CALENDAR OF EVENTS

***FUTURE DATES TO KEEP IN MIND***

Monday, January 14th, 2008
Dissertation Defense, Jana Horowitz
“Meeting the Needs of Individuals with Developmental Disabilities and Mental Retardation Who Are Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender: Are We There Yet?”
Chair: Mike Petronko, Ph.D., ABPP
A302, 1:00pm

MEMORIAL EVENTS

Monday, January 14th, 2008
GSAPP, Don Peterson Memorial /Psychology Bldg., A317, 4:00pm

Thursday, January 31st, 2008
GSAPP, John Kalafat Memorial/ Biomedical Eng. Building 5:00pm

See Page 2 for details on both Memorial Events and also visit the GSAPP website (http://gsappweb.rutgers.edu/) for memorial pages on Don Peterson and John Kalafat.

Friday, February 29th, 2008
MINORITY AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENT/ALUMNI DINNER
MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW CLOSER TO EVENT


SPRING SEMESTER CLASSES BEGIN ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 22nd, 2008

HAVE A SAFE AND JOYOUS HOLIDAY

Happy Kwanzaa

Happy New Year To All
MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

Dear faculty, students, staff and alumni,

Barbara McCrady’s dad, age 94, passed away peacefully of natural causes on December 18th, with Barbara and her sister at his side. A memorial service will be held in Chicago, Illinois on Thursday, December 20th.

For those wishing to send condolences, her home address is:
1482 Morning Glory Northeast, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87122.

We all express our sympathy to Barbara and her family at this sad time for them.

Memorial services for Don Peterson and John Kalafat in January as follows:

Don Peterson: Monday, January 14, 4pm at GSAPP, Psychology Building Addition (new wing), Room A317. For those who may not be familiar with our location, we are at 152 Frelinghuysen Road at the corner of Allison and Frelinghuysen across from the golf course. Here is a link to a map:
http://gsappweb.rutgers.edu/about/directions.php
Parking will be available at the Psychology Building, Lot 49.

John Kalafat: Thursday, January 31, 5pm at the Biomedical Engineering Building.
Here is the link for directions:
http://maps.rutgers.edu/building.aspx?id=1089
Parking is available at the building, which is a short distance from GSAPP.

We will have speakers and will also welcome your reminiscences and comments. Please join us for a celebration of the lives of two wonderful men who were very accomplished GSAPP faculty.

Alumnus Hector Garcia, who is a clinical psychologist on a PTSD Team of the Audie L. Murphy Memorial Veterans Hospital in San Antonio, Texas, presented about veterans mental health issues at the National Black Caucus of State Legislators meeting, December 12-16 (www.nbcsrl.org/conference2007). Hector's focus was on (a) finding ways to increase state involvement in veteran's care and to bridge communication between federal and state agencies; and (b) on promoting the use of empirically supported treatments (ESTs) and evidence-based practice (EBP) in the delivery of mental health services to veterans. He recently presented on these issues to the National Hispanic Caucus of State Legislators (www.nhcsl.org/index.php).
OUT OF STATE JOB OPPORTUNITIES

South Beach Psychiatric Center (Staten Island and Brooklyn, NY) has a number of staff psychologist openings in their adolescent units, both inpatient and outpatient. It is a great opportunity for someone who has an interest in working with adolescents, doing family work, and learning about DBT in depth through monthly consults with Lisa Lyons, PhD (a protégé of Marsha Linehan). Interested candidates please contact Diane DiSalvo at sbisdmd@omh.state.ny.us or call her at 718-667-2763.

Duke University’s Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) is searching for a full-time, non-tenure track Staff Psychologist. CAPS is the primary counseling center for the Duke student community.

The position requires a doctorate in clinical or counseling psychology from an APA accredited academic program and internship. It is essential that candidates have demonstrated competency in providing clinical and outreach services to emerging adults from various Asian national and cultural backgrounds, including international, immigrant, and American students and in providing consultation about these populations. Candidates must have experience and demonstrated competency in brief individual, couples, and group psychotherapy, outreach/workshops and consultation, and crisis intervention/management skills with emerging adults. Demonstrated experience with and commitment to working with diverse clients, including individuals from ethnically, racially diverse backgrounds and individuals representing varying sexual orientations utilizing a multicultural framework is essential. Also required is demonstrated expertise in the clinical treatment of one of the following: eating disorders, depression, anxiety, alcohol and substance abuse issues, stress and other performance related issues, relationship skills, or other developmental issues of emerging adults. Preference will be given to candidates with expertise in psychological assessment, with an active interest in developing and offering mental health workshops, and/or who are bilingual. Priority consideration will be given to applicants who meet the above criteria and are eligible for licensure. Interested individuals should be licensed or license-eligible in the state of North Carolina. The search is presently open and will continue until the position is filled. Review of applications will begin on February 1, 2008. Interested applicants should submit electronic copies of the following: letter of interest; vita; and the names, addresses, and phone numbers of three references to Robin Buhrke, Ph.D., Chair of Search Committee (robin.buhrke@duke.edu). Applicants are also required to complete the Duke HR application at http://www.hr.duke.edu/jobs/main.html and reference to requisition #400159749.