Congratulations and Updates!

Congratulations to our own CAPS department chair, Dennis Kivlighan, who as awarded the Lifetime Mentoring Award by Division 17 of the American Psychological Association (Society of Counseling Psychology). Well deserved.

Claire Robbins in now the Assistant Director at Science, Technology, & Society Program, College Park Scholars.


Some of the second year Masters cohort arrives to be on a panel at Vector 0: (LtoR) Amye, Nicole, Greg, Molly, Kelsey, and Chetan.

Best wishes to Melissa Buchanan and new PhD student, Justin Fincher, on their forthcoming September wedding.

John Salazar is now at Xavier University (OH) doing judicial affairs work within their Residence Life Office. Congrats, John.


New CSP GA

Welcome to Michele Matteo Mackie who is a CAPS Fellow and the new CSP GA for 2009-2010. For her GA work, Michele can be reached at cspga@umd.edu or call 405-5418.
New York City-DC AIDS RESEARCH RIDE
www.nycdc.org

A CSP team named Chain Reaction comprised of Mei-Yen Hui, Glenn Ireland, Susan Jones, and Gretchen Metzelaars will ride 330 miles from New York City to DC—beginning early morning on September 10th and finish in DC on Sunday the 13th. The route takes them from NYC to the Atlantic Highlands of New Jersey (via ferry ride which Susan hopes is counted in the mileage!). After 2 days of riding they arrive at Cape May and take the Cape May-Lewes Ferry to Delaware and spend the 3rd night on Tilghman Island before riding to DC! Team Chain Reaction has raised nearly $10,000 to support groundbreaking AIDS research. **Still time to make a pledge!**


On Friday September 25th, the CAPS Conference room will be renamed Nancy K. Schlossberg Conference Room and Library in honor of our long time friend and colleague, Nancy!

New Student Affairs Department Heads

**McShay heads MICA**
Welcome to Dr. James McShay who has just joined the MICA staff as the new director. Check the MICA web site for more info as it is posted.

http://www.stamp.umd.edu/diversity/staff/james/

**Hearin is new Director of Career Center**
Student Affairs has announced the appointment of Mr. Richard Hearin as Director of the University Career Center and The President’s Promise, effective August 10, 2009. Mr. Hearin hails from Oxford, Ohio where he has served as the Director of Career Services at Miami University since 1981. Prior to that, he was Director of Career Development and Placement at Ohio Northern University. He was the recipient of the 2006 National Association of Colleges and Employers “Award of Excellence” for creating “CareerChat” podcasts for students. Mr. Hearin holds a Master of Arts in College Student Personnel from Bowling Green State University and a Bachelor of Science from Central Michigan University.

Susan Komives recently did the keynote at the Maryland annual Academic Advising Conference.

ACPA Senior Scholar, Marylu McEwen, presented at the ACPA Headquarters annual summer training.

**Student Affairs End of the 2008-2009 Year Event**
http://www.crs.umd.edu/year_end_09.html

[We know many of you participated in this fun event over the years and like to keep up with the photos and news!]

**Regatta winners were:**
1st place: Campus Recreation Services (Rec N’ Crew) finished in 1:28:25
2nd place: Career Center & The President’s Promise (Career4Terps)
3rd place: Stamp Student Union (The stampeders)
Best Dressed: Career Center & The President’s Promise (Career4Terps)
Titanic: University Counseling Center (Center Psychos)

**Heptathlon Winners:**
1st place: Fraternity & Sorority Life with 230 points
2nd place: Transportation Services with 190 points
Spirit & Sportsmanship award: Dining Services (Dine-O-Might)
Dr. Lee B. Williams co-presented an online seminar "Student Leaders Struggling: When the Best & Brightest Need Help".

Dr. Barbara Greenstein Boyette has been promoted to Assistant Academic Dean for Advising and Academic Support at Guilford College (in Greensboro, NC).

Jill Nagiel has an adjunct faculty position with UMUC teaching an online section of EDCP 100, their learning strategies and college success course while still loving being with her boys!

Dr. Rhondie Voorhees has been promoted to Program Director, Common Ground Multicultural Dialogue Program in the department of resident life.


Dr. David Hoffman has published "Assessing Educational Sanctions That Facilitate Student Learning with First-Time Alcohol Policy Violators" in *Designing Effective Assessment: Principles and Profiles of Good Practice* by Trudy Banta, Elizabeth Jones and Karen Black (Jossey-Bass, 2009). David also has assumed responsibilities for facilities in the student union at Truman State.

Marcus Peanort and Tyra Goodgain were engaged on June 5 and are planning a destination wedding in Jamaica next year. They are representing NACADA Region 22 for the Best of Region presentation "Educational Planning and the First-Year Experience (FYE): Helping Student Navigate Their Journey... EARLY!" at the NACADA Annual Conference this fall in San Antonio, TX. Marcus is serving as Acting Chair of the Counseling and Advising Department for the fall semester. Good news all the way around!

Jennifer Jimenez Maraña is the Associate Dean of Students & Dean of 1st Year Students at Claremont McKenna.

Patty Armfield and Scott Witkowsky were married on August 1st, 2009 in Daly City, CA. Graziella (Pagliarulo) McCarron was a bridesmaid and Margie Hinonangan-Mendoza attended with her husband, Don. Patty writes that "Hortense Rascoe and Ashley Lee were there in spirit."

Facebook has wonderful photos of Gina Garcia and baby, Jovan, born on August 22. Love to you and best wishes starting PhD study at UCLA this Fall also!

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