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AOEC Activities, Announcements, and Funding Opportunities

If you check out upcoming meetings for June you will find the UT Health Northeast's Occupational Health Sciences Department full day continuing education conference for physicians and other health care providers. This year in addition to the continuing education sessions, Mr. Earl Dotter, the award-winning photojournalist, will present the BADGES Exhibit, along with other work, which portrays the dangers of hazardous jobs through photography and art work.

AOEC will again host a breakfast at AOHC on Saturday, April 9. We will be in the Arkansas room on the “meeting room level” from 7-9 am. For those attending the residency directors meeting, this is the same level but in the Ohio room.

The annual Epidemic Intelligence Service (EIS) Conference will be May 2 – 5 in ATL. Registration for this free conference will begin in the spring. We’ll post the link as soon as it is available.

The states of California and Washington intend to move forward this year with plans to revise workplace standards for inorganic lead. Michael Kosnett, MD, MPH of the University of Colorado, an original member of an AOEC workgroup on occupational lead exposure formed 10 years ago, has been involved in briefing stakeholders and regulators in these states on the health effects of low level lead exposure. The revised lead standards in California and Washington are expected to include reductions in the permissible exposure levels for airborne lead, as well in the level of lead in blood that will trigger medical removal protection.

The Migrant Clinicians Network (MCN) offers a nice selection of webinars for those of you involved with Community Health Workers. The following three are specific to OHS.

Community Health Workers Can Make a Difference in Helping People Stay Safe and Healthy on the Job / Los Promotores de Salud Pueden Hacer una Diferencia en Ayudar a las Personas a Mantenerse Seguros y Saludables en el Trabajo

March 30, 2016 at 1 pm ET /30 de Marzo de 2016 a la 1:00 pm ET

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It's your right to know! Helping Community Health Workers Promote Chemical Safety on the Job / ¡Es su derecho saber! Ayudando a los Promotores de Salud a promover la seguridad química en el trabajo

April 27, 2016 at 1 pm ET / 27 de Abril de 2016 a la 1:00 pm ET

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Before the dog days of summer, learn how community health workers can help prevent heat stress / Antes de los días de verano, aprenda como los Promotores de Salud pueden ayudar en prevenir las enfermedades a causa del calor

May 25, 2016 at 1 pm ET / 25 de Mayo de 2016 a la 1:00 pm ET

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View from Vermont Avenue by Katherine Kirkland, Executive Director

I'm sure it will be no surprise to anyone that the activity on Capitol Hill is currently all being focused on a) the upcoming primaries schedules and b) the kerfuffle about replacing Justice Scalia. No appropriations hearings are on the Senate calendar for Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies although I suspect staffers are busily working behind the scenes. The House side held its first hearing on HHS on February 25 but there's nothing on the docket at the moment.

As has become the pattern there are lots of jobs available announcements in this issue of the AOEC E-News. Supply is still not keeping up with demand but we are working on it. Not only has AOEC continued its informal matching program this year with at least one successful match so far. There are still a few slots open so if you know of any potential residents please let me know or have them contact me for details.

We also once again have a bumper crop of potential Occupational Health Internship Program (OHIP) applicants. Ingrid Denis and Sarah Jacobs are working through over 400 qualified applicants to ensure all the applications are complete. Obviously, there is great interest in the field.

AOEC Individual Membership Dues Payable Now Please

If you haven't sent in your renewal, please do so.

You may send a check for \$40 to the AOEC office or go on-line to:

<http://www.aoec.org/content/payment.htm>

New from Federal and State Agencies

NIOSH

NIOSH Announces Appointment of New Associate Director for Mining: NIOSH announces the appointment of Jessica Kogel, Ph.D., as the new Associate Director for Mining in the Office of the Director, effective February 8, 2016. In this role, Dr. Kogel will lead the development and implementation of a dynamic research program focused on ensuring the health and safety of mine workers. She will also work to ensure the program continues to have the resources needed to carry out its responsibilities of conducting a multi-faceted and impactful research agenda. More information: <http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/updates/upd-02-08-16.html>

NIOSH and NHCA present 2016 Safe-in-Sound Excellence in Hearing Loss Prevention Awards: NIOSH, in partnership with the National Hearing Conservation Association (NHCA), announced the recipients of the 2016 Safe-in-Sound Excellence in Hearing Loss Prevention Awards™, honoring companies that have shown dedication to the prevention of noise-induced hearing loss through excellent practices in the work environment. NIOSH Director, Dr. John Howard, M.D., presented the awards at the 2016 Annual Hearing Conservation Conference on February 19th, in San Diego, California. More information: <http://www.safeinsound.us/winners.html>

CDC/ATSDR

CDC/ATSDR was notified February 13 of an error in its report released February 10, 2016, about the possible health effects from exposure to formaldehyde emitted from select laminate flooring samples. Health risks of people who have the laminate flooring are being revised to reflect greater exposure to formaldehyde, which could cause eye, nose, and throat irritation for anyone. The estimated risk of cancer associated with exposure to the flooring increased.

The CDC/ATSDR indoor air model used an incorrect value for ceiling height. As a result, the health risks were calculated using airborne concentration estimates about 3 times lower than they should have been. More at <http://www.cdc.gov/nceh/laminateliflooring/default.html>

Positions Available

WVU-OM Residency Director

The Department of Occupational and Environmental Health Sciences of the West Virginia University School of Public Health is seeking an occupational medicine physician with strong teaching and clinical or research interests to join our faculty full-time at the rank of Associate Professor or Professor as Director of the Occupational Medicine Residency program in Morgantown, West Virginia. The only Occupational Medicine Residency in the entire Appalachian region, this program is fully ACGME-accredited and supported by a NIOSH Training Project Grant.

Clinical activities are varied based on requests from our referral base. The full spectrum of occupational medicine services provided at two clinical locations and onsite at workplaces throughout the region ranges from injury management to consultations. Research opportunities exist through both our newly accredited School of Public Health as well as NIOSH Morgantown, located on campus.

The ideal candidate would have at least five years teaching in or leadership of an occupational medicine residency program and five years of experience in providing clinical consultations on occupational and environmental medicine issues. Familiarity with the grant funding process is

desired as this accepted candidate would be the PI for the residency educational grant. This position requires strong communication skills for education and interactions with government, industry, academic, legislative, labor and community members. The candidate must have an M.D. degree or equivalent; must be board certified in occupational medicine or hold equivalent international occupational medicine certification (i.e., Consultant with M.Sc. in Occupational Medicine) that are acceptable to serve as Program Director and be eligible for licensure in the State of West Virginia. Salary commensurate with experience.

<http://medicine.hsc.wvu.edu/recruitment/job-postings/faculty/morgantown/occupational-medicine/>

WVU is an AA/EEO employer - Minority/Female/Disability/Veteran - and is the recipient of an NSF ADVANCE award for gender equity.

Deputy Chief Consultant-Veterans Administration

<https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/429580600>

This position serves as the Deputy Chief Consultant, Occupational Health. This position is located in the VHA in the office of Patient Care Services. This position is a senior leadership administrative position and the incumbent serves as the principal advisor to the Chief Consultant, Occupational Health. Occupational health includes the Employee Occupational Health, Employee Health and Well-Being, Workers Compensation, Safe Patient Handling and Workplace Violence Prevention Programs in addition to broad consultation and collaboration initiatives and issues related to Public Health, Workforce Preparedness, Emergency Management, Occupational Safety, Nursing Services, Patient Safety, Public Safety and Infection Control. **Apply by March 10, 2016.**

Questions, please contact Kate McPhaul kate.mcphaul@va.gov or [202-461-1061](tel:202-461-1061)

Research Analyst--Washington, DC

The Teamsters' Strategic Research & Campaigns Department conducts research on a broad range of industries & companies and develops research products and analyses to inform the union's growth, organizing, and strategic campaign goals. Strategic research is a crucial component of both the campaigns implemented by the department, and the organizing goals of the union.

We are looking for a research analyst to conduct industry and corporate research to inform strategy in organizing and contract campaigns. Research analysts develop expertise in industries of interest and apply the department's research and campaigns model to understanding major corporations and Teamsters employers. Research includes financial performance, business strategy, collective bargaining history, and competitive environment. The research analyst works closely with campaign staff in the department and provides research support for ongoing campaigns. The research analyst also writes reports and prepares presentations of their analyses and recommendations, and collaborates as assigned with staff in the Organizing Department and Local Union officers. Travel may be required to complete certain projects.

Applicants for the position must have experience in industry, corporate, or policy research. Ability to manage and manipulate large data sets in Access and Excel, analyze raw data, and

build relational databases is sought. A strong commitment to the goals and values of the labor movement is essential.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree required. Master's degree preferred
- One to two years of experience in research, preferably corporate or industry
- One to two years of experience in the labor movement preferred

Salary is commensurate with experience. Competitive benefits package included.

Send cover letter and resume to humanresources2@teamster.org. Use "Research Analyst" in the subject line **ONLY**. No phone calls please.

The IBT is an equal opportunity employer. Women and people of color are encouraged to apply.

<http://unionjobs.com/listing.php?id=8058>

OSHA-Occupational Physician Opening

The Medical Officer (Occupational Medicine) applies epidemiological principles, toxicological information, and information and data management expertise to questions affecting worker safety and health.

Supplies authoritative advice and expertise on a variety of occupational medicine-related subjects to agency executives and staff and the regulated community, including but not limited to: delineating signs and symptoms from exposure to specific toxicants; interpretation of test results and health effects of specific occupational exposures; and knowledge of mechanisms of action of specific toxicants including biologics, chemicals, dusts, and physical hazards. Serves as an occupational medicine resource for other federal agencies, academia, professional organizations, industry, employees, and others as appropriate.

Provides medical expertise on issues concerning emergency management to agency executives and staff as appropriate to include training activities, developing and preparing documents and other related material; providing consultation services; conducting evaluations of new and prototype protective or emergency equipment used in the workplace to assess human compatibility and biomedical adequacy; devising procedures; and training technical personnel as required.

MS (Status): <https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/429476100>

DE (Public): <https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/429474800>

Tenure-Track Faculty, Environmental Health - Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics

The Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics at Case Western Reserve University (CWRU) School of Medicine (<http://epbiwww.case.edu>) seeks to fill a tenure-track or tenured position at the level of Assistant, Associate, or Full Professor in Environmental Health. This position will focus on environmental determinants (broadly defined to include both physical and social environment) of population health. Expertise in modern methods of data collection and analysis (via GIS, social media, mobile apps, modern analytics, social factors in epigenetics, etc.) are expected.

Preference will be given to candidates with established external funding for independent and/or collaborative research programs, especially those that could advance/collaborate with

existing departmental and institutional research. The candidates should have a strong record of publications and external research funding commensurate with rank. The successful candidate will be expected to establish an independent, extramurally-funded research program and contribute to the Department's competitive PhD program in population and quantitative health sciences, thriving MPH program, and an innovative MS in biostatistics program.

The Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics offers research and graduate education in biostatistics and bioinformatics; genetic epidemiology; global and environmental health; health promotion and prevention; and health policy and services. The Department (<http://epbiwww.case.edu/>) is currently growing under the leadership of a new chair and newly established institute, The Institute for Computational Biology (<http://www.icompbio.net/>). Case Western Reserve University and its associated hospitals (University Hospitals/Rainbow Babies, MetroHealth Medical Center, Cleveland Clinic, and VA Medical Center) provide a rich environment for basic science, clinical, and population health research. Research is promoted through multiple research centers within the CWRU including the Prevention Research Center for Healthy Neighborhoods (www.prchn.org), Comprehensive Cancer Center, Clinical and Translational Science Collaborative (CTSC, <http://casemed.case.edu/ctsc/>), Cardiovascular Research Institute, Tuberculosis Research Unit, and Center for Global Health and Diseases (<http://www.case.edu/orgs/cghd/>).

How to Apply: Review of applications will occur throughout application period. Applications must be received by March 2, 2016. Interested applicants should send their Curriculum Vitae, statement of research and teaching expertise, and the names of three references to Chair, Environmental Health Search Committee at: EnvironmentalHealthSearch@case.edu.

AA/EOE/M/F/D/V

Case Western Reserve University, School Of Medicine, Attention: Environmental Health Search Committee, 2013 Cornell Road, 1315 Wolstein Research Building, Cleveland, Ohio 44106-4945

In employment, as in education, Case Western Reserve University is committed to Equal Opportunity and Diversity. Women, veterans, members of underrepresented minority groups, and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

Case Western Reserve University provides reasonable accommodations to applicants with disabilities. Applicants requiring a reasonable accommodation for any part of the application and hiring process should contact the Office for Inclusion, Diversity and Equal Opportunity at [216-368-8877](tel:216-368-8877) to request a reasonable accommodation. Determinations as to granting reasonable accommodations for any applicant will be made on a case-by-case basis.

University of Alberta-Physician

The University of Alberta, Faculty of Medicine & Dentistry, Department of Medicine, Division of Preventive Medicine, in partnership with Alberta Health Services, invites applications for the Division Director position to be based at the University of Alberta. Along with fully accredited Residency Programs in Public Health Preventive Medicine and the subspecialty Occupational Medicine, the Division currently provides clinical services in occupational and environmental medicine and provides clinical support to public health within AHS. In addition to the residency programs, the Division contributes to teaching of undergraduate medical students and to graduate teaching within the School of Public Health. The Division has developed a flagship course in occupational medicine for community practitioners, which is now offered through academic sites throughout Canada. Among the excellent research facilities are a mobile clinical laboratory, purchased through the Canadian Foundation for Innovation, an occupational hygiene laboratory specializing in the characterization of nanoparticles and a five year cohort study of female trades women across Canada, now nearing the end of data collection.

Interested individuals may contact the current Divisional Director, Dr. Nicola Cherry (ncherry@ualberta.ca), to discuss the position informally. For full details see the webpage: <http://www.careers.ualberta.ca/Competition/A100627820/>

UC Irvine –Professor and Chief, Occupational and Environmental Medicine Division

The UC Irvine Center for Occupational and Environmental Health and Department of Medicine, School of Medicine, are seeking an occupational medicine physician with strong clinical, research, and leadership skills to be appointed as tenure-line Associate Professor or Professor and Chief of the Occupational and Environmental Medicine (OEM) Division. The Division has a well-established occupational medicine residency program affiliated with the Southern California ERC, an AOEC-affiliated occupational and environmental medicine consulting clinic, and research programs in toxicology and epidemiology. The Division is seeking a faculty member to provide leadership for the Division while maintaining a strong research program and contributing to the clinical consulting and teaching. The candidate must be board certified in occupational medicine and eligible for licensure in the State of California. The ideal candidate would have prior leadership experience and an established record of research funding and peer-reviewed publications that would qualify for appointment as a tenured Associate Professor or Professor.

TO APPLY: Applicants should complete an online application profile and upload their Curriculum vitae electronically to be considered at: <https://recruit.ap.uci.edu/apply/JPF03270>

For additional information, interested candidates should contact Ulrike Luderer, MD, PhD; Professor, Division of Occupational and Environmental Medicine, 100 Theory, Suite 100, Irvine, CA 92617. (uluderer@uci.edu)

The University of California, Irvine is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer committed to excellence through diversity. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, age, protected veteran status, or other protected categories covered by the UC nondiscrimination policy.

University of Colorado Denver: Colorado School of Public Health Department of Environmental and Occupational Health

The Department of Environmental and Occupational Health in the Colorado School of Public Health (CoSPH) invites applications for 2 tenure-track position at the Associate or Full Professor level. We seek candidates with expertise in one or more areas of environmental or occupational health and related disciplines.

We particularly encourage applicants with interests that address cross-disciplinary research in Climate and Health, Built Environment, Preparedness and Resilience, or Total Worker Health, but all areas of occupational or environmental health will be considered if a strong research and teaching mission is articulated. These positions require a vigorous program of independent research along with teaching at the graduate level.

Our Department's goal is to both diversify and expand our multi-disciplinary faculty and our ability to conduct cutting-edge research in environmental and occupational health. The department has several research and education initiatives in the areas of Total Worker Health, Impacts of Oil and Gas Development on Human Health, Built Environment, Occupational Health and Safety as well as and a NIOSH funded Education and Research Center.

The CSPH was formed collaboratively by the University of Colorado Denver, Colorado State University and the University of Northern Colorado. The CSPH serves the Rocky Mountain Region by providing training, innovative research and community service. For more information see the Department of Environmental and Occupational Health and Center for Work, Health and Environment web sites.

The successful applicant will have research experience in environmental or occupational health and related disciplines. CoSPH will offer a competitive compensation package commensurate with skills and experience. The University of Colorado offers a full benefits package.

Information on University benefits programs, including eligibility, is located at <http://www.cu.edu/employee-services>

Qualifications: A PhD, ScD, DrPH, MD, or DO with additional research training in public health or related disciplines and an established independent research program. Preferred Requirements include that candidates have a record of accomplishment mentoring students from all backgrounds.

Special Instructions to Applicants: Application Procedures Applicants must apply online at <http://www.cu.edu/cu-careers>. Please do not submit any of your application material (via email) to the job posting contact. Review of applications will begin March 1, 2016, and continue until position is filled. The following attachments in Microsoft Word or PDF format will be required: 1) A letter of application that includes: • Summary of research accomplishments • Statement of research interests and goals • Summary of teaching experience • History of research funding • Experience with and commitment to teaching and mentoring a diverse student body 2) A full curriculum vitae 3) Applicants should provide the names and contact information for five references: names, addresses, daytime telephone numbers and e-mail addresses. Questions about the minimum or preferred requirements should be directed to Lanee.Bounds@ucdenver.edu.

https://cu.taleo.net/careersection/2/jobdetail.ftl?job=03784&lang=en&sns_id=mailto

Open Rank Faculty Position, Department of Environmental and Occupational Health

The Department of Environmental and Occupational Health at the Dornsife School of Public Health at Drexel University invites applicants for an open rank tenure track/tenured position. Rank will be determined commensurate with experience and career stage.

We seek a candidate with expertise in a range of environmental and occupational health areas including, but not limited to, human exposure assessment methods, environmental hazard assessment and control, industrial hygiene, or toxicology and risk assessment. Of particular interest are candidates who can lead and participate in interdisciplinary research on cross-cutting environmental or occupational health themes. Competitive candidates will have a doctoral degree in a relevant field, an established externally-funded research program or strong potential for research funding, and a commitment to excellence in teaching and mentoring. Rank will be commensurate with experience.

Currently, the Department has eight faculty with policy-relevant research and expertise in environmental and occupational epidemiology, occupational medicine, exposure assessment, air and water contamination, environmental hygiene, worker health and safety, injury

prevention, and public health preparedness.

Drexel University is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer. The Dornsife School of Public Health is especially interested in qualified candidates who can contribute to the diversity and excellence of our academic community. The University prohibits discrimination against individuals on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, disability, age, status as a veteran or special disabled veteran, gender identity or expression, genetic information, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical conditions and any other prohibited characteristic. Please visit our website to view all University Policies and Workplace Postings.

To Apply:

Interested candidates should apply online at www.drexeljobs.com. Search in job title for Assistant/Associate Professor with requisition number 7155. You may also search in department 6904 SPH - Environmental and Occupational Health with requisition 7155. Interested candidates may direct questions to the search committee chair, Dr. Jerry Fagliano (jaf387@drexel.edu). Confidential informal queries are welcome. Application review will commence December 1. Applications will be received until a successful candidate is accepted.

Occupational Medicine Physician

UConn Health has an exciting opportunity available for an Occupational Medicine physician, to join the Division of Occupational and Environmental Medicine (DOEM), at the Assistant/Associate Professor level. DOEM is engaged in clinical care, education, research, and policy development. Candidates for this position should have a strong interest in teaching, research, and resident/medical student supervision in addition to providing direct clinical care. The clinical and service opportunities and responsibilities of this position include clinical consultative and primary care services in occupational medicine and employee/student health on the Farmington campus, and the provision of subject area policy guidance to a major insurance carrier. The position encourages collaborative initiatives that advance the field of occupational medicine. Candidates with active research or related support are encouraged to apply and will be accommodated.

We offer a collegial environment, faculty appointment, competitive salary and benefits. Must be BC/BE in Occupational Medicine. No J1 or H1 visas. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and curriculum vitae at <https://jobs.uhc.edu>, search no. 2016-273.

UConn Health is an affirmative action employer, in addition to an EEO and M/F/V/PWD/PV employer.

Associate Vice President EHS & Occupational Health-UMASS Memorial Health Care

Physician to provide overall medical direction for Employee and Occupational Health Services. He/she is responsible for supporting the strategic plan for EOH Services, developing medical policy for managing clinical decision making, and ensuring the quality of clinical outcomes. Works in close collaboration with the Director of Employee Health Services and Director of Occupational Health to ensure ongoing development, growth and operational efficiencies of

the EOH service. Provides medical expertise and guidance to the organization in all aspects of employee, occupational & environmental health.

The successful applicant must demonstrate leadership skills and be able to serve on multiple committees, as well as participate in research and development and budget issues. The applicant must also possess clinical skills, research and teaching skills, and have professional qualifications:

State license to practice medicine; including prescriptive privileges.

Board certification in occupational & environmental medicine.

Must have leadership experience in a medical field.

Must have experience in the field of occupational medicine.

The position also requires the physical ability to examine and treat patients. The successful applicant must be able to get from campus to campus to support all EOHS locations and the research buildings.

This position must be filled quickly, so please forward qualified CVs to Nyla Medlock at nmedlock@medlockconsulting.com or call TX Cell 806.239.6952 at any time.

**NIOSH Opening: Chief, Training Research and Evaluation Branch,
Education and Information Division (EID), NIOSH, Cincinnati, OH**

In the near future (watch www.usajobs.gov), NIOSH will be advertising for a person to lead its translation research program. Translation research is the current focus of the Training Research and Evaluation Branch (TREB). The position is a GS-15 in the categories of epidemiology, social science research, and education research analysis.

The Chief, will direct the branch in conducting translation and intervention research. Extensive research experience is required. TREB uses diffusion of innovation theory, health communication models, adult learning theories, and other relevant methodologies to develop, implement, and evaluate translation research, workplace interventions, training programs, and information campaigns. Interested persons should contact EID Director, Paul A. Schulte, Ph.D., at PSchulte@cdc.gov or 513-533-8481.

The UT Health Science Center at Tyler-Multiple Faculty Positions

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Tyler, School of Community Health and Health Professions, invites applications and nominations for candidates for chairs of the following new departments:

- 1) Healthcare Policy, Economics, and Health Management;
- 2) Epidemiology and Biostatistics; and
- 3) Health Promotion and Community Health

Successful candidates will be expected to be able to qualify for the rank of professor or associate professor, be committed to education (curriculum development and teaching excellence) and mentorship, and have a demonstrated record of scholarship through publication and externally funded research and project initiatives. In addition, 1-3 years or

experience in management and administration in an academic or equivalent setting is preferred. Candidates must hold a MD, PhD, DrPH or equivalent degree in a public health or related discipline. A competitive package will be offered to the chosen candidates.

Interested applicants should e-mail current curriculum vitae and arrange for three letters of reference to: David Lakey, MD, Senior Vice President for Population Health, Dean, School of Community Health and Health Professions, The University of Texas Health Science Center Tyler 11937 US Hwy 271, Tyler, Texas, 75708-3154, chhp@uthct.edu *UTHSCT is an equal opportunity employer. This position is security sensitive and subject to Texas Education Code, 51.215, which authorizes the employer to obtain criminal history information. EEO/AA EMPLOYER M/F/V/D*

Faculty Position in Occupational and Environmental Medicine- University of Iowa

The University of Iowa, College of Public Health invites applications for a tenure track faculty position at the level of Assistant or Associate Professor in Occupational and Environmental Medicine.

Applications will be considered at the level of Assistant or Associate Professor.

Responsibilities of the position will include research and teaching in occupational and environmental medicine. In addition, the successful applicant will direct an ACGME-accredited occupational medicine residency training program, based in our Heartland Education and Research Center.

Qualifications

Applicants must hold a MD or DO degree and should be board certified or board eligible in occupational medicine. Eligibility for medical licensure in the State of Iowa is required. For consideration at the Assistant Professor level, applicants must have publications in relevant peer-reviewed journals; show the ability to develop an externally funded research program and future scholarship; and demonstrate experience and commitment to excellence in teaching. For consideration at the Associate Professor level, candidates must have a record of ongoing extramural funding support and clearly demonstrate potential to develop and lead a nationally prominent, externally funded, research program. Candidates must also have a strong record of publications in relevant peer-reviewed journals; and demonstrate experience and commitment to excellence in teaching.

To apply for this position, please visit <http://jobs.uiowa.edu>, faculty requisition #67638, where you will be asked to submit curriculum vitae, a statement of research interests, and the names of three professional references. Please address inquiries and nominations to the search committee administrator, Ms. Wendy Walker at wendy-walker@uiowa.edu.

You can visit our department website at <http://www.public-health.uiowa.edu/oeh/>

The University of Iowa is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer. All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply and will receive consideration for employment free from discrimination on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex, pregnancy, sexual orientation, gender identity, genetic information, religion, associational preference, status as a qualified individual with a disability, or status as a protected veteran.

Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health-Exposure Sciences Position

The Department of Environmental Health Sciences at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health invites applications for 12-month tenure-track positions from persons with interest and experience in exposure sciences. Special preference will be given to investigators with expertise in the following areas: 1) aerosol science and health with a focus on aerosol generation, collection and physical/chemical characterization for health-related research; 2) characterization of air pollutants with a focus on development of sampling methods and assessment of health risk; 3) innovative exposure assessment methodologies and technologies; or 4) statistical and design methodology for occupational and environmental exposure assessment.

The full position description can be found at:

<http://www.jhsph.edu/departments/environmental-health-sciences/faculty/faculty-openings/index.html>

Applicants for these positions should demonstrate a potential for high-quality teaching as well as for developing a sponsored research program. Applicants should submit a *curriculum vitae* and a 1-2 page statement outlining research and teaching interests. These materials should be sent electronically, with the subject line **EHS EXPOSURE SCI Search**, to EHEXPSCI@jhu.edu.

Director of Student and Employee Health, Assistant Professor, Family Medicine

The Department of Family and Community Medicine at Meharry Medical College is seeking a BC/BE Occupational Medicine Physician to oversee Meharry's Student and Employee Health Clinic. This position would include a faculty appointment as Assistant Professor with responsibilities related to demonstrating excellence in clinical medicine, teaching, and scholarly activity. Previous clinical experience is required, academic experience is preferred. The Student and Employee Health Clinic is located in Meharry's Comprehensive Health Building on the campus of Meharry Medical College in Nashville, Tennessee. Its mission is to offer convenient, high-quality health care by providing acute and preventive health services for Meharry students and employees. Services to be provided include: acute illness and injury management, physical examinations, immunizations, tuberculosis screening, participation in necessary campus organizations, maintaining protocols required through various governing sources, as well as other health services.

As a faculty member in the Department of Family and Community Medicine, the Director of Student and Employee Health will have an opportunity to participate in academic research, as well as be expected to assist in the operation of Meharry's Occupational Medicine Residency Program. The Occupational Medicine Residency Program is the only such program in the state of Tennessee and has been accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) since 1978. Meharry Medical College is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applications from women and members of minority groups, as well as others who would assist the College in furthering its missions in research, teaching, and clinical care.

Interested candidates should send a copy of their curriculum vitae to: Bridgette Kallon, M.B.A., Fiscal Officer, School of Medicine, Meharry Medical College, 1005 Dr. D. B. Todd, Jr. Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee 37208 bbirch@mmc.edu or 615-327-6090

BC/BE Occupational Medicine Physician Opportunity – New York

Mount Sinai -New York City, NY

-2 Staff OM Physicians

-Attractive Benefits Package

-Generous Salary Depending on Experience and Expertise

Staff Physician Occupational Medicine Opportunity

The requirements for this position include BC/BE in Occupational Medicine, Internal Medicine or Pulmonary Medicine. Candidate must possess/or be eligible for a NYS Medical License.

Responsibilities include outpatient care, clinic leadership, teamwork, and supervision of ancillary providers. The position also offers the opportunity for graduate teaching.

The physician provides direct patient care in the clinic office setting and may provide consultation in the hospital inpatient setting.

The physician acts as a member of the treatment team, ensures the delivery of quality care, and maintains professional competence.

The physician has the knowledge and skills to provide evidence-based clinical evaluation and treatment for injuries and illnesses that are occupationally or environmentally related.

Occupational Medicine core competencies:

1. Clinical OEM
2. OEM Related Law and Regulations
3. Environmental Health
4. Work Fitness and Disability Integration
5. Toxicology
6. Hazard Recognition, Evaluation, and Control
7. Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management
8. Health and Productivity
9. Public Health, Surveillance, and Disease Prevention
10. OEM Related Management and Administration

Clinical services will be rendered in Manhattan, Staten Island, and/or Yonkers.

Physician will report to Division Chief and Director of the Residency Program.

This position must be filled quickly, so please forward qualified CVs to Nyla Medlock at nmedlock@medlockconsulting.com or call TX Cell 806.239.6952 at any time regarding this phenomenal opportunity!

Greenville Health System: Board Certified Occupational Medicine Physician

Greenville Health System is seeking a Board Certified Occupational Medicine Physician involved in caring for a wide variety of industries. Current practice includes medical evaluation and treatment of work related injuries and illnesses. This person should have at least 5 years of practicing Occupational Medicine experience. The ideal candidate should be a Certified Medical Review Officer. This position is 90% hands on Clinical based and will take care of the following:

- Evaluation and treatment of work-related injuries and illnesses to include: musculoskeletal conditions; lacerations; blood and body fluid exposures; ocular foreign body; burns; and chemical exposures
- Physical Examinations including post job offer

- Fitness for duty, return to work
- DOT and OSHA mandated medical surveillance exams
- Respiratory and Hearing Conservation
- Impairment ratings and independent exams
- Medical review of federal and forensic drug tests
- AED oversight
- Workplace visits and onsite services

GHS employs over 15,000 people, including 950+ physicians on staff. Our system includes clinically excellent facilities with 1662 beds on 7 campuses. Additionally, we host 15 residency and fellowship programs, and a 4-year medical education program: University of South Carolina School of Medicine Greenville, located on GHS Greenville Memorial Medical Campus. We are a designated Level I Emergency Trauma Center and also have a separate research facility. GHS offers great compensation and benefit plans. GHS also provides malpractice insurance and full relocation packages. GHS does not offer sponsorship at this time. Greenville Health System is an equal opportunity employer.**We are a Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) Program Qualified Employer.**

- See more at: <http://www.practicelink.com/jobs/478690/physician/occupational-medicine/South%20Carolina/Greenville%20Health%20System#sthash.Fxv17q1J.dpuf>

Tenure Track Position-Global Environmental Health Sciences, Disaster Management

Tulane University School of Public Health & Tropical Medicine invites applications for a tenure track faculty position in the Department of Global Environmental Health Sciences, with rank determined by experience and accomplishments. The successful candidate will join our accredited graduate program in Environmental Health and participate in research and teaching in the areas of global environmental health science and disaster management. Applicants should demonstrate strong interest or experience in interdisciplinary environmental public health research and teaching in one or more of the following areas of disaster management: planning, response, and/or recovery. In addition to individual research and teaching, the successful candidate will have opportunities to collaborate with other faculty in the Department of Global Environmental Health Sciences, other departments in the School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, and other schools and centers within Tulane University. Building collaborative relationships with local and state officials in disaster management is expected.

Applicants must possess a terminal degree in public health or other relevant field. For consideration at the rank of Associate Professor or above, candidates must have an established, vibrant research program with a history of external funding.

Applications will be accepted online through Interfolio which will continue until the position is filled. Use the link below to submit a cover letter, CV, research plan, and contact information for three (3) references: Application URL: <http://apply.interfolio.com/31171>

Questions about the position or requests for additional information may be directed to:

Roy J. Rando, ScD, CIH, Professor and Vice Chair

Department of Global Environmental Health Sciences

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Georgia State University, School of Public Health

Georgia State University is a leading urban research institution located in Atlanta, Georgia. The School of Public Health is a CEPH-accredited program with more than 280 graduate students and over 35 core faculty and academic professionals.

The School of Public Health is currently seeking outstanding applicants for tenure-track (TT) and non-tenure track (NTT) positions in several areas. Successful applicants will join a unique, multi-disciplinary public health program with emphasis in urban health research, applied public health, health policy, and community applications. Prior work experience in a university setting is highly desirable. Good oral and written communication skills are essential.

Candidates who demonstrate a strong record of independent or collaborative research with extramural funding support are preferred but candidates who demonstrate the potential to become funded independent investigators will be considered.

Application Process: Electronic submissions are preferred: Submit a letter of interest, resume or curriculum vitae, and names/contact information for three references to:

Search Committee Chair (Please specify Log# and Area of interest), Phone: 404-413-1130

Email: publichealthjobs@gsu.edu. Please include "Area of Interest" Search Committee (Log#) in the subject line. Full position descriptions can be found at <http://publichealth.gsu.edu/about/employment/> and are as follows:

Health Promotion and Behavior, Open Rank Professor (TT)/Lecturer (NTT), (Log# 17-023 A&B)

The selected tenure track candidate will be responsible for teaching, research, and publication activities in the health promotion and disease prevention areas. The selected non-tenure track candidate will be expected to teach Public Health courses that address departmental priorities in areas of specialization and provide academic and research advisement to Public Health students. The ideal candidate will have an earned doctorate in one of a variety of disciplines including Public Health, Psychology, Sociology, and Anthropology, Communications, Ethics or a related field.

Health Management and Policy, Open Rank Professor (TT)/ Lecturer (NTT), (Log# 17-020 A&B)

The selected tenure track candidate will be expected to teach Public Health courses as well as pursue an independent line of research and scholarship in Health Services Research. The selected non-tenure track candidate will be expected to teach Public Health courses, advise and provide service to the university, community and field of Public Health. The ideal candidate will have an earned doctorate in the disciplines of Public Health, Economics, Medical Sociology,

Public Policy, Health Management & Policy, Health Administration or other disciplines related to Health Services Research and have academic, practice and leadership experience in Health Services Research.

Environmental Health, Open Rank Professor (TT)/Lecturer (NTT), (Log# 17-021 A&B)

The selected tenure track candidate will be expected to teach introductory and advanced courses in environmental health including toxicology, as well as pursue an independent line of research and scholarship. The selected non-tenure track candidate will be expected to teach Public Health courses that address departmental priorities in areas of specialization and provide academic and research advisement to Public Health students. The ideal candidate will have an earned doctorate one of a variety of disciplines including Public Health, Environmental Health, or a related field. Preferred qualifications will include training in one or more of the following areas: ambient and/or indoor air pollution, environmental epidemiology, health effects of chemical exposures, risk assessment and public health toxicology.

Epidemiology & Biostatistics, Open Rank Professor (TT)/Lecturer (NTT), (Log# 17-022 A&B)

The selected tenure track candidate will be expected to teach epidemiology and biostatistics courses, mentor students, develop research agenda, collaborate with interdisciplinary colleagues to establish appropriate research designs and methods, and work with other programs in the university. The selected non-tenure track candidate will be expected to teach Public Health courses that address departmental priorities in areas of specialization and provide academic and research advisement to Public Health students. The ideal candidate will have an earned doctorate in one of a variety of disciplines including Public Health, Biostatistics, Epidemiology or a related field, have advanced analytic skills, including designing clinical trials and observational studies, manipulating large and complex databases, and knowledge of advanced statistical techniques or a focus on epidemiologic methods, infectious diseases, chronic disease, prevention science and other fields that have general bearing on Public Health.

Fellowships

Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologist (CSTE)-Fellowship

CSTE, in collaboration with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH), and the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), support this fellowship to train recent graduates in the expanding field of applied epidemiology. The CDC/CSTE Fellowship is designed for recent or impending master's or doctoral-level graduates in epidemiology or a related field who are interested in the practice of public health at the state or local level. While the program provides rigorous training for its participants, it is also designed with flexibility in order to meet the particular interests of the fellow. Fellows are matched to a state health department for a two-year fellowship position

based on program area of interest. Each Applied Epidemiology Fellow is assigned to a designated host health agency and two, highly-trained and experienced mentors (primary and secondary). Host health agencies are CDC and CSTE-approved, with demonstrated capacity to provide a fellow with technical training, research opportunities, and practical experience in the application of epidemiologic methods.

Fellow Application Requirements:

- A master's degree (MPH, MSPH or MS) or doctoral degree (PhD, MD, DVM, DrPH) in a public health-related field (i.e. epidemiology, biostatistics, or other public health field)
- Completed coursework in at least four graduate-level epidemiology courses and one graduate level biostatistics course
- Desire to pursue a long-term career at the state or local level
- United States citizenship.

For more information and access to the electronic application, please visit our webpage:

<http://www.cste.org/?page=ProspectiveFellows>.

Pediatric Environmental Health Fellowship – The University of Washington Division of General Pediatrics

The fellowship is funded through the [University of Washington's NRSA Primary Care Fellowship](#) in conjunction with general internal medicine and family medicine. Grant funding is provided by the National Institute of Health and administered by the Public Health Service Health Resources and Services Administration. Fellows participating in this are eligible for the NIH loan repayment program. We provide two years training in research methods, research experience with an established investigator, and the opportunity to enroll concurrently in the Master of Public Health program. Fellows assume a precepting role in one of our pediatric residency clinics and provide consultations in our Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Unit (PEHSU).

The UW Division of General Pediatrics and the affiliated Center for Child Health, Behavior and Development of Seattle Children's Research Institute, the Child Health Institute of the University of Washington, the Harborview Injury Prevention and Research Center, and the Northwest Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Unit provide rich and diverse mentoring opportunities for Pediatric NRSA fellows. Potential applicants can access further information and apply on the website: <http://nrsafellowship.weebly.com/>

Fellowship Training Program in Pediatric Environmental Health – Mount Sinai School of Medicine

The Mount Sinai School of Medicine invites qualified applicants (MD or PhD) to apply for a 3-year post-residency/postdoctoral fellowship training program in Pediatric Environmental Health sponsored by the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD). This program provides training in epidemiology, biostatistics, toxicology, risk assessment, and preventive medicine, and includes course work leading to a Master of Public Health (MPH) degree. The capstone of the fellowship is a mentored research experience that is intended to train fellows in the successful conduct of research and will lead to the production of publishable

manuscripts. The mentored research project serves also as the basis for each fellow's MPH thesis. Fellows gain additional training in clinical research, policy development, and evidence-based advocacy. Clinically trained fellows will gain clinical experience in environmental pediatrics through the Agency Toxic Substance and Disease Registry (ATSDR) and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) supported Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Unit. The goal of the program is to produce future research leaders in the emerging field of pediatric environmental health who will be positioned to lead the National Children's Study and populate academic health centers across the United States. Up to two positions are available each academic year. Members of under-represented minorities are strongly encouraged to apply. For a brochure or other information, contact Damiris.Perez@mssm.edu or phone 212-824-7109.

Additional Fellowships

ORISE Internship/Research Participation Programs at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
<http://orise.orau.gov/epa/applicants/application.htm>

Environmental Defense Fund (EDF) Postdoc Opportunity Office of Chief Scientist Austin, TX
<https://www.edf.org/jobs/internships-fellowships>

Conferences and Meetings

Toxic Substances in the Workplace and the Environment Updates in Occupational and Environmental Medicine March 9-12, 2016

San Francisco, CA

UCSF designates this live activity for a maximum of 18.00 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.

<http://www.ucsfcmecme.com/2016/MDM16N01/info.html>

Comprehensive Industrial Hygiene (CIH) Review Course

March 14-18, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This 4-¹/₂ day course is designed to provide a comprehensive review of the field of industrial hygiene through lectures by qualified faculty with extensive experience in industrial hygiene and related areas. This course is specifically designed to assist industrial hygienists in preparing to sit for the CIH examination. This course will provide you with an oversight of the areas that will be the focus of your exam preparation efforts and highlight any weak areas you may have. Others needing a comprehensive review of the field of industrial hygiene are also encouraged to attend. This course is not intended for entry level industrial hygienists. Attendees must have a basic understanding of mathematics, statistics and chemistry.

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/comprehensive-industrial-hygiene-review.html>

Occupational Health Nursing: An Introduction and Review of Principles and Practices

April 4-6, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This course will provide the basic principles and concepts of occupational health nursing practice. Emphasis will be on the nurse's role as a member of the occupational health team, development of an occupational health service, prevention of injury and disease, health promotion of adults, and protection of worker populations. The content is designed for nurses who are new to occupational health nursing or those who have had a limited scope of practice but desire to expand that scope of environmental and occupational health nursing practice.

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/intro-occupational-health-nursing.html>

Supervising Asbestos Abatement Projects – Refresher Course

April 5, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This is an EPA- and North Carolina-approved AHERA course that is required to maintain certification as a supervisor of asbestos products.

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/supervising-asbestos-abatement-refresher.html>

Building Inspection for Asbestos - Refresher Course

April 6, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This is an EPA- and North Carolina-approved AHERA course that is required to maintain certification as a building inspector for asbestos.

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/building-inspection-for-asbestos-refresher.html>

Management Planning for Asbestos - Refresher Course

April 6, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This is an EPA- and North Carolina-approved AHERA course that is required to maintain certification as a management planner for asbestos.

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/management-planning-for-asbestos-refresher.html>

Designing Asbestos Abatement - Refresher Course

April 7, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This is an EPA- and North Carolina-approved AHERA course that is required to maintain certification as a project designer of asbestos abatement.

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/designing-asbestos-abatement-refresher.html>

OSHA Respirator Essentials and Fit Testing

April 7, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This one day course is designed for every health and safety professional involved in respiratory protection. OSHA requirements for a respiratory protection program will be reviewed and hands-on workshops will provide practical experience in both quantitative and qualitative fit testing. At the satisfactory completion of this course, you will receive a Certificate of Completion for Respiratory Fit Testing.

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/osha-resp-essentials.html>

Overview of Respiratory Protection

April 19, 2016

Cincinnati, OH

Sponsored by the University of Cincinnati

<http://www.drmckay.com/rtc-overview.shtml>

Fit Testing Workshop (2-day)

April 20-21, 2016

Cincinnati, OH

Sponsored by the University of Cincinnati

<http://www.drmckay.com/rtc-workshop.shtml>

Respirator Selection & Cartridge Change Out Schedule Workshop

April 27-28, 2016

Cincinnati, OH

Sponsored by the University of Cincinnati

http://www.drmckay.com/rtc-resp_selection.shtml

A comprehensive 2-day program with practice problems completed in class.

18th Annual Occupational Health Symposium

April 28-29, 2016

Cedar Rapids, IA

This year the symposium will give special attention to stress and mental health in the workplace and the integral role of occupational health and safety in a successful workplace. This symposium is intended for physicians, physician assistants, nurses, nurse practitioners, safety professionals, administrators, wellness administrators, human resource professionals, and other individuals interested in improving the health and safety of workers. This event is coordinated in partnership with The Healthier Workforce Center of Excellence at University of Iowa, College of Public Health. **Contact:** For more information, please contact: Kimberly Gordon at kimberly-gordon@uiowa.edu or 319-335-4684

The Changing World of Work: How the Gig Economy Impacts Occupational Safety and Health

May 6, 2016

Berkeley, CA

COEH, the Northern California ERC, will have its 2016 Lela Morris COEH Symposium, on May 6 from 9am to 4pm, at the David Brower Center. The keynote speaker is John Howard, NIOSH. For more information or to register contact Gayle Cepparo, gcepparo@berkeley.edu.

8th International Conference on Occupational Health and Safety

May 8-11, 2016

Istanbul

<http://www.tioshconference.gov.tr/en/>

Building Inspection for Asbestos - Initial Course

May 9-11, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This 3-day EPA approved course is designed to meet the AHERA requirements for those individuals inspecting buildings for asbestos. Information will be provided to assist in the planning, implementation and documentation of the inspection process. This course is a prerequisite to AHERA Management Planning for Asbestos. This course will include fit-testing of all students and hands-on practice in inspecting. **Registration will open early March 2016.**

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/building-inspection-for-asbestos.html>

Management Planning for Asbestos - Initial Course

May 12-13, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This 2-day EPA approved AHERA course will introduce participants to the components of a management plan dealing with asbestos in a structure. This course meets the requirements under AHERA for accreditation of management planners. The AHERA Initial Building Inspection for Asbestos course is a **prerequisite** for the AHERA Initial Management Planning for Asbestos course. **Registration will open early March 2016.**

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/management-planning-for-asbestos.html>

Agricultural Medicine: Occupational & Environmental Health for Rural Health Professionals

June 13-17, 2016

Iowa City, IA

To provide the information and skills needed to enable safety and health professionals to anticipate, recognize, and prevent occupational illnesses and injuries among members of the agricultural community. Successful completion of this course allows qualified participants to join AgriSafe® as a Certified Member. AgriSafe® benefits include clinical resources, technical assistance, continuing education, and use of the trademarked name AgriSafe® in promoting agricultural health services. Register [online](#) or call 319-335-4141. Pre-registration is required.

Emerging Issues in Occupational and Environmental Health

Friday, June 17, 2016

Tyler, TX

Every 2 years, UT Health Northeast's Occupational Health Sciences Department hosts a full day continuing education conference for physicians and other health care providers with a focus on Emerging Issues in Occupational Medicine and Environmental Health. This year, the 5th biennial conference will be held in the academic amphitheater at UT Health Northeast located in Tyler, TX, on Friday, June 17, 2016. The conference directors, Dr. Jeffrey Levin and Dr. Dalia Nessim, are pleased to announce this year's keynote speaker, Dr. John Howard, Director of NIOSH. Dr. Howard will describe the role of NIOSH in the prevention and control of emerging issues in Occupational and Environmental Health. Also, Mr. Earl Dotter, the award-winning photojournalist, will present the BADGES Exhibit, along with other work, which portrays the dangers of hazardous jobs through photography and art work. CE and MOC credits will be offered. For details, please visit the conference website: http://is.gd/Emerging_Issues2016. Early registration ends May 16, 2016.

Supervising Asbestos Abatement Projects – Initial Course

June 20-24, 2016

Chapel Hill, NC

This 5- day, EPA approved course provides a comprehensive discussion of the practices and procedures used in asbestos abatement projects. It is designed to meet the OSHA requirement for a "competent person" and the EPA requirement for an "accredited supervisor" to supervise asbestos abatement projects. Includes techniques on set-up, sampling, respiratory protection and other key aspects to assist in understanding the principles and practices of worker health and safety in asbestos-related work. **Registration will open early March 2016.**

<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/supervising-asbestos-abatement.html>

39th Annual Occupational Safety and Health Summer Institute

July 24-29, 2016

Renaissance Portsmouth Hotel Waterfront Conference Center, Portsmouth, Virginia

The Summer Institute is an integral and long established part of the Continuing Education Program at the North Carolina Occupational Safety and Health Education and Research Center (NC OSHERC) at The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. NC OSHERC is one of 18 [NIOSH-Sponsored Education and Research Centers](#) that provide an array of continuing education opportunities for a wide variety of occupational health and safety professionals across a broad range of disciplines. The Summer Institute offers a week-long interdisciplinary conference with **over 30 courses** varying in length from one to five days. Courses include, Occupational Health Nursing Certification Review, OSHA Recordkeeping Rules, Implementing World-Class Ergonomics, Biosafety for Safety and Health Professional (Certified Biological Safety Professional Review) and much more. Occupational Health Nurses and Physicians, Safety Professionals, Industrial Hygienists and others with an interest in community and occupational health are encouraged to attend. The annual [Winter and Summer Institutes](#) provide the opportunity to complete the requirements for three Technician Certificate Programs (IH, Safety, and Environmental).

Early registration is open for featured classes. Full registration will open mid-March 2016

Summer Institute general information: <http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/institutes/summer16/index.html>

30th Annual Occupational Health Nursing Certification (COHN and COHN-S) Review:
<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/occupational-health-nursing-certification-review.html>

CAOHC Occupational Hearing Conservation Training
<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/hearing-conservation-certification.html>

CAOHC Occupational Hearing Conservation Technician Recertification
<http://osherc.sph.unc.edu/continuing-education/courses/hearing-conservation-recertification.html>

Manganese: Second International Conference

September 25-28, 2016

New York, NY

The Second International Conference on Manganese will be hosted by the Department of Preventive Medicine's Division of Occupational and Environmental Medicine at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, September 25-28, 2016. This conference is the 28th conference of the International Neurotoxicology Conference series. For more information, visit:

<http://events.mountsinaihealth.org/event/manganese2016>

2016 Annual ISES Meeting

October 9-13, 2016

Utrecht, The Netherlands

The International Society of Exposure Science annual meeting will include a strong slate of plenary speakers and a panel program/debate on the roles for exposure science in chemical regulation. For further detail go to <http://ises2016.org/>

Prenatal Programming and Toxicity (PPTOX) Conference

November 13-16, 2016

Kitakyushu, Japan

Prenatal Programming and Toxicity (PPTOX) is a conference series dedicated to cutting-edge discussion of environmental hazards during early life and long-term consequences. PPTOX is one of the premier international venues for scientists to evaluate current knowledge and guide forward momentum for this burgeoning field. Four PPTOX conferences have convened since 2007 with a general focus on the role of environmental exposures and nutrients during development on subsequent diseases/dysfunctions later in life. The meetings have examined the animal and human data supporting this hypothesis (developmental basis of disease) by disease, organ system, and mechanism in order to review the current state of the literature and to identify mechanisms for the effects as well as to identify research gaps and challenges and to integrate the basic and applied science.

<http://www.uoeh-u.ac.jp/kouza/eiseigak/pptox-v.html>

Ongoing Educational Courses

Global Labor Masters Program Invites Applicants
Penn State University / Center for Global Workers' Rights

The School of Labor and Employment Relations at the Pennsylvania State University invites applicants to its Masters in Professional Studies program within its Center for Global Workers' Rights. The 12-month program focuses on labor and global workers' rights and is designed for mid-career professionals. The program's new cohort will begin their studies in mid-August, 2016.

The Masters program's core curriculum covers workers' rights, comparative employment relations with a strong focus on the Americas and Asia, gender and race relations at work, research and writing for labor practitioners, labor and globalization, and strategic corporate research and campaigns. Students participate in internships with U.S. labor unions or NGOs and write a capstone project.

The 2016 / 2017 year will mark the third year for the Masters program, which is based at Penn State University's flagship campus in State College, Pennsylvania. The program has thus far included students from China, Brazil, Germany, India, South Korea, Jamaica and the United States. The Center for Global Workers' Rights was established in 2012 with the goal of promoting scholarly research and scholar-practitioner exchanges on issues related to workers' rights. Penn State is the fifth worldwide campus to join the Global Labour University, a network of universities, trade unions and civil society organizations that works with the International Labor Organization (ILO) to provide labor-focused academic programs.

The deadline for admission to Penn State's GLU Masters program is March 1, 2016. More information is available at <http://lser.la.psu.edu/gwr> or by contacting gwr@psu.edu.

Graduate Certificate Program in Occupational and Environmental Health
Georgetown University, Washington, DC

Georgetown University is pleased to announce a new graduate-level Certificate in Occupational and Environmental Health Program (COEH). The COEH is designed for safety and health practitioners with strong science backgrounds who are interested in targeted graduate-level education. The 12-credit program can be completed in two semesters of evening classes, and enables students to integrate scientific exposure assessment through occupational hygiene and safety science methods, assess toxicological information about disease outcomes, and develop and apply interventions to reduce exposure to occupational and environmental hazards including in the workplace, the community, and the larger environment. Completion will ensure that educational requirements will have been met to permit students to sit for the Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH) examination or the Certified Safety Professional (CSP) examination. Please explore our website at <http://coeh.georgetown.edu> or contact Ms. Sarah Shohet at Sarah.Shohet@georgetown.edu for more information.

Masters' and Doctoral Training Opportunities
Midwest Center for Occupational Health and Safety Education and Research Center
University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

The mission of the Midwest Center for Occupational Health and Safety (MCOHS) Education and Research Center (ERC) is to ensure a Center of Excellence that provides: 1) cutting-edge interdisciplinary academic and research training to prepare exceptional leaders who make significant contributions to the field of occupational health and safety and 2) continuing education to prepare occupational health and safety professionals to address current and emerging threats to the nation's workforce. This ERC, one of 18 nationwide, was designed in response to a mandate of the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) -- to provide an adequate supply of qualified personnel to carry out the purposes of the Occupational Health and Safety Act and reduce the national burden of work-related injury and illness. The MCOHS provides graduate degree programs, continuing education and outreach activities, and serves as a regional resource for industry, labor, federal, state, and local government agencies, agriculture, and other interested parties. Graduates are prepared to assume positions in various institutions including: academic institutions, corporate and industrial settings, health agencies, and health care facilities, among others. Visit the MCOHS ERC Homepage: <http://www.mcohs.umn.edu> or call toll free: 1-877-36- MCOHS (1-877-366-2647). MCOHS ERC Director: Susan Goodwin Gerberich, PhD (gerbe001@umn.edu). *Tuition and stipends are available to eligible applicants.*

The degree programs and respective websites are:

Occupational Injury Prevention Research Training Program

<http://www.mcohs.umn.edu/academics/oiprt/introduction.html>

Occupational and Environmental Medicine

<http://www.mcohs.umn.edu/academics/oem/introduction.html>

Occupational and Environmental Epidemiology Program

(Website in Progress)

Industrial Hygiene

<http://www.mcohs.umn.edu/academics/ih/introduction.html>

Occupational and Environmental Health Nursing

<http://www.mcohs.umn.edu/academics/oehn/introduction.html>

Occupational Health Services Research and Policy

<http://www.mcohs.umn.edu/academics/ohsrp/introduction.html>

Online Master's Degree: Occupational Health Nursing

North Carolina Occupation Safety and Health Education and Research Center

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Occupational Health Nursing

Apply to the MPH Degree Program in Occupational Health Nursing at UNC-Chapel Hill! We admit students twice a year—for Fall 2016 admission (starting in August) with January 2, 2016 deadline, and Spring 2017 admission (starting in January) with October 1, 2016 deadline. The

program prepares occupational health nurse specialists for positions in leadership, program planning and evaluation, or management of occupational health nursing programs. The program is 43 credits and can be completed on campus or through distance learning, part-time or full-time. Applicants must be RNs with baccalaureate degree; have 2 years or more experience in occupational health nursing or in the field of occupational health and safety (other experience in public health nursing or related field or emergency nursing may be considered); minimum GPA of 3.0; 3 letters of recommendation; transcripts of all completed course work and each degree received; GRE scores within 5 years of application; and personal statement describing career goals and how this program will prepare you. For more information, contact Susan Randolph at 919-966-0979 or susan.randolph@unc.edu or Bonnie Rogers at 919-966-1765 or rogersb@email.unc.edu.

More information is available on our website: <http://sph.unc.edu/programs/?ppk=phlp-MPH2-0>

Apply to our Academic Certificate Program in Occupational Health Nursing at UNC-Chapel Hill. We admit students twice a year—for both Spring and Fall semesters. Students complete 4 courses for 11-12 academic credits through distance learning. All credits earned are completely transferable as part of the requirements for the completion of the OHN Tract MPH degree. Apply to start in September 2016. Completion of the Certificate Program enables students to apply to take the COHN or COHN-S certification exam offered by ABOHN. Applicants must be RNs with 2 years or more experience in occupational health nursing or in the field of occupational health and safety (other experience in public health nursing or related field or emergency nursing may be considered); 2 letter of recommendation; transcripts of all completed course work post high school; and personal statement. For more information, contact Susan Randolph at 919-966-0979 or susan.randolph@unc.edu or Bonnie Rogers at 919-966-1765 or rogersb@email.unc.edu.

More information is available on our website: <http://sph.unc.edu/programs/?ppk=phlp-cpohn-0>

Occupational and Environmental Health Nursing Program

Program Description

This interdisciplinary program offers master's and doctoral education for nurses who wish to establish competencies in the area of occupational and environmental health. Supported by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), and a component of the Johns Hopkins Education and Research Center for Occupational Safety and Health (ERC), the Occupational and Environmental Health Nursing program offers Master of Public Health (MPH), joint Master of Science in Nursing/Master of Public Health (MSN/MPH), and doctoral degrees (PhD* and DrPH). With the exception of the PhD, degree programs can be completed in a part-time format. Many courses are available online.

Master's graduates hold leadership positions in the private sector, federal agencies, consulting, military services, labor unions, and other organizations that are concerned with protecting the health and safety of the workforce and community. They are prepared for new opportunities

that arise as the field of occupational and environmental health expands. Doctoral graduates enter careers as independent researchers who work in academia, government agencies, and other institutions that focus on the advancement of knowledge in occupational and environmental health. The DrPH program is aimed at integrating and applying a broad range of knowledge and analytic skills in leadership, practice, policy analysis, and program management.

The full-time MPH program is 11 months, July-June, and the full-time MSN/MPH program is 18 months, July-December. Part-time online master's programs require a minimum of 4 weeks on-campus. Doctoral programs vary in length. Tuition assistance is available to outstanding candidates.

An online certificate program in Environmental and Occupational Health may be pursued by non-degree students as well as those enrolled in academic programs. The certificate can be completed entirely online.

Further Information visit www.jhsph.edu/erc/oehn or please contact: Dr. Sheila Fitzgerald, (410) 955-4082 sfitzge1@jhu.edu, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health | 615 North Wolfe Street, Room W7503A Baltimore, Maryland 21205.

* PhD in the Department of Environmental Health Sciences

Earn your Certificate in Occupational Health Nursing at the University of New Brunswick (UNB)

Enhance your Nursing expertise with the tools and knowledge necessary in today's Occupational Health sector. UNB offers an 11-course, online program that will prepare you to practice as an Occupational Health Nurse. Gain skills to assess and promote employee health, prevent injury and disease, facilitate rehabilitation of ill or injured employees, develop compliance strategies to address health and safety legislation, and much more. To apply you must be a Registered Nurse and must meet work experience criteria. For more information visit <http://www.unb.ca/cel/online/courses-programs/cohn/index.html>

California Department of Public Health Online Courses

Nurses/physicians/industrial hygienists: CDPH is offering free continuing medical education courses online. Learn about work-related and childhood lead exposure, Coccidioidomycosis (Valley Fever), and mercury. You can get units through [these informative one-hour courses](http://us5.campaignarchive1.com/?u=4586a1ad0b7ecd671f7295e07&id=cb39e933f7&e=%5bUNIQID). <http://us5.campaignarchive1.com/?u=4586a1ad0b7ecd671f7295e07&id=cb39e933f7&e=%5bUNIQID>

CIH Online- Register Now!

The Mountain and Plains Education and Research Center is pleased to announce CIH Online. CIH Online exam review and maintenance courses offer practicing industrial hygienists studying for the Certified Industrial Hygiene Exam and safety professionals seeking ABIH and/or BCSP credits an advantage by providing you 24/7 access, peer-to-peer networking, community discussion boards, and instructor-led online review sessions. Course are eligible for IH contact

hours, IH Ethics contact hours, and COC (Continuance of Certification) points through the BCSP. Visit www.CIHonline.org for more information and to register today!

Nursing CNE Activities

The Southwest Center for Pediatric Environmental Health (SWCPEH) is one of 11 pediatric environmental health specialty units in the United States. SWCPEH is considered Region 6, serving Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and New Mexico. SWCPEH is a FREE service offering consultations, education, referrals, and resources regarding pediatric environmental health issues to healthcare providers or community members. SWCPEH can provide services for any issue affecting pediatric health, from asthma to bed bugs. You can contact SWCPEH at: 1-800-901-5665 or visit our website for more information at: www.swcpeh.org SWCPEH has recently developed four new Nursing CEU courses covering hot topics in environmental health including reproductive & developmental toxicology, hydrofracturing, the environmental effects on academic performance, and asthma triggers. Each course is eligible for 1 nursing continuing education contact hour. You can access these courses free of charge at: http://www.swcpeh.org/providers_ceupres.asp.

US-Mexico Border Health Training Opportunity

The South Texas Environmental Education and Research (STEER) Program of the University of Texas School of Medicine-San Antonio (UTSOMSA) provides in vivo training experiences at the US-Mexico Border for medical students, residents, and other health professionals in an unique and informative setting. STEER engages nearly 100 instructors, most of them volunteers, including health department leaders, community healthcare workers, and professors, to teach the dozens of half to full-day segments that make up the 4-week program.

STEER program is offered monthly if there are at least three qualified applicants. Limit of 10 students per rotation. See the website <http://steer.uthscsa.edu> for information and a downloadable application, or contact directly: steer@uthscsa.edu.

NIOSH Approved Spirometry Courses

All the currently approved NIOSH spirometry courses which are available are listed at <http://www2a.cdc.gov/drds/spirometry/schedule.asp>

Education and Research Center (ERC) Courses

By topic <http://niosh-erc.org/courses/topic.shtml>

Free Online Continuing Education Course for Health Professionals on Pediatric Environmental Health

Now Available at: http://www.atsdr.cdc.gov/emes/health_professionals/pediatrics.html

This course is based on the Pediatric Environmental Health Toolkit: An American Academy of Pediatrics endorsed clinical tool. This is an online course developed in conjunction with the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry's (ATSDR) Division of Toxicology and Environmental Medicine, the University of California San Francisco Pediatric Environmental

Health Specialty Unit, and Physicians for Social Responsibility, Greater Boston. Free 1.5 Credit Hours for: Physicians, Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, and other health professionals (check the course site). Access this interactive online course in the comfort of your own home or office to increase your knowledge base of common pediatric environmental health issues. Users can log in and out to complete the course in several sessions.

Additional ATSDR Environmental Health and Medicine continuing education offerings can be found at <http://www.atsdr.cdc.gov/emes>