

Biology Advising Newsletter 12/02/2013

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OVERVIEW (See below for details)

ADVISING

1. Appointments: General Advising; Spring Enrollment Holds
2. Snack Break this week!

COOL LECTURES

11. Lecture "Neural Circuits that Mediate Chronic Pain" Dec 13

CLUB MEETINGS

Ecology Club - Dec 2, 6:30pm
Biology Club - Dec 10, 8:00pm
Tri-Beta - Dec 3, 8:00pm
Optometry Club - every Sunday
Pitt Outdoors Club - every Tuesday, 9pm
Pre-Vet Club - Dec 9, 8pm
Birding & Ornithology Club
POMS - every Friday, 5:30pm

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1. Appointments: General Advising; Spring Enrollment Holds

Sign-up sheets are available in the Advising Office for general advising, or if you still need to register for Spring. It's quiet now that most folks have enrolled, and we have the time to discuss your special interests or concerns – courses, careers, graduate programs, etc.

Remember that we also take walk-ins for quick questions. Drop by if we can help you with something!

2. Snack Break This Week!

Join us in the Advising Office (A258 Langley Hall) during finals for healthy snacks!

Dec 11 - 15

11. Lecture "Neural Circuits that Mediate Chronic Pain." Dec 13, noon, Scaife Hall Lecture Room 6

Rebecca P. Seal, PhD, Pitt School of Medicine, will deliver "Neural Circuits that Mediate Chronic Pain". A major focus of Seal's laboratory is the study of neural circuits underlying touch and pain.

Light refreshments to follow.

ECOLOGY CLUB - Alternate Mondays 6:30pm, Langley A221

- Be a U.S. citizen or hold a permanent resident visa; and
- Not have previously participated in SMDEP.

SMDEP is implemented at 12 program sites (80 students per site) across the nation. Each program site provides scholars with academic enrichment in the basic sciences and math, clinical experiences, career development activities, learning and study skills seminars, and a financial planning workshop.

This free six-week residential program is hosted by the following participating institutions:

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- Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons and College of Dental Medicine
- Duke University School of Medicine
- Howard University Colleges of Art and Sciences, Dentistry, and Medicine
- David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA and UCLA School of Dentistry
- Rutgers New Jersey Medical School and Rutgers School of Dental Medicine
- The University of Texas School of Dentistry and Medical School at Houston
- University of Louisville Schools of Medicine and Dentistry
- University of Nebraska Medical Center, Colleges of Medicine and Dentistry
- University of Virginia School of Medicine
- University of Washington Schools of Medicine and Dentistry
- Yale University School of Medicine

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