



SB Life Lines, Week of February 6, 2012

The weekly e-newsletter for Biology and Biochemistry students

Wednesday, February 8

STUDY ABROAD & INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE FAIR

Go abroad, get ahead! Wednesday, February 8 from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. in the Melville Library Lobby.

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Perhaps there's no such thing as a free lunch, but each summer SUNY Downstate Medical Center offers a lengthy banquet of experience and information for educationally or financially disadvantaged students interested in health professions careers or biomedical research--and participating students are eligible for stipends.

Applications are competitive, and seats are limited. However, if you have students who yearn to--

*Study Anatomy and Physiology; *Do Gross Anatomy dissections; * Learn about the PT and PA professions; *Learn the basics of scientific writing and how to craft an abstract; * Learn about launching a career in biomedical research; *Explore a range of health careers; * Learn about the history of medicine and about bioethics; *Hone interviewing skills

--one of three available Downstate summer programs could be ideal for your rising sophomores, sophomores, or juniors.

The separate PDF contains basic information about the programs.

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Many successful and exciting careers can be traced back to Downstate summer programs, so please pay attention to this.

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Career Center Presents: Gap Year Opportunities

Wednesday, February 8, 1-2 p.m.

Psychology Building A, Room 109

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The Undergraduate Biochemistry Society will be holding its first general body meeting of the semester. Come hear about our activities and events, including faculty research seminars, medical and graduate school advice seminars, research advice panels, and our very own mentorship program. We will be meeting in Life Sciences Rm 038 on Wed. Feb 8th at 8pm and will be having refreshments. See you soon!

Thursday, February 9

Neuroscience Seminar Series

On Thursday, February 9, 2012, at 12:00 noon, in the Life Science Building, Room 038, the Department of Neurobiology & Behavior will be hosting a seminar entitled "The origin of time (in the songbird motor pathway)". The speaker will be Dr. Michael Long from New York University. Coffee at 11:45. Faculty Host: Alfredo Fontanini, 632-7871

Thursday, February 9

Stony Brook Campus-Community Emergency Response Team, or SBC-CERT is holding a panel discussion, called "Emergency Response in Your Future," on February 9th, 1-2pm in SAC 306.

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Biochemistry & Cell Biology Seminar: Thursday, February 9, 2012. You are cordially invited to attend a seminar given by Dr. Ken A. Dill, Professor, Stony Brook University, entitled, "How Cells May Be Constrained by the Physical Properties of Their Proteins and Proteomes". It will be held on Thursday, February 9, 2012, in room 038, Life Sciences Building, at 4:00pm. Hosted by Dr. Robert Haltiwanger. Refreshments will be served at 3:30pm.

Thursday, February 9

SBU PRE-MED SOCIETY: 2nd General Body Meeting : Thursday Feb. 9 in SAC 302 at 7pm.

Come meet the Assistant Director of Admissions Ramon Villongco from the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine and learn what it takes and means to be a student of there.

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Friday, February 10

Darwin Day/Provost's Lecture Series will host Mark Norell Friday, February 10

Mark Norell is Curator and Chair of the Division of Paleontology at the American Museum of Natural History in New York. Norell will present his lecture in honor of Darwin Day 2012 on Friday, February 10, at 7:30 PM, in the Earth and Space Sciences Building, Room 001. His lecture is entitled "How Fossils Reveal the Evolution of Birds from Other Dinosaurs" This lecture is held jointly with the Center for Communicating Science, Department of Ecology and Evolution, Department of Anatomical Sciences and the Living World Lecture Series.

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