



CCPH E-News: December 2007

Dear Colleague,

Below are highlights for Community-Campus Partnerships for Health (CCPH) in the month of December. We hope this helps you stay better connected to our events, activities, and opportunities for involvement!

On behalf of the CCPH board and staff, we extend you best wishes for a happy and healthy holiday season!

BECOME A MEMBER OF CCPH TODAY!

This E-News is CCPH's free e-newsletter for non-members. We invite you to become a member of CCPH while we're running our New Member Special! If you become a new CCPH member before January 31st, you'll be entered into a drawing to win a \$100 gift certificate for the CCPH publishing partner of your choice! See details at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/members.html>!

Why join CCPH?

- Be the first to hear about funding opportunities and other important news!
- Receive substantial publication discounts!
- Pursue professional development opportunities at discounted rates!
- Connect with colleagues who share your passion for partnerships and social justice through our online Member Directory, Interest Groups and Listservs!
- Access low cost, high-quality training and technical assistance!
- Influence policy on issues you care about, such as eliminating health disparities, changing faculty promotion and tenure, and increasing funding for partnerships!

Need more information? Contact CCPH membership coordinator Cate Clegg at cleggc@u.washington.edu

DON'T MISS THESE DEADLINES!

* **CCPH Publications on Sale Through January 31st!** Get a 20% discount on ALL CCPH publications ordered before January 31st while supplies last! Visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/guide.html#Publications> for more information.

* **CCPH Annual Award Nominations Due February 12th!** The Award recognizes exemplary partnerships between communities and higher educational institutions that improve higher education, civic engagement, and the overall health of communities. Details at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/awards.html>.

* **Looking for an Intensive Training Institute Focused on Service-Learning in the Health Professions?** Apply by April 10th for the 11th CCPH Summer Service-Learning Institute, July 25-28, 2008, in the Cascade Mountains of Washington State. We encourage early applications as past years' institutes have had wait lists. Details at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/servicelearning.html>

NEW AT CCPH

* **Workgroup on Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) & Research Ethics ~ Looking for Members!** CCPH and Tuskegee University's Bioethics Center are convening a workgroup to develop and implement training opportunities for Institutional Review Boards (IRBs) and Research Ethics Boards (REBs) on how to review CBPR protocols. The workgroup will meet monthly by conference call starting in January 2008. We are looking for community members, CBPR researchers, IRB/REB administrators, IRB/REB members and others who are interested in serving on the workgroup. For more information, please contact CCPH program director Kristine Wong at kristine@u.washington.edu. Learn more about CCPH's CBPR & Research Ethics Program at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/projects.html#IRBHome> and http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/PM_110907.html#MessageED

* **New Community Partner Resources at CCPH – Dec 11 Overview Conference Call!** Are you a community member, community partner or community-academic liaison interested in connecting with your peers to build greater capacity, support each other in your work, and strengthen the collective network of community partners engaging in community-higher education partnerships? If so, please consider joining the Community Partner Listserv and getting involved in the Community Partner Workgroups, established as a direct result of the Wingspread Community Partner Summit convened in 2006 by CCPH.

Listserv: To subscribe, go to:

<https://mailman1.u.washington.edu/mailman/listinfo/communitypartnerlistserv>

Workgroups: If you're interested in learning more about the workgroups and possibly getting involved, dial into a toll-free conference call that will provide an overview of the Community Partner Mentoring and Policy Workgroups. No registration is required.

December 11 at 1 pm PST / 4 pm EST. Dial: 1-800-791-2345, Access code: 13511#

For more information: please visit the Community Partner Summit website at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/cps.html> or contact CCPH program director Kristine Wong at kristine@u.washington.edu.

*** New Resources Added to Community-Engaged Scholarship Toolkit!**

Three recently promoted and/or tenured faculty members have graciously "donated" excerpts from their portfolios for posting on the Community-Engaged Scholarship Toolkit at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/toolkit-portexamples.html>. The toolkit is intended as a resource for community-engaged faculty to "make their best case" for promotion and tenure. If you've recently been promoted and/or tenured, consider sharing excerpts from your portfolios so faculty coming behind you can benefit from your experience! For more information, email CCPH executive director Sarena Seifer at sarena@u.washington.edu

CCPH KUDOS

*** CCPH Executive Director Receives National Award!** Congratulations to CCPH executive director Sarena Seifer who was awarded the 2nd annual Tom Bruce Award by the Community-Based Public Health Caucus of the American Public Health Association. The award recognizes "an individual who has made a significant contribution to community-based public health through activities that exemplify the CBPH Caucus' vision, goals, and activities. For more information, visit www.cbphcaucus.org

*** CCPH Board Members Recognized as Exemplary Leaders!** Congratulations to these CCPH board members on their recent accomplishments:

Diane Downing has been elected chair of the Action Board of the American Public Health Association, a post that also means she'll be an ex-officio member of APHA's Executive Board. The Action Board is charged with the facilitation and implementation of APHA policies and positions. For more information, visit <http://www.apha.org/about/gov/action/>

Bobbie Gottlieb was awarded a Faculty Fellowship for Youth from Massachusetts and Rhode Island Campus Compacts. The purpose of the Fellowship is to develop the capacity of colleges and universities to engage in service-learning programs that address young people in their communities. For more information, visit

http://www.compact.org/ricompact/include/pdf/07_09_LSA_Faculty_Fellowship_RFP.pdf

Cynthia Barnes-Boyd has received the City Partner Award, presented annually by the University of Illinois Alumni Association and the University of Illinois-Chicago Chancellor. The Award was created in 1993 by a committee of alumni volunteers and campus staff members to recognize “those University of Illinois alumni who have gone on from University of Illinois Chicago (UIC) to contribute to the vitality of the Chicago metropolitan area in a special way.” For more information, visit <http://www.uiaa.org/chicago/awards/partner.html>.

Learn more about the remarkable individuals who govern CCPH at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/boardmembers.html>

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CCPH Members also receive the member e-newsletter Partnership Matters, <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/PM2007.html>. Partnership Matters is chock full of timely grant announcements like this one: New Wisdom Research Initiative – Deadline: November 19, 2007. Did you miss the deadline?

Be the first to hear about funding and other time-sensitive opportunities: Join CCPH today! To read about the many other benefits of CCPH membership, please visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/members.html>. Join CCPH online by credit card at www.regonline.com/Checkin.asp?EventId=8776 or by check sent along with this form: http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/Brochure%20Final.pdf.

Community-Campus Partnerships for Health promotes health (broadly defined) through partnerships between communities and higher educational institutions. Become a member today at www.ccph.info

Celebrating a Decade of Transforming Communities & Higher Education, 1997-2007
