

# HIGHLIGHTS

## MARCH

March 4: AED Meeting

March 4: Online Request for Evaluation forms due

March 5: Mid-Term Break begins after last class

March 10: Classes resume

March 14: Everhard, Michaelis and Szabo Scholarship applications due

March 14: Signed Evaluation Request Form Letters and signed Request for Evaluation due in PPO

## APRIL

April 2: Last day to drop classes with a record of "W"

April 5: UD/MVH Healthcare Symposium

April 9: Bro. Joseph W. Stander Symposium -- Alternate Day of Learning

April 10: Professional School Application Process Workshop SC 114, 5:00 pm

April 16 Easter Recess Begins at 4:30 pm

April 21: Easter Monday -- no day classes -- classes resume at 4:30 pm

April 25: Last Day of Classes

April 26, 27: Study days

April 28: Final exams begin

## MAY

May 2: Final exams end

May 4: Undergraduate Commencement Exercises at 9:45 am

## ACCEPTANCES

**Congratulations to the following students who have received acceptances to the following health professional programs!**

Nicholas Adams (MED) Lake Erie COM, Michigan State COM; Eric Antonucci (BIO) U Toledo COM, Wright State U Boonshoft SOM, Case Western Reserve U SOM, U Cincinnati COM; Kylie Bushroe (MED) OSU COM, U Toledo COM, U Cincinnati COM, Wright State U Boonshoft SOM; Lauren Croskey (MED) U Findlay PA Program; Madeline Durand (BIO) Loyola U Stritch SOM; Patrick Dyer (MED) U Toledo COM; Kaitlyn Francis (BSE) OUHCOM, U Toledo COM, Wright State U Boonshoft SOM, Loyola U Stritch SOM; Kaetha Frost (MED) OUHCOM, Wright State U Boonshoft SOM; John Giltner (BIO) Wright State U Boonshoft SOM, Loyola U Chicago Stritch SOM; We'am Hussain (MED) Wright State U Boonshoft SOM; Brandon King (BIO) OUHCOM; David Kling (MED) OUHCOM; Karen Lehan (MED) Creighton U SOM; Brian Lewis (MED) U Toledo COM, NEOMED, U Cincinnati COM; Katherine Liutkus (MED) Connor Peck (MED) Marquette U Dentistry; Caroline Sawicki (DEN) OSU College of Dentistry, William Scharpf (BIO) Campbell U SOM, Kansas City U MB COM; Erica Shelton (BIO) OSU Optometry, Southern College of Optometry, Illinois College of Optometry; Angela Sibilila (MED) OUHCOM, West Virginia SOM; Andrew Steffensmeier (MED) U Toledo COM, West Virginia U SOM, Loyola U Stritch SOM, OSU, Wright State U Boonshoft SOM; Samantha Stringer (MED) U Cincinnati COM; Patrick Sullivan (MED) Creighton U SOM, U Toledo COM; Alexander Ulintz (MED) Case Western Reserve U SOM, Wright State U Boonshoft SOM, U Toledo COM; Greg Versteeg (BCM) U Cincinnati COM, U Toledo COM; Casey Walk (MED) Wright State U Boonshoft SOM; Mollie Walton (BIO) Creighton U SOM; Amy Whitaker (MED) OUHCOM, Lincoln Memorial U DeBusk COM, KCUMB - COM; Erika Wittkorn (BIO) U Pikeville KY COM, OUHCOM.

### Scholarship Deadline Approaching

Sophomores and Juniors! Don't Miss the Scholarship Deadline! All applications for the Everhard, Michaelis, and Szabo scholarships are due March 14. Scholarships applications are open to students who intend to apply to a primary health care professional school. For other requirements and application details, see Premed web site at [premed.udayton.edu](http://premed.udayton.edu).

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## UD/Miami Valley Hospital Healthcare Symposium

April 5, 2014

We invite all students interested in health care professions to attend the upcoming UD/MVH Healthcare symposium. Students are invited to join local physicians and alumni to learn about current health related issues. The photos at left show some of the participants at last year's symposium. Registration is required! Information and registration can be found online at our web site: [go.udayton.edu/mvhsymposium](http://go.udayton.edu/mvhsymposium). We especially invite students to participate in the first ever poster session. Look inside for details.

Sophomores and juniors, a few special items for you! Don't forget to apply for scholarships before March 14. Also, look for information about an upcoming trip to OUHCOM.

Keep an eye on your email for information about registering for Fall semester courses, and THINK SPRING!

## Announcements

### The OSU College of Optometry Admissions Request for Evaluation Forms Due March 14 Information Day

On Saturday, March 29 from 1:00 to 4:30 pm, current students will give tours of the college featuring the new clinical training facility. The schedule will also include an admission and financial aid session and a career information session. For more information, contact Justin Griest at 614-292-8825 or griest.6@osu.edu

Are you applying to medical, dental or other health professional school this application cycle? If so, the deadline for submission of your online forms is March 4 and for your signed Request for Evaluation form and evaluator's forms is March 14. All students who wish to use a composite letter and summary evaluation packet need to comply with this deadline or expect a significant delay in the processing of your request.

### Pharmacy Day at OSU

The OSU College of Pharmacy will hold Pharmacy Day on April 5, 2014 in 250 Lloyd M. Parks Hall, 500 W. 12th Ave., Columbus, OH. Pharmacy Day is a time to learn more about the Ohio State Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) program and the PharmD application process. This event will be for college students who are interested in the PharmD degree. Sign up at <http://www.pharmacy.ohio-state.edu/future-students/pharmd-program>.

### Interested in Joining Rescue Squad?

Information Sessions will be held: March 11, 6-7 PM, KU 312 and March 26, 6-7 PM, KU 211. Open Houses will be held on March 12, 6 - 8 PM and March 23, 2-4 pm at 214 Lawnview. Applications open March 1 and are due by 11:59 pm on April 1. Apply at [www.udayton.edu/students/squad](http://www.udayton.edu/students/squad). For a Ride-Along, email Eric Antonucci at [antonucci1@udayton.edu](mailto:antonucci1@udayton.edu).

### ABC Scribes

ABC Scribes, Ltd. has job opportunities open now for eager, computer savvy, organized students who would like to earn money while assisting physicians at local emergency departments and physicians' offices. Training will be provided. Scribes are expected to work at least two shifts per week (on average) for two years or full time for at least one year. For more information, see the website [www.abcscribes.com](http://www.abcscribes.com). To apply, contact [kimk@abcscribes.com](mailto:kimk@abcscribes.com).

### Visit OUHCOM

Are you a sophomore or junior who is considering applying to Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine? The Premedical Programs Office is planning a visit on Tuesday, April 15. We will have a tour of the medical school and a visit with some current students. Any interested students should email Dr. Simon at [jsimon1@udayton.edu](mailto:jsimon1@udayton.edu).

### Summer Optometry Programs

**Illinois College of Optometry: Focus on Your Future July 14-18, 2014** The Illinois College of Optometry is pleased to announce the annual weeklong summer program for underrepresented minority undergraduate students. There is no cost to participate in this program. Participants are responsible for their travel expenses and/or transportation cost to and from ICO. For more information, please visit: <http://www.ico.edu/admissions/events-for-prospective-students/focus-on-your-future/> or contact Teisha Johnson at 312-949.7407 or [tjohnson@ico.edu](mailto:tjohnson@ico.edu).

**The Ohio State University I-DOC, June 16-18, 2014** The Improving Diversity in Optometric Careers program is an intensive three-day program for people from an underrepresented ethnicity interested in finding out more about an optometric career. There is no cost to attend the program and includes all meals and activities with a limited number of scholarships for travel and accommodations. For more information about the program and information regarding the application process, please visit the I-DOC webpage: <http://optometry.osu.edu/IDOC>.

### Kaplan Rep and Practice Tests

Kaplan, the test prep company, is looking for a new campus representative at the University of Dayton. The position is open to any currently enrolled UD student, sophomore or higher, who is able to commit to at least five hours per week and is active in student organizations. For more information and to apply for a Kaplan Campus Rep position at UD go to <http://bit.ly/UDaytonkaplanrep> (click on 'Submit to Job').

Kaplan provides free practice tests for the DAT, MCAT, GRE and LSAT. Register at <http://www.formstack.com/forms/?1663082-WsVml3kFPv>.

## Fifth Annual UD/MVH Healthcare Symposium

The University of Dayton/Miami Valley Healthcare Symposium is a great opportunity for students to learn about current issues in healthcare. If you are planning a career in the health professions, don't miss this opportunity to hear from experts about new trends in the way healthcare is being delivered to patients around the country and how it can be improved. The day begins with registration and a continental breakfast starting at 8 am. Also beginning at 8:00, we will have a poster session with entries from residents, medical and graduate students and undergraduates on topics related to health and healthcare. See below for details on the poster session.

The morning session will run from 9 am until 12:15 pm. Dr. Marjorie Bowman, dean of the Wright State University Boonshoft School of Medicine will return as our moderator for a series of presentations titled "Innovations in Healthcare Delivery." Reporter, commentator, and filmmaker T.R. Reid will open the program. He wrote the best-selling book *The Healing of America*, which he also made into a PBS documentary, about the state of healthcare in America. David Moen, MD, our second speaker, is president of Bluestone Solutions LLC, whose mission is to improve the outcomes of high-risk, high-cost patients by bringing key services into their homes. Our third morning speaker will be Ken Coburn, MD, MPH, co-founder, CEO, and medical director of Health Quality Partners, whose model of community based health care has improved healthcare delivery, outcomes, and cost in chronically ill, older adults.

### Afternoon Sessions 1:30 pm - 4:20 pm

The afternoon **Student Symposium** is designed for students planning and preparing for a career in health care. **1:30-2:20**

**Specialty Panel – Inside perspectives of the many faces of medical specialties:** A variety of physicians will discuss their medical specialties and choices in the field of medicine.

**Physician Assistant Panel – Opportunities in the Field:** A panel of PA's will discuss the profession of Physician Assistant, how to prepare for PA school and the many medical environments where PA's practice.

**Life in Dental School – An Insider's View:** UD alumni who are current dental students will discuss their experiences in dental school.

**2:30-3:20**

**Physician Panel on International Medicine – How to Apply Medicine Outside of Four Walls:** A panel of local physicians will discuss their experiences providing medical care in different communities around the world.

**Caring for the Underserved in your own backyard:** Dr. Sharon Sherlock, Executive Director of Reach Out of Montgomery County will talk about the mission of Reach Out, its role in the community, the impact of the Affordable Care Act on the underserved community and the clinics that help them, and how to incorporate local service into your premedical and medical education.

**3:30-4:20**

**Life in Medical School – An Insider's View:** UD alumni who are current medical students will discuss their experiences in medical school.

**Accepted Students' Panel – Personal Stories – How to become a successful applicant:** Current UD seniors and recent graduates who have been accepted into medical school for 2014 will talk about their application process and personal paths to medical school.

## HCS Poster Session Deadline Extended to March 10

**Submit an abstract today about your health or medical related research or co-curricular experiences at [go.udayton.edu/mvhsymposium](http://go.udayton.edu/mvhsymposium)**

NEW!! Guidelines for how to write an abstract and how to make a poster are available on the website. All students are encouraged to display a poster in our first ever poster session to be held during the morning session. You must submit an abstract by March 10 to have your poster entered into the poster session (after review by the poster committee). On the day of the symposium, you will bring your poster to KU and clip it onto boards provided there. Then you will stand by your poster and be available for the judges and other symposium attendees to ask questions and discuss your work with you. This is a valuable experience for any college student and a great addition to your resume.