



DENTAL INTEREST GROUP WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS!

University of Dayton Premedical Programs Newsletter

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Looking Forward

As we move into fall, crisp, cool air ushers in transitions, and we begin to focus on preparing for midterm exams and scheduling for next semester. The Premedical Programs Office (PPO) advises student, sponsors programs and mini-courses for students interested in health professional schools, and serves as an information clearing house of interest to pre-health professionals. In this issue you will find these topics highlighted.

It remains a busy time at PPO, as the student group working with Global Brigades has begun actively fundraising for the January trip with a Brown St. El Rancho takeover on Oct.

4th and several other events including the popular El Meson dinner. Events are listed on page 3.

Focusing on next stages in career development, mock interviews are being conducted on a weekly basis for seniors preparing for their site interviews to pre-health professional schools and speakers are coming to campus to talk about their various health professional programs in our Friday seminar series. This month we have speakers from regional medical schools, Ohio State University Dental School, and the University of Dayton Physician's Assistant program.

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Assistant Director of
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Events and opportunities



Jack Quinn from the Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine will be on campus on **Oct. 20th** from 9 am to 12 pm in the Science Center Atrium to meet with students and share information about their program.

OMED
Ohio Medical Education Day

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Day will be
hosted by
OUHCOM

in Athens, OH on **Nov. 12th**. OMED is a wonderful opportunity to meet regional medical school representatives and learn how to prepare for success in the medical field. Events include an in-depth look at the application process, a panel of current medical students, and an optional campus tour. See the following link for more information and to register on-line:
<https://www.ohio.edu/medicine/admissions/omed.cfm>

Miami Valley Hospital Shadowing

Juniors and Seniors in the application process have the opportunity to shadow healthcare teams at Miami Valley. More details can be found at the Opportunities and Activities link on the premed.udayton.edu web page (Click on Hospital Observation to access all the documents). Bring your completed application, verification of MMR, two-step TB test, flu shot, and immunization records to the Premed office and sign up for your times. Shadowing experiences are from 8 to 10:30 am MTWR. Dates through Nov. 17th are available.

Hospice Remembrance Walk

Join us for the Hospice of Dayton Remembrance walk on Saturday **October 22nd**. You can register as a youth for \$10 if you sign up as part of the ASI 150 group. Contact Lisa at laurenzanal1@udayton.edu. See the following link for details and to register on-line:

<http://www.hospiceofdayton.org/events/remembrance-walk-2/>



The Ladder

Sponsored by Five Rivers Family Health Center and Wright State Boonshoft School of Medicine, the

Ladder is a cascading mentorship program pairing undergraduate students interested in healthcare with students ages 9-17 who share their interest. All participants are part of a society of medical scholars including family medicine faculty, residents, and health professional students. Monthly meetings are held **2nd Saturdays** from noon to 2 pm and focus on sharing and learning about health issues. Events include hands-on educational activities, games, and food.

Interested? E-mail lisa.kellar@wright.edu.

Rose Program

Sophomores and Juniors! If you are a resident in Ohio, Kentucky, or reciprocal and metropolitan counties in Indiana, consider

applying to the University of Cincinnati Rose Program. The Rose Program is a combination internship, mentorship, and early acceptance to medical school.

Applications open Nov. 8th and the deadline is January 23rd.

Interested? Visit <https://med.uc.edu/rose/apply> for more information and to apply.



Spring Registration

Course registration for the spring term starts **Nov. 1st**. Plan on meeting with your academic advisor prior to your registration time to discuss schedules and obtain your approval code. Clear all holds (financial, parking, library) prior to registering.

MedStart Program

Deadline for applications: Oct. 31st

The University of Toledo offers an early admission program designed to accept students during their junior year of their undergraduate education. An overall undergraduate GPA 3.7 with a science GPA of 3.5 is highly recommended along with an ACT score 29 or higher or an SAT score of 1900 or higher. Students should complete one year of general chemistry and lab, one year of organic chemistry and lab, and one year of biological sciences or one year of physics. For detailed information, additional requirements and to apply visit

<http://www.utoledo.edu/med/md/admissions/medstart.html>.

Discovering Dental School (DDS) Evening

Ohio State University College of Dentistry Office of Admissions is hosting a DDS evening on **Oct. 13th** from 5-7 pm. **RSVP online by Oct. 10th**. An overview of the application process, a panel of current dental students, and a tour of the school are the planned events. Contact Casey at cchanatry1@udayton.edu.

Premedical Programs Friday Seminars:

Join us Friday afternoons to hear presentations from speakers from health professional schools. Talks will be held **Fridays at 3:30 pm** in SC 114 unless otherwise specified. The remaining speakers are listed below:

- Annette McMurray (OSU COD) on Oct. 14th –SC 146
- Bryan Moody (Marian U COM) on Oct. 14th
- David Pearson (U Toledo COM) on Oct. 21st
- Sue Wulff (UD PA Program) on Oct. 28th
- Gary LeRoy (WSUBSOM) on Nov. 4th

Mock Interviews

The PPO works with Career Services to provide mock interviews for students prior to their interviews at health professional



schools. After receiving an interview invitation, contact Dr. Scheltens via e-mail. Ideally, we would like to conduct a mock interview 5-7 days prior to your interview date.



Premed Spring Mini-courses

Mini-courses can be taken in addition to the 18 credit limit, are graded P/F, and provide credits towards graduation. Premed-sponsored spring course offerings are listed below:

- **MED 210** – Premedical Community Experience: Learn about the complexities of providing healthcare to underserved and train to provide services as a volunteer at Reach Out of Montgomery County. Capstone Experience.*
- **MED 220**- Hospital Elder Life Program (HELP): Train in bedside interventions for elderly patients and experience a high level of patient contact and responsibility. Prerequisite for program participation is sophomore status.*
- **UDI 276**- Pre-Dentistry Experience at Good Neighbor House: Observe and assist dentists practicing in a nonprofit environment. Capstone Experience.*
- **UDI277**- Medical Documentation in the EMR Age and The Medical Scribe: Learn about the complexities of documentation in an electronic medical record and train to be a medical scribe. Employment a possibility upon successful course completion
- **UDI 278**- Health Careers Seminar: Learn about a variety of health related careers. Complete self-assessment as a foundation for making good career decisions.
- **UDI 309** – Medical Terminology for Premeds: Intended for Juniors and Seniors planning for various health professional schools including medical school. This course **DOES NOT** meet the requirements for PA schools.
- **MED 351**- Healthy Children: Addressing Social Needs to Improve Health Outcomes: Examine the social needs of pediatric patients as well as their families' social needs that affect children's health. Work within the Dayton Children's Hospital setting. Prerequisites: Sophomore standing and a basic orientation to healthcare or human service industries.
*students will receive e-mails about participation and registration

Global Brigades Fundraising Events



Join UD Global Brigades at El Rancho Grande on **Oct. 4th** for a fundraiser! Present the flyer when paying for your meal **ALL DAY** at the Brown Street location to participate. Contact Marissa at [jamam1@udayton.edu](mailto:jmam1@udayton.edu).

Beginning **Oct. 13th** and then every following Thursday and Friday, Central American coffee will be available for purchase in the Science Center Lobby from 8 – 10 am. Cost for a cup of coffee is \$2. One pound bags of coffee grounds and baked goods will also be available for purchase. Contact PJ at greenep1@udayton.edu.



"Pet A Puppy" day will be held in the KU Mall on **Oct. 13th** from 2-5 pm. Pay \$1 to play with puppies for 5-10 minutes. Contact PJ.



A pancake dinner will be held on **October 20th** from 8pm-10pm at the McGinnis Center. Entry is \$5 for all you can eat pancakes. There will be raffles to win a free trip to Daytona, a free Kaplan MCAT course, and a Tim's VIP pass. Raffle tickets will be \$2 a ticket or 3 for

\$5. Venmo, cash, and flyer will be accepted as payment. Contact Ben at schmeusserb@gmail.com.

Global Brigades will host a soccer tournament on Sunday, **October 30th** at 12:00 pm at Stuart Field. Games will be 3v3 and the cost to play is only \$5 per person. There will be prizes for the winners and raffles present at the event! Come show your skills and support GB! For info or to enter a team, contact Tori at vspradling1@udayton.edu.



On **Nov. 6th** from 5-8 pm UD Global Brigades will be hosting a dinner at El Meson which is located on E. Dixie Dr. in Dayton. El Meson serves delicious, authentic Central American cuisine. Tickets are \$50 per person and are available through tickets.udayton.edu or through any UD Global Brigade participants. Come enjoy great food and help us fundraise for our upcoming medical/dental/public health brigade. Contact PJ at greenep1@udayton.edu.



photo credit: <http://www.elmeson.net/>

October: **October 6th-9th** – Midterm break; **October 14th** – Annette McMurry, OSU Dentistry, SC 146; **October 14th** – Bryan Moody, Marian U COM; **October 21st** – David Pearson, U of Toledo COM, SC 114, 3:30 pm; **October 22nd** – Hospice Remembrance Walk; **October 28th** – Sue Wulff, UD PA, SC 114, 3:30 pm

AED events: **Oct. 4th** – Ryan Sanders, US Navy, SC 114 8pm; **Oct. 18th** – Gina McFarlane-EL, Five Rivers Health Centers, SC 114, 8pm; **Oct. 22nd** – Pledge Retreat McGinnis Ctr. Noon to 3 pm

Pre-PA club events: **Oct. 12th** – UD PA Student Panel, SC 114 8pm; **Oct. 26th** – Kettering Network PA Panel, SC 114 8pm

November: **Nov. 1st** – deadline to apply for May graduation; **Nov. 4th** – Gary Leroy, WSUBSOM, SC 114, 3:30 pm; **Nov. 4-6th** – Family Weekend; **Nov. 14th** – last day to drop a class; **Nov. 23rd-27th** – Thanksgiving Break; **Nov. 6th** -- Global Brigades El Meson Fundraiser, E. Dixie Dr. 5-8 pm

AED events: **Nov. 1st** – Dr. Joseph Rubino, SC 114, 8pm; **Nov. 8th** – Blood Drive, RecPlex; **Nov. 15th** – Dr. Jose Rodriguez, SC 114, 8pm; **Nov. 29th** – Family Medicine Panel, SC 114, 8pm

Pre-PA Club events: **Nov. 9th** – Current applicants Panel, SC 114 8pm; **Nov. 16th** – Officers elections, SC 114 8pm



Students mingle with faculty at AED's Fall "Meet the Profs".



Congratulations to UD students with first acceptances to medical school!

Lisa Laurenzana (MED) AZ MWU COM

Nick Racchi (BCM) OUHCOM

Adam Schaefer (MED) OUHCOM

Megan Talty (HSS) Lincoln Memorial COM

October is:

- **Breast Cancer Awareness Month**
- **National Physical Therapy Month**
- **National Dental Hygiene Month**

