

CCPH E-News: October 2006

Dear Colleague,

Below are highlights for Community-Campus Partnerships for Health (CCPH) in the month of October. 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 helps 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 health professions education, civic engagement, and the health of communities.

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DON'T MISS THESE DEADLINES THIS WEEK!

* Proposals Due This Friday, October 6! CCPH 10th Anniversary Conference, Mobilizing Partnerships for Social Change, April 11 - 14, 2007, in Toronto ON Canada. The conference planning committee is looking for proposals that address one or more of these sub-themes: Understanding and Addressing the Social Determinants of Health; From Grassroots Movements to Policy Change; Communities as Centers of Learning, Discovery and Engagement; and Developing the Science of Community-Based or Practice-Based Evidence. Details at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-cfp.html>.

* Advance Registration Closes Today for Community-Based Participatory Research Continuing Education Institutes, November 4 - 5, in Boston. Both are offered in partnership with the American Public Health Association (APHA) Community-Based Public Health Caucus. "Developing and Sustaining Partnerships for Community-Based Participatory Research," will be held Saturday, November 4, 1:30 - 5:00 pm and is based on the training curriculum developed by the Examining Community-Institutional Partnerships for Prevention Research Group. For information on the group, visit http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/Project%20Fact%20Sheet%20Apr%202006.pdf. "Community-Based Participatory Research: Working With Communities to Analyze Data and Get to Outcomes" will be held Sunday, November 5, 8:00 - 11:30 am. You don't need to register for the whole APHA conference to participate. Details at <http://www.apha.org/meetings/index.htm>.

NEW AT CCPH

* CCPH Conference Presenters Have Five Opportunities to Publish in Peer-Reviewed Journals! Selected authors of proposals accepted for presentation at the CCPH 10th anniversary conference will be invited to prepare a paper for publication in one of these peer-reviewed

journals: Progress in Community Health Partnerships: Research, Education, and Action (<http://pchp.press.jhu.edu>); The Journal of Higher Education Outreach and Engagement (<http://www.uga.edu/jheoe/>), Context: The Journal Recognizing Student Health Professionals Engaged in Their Communities (<http://www.contextjournal.org>)

There is no guarantee of publication, but we intend to work closely with authors and the journal editors to ensure a high quality submission that is likely to be favorably reviewed. In addition, Context will publish abstracts of all accepted proposals authored by students!

* Plan NOW to Attend the CCPH 10th Anniversary Conference, Mobilizing Partnerships for Social Change, April 11-14, 2007 in Toronto, ON, Canada! Proposals are due October 6. Download the Call for Proposals at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-cfp.html> Visit the conference homepage regularly for news and updates at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-overview.html>

* New CCPH Board Chair and Chair-Elect! At this week's CCPH board of directors meeting in Washington DC, Renee Bayer completes her exemplary year as board chair as Ella Greene-Moton becomes board chair and Chuck Conner, board chair-elect. Learn more about the individuals who govern CCPH at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/boardmembers.html>

CCPH AT UPCOMING MEETINGS

* 6th International Conference on Service-Learning Research, October 13-16 in Portland, Oregon. CCPH senior consultant Sherril Gelmon is chairing the conference, which is being co-sponsored by CCPH. The theme is "From Passion to Objectivity: International and Cross-Disciplinary Perspectives on Service-Learning Research." The conference includes a pre-conference workshop on October 13 on "Making the Best Case for Promotion and/or Tenure: Documenting Community-Engaged Scholarship" that draws on CCPH's Community-Engaged Scholarship Toolkit (www.communityengagedscholarship.info), and work in progress by the Community Engaged Scholarship for Health Collaborative (<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/healthcollab.html>). Register for the conference today at <http://www.upa.pdx.edu/SLResearch06/>

* Campus Compact 20th Anniversary Celebration, October 16 – 17, 2006. CCPH will be exhibiting at this celebration to be held in Chicago, Illinois. For details, visit <http://www.compact.org/20th/>

* Center for Border Health Research Conference on Community-Based Participatory Research to be held in El Paso, Texas on October 25, 2006. CCPH executive director Sarena Seifer will be presenting at the conference, which is designed to share findings from community-based participatory research (CBPR) projects led by three community-based organizations in El Paso, Texas; Alamogordo, New Mexico; and Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua and take their work "to the next level." For more information, email Jon Law at jlaw@cbhr.org

Stay informed about Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR)! Join the free CBPR listserv today at <https://mailman1.u.washington.edu/mailman/listinfo/cbpr>.

CCPH CONSULTANCY NETWORK

Did you know that the CCPH Consultancy Network provides customized training and technical assistance on topics that include service-learning, community-based participatory research and community-engaged scholarship? For more information, visit

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