The Monthly Monitor

Announcements

Loss of a dear friend and colleague, Julius Schachter

As many of you already know, last month our field lost a real giant, Julie Schachter. Julie was one of the true pioneers in chlamydia research. He was a creative and prolific researcher, the longtime editor of

Upcoming Events

CFAS Seminar Series: Mycoplasma
Sexually Transmitted Diseases, and a no BS kind of guy who was consistently generous with his unvarnished opinions. Julie was a great collaborator and real friend to many of us at UW. We will miss him.

- Matthew Golden, MD, MPH
Director, UW Center for AIDS and STD (CFAS)

Click here for the obituary from the New York Times.

Call for STD/AIDS Fellowship Applications

We are happy to announce a competition for predoctoral and PhD postdoctoral positions on the STD & AIDS Research Training grant. The deadline for receipt of completed application packets is Monday, Feb 22, 2021. Please click here for more information

Funding Opportunities

**CFAR Seminar: Empowering People Through HIV Prevention Research**
Thursday, January 14, 2021 - 9:00 am
**Speaker:** Thesla Palanee-Phillips, MMed Sci, PhD
**Affiliation:** Wits Reproductive Health and HIV Institute

**New Faces Talk: A Non-Human Primate model of ZIKV Co-Infection in People Living with HIV**
Thursday, January 14, 2021 - 8:30 am
**Speaker:** Megan O'Connor, PhD

**MWAETC AIDS Clinical Conference: HIV Care in the Criminal Justice System**
Thursday, January 21, 2021 - 8:00 am
**Speaker:** Lara Strick, MD, MSc
Trainee Support Grants - UW/Fred Hutch CFAR
Application due January 15, 2021 [link]

2021 CFAR Mentored International Investigator Award
Applications due Monday, January 18, 2021. Click here for more information

Macy Foundation - Faculty Scholars
Program 2021 due February 10, 2021, by 3:00 pm ET. Click here for more information

STD & AIDS Research Training Fellowship Applications due Monday, February 22, 2021. Click here for more information

Link to Additional Funding Opportunities.

AETC: Risk, Presentation, Treatment and Outcomes of COVID-19 in People with HIV
Wednesday, January 27, 2021 - 2:00pm to 3:30pm EST
Speakers: Roy Gulick, MD, MPH and Steven Johnson, MD
Click here for AETC's full calendar
Upcoming Conferences

HIV Research for Prevention Conference
January 27-28 & February 3-4, 2020: Webcast [link]

HIV & Aging in the era of ART and COVID19 / an Inter-CFAR Virtual Meeting
February 4 and 5, 2021: Virtual [link]

2020 Conference on Retroviruses and Opportunistic Infections (CROI)
March 6-10, 2021: Chicago and via Webcast [link]

ISSTDR 2021 call for abstracts READ MORE
Virtual STI & HIV World congress 2021, on 14 to 17 July 2021
Submit your abstract before the deadline of January 25, 2021 (23:59 CET)

Latest Publications

Diana M. Tordoff, MPH
Diana is a PhD student in the Epidemiology Department at the University of Washington.

Sara Glick, PhD
Research Assistant Professor - Department of Medicine, Division of Allergy & Infectious Diseases
Combining Traditional and Molecular Epidemiology Methods to Quantify Local HIV Transmission Among Foreign-Born Residents of King County, Washington.
Diana M Tordoff, Susan Buskin, Richard Lechtenberg, Matthew R Golden, Roxanne P Kerani, Joshua T Herbeck (AIDS)

Increasing Heroin-Methamphetamine (Goofball) Use and Related Morbidity Among Seattle Area People Who Inject Drugs.
Sara N Glick, Kathryn S Klein, Joe Tinsley, Matthew R Golden (AAAP)

News

Update to CDC’s Treatment Guidelines for Gonococcal Infection, 2020
Sancta St. Cyr; Lindley Barbee; Kimberly A. Workowski; Laura H. Bachmann; Cau Pham; Karen Schlanger; Elizabeth Torrone; Hillard Weinstock; Ellen N. Kersh; Phoebe Thorpe

Making Progress Toward Ending HIV: A Look Into HIV-Related Death Rates
HIV.gov

Inside the Fight to Include HIV-Positive People in COVID-19 Vaccine Trials
Steven Blum (NBC News)

Staying Healthy with HIV during COVID-19
HIV.gov
Employment & Training Opportunities

**Director**
UW/Fred Hutch CFAR  
Nomination Deadline: January 31  (**link**)

**MWAETC/IDEA Program Support Specialist**
UW Allergy and Infectious Diseases  
Application Deadline: Open Until Filled  (**link**)

**Senior Biomedical Prevention Clinical Advisor**
Social Solutions  
Application Deadline: Open Until Filled  (**link**)

**STD Prevention Training Center**
STD Update Course - CME/CNE Available  
March 24 & 25, 2021  (**flyer**)

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