington and Richmond.

Box lunches are provided or those attending can bring their own lunch. There is no charge to attend, but registration is requested so the sponsors will know how many lunches to order.

Register at [www.btlaw.com/Event.asp?Event\\_ID=448](http://www.btlaw.com/Event.asp?Event_ID=448), or by calling 317-231-7356.

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## Electronic resources course offered

Researchers and staff who need to access online information resources may be interested in a two-hour, hands-on class, Locating and Using Electronic Resources. Current information on accessing and using Medical Library and Internet resources will be covered. Topics will include: the journal impact factor, publication support, off-campus

access, efficient searching tips..

The next class is on Tuesday, Aug. 15, from 2 to 4 p.m. in room 318 of the Medical Library. Attendance is limited and registration is required. To register, call or email Elaine Skopelja at 274-8358, or [eskopelj@iupui.edu](mailto:eskopelj@iupui.edu).

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## Medical Library open house for residents and fellows

The Medical Library is hosting an open house for IUSM residents and fellows from 2 to 6 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 16. Refreshments will be served.

Library staff will offer PDA tech support, database searching tips, instructions on accessing library resources from off-campus, including Clarian hospitals, tips on locating full-text resources and more. Medical librarians and library staff will be available to acquaint residents and fellows with the Medical Library.

For more information, contact Elaine Skopelja at [eskopelj@iupui.edu](mailto:eskopelj@iupui.edu), or 274-8358.

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## Parental addiction and children conference

The Indiana Association for Infant and Toddler Mental Health will host its annual conference, "The Effects of Parental Addiction on Very Young Children" Friday, Aug. 25 at Riley Outpatient Center.

The day-long conference is for health care professionals, early intervention providers, psychologists, social workers, mental health professionals, parents and others interested in the social and emotional competencies and challenges faced by infants and their families.

The registration deadline is **Friday, Aug. 18**. To register, call Tiffany Peek at the Mental Health Association in Indiana at 638-3501, extension 228. The cost is \$65 for IAITMH members and \$75 for non-members. Up to six credit hours for First Steps can be obtained. Continuing Education Credit has been requested from the Indiana Counselors Association on Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

The IAITMH is a subsidiary of the Mental Health Association in Indiana.

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## FEED Series: Negotiating with Patients and Learners

"Negotiating with Patients and Learners" will be the topic of the Faculty Enrichment and Education Development (FEED) Series hosted by the IU Department of Medicine. The workshop will be Wednesday, Aug. 23, from 5 to 7 p.m. in the lower level conference rooms A and B of the Riley Outpatient Center. Faculty presenting at this FEED workshop will be Kathy Zoppi, PhD, Meg Gaffney, MD, and Glenda Westmoreland, MD.

During this two-hour workshop participants will recognize the fundamental importance of establishing a real connection with their patients and learners. To do so is not necessarily easy, especially in our modern society of diverse values, beliefs and cultures. Physicians need tools to help explore patients' and students' values, recognize cultural issues, and express empathy and honest respect for different points of view.

This workshop will explore three approaches that clinicians and teachers may find useful in their daily encounters with patients and learners.

The program begins at 5 p.m. with a buffet dinner followed by the group session at 5:30 p.m. Faculty interested in attending should e-mail Roberta Brown at [rbrown2@iupui.edu](mailto:rbrown2@iupui.edu), or call 630-6906.

FEED is a quarterly series offering 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.

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## 2006 symposium to address health and philanthropy

A distinguished group of experts from the health and philanthropy field will share their perspectives at the Center on Philanthropy's 19 th annual symposium *"Health and Philanthropy: Leveraging Change"* on Aug. 24-25.

View the agenda and register online at [www.philanthropy.iupui.edu](http://www.philanthropy.iupui.edu) (scroll down the "Upcoming Events" box to link to the symposium page.) Speakers include:

- Ambassador Stephen Lewis, Special Envoy to the United Nations for HIV/AIDS in Africa and former Canadian Ambassador to the United Nations
- Greg Simon, President, *FasterCures*, The Center for Accelerating Medical Solutions
- Dr. Henrie Treadwell, Director, Community Voices at Morehouse School of Medicine
- Dr. John Seffrin, Chief Executive Officer, American Cancer Society

Breakout sessions include "Funding for Ethically Sensitive Research: Cautionary Tales from the Trenches" and "Biological Philanthropy – The Donation of the Body and Its Parts."

If you have questions, contact Andrea Pactor, program manager, Philanthropic Services Center on Philanthropy at Indiana University, 278-8990, or [apactor@iupui.edu](mailto:apactor@iupui.edu).

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## Mark your calendar: Sept. 6 All-School Grand Rounds

"Pandemic Influenza – the IU School of Medicine Response" is the title of the Sept. 6 All-School Grand Rounds. The presentation will be from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. in the Emerson Hall lecture hall. Michael Olinger, MD, and his colleagues, Stephen Wintermeyer, MD, Douglas Webb, MD, and Stephen Wilson, MD, will present information about pandemic flu and give an update on the medical school's plan. All students, residents, and faculty are encouraged to attend.

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## Physician recruitment reception – Sept. 12

Representatives from more than 20 Indiana hospitals, physician groups and health-care systems for the second annual Physician Career Reception from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12, in the Clowes Sculpture Court of the Eiteljorg Museum. The event is free. For more information, Liberty Wilken at 866-394-4138, or I [wilken@clarian.org](mailto:wilken@clarian.org).

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## Getting Started with EndNote

The Getting Started with EndNote workshop, which is customized for medicine and health by IUSM Librarians, will cover EndNote functionality, download of citations from Ovid Medline/PubMed, and interaction with MS Word (Cite While You Write). The hands-on workshops for 2006 are from 2:30 to 4 p.m. in the Van Nuys Medical Science basement computer lab (MS B16A) on Wednesday, Sept. 6, and Wednesday, Nov. 8. To register and for more

information contact medical librarian, Carole Gall, at 274-1411, or [cfgall@iupui.edu](mailto:cfgall@iupui.edu)

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## Hispanic/Latino Health Summit – Nov. 17

Indiana health care organizations, community-based organizations and Hispanic/Latino community members will discuss the unique medical needs of the Hispanic/Latino population in Indiana during the Hispanic/Latino Health Summit Friday, Nov. 17, at the Marriott Indianapolis Downtown.

Maria Soto-Greene, MD, vice dean of the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey Medical school will be the keynote speaker.

Admission is free. For more information, see [clarian.org/hlsummit](http://clarian.org/hlsummit), or call 1-800-265-3220.

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## Wishard Telethon Aug. 9

The Wishard Telethon will air throughout central Indiana Wednesday, Aug. 9, beginning at 7 p.m., on WTHR Channel 13. Wishard's rich history and stories of healing and hope from Wishard patients and their families will be related during the fourth annual telethon for Wishard Health Services.

For more information and to make contributions to Wishard Health Services call the Wishard Telethon office at 630-6502, or by visiting [www.wishard.edu](http://www.wishard.edu).

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## Traffic Alert – Patterson Street

Patterson Street 's one-way direction will change at or after Friday, Aug. 11. The street will become one-way northbound. Vermont Street will become a dead-end street at the east entrance of the Vermont Street Garage.

It is hoped that this will provide relief for the traffic tie ups in the late afternoon on Patterson Street at New York Street by providing people who park in the lots on both sides of Patterson the ability to go east or west from both parking lots.

For more information on campus traffic, see [www.police.iupui.edu/traffic.html](http://www.police.iupui.edu/traffic.html).

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## Glenn W. Irwin, Jr., MD Experience Excellence Award

The IUPUI Glenn W. Irwin, Jr., M.D. Recognition Awards were established in 1984 as the IUPUI Experience Excellence Awards. At Dr. Irwin's retirement in 1986, the name of the award was changed to honor Dr. Irwin for the many significant contributions he made to IUPUI.

These awards recognize faculty and staff members for service "above and beyond the call of duty." All full-time faculty and staff are eligible to be nominated for this award, even if they have been a previous nominee.

Nominations are due no later than Friday, Aug. 25. The nomination guidelines can be reviewed and nominations submitted on-line at [www.hra.iupui.edu/IrwinAward.asp](http://www.hra.iupui.edu/IrwinAward.asp). Supporting documentation and any questions regarding the process should be directed to [hrrtrng@iupui.edu](mailto:hrrtrng@iupui.edu).

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## Team IUPUI volunteer opportunities for fall

The TEAM IUPUI Steering Committee is looking for friendly and willing volunteers to help make returning and new students feel welcome their first week of fall classes. Volunteer dates and times begin with weekday classes on Wednesday, Aug. 23 through Tuesday, Aug. 29. To volunteer, visit [teamiupui.iupui.edu](http://teamiupui.iupui.edu). Details and instructions are located under "Volunteer Invitation."

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## This week on Sound Medicine

Tune in at 4 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 6, 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-hosts of this week's program are Ora Pecovitz, MD, and Kathy Miller, MD.

Guests will include Andrea Conti, MD, assistant chief of staff at the Roudebush VA Medical Center, who will discuss a new unit the hospital has opened to treat severely injured soldiers.

Steven Miles, MD, author of *Oath Betrayed: Torture, Medical Complicity and the War on Terror*, will address the issue of military doctors ignoring abuse of prisoners of war.

Eric Meslin, PhD, director of the IU Center of Bioethics, will discuss the latest developments in the field of medical ethics.

NPR correspondent Patricia Neighmond reports on why women need different tests than men to diagnose heart problems.

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

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## Continuing Medical Education at your fingertips

Online registration and a list of grand rounds, conferences and courses are available on the Continuing Medical Education website at [cme.medicine.iu.edu](http://cme.medicine.iu.edu).

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## Scientific Calendar online

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

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## Scope submission guidelines

Scope wants your news items.

The deadline for submission is 8:30 a.m. on Thursdays. *Scope* is published electronically and sent to faculty, staff, students, and residents.

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

- e-mail the information to [mhardin@iupui.edu](mailto: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)

To keep the electronic version of *Scope* as streamlined as possible, only seminars and lectures of general or multidisciplinary interest will be included.

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