

## CCPH E-News: December 2005

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!

We'd also like to take this opportunity to wish you a happy, healthy holiday season and New Year!

**Join CCPH Today! New Member Special in Effect Through January 31, 2006!** Many people assume that if they get e-mails from CCPH, they are a member. If you are receiving this E-News, you are NOT currently a member of CCPH. Learn about the many benefits of CCPH membership at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/members.html>. **If you join between now and January 31, 2006, you will be entered into drawings for valuable prizes!** You could win the Jossey-Bass book of your choice! Download a CCPH membership application at [http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf\\_files/Jan2004.membbrocpdf.pdf](http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/Jan2004.membbrocpdf.pdf) or join online at <http://www.regonline.com/eventinfo.asp?EventId=8776>. If you have any questions, please contact us at or [ccphuw@u.washington.edu](mailto:ccphuw@u.washington.edu) or (206) 543-8178

### NEW AT CCPH

**\* Applications Now Available for 9th CCPH Summer Service Learning Institute!** CCPH is accepting applications for our 9<sup>th</sup> Summer Service-Learning Institute, July 21-24, 2006, in the Cascade Mountains of Washington State. The institute has tracks for both novice and experienced service-learning practitioners. **Applications, due April 7, 2006**, are available at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/servicelearning.html>. For more information, visit [www.ccph.info](http://www.ccph.info) or contact Rachel Vaughn, CCPH Senior Consultant, at [ccphuw@u.washington.edu](mailto:ccphuw@u.washington.edu) or (206) 543-8178.

**\* Call for Nominations for the Annual CCPH Award Due January 20, 2006!** The CCPH Award recognizes exemplary principle-centered partnerships between communities and higher educational institutions that build on each other's strengths to improve health professions education, civic engagement and the overall health of their communities. The award will be presented at the next CCPH conference, May 31-June 3, 2006, in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA (learn more about the conference below). **Nominations for the 2006 CCPH Annual Award are due January 20, 2006.** Learn more at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/awards.html>.

**\* Building Capacity for Community Engagement Institutional Self-Assessment Tool Now Available!** The tool is designed for higher educational institutions (or units therein) to assess their capacity for community engagement and community-engaged scholarship and to identify opportunities for action. The tool, developed by CCPH senior consultant Sherril Gelmon, is available online at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pastpresentations.html> along with slides from a presentation on the tool at last month's International Service-Learning Research Conference. The tool is being used by schools participating in the Community-Engaged

Scholarship for Health Collaborative to track changes in their capacity over time. Visit the Collaborative website at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/healthcollab.html>.

**\* The results are in: “This is the most responsive and generous listserv to which I have subscribed. . . . It feels good to join a group that understands what it means to be a community.”** CCPH and Wellesley Central Health Corporation recently conducted a confidential online survey of subscribers to the Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) listserv to solicit their feedback, to help improve the listserv, and to continue to advance the field. Learn why 2,000 people are already subscribed at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/commbas.html#ElecDiscussGroups>

**\* CCPH Welcomes New Program Director Kristine Wong!** Kristine has over 10 years of experience conducting community-based public health and environmental justice research, education, outreach, community organizing, media production, and media advocacy with Asian Pacific American communities and other communities of color in the San Francisco Bay Area and Seattle. Before coming to CCPH, Kristine managed a National Institutes of Health and Health Resource and Services Administration-funded partnership with the University of Washington School of Public Health and Community Medicine, International Community Health Services, and the Hope Heart Institute that conducted research and education on organ donation/transplantation among people of color and multicultural youth. She also produced a multicultural video on organ donation/transplantation that is currently showing at Washington State driver’s licensing offices. Kristine holds a Masters of Public Health from the University of Washington and an undergraduate degree in Bioresource Sciences/Natural Resources from the University of California, Berkeley. In her spare time, Kristine enjoys distance running, soccer, linoleum cut printmaking, and documentary video production. Learn more about Kristine at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/staff.html>. She can be reached at [kristine@u.washington.edu](mailto:kristine@u.washington.edu) or (206) 543-7954.

#### **UPDATE ON CCPH’S 9TH CONFERENCE**

##### ***Walking the Talk: Achieving the Promise of Authentic Partnerships***

May 31 – June 3, 2006

Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA.

<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-overview.html>.

**\* Register Online Today at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-registration.html>!**

**\*Register for a Pre-Conference Institute – Space is Limited!** Pre-conference institutes—on Wednesday, May 31, 2006—provide participants with in-depth knowledge and skills. Topics include:

- Engaging Campuses as Authentic Partners: Tips & Strategies for Community Leaders
- Essentials of Service-Learning Partnerships
- Community-Based Participatory Research: Developing & Sustaining Partnerships
- Practical Guidance for Authors Writing About Community-Based Participatory Research
- Making Your Best Case for Promotion and/or Tenure: A Toolkit for Community-Engaged Faculty Members

- Community-Campus Partnerships and Rural Health Workforce Development: A Pre-Conference Institute & Community Site Visit

**\*Become a Conference Exhibitor and Co-Sponsor!** Exhibitors and co-sponsors are essential to the success of the conference by directly connecting attendees to valuable programs, products and services. Meet our current co-sponsors at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-coexhibit.html>. Find out how your organization can join this esteemed group by visiting <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-exhibiting.html>.

### **JOIN CCPH AT THE AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING**

December 10-14, 2005 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

\* **Stop by the CCPH exhibit booth #1717!** We will be sharing an exhibit booth with the Community Health Scholars Program.

\* **Check out the CCPH Member Guide to APHA** – your “cheat sheet” for sessions on service-learning, community-based participatory research and more!

[http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf\\_files/CCPH%20Guide%20to%20APHA2005.pdf](http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/CCPH%20Guide%20to%20APHA2005.pdf).

\* **Join us for these presentations based on CCPH projects and programs:**

\* **Community-Based Participatory Research (Part I): Developing and Sustaining Partnerships for Community-Based Participatory Research** will be presented as a continuing education institute (CEI) by the ASPH-CDC Community-Institutional Partnerships for Prevention Research Group on **December 10, 2005**. It is the first of a two-part CEI on community-based participatory research (CBPR). The second CEI is CBPR (Part 2): Working with Communities to Interpret and Analyze Data and Get to Outcomes takes place on December 11, 2005. For more information on the topics and projects presented during this session, visit these websites:

<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/researchprojects.html>

<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/commbas.html>

Join the CBPR listserv: <https://mailman1.u.washington.edu/mailman/listinfo/cbpr>.

\* **Planning Ahead for Promotion and Tenure: An Online Toolkit on Community-Engaged Scholarship** will be part of the Demonstrating Excellence in Academic/Practice Partnerships Poster Session on **December 12, 2005, at 2:30 pm**. CCPH Senior Consultant Diane Calleson will be presenting. This presentation will describe an innovative nationally peer-reviewed, online toolkit developed from an educational project involving interviews with faculty and relevant literature that supports faculty in their preparation for promotion and tenure. To view the Online Toolkit, visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/toolkit.html>.

\* **Current Trends in Faculty Recruitment, Retention, Promotion & Tenure** on **December 13, 2005, at 12:30 pm**, will present the report from the Commission on Community-Engaged Scholarship for the Health Professions, the online Community-Engaged Scholarship Toolkit, and the challenges of faculty recognition and rewards for community-engaged scholarship. For more information on the topics and projects presented during this session, visit these websites:

<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/scholarship.html>

<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/kellogg3.html>  
<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/healthcollab.html>  
<http://www.communityengagedscholarship.info>

Join the Community-Engaged Scholarship listserv:

<https://mailman1.u.washington.edu/mailman/listinfo/comm-engagedscholarship>

For more details and to register, visit

<http://www.apha.org/meetings/index.htm>

For information on other upcoming events, visit

<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conferences.html>

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Community-Campus Partnerships for Health is a nonprofit organization that promotes health through partnerships between communities and higher educational institutions. Become a member today at [www.ccph.info](http://www.ccph.info)!

Join CCPH for our 9th Conference, May 31 - June 3, 2006, Minneapolis, MN USA  
Register today for 4 days of skill-building, networking & agenda-setting!

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