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Calendar

Monday, June 18

Center for Integrative Toxicology Chemical Carcinogenesis or Developmental Toxicology Faculty

Candidate Seminar: Brain cholesterol homeostasis as a target for the developmental neurotoxicity of ethanol.

Marina Guizzetti, University of Washington, 12:00 noon, 206 G.M. Trout Building.

Tuesday, June 19

Gene Expression in Development and Disease (GEDD) Research Presentation: Presentation by Xiaofei Jia

and Tobe Named, 12:00 noon, 208 Biochemistry.

Wednesday, June 20

Center for Integrative Toxicology Chemical Carcinogenesis or Developmental Toxicology Faculty

Candidate Seminar: PCBs and inhibitory control: Implications for neuropsychiatric conditions. Helen Sable, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 12:00 noon, B448-9 Life Sciences.

Thursday, June 21

Pediatrics and Human Development Seminar: Effect of antibiotics on the postnatal intestinal bacterial colonization of term newborns. Rodica Turcu, 8:00 a.m., Sparrow Hospital Auditorium.

Friday, June 22

Transcription Journal Club: No meeting this week.

Announcements



GE & Science
Prize for Young
Life Scientists

GE & Science Prize for Young Life Scientists: Established in 1995, the GE & Science Prize for Young Life Scientists seeks to bring science to life by recognizing outstanding PhDs from around the world and rewarding their research in the field of molecular biology. If you were awarded a PhD in 2006, describe your work in a 1000-word essay and submit it for the 2007 GE & Science Prize for Young Life Scientists. A panel of distinguished scientists selects one Grand Prize winner and four regional winners. The Grand Prize winner will be awarded \$25,000 and have his or her

essay published in Science. The regional winners will each be awarded \$5,000. Their essays will be published in the online version of Science. All winners will be flown to the awards ceremony in Stockholm, Sweden. **Entries should be received no later than August 1, 2007.** For an entry form and more detailed information about the criteria for entry and judging procedures, as well as links to previous winners' essays and more, please visit <http://www.gehealthcare.com/science>.

Ross University School of Medicine is seeking candidates for its new Master Educator Training Program. This one-year program is open to four recent MD and PhD graduates in the basic sciences. The program will provide extensive experience in teaching large groups, small groups, problem-based learning classes, and individual students, as well as in educational theory and research. Candidates should be recent graduates of an MD or a basic science PhD program at an accredited U.S. university and planning a career in medical education. Each trainee will receive an annual stipend of \$40,000 plus health care coverage and other expenses, including travel to their campus on Dominica in the Caribbean. **The deadline for application submission is July 1, 2007.** For more information, please contact Dr. Charles Seidel at cseidel@rossmed.edu.dm. **A copy of the flyer is in the maroon binder in 302A Biochemistry.**

Quote for the Week

I like work: it fascinates me. I can sit and look at it for hours. – *Jerome K. Jerome*
