# **Student Research News e-bulletin**

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# **Funding Opportunities and Awards**

Funding Reminders <u>ASH Physician-Scientist Career Development Award</u> – Sept. 1, 2013 <u>BC Clinical Genomics Travel Awards</u> – ongoing

For additional funding opportunities visit: <u>http://med.ubc.ca/research/md\_undergrad/</u>

# **Upcoming Events**

#### My Health My Community launch

#### Date: June 27, 2013; 7:00-8:30 pm

Location: UBC Robson Square, Room C300 (800 Robson St.); webcast also available

*My Health My Community* is a new web-based health and wellness survey that will give residents the opportunity to help influence their community's health priorities. This initiative will help residents learn how their lifestyles, neighbourhoods & environment, all work together to affect overall health and well-being. The information collected will be used in partnership with local governments, healthcare planners, academia and community stakeholders to shape future programs & community services that will benefit individuals and whole communities.

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*My Health My Community* will be launched at a free public forum which includes a panel discussion between health and community leaders. Confirmed panel members (to date):

 Dr Patty Daly, Chief Medical Health Officer and Vice President Public Health, VCH Peter Fassbender, Mayor, City of Langley Dr Kendall Ho, Professor and Director of eHealth Strategy Office, Faculty of Medicine, UBC Dr Victoria Lee, Medical Health Officer, FHA Richard Walton, Mayor, District of North Vancouver

For RSVP or additional information please visit the website (hyperlinked above).

Breast Cancer Case-Based Workshop - Victoria Date: July 10, 2013; 5:45-7:45 pm

Location: Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria – Begbie Hall, Woodward Room

Join us for a 2-hour case-based discussion workshop on breast cancer facilitated by Dr. Taryl Felhaber in Victoria! Target audience: Family Physicians. We also welcome Specialists, Allied Health Professionals, Residents & Medical Students. Cost: \$35 (save \$10 with online registration)

Cases cover:

- Current screening recommendations & guidelines
- Appropriate diagnostic procedures
- Main treatment options and their potential side-effects
- Ongoing management and follow-up of breast cancer patients

Dinner provided; max 15 participants Registration: <u>https://events.ubccpd.ca/website/index/110007</u>. Registration closes July 4<sup>th</sup>.

Centre for Blood Research: Research Day Date: Aug 15, 2013; 1:00-7:00 pm Location: UBC Life Sciences Centre

The Centre for Blood Research (CBR) fosters young scientists' careers across multiple disciplines focused on solving clinically relevant issues related to blood, blood diseases and blood processes. The Centre's 3rd annual CBR Research Day is held to celebrate these students' achievements. This spectacular event includes short talks and poster presentations from our 2013 CBR Summer Students research as well as posters from our CBR members.

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Following the presentations, there will be a keynote address by Harvard University Professor, Dr. Brian Hoffman, describing how adrenaline was discovered and used - amidst political, social and economic barriers faced today by scientists and doctors.

Register free at : <u>www.cbr.ubc.ca</u>. For further information, contact <u>jason.brown@ubc.ca</u> or <u>ed.conway@ubc.ca</u>.

# **Event Reminders**

<u>Clinical Research Ethics Board Office Drop-In Sessions</u> – Every 2nd & 4th Monday of the month <u>CCOPE Breast & Prostate Cancer Community Workshops</u> – June 25, 26 (various locations) <u>Workshop: How To Write An Effective Animal Care Protocol</u> – July 3, 2013 <u>UBC Animal Care Committee Drop-in Session Office Hours</u> – July 18, 2013

For additional event listing visit: <a href="http://med.ubc.ca/research/md">http://med.ubc.ca/research/md</a> undergrad/events/

# **Ongoing Seminar Series**

Please follow this <u>link</u> for a list of ongoing events and seminar series that may be of interest to MD undergraduate students.

MD/PhD Building Bridges Seminar Series

# Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

# Reminders

Student Research Opportunity at BCCA (Kelowna) – see May 24<sup>th</sup> edition <u>Childhood Cancer and Blood Research BioBank</u> - see hyperlink and May 10<sup>th</sup> edition for details Laboratory and Workplace Safety Training (see June 7<sup>th</sup> events section for additional info) UBC Point Grey: <u>http://riskmanagement.ubc.ca/courses</u> UBC Okanagan: <u>http://www.ubc.ca/okanagan/hse/safety.html</u> University of Victoria: <u>https://ohs.uvic.ca/research\_safety/index.php</u> University of Northern BC: <u>http://www.ubc.ca/safety/lab-safety</u>

Remember additional research and scholarship information and resources are available on the FoM Research Office Website: <u>http://med.ubc.ca/research/md\_undergrad/</u>