



CCPH E-News: May 2008

Dear Colleague,

Below are highlights for Community-Campus Partnerships for Health (CCPH) in the month of May. 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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Need more information? Contact CCPH membership coordinator Cate Clegg at cleggc@u.washington.edu or view our extensive membership web pages at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/members.html>.

TIME-SENSITIVE OPPORTUNITY!

A Few Spaces Remain for CCPH's 11th Summer Service-Learning Institute, July 25-28! If you're working to incorporate service-learning into health professions education, this intensive learning opportunity set in the beautiful Cascade Mountains of Washington is for you! For more information, visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/servicelearning.html> and email CCPH senior consultant Rachel Vaughn TODAY at sliccph@u.washington.edu to express your interest!

WHAT'S NEW AT CCPH?

* **CCPH Board Announces New Executive Director & Organizational Home!** Cheryl A. Maurana, Senior Associate Dean for Public and Community Health at the Medical College of Wisconsin (MCW) in Milwaukee will become CCPH's next Executive Director on August 1, 2008. CCPH will also begin operating out of its new organizational home at MCW at that time under Cheryl's leadership. Sarena D. Seifer will continue as CCPH's Executive Director until then.

Read the press release at

http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/CCPH%20Press%20Release%20FINAL.pdf

*** Save the Date! 2009 CCPH Conference Dates & Location Announced!** The 11th CCPH Conference will be held April 29 – May 2, 2009 in Milwaukee, WI. Mark your calendars and plan now to attend! The conference call for proposals will be released this summer. More information will be available soon on the CCPH homepage at www.ccpb.info

*** Twenty Campuses Selected to Build Cadre of Community-Engaged Faculty.** *Faculty for the Engaged Campus* has selected 20 colleges and universities to build a cadre of community-engaged faculty members through innovative models of faculty development. Institutional teams will convene May 28-30 in Chapel Hill, NC to design competency-based campus-wide models of faculty development that support community-engaged careers in the academy. At least four participating institutions will subsequently be awarded grants to implement and evaluate their designs. Read the press release at

http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/charrette_press_release_FINAL.pdf

*** New Featured Member ~Renee Veksler!** CCPH Member Renee Veksler shares in her interview her experiences with the community-based collaborative organization Get Healthy Guam Coalition. Renee discusses how, with collaboration and networking, she has been able to grow and develop the Coalition and achieve the organization's goals of disseminating information to communities across the islands of Guam on improving health through active lifestyles.

Read the full interview at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/featuredmember.html>.

Read about past featured members at

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

Would you like to be a featured member? CCPH membership coordinator Cate Clegg would like to hear from you at cleggc@u.washington.edu

CATCH UP WITH CCPH AT CUexpo!

*** May 4-7, 2008, CUexpo2008, Community-University Partnerships: Connecting for Change, Victoria, BC, Canada!** In lieu of our own major conference in 2008, CCPH is delighted to be a core sponsor of the third Community-University Exposition (CUexpo). Many CCPH members, staff and senior consultants are presenting at CUexpo. Plan to also join us at these CCPH events:

May 4 from 7-10 pm: During the opening session of the conference, CCPH executive director Sarena Seifer will present the CCPH Annual Award and recognize three partnerships with honorable mentions.

May 5 from 5-6:30 pm: Join us for an informative and interactive CCPH networking session. Learn about CCPH's current and future plans, access CCPH tools and resources, connect with like-minded colleagues, and discover ways to get involved in this dynamic and growing organization! The session will include plenty of time to answer your questions and respond to your ideas and suggestions. CCPH members and those who haven't yet joined are welcome to attend! Snacks will be provided.

To view the complete program, visit <http://www.cuexpo08.ca/index.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: William Bingham Foundation Grants to Assist Low-Income Breast Cancer Patients—Deadline: April 30, 2008! - 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

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