



What's Happening?

UCF COM Faculty Development
March 3, 2014

Upcoming Events

VA Webinar: ACA and Health Disparities

Wednesday, March 5th, 2014, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM, 409 B

IAMSE Webinar: Individual Learning Assessment Approaches

Thursday, March 6th, 2014, 12:00 – 1:00 PM, 409 B

Women in Medicine and Science Interest Group

Monday, February 24th, 2014, 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM, 302

IAMSE Webinar: Records Management and Life-Long Learning Tool for the Medical Community

Thursday, March 13th, 2014, 12:00 – 1:00 PM, 409 B

Faculty Development Opportunities

[Early Career Women Faculty Professional Development Seminar](#)

Application Due: March 19, 2014

[Executive Development Seminar for Interim and Aspiring Leaders](#)

Application Due: March 20, 2014

[2014-2015 Council of Deans \(COD\) Fellowship Program](#)

Application Due: March 31, 2014

[Mindful Practice: Enhancing Quality of Care, Quality of Caring and Resilience](#)

Offered by University of Rochester Medical Center

Workshop Date: May 7 – 10, 2014, Early Registration: March 7, 2014

[Systems Approach to Assessment in Health Professions Education](#)

Offered by Harvard Macy Institute, held at Harvard medical School

Course date: March 9-14, 2014

[Teaching Scholars Summer Institute](#)

Early registration: 3/14/14, **Conference Dates:** 6/2-6/14

New and Upcoming Deadlines

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[18th Annual IAMSE meeting](#) has re-opened the call for poster abstracts, **due: 3/15/14**

[Submit an article to GWIMS Community!](#)

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Submit pitches by 3/14/14

[7th Frontiers in Immunology Research 2014 International Conference](#), July 1-4, 2014
Abstracts/Papers due: 3/30/14

Collaborative Research Opportunities

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[Collaborative Partnerships with the CEDHP and the COHPA](#), March 25, 2014
Register by: 3/21/14

[Collaborative Partnerships with the CEDHP, College of Medicine, and Nicholson School of Communication](#),
April 3, 2014
Mini Presenter Reg.: 3/27/14
Register by: 4/1/14

[March ORC Workshops](#)

Foundation Funding: 3/17
NIH R03 Panel Discussion: 3/19

For additional faculty development resources and recent medical education articles follow us on twitter! @ComFacDev

Dear GWIMS Community,

The *GWIMSWatch* newsletter is changing based on your feedback. Each issue will now include three articles. One will be an invited contribution, one will be a submission from the community, and the third will be variable, based on the topic and our needs.

We will send out via email a request for pitches (RFP) for articles on a given theme each quarter. A pitch needs to give us enough information to pick an article that will be of interest, but it is not a full manuscript nor outline of an article. How should you construct your pitch?

- The subject line of the email should indicate a response to the RFP
- Include at most three short paragraphs or collections of bullet points
 - What is your topic and/or story line?
 - Why should readers care?
 - What makes this aspect of the topic better than any other?
 - Provide supporting data, web links, etc.
- If you have an image that illustrates the point of your article, include it with your pitch
- Include contact information in case questions arise, especially email and daytime phone number

The theme of the Spring *GWIMSWatch* issue is career advancement. Please send your article pitches to gwims@aamc.org by March 14, 2014. The Communications Subcommittee will review all pitches and select a proposed article for the spring issue by mid-April. The selected author will then have until May 9 to write their full article.