

CCPH E-News: November 2005

Dear Colleague,

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

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. Your modest investment in CCPH 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. To read about the many benefits you would receive by becoming a CCPH member, please visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/members.html>.

Join CCPH today! Join online by credit card at <http://www.regonline.com/eventinfo.asp?EventId=8776> or by check sent along with this downloaded form: http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/Jan2004.membbrocpdf.pdf.

If you have any questions, please contact us at (206) 543-8178 or ccphuw@u.washington.edu.

NEW AT CCPH

***CCPH Celebrates Accomplishments of Departing Program Director Jen Kauper-Brown.** For the past two years, CCPH program director Jen Kauper-Brown has been instrumental to our work in community-based participatory research and community-engaged scholarship. After an extended international trip, she will be moving to Chicago, Illinois, in June 2006. Her last day at CCPH will be November 7, 2005. Jen is one of those rare people who is detail-oriented, focused and productive, and at the same time can stand back and ask important and insightful questions, think about things strategically and address the critical issues at hand. She is an absolute delight to work with, and we will miss her tremendously. Please join us in congratulating Jen on her accomplishments at CCPH and wishing her the best in her future endeavors (which we hope will include CCPH one way or another!).

*** CCPH's 9th Summer Service-Learning Institute set for July 21-24, 2006.** This upcoming Service-Learning Institute will take place in the Cascade Mountains of Washington State. Applications for the Institute will be available soon—Stay tuned! To learn more about our Service-Learning Institutes please visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/servicelearning.html>.

*** Audiofile and Slides Available from the October 13 Webconference: Learning About the New Community-Engaged Scholarship Toolkit.** The materials are available on our website at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pastpresentations.html>. During the webconference, information was shared about how this online resource can

provide health professional faculty with a set of tools to carefully plan and document their community-engaged scholarship and produce strong portfolios for promotion and tenure. Visit the toolkit at <http://www.communityengagedscholarship.info>.

To learn more about the toolkit, please join us at these upcoming presentations:

(1) American Public Health Association 133rd Annual Meeting, December 10-14, 2005, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: Making the Best Case in Your Portfolio for Promotion and Tenure: An Online Toolkit on Community-Engaged Scholarship, December 13, 2005, at 1:30 pm. http://apha.confex.com/apha/133am/techprogram/paper_113283.htm.

(2) CCPH 9th Conference, May 31-June 3, 2006, in Minneapolis, Minnesota: Making Your Best Case for Promotion and/or Tenure: A Toolkit for Community-Engaged Faculty Members - Pre-Conference Institute on May 31. <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-overview.html>.

*** Communities & Physicians Together Teleconference Audiofile and Slides**

Available. An audiofile and slides are available from the October 19 teleconference featuring Communities & Physicians Together, the recipient of the 4th annual Community-Campus Partnerships for Health Award. During the teleconference, information was shared on how this award-winning partnership draws upon the assets of communities and physicians-in-training to improve child health and support families in raising healthy children. Learn more at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/awards.html>. The materials are available at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pastpresentations.html>.

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:

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- 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

* **Conference Exhibitor and Co-Sponsor Opportunities Are Available.** Meet our current co-sponsors and find out how your organization can join this esteemed group. For more information, visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-exhibiting.html>. Please contact Linda Nelson, CCPH exhibit show manager, at (518) 374-8190 or L.Nelson@nycap.rr.com with any questions. For a list of current co-sponsors, visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conf-coexhibit.html>.

CCPH PRESENTATIONS AT UPCOMING MEETINGS

* **CCPH executive director Sarena Seifer** is giving two presentations: "Community-Engaged Teaching: What, So What and Now What?" and "Community-Based Participatory Research: Scientific Rigor + Community Participation = Better Research + Better Health," **November 2, 2005**, at **Vanderbilt University** in Nashville, Tennessee. For more information, please contact Darcy Freedman at darcy.a.freedman@vanderbilt.edu.

* **CCPH at The Network: Towards Unity for Health's 2005 International Conference.** In 2004 CCPH and The Network: TUFH co-sponsored an International Conference on Overcoming Health Disparities (see <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/guide.html#Conf2004>). The next conference of The Network: TUFH will take place in **Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, November 12 – 17, 2005**. **CCPH administrative director Annika Robbins** will be presenting a poster on CCPH. Are you planning to attend the conference? If so, please email AnnikaLR@u.washington.edu. For details on the conference, visit www.the-networktufh.org.

* **CCPH senior consultant Sherril Gelmon will be presenting a session** entitled "Institutional Change to Support Community-Engaged Scholarship: Testing New Methods" at the Fifth Annual International Advances in Service-Learning Research Conference in **East Lansing, Michigan**, on Sunday, **November 13, 1:45 – 3:15 PM**. This presentation will focus on the assessment methods used by the Community-Engaged Scholarship for Health Collaborative and how the methods can be used by other institutions. Conference details at <http://outreach.msu.edu/slConference/>. Learn more about the Collaborative at <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/healthcollab.html>.

* **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 at the **American Public Health Association (APHA) Annual Meeting on December 10, 2005, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**. 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. For more information and to register, visit <http://www.apha.org/meetings/index.htm>. For more information on the ASPH-CDC Community-Institutional Partnerships for Prevention Research Group, visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/researchprojects.html#ExaminingCommunityPartnerships>. For more information on CBPR, visit <http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/commbas.html>

and join the free CBPR listserv at
<https://mailman1.u.washington.edu/mailman/listinfo/cbpr>.

* **CCPH at APHA Annual Meeting, December 10 - 14, 2005, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.** We will be sharing an exhibit booth with the Community Health Scholars Program. Stop by and visit us at booth #1717! (Please note: this is a *new* booth number.) Learn more at
<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conferences.html#UpcomingConferences>.
The CCPH Member Guide to the 2005 APHA conference is available at
http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/CCPH%20Guide%20to%20APHA2005.pdf.

For information on other upcoming events, visit
<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/conferences.html>.

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

* **Are You Enjoying ALL of the Benefits CCPH Offers?** Through our website, CCPH provides resources on topics of importance to those working in the field of community-campus partnerships. For instance, if you are interested in Art & Health, International Service Opportunities, Cultural Competency, Funding, or Interdisciplinary Collaboration, you'll find links for these topics (and more!) on our Web Links page:
<http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/links.html>
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<http://www.regonline.com/eventinfo.asp?EventId=8776>, or by check sent along with this downloaded form:
http://depts.washington.edu/ccph/pdf_files/Jan2004.membbrocpdf.pdf.

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