



CCPH E-News: March 2009

Dear Colleague,

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

This E-News is CCPH's free e-newsletter for non-members. We invite you to become a member of CCPH! Your modest investment allows us to continue to serve as a resource for service-learning, community-based participatory research, and community-campus partnerships more broadly that are working to improve higher education, civic engagement, and the health of communities.

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DON'T MISS THESE DEADLINES!

***Session Proposals Due March 9 for the International Partnership Institute!** CCPH is cosponsoring the institute, "Reciprocal Partnerships: Transforming Higher Education and Community for the Future," taking place May 18-19 in Portland, OR. For more information, visit www.pdx.edu/cae/partnership.html.

***Register by Early-Bird March 11 Deadline for Community-Based Participatory Research Workshop!** CCPH is co-sponsoring the workshop, "Challenges and Solutions for Researchers and Community Leaders." taking place on April 10 in Houston, TX. For more information, visit <http://www.uh.edu/cpp/cbprc.htm>

***Apply by May 8 for CCPH's 12th Summer Service-Learning Institute!** The Institute takes place July 24-27, 2009 in the Cascade Mountains of Washington State. It is designed for both new and experienced service-learning practitioners and taught by national experts in health-related service-learning. For more information and application materials visit: <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/servicelearning.html>.

WHAT'S NEW AT CCPH?

***Join a Blog Discussion on the Ethics of Community-Engaged Research!** CCPH senior consultants Sarena Seifer, Nancy Shore and Elaine Drew have posted an invited blog entry for Public Responsibility in Medicine & Research, a national professional development organization for Institutional Review Boards and others interested in advancing ethical research. To read the blog entry and post a comment visit: <http://primr.blogspot.com/2009/02/ethics-of-community-engaged-research.html>.

***Seeking Submissions for CES4Health.info!** One challenge for community-engaged scholars is the lack of mechanisms for peer review and dissemination of products that go beyond manuscripts published in journals – such as documentaries, training manuals, policy briefs and curricula. CES4Health.info, a component of the Faculty for the Engaged Campus initiative, addresses this challenge by peer reviewing and publishing products that result from health-related community-engaged research, teaching and service. Interested in submitting a product for review or serving as a peer reviewer? Contact Faculty for the Engaged Campus Co-Director Cathy Jordan at cyfcdir@umn.edu for more information. Learn more at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/faculty-engaged.html>

***Recent Updates to the Community-Engaged Scholarship Toolkit!** The toolkit is intended as a resource for community-engaged faculty on how to "make their best case" for promotion and tenure. Over a dozen recently promoted and/or tenured faculty members have graciously "donated" excerpts from their portfolios for posting on the toolkit at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/toolkit-portexamples.html>. Interested in adding to the collection? Email us at ccph@mcw.edu

***Five Organizations Selected For National Demonstration Project To Improve Community Engagement in Cancer Clinical Trials!** The initiative, co-sponsored by CCPH and the Education Network to Advance Cancer Clinical Trials, has awarded five grants to improve cancer clinical trial participation through innovative community engagement strategies. For more information visit: <http://www.communitiesaspartners.org/>. To view the press release visit: http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/IP_press_release_2_10_09.pdf.

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