HIGHLIGHTS

AUGUST

August 26 — Global Brigades Info Session, 7:30 pm, 217 SC

August 27 — First meeting of MAPS, 8 pm, OMA lounge, Alumni Hall

SEPTEMBER

September 4 — Healing Hearts meeting, SC 150, 8 pm
September 6 — Speaker: Adrian Jones, Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine, 3:00 pm SC 114
September 9 — Dental Interest Group Meeting, Science Center, SC 150, 8 pm

September 13 — Speaker: Brian Trecek, Marquette University School of Dentistry 3:00 pm SC 114
September 20 — Speaker: Jill Harman, Ohio Univ. Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine, 3:00 pm SC 114
September 23 — Career and Graduate School Fair, UD Arena, 1-5 pm
September 27 — Speaker: Kenneth Sigler, Ohio State University Dentistry, 3:00 pm SC 114

UPCOMING AED EVENTS

Aug 31 — Danny Arnold Memorial Run, 10 am
Sep 4, 5 — Info Meeting, 7 pm, 114 SC

Sept 10 — Membership Meeting, SC 150, 8 pm
Sept 13 — Meet the Profs Lunch, 12-2pm, SC “Fistbowl”
Sept 24 — Membership Meeting and Social, 7-9 pm, KU Galley

Admissions

Congratulations to our graduates entering health professional schools!

Marcus Allen (MED) Oakland U- William Beaumont SOM
Cassandra Anderson (BIO) Marquette U Dentistry
Josephine Arboque (MED) OSU College of Veterinary Medicine
Alexis Capaci (DEN) U Michigan School of Dentistry
Josetta DeFrancisco (BIO) Case Western Reserve University School of Dental Medicine
Abigail de la Rosa (MED) WSU BEACON Accelerated Nursing Program
Jonathan Demeter (CME) U Toledo COM
Kara Dickey (BIO) Rocky Vista University COM
Nathan Dombrowski (DEN) Texas A&M University Baylor College of Dentistry
Rachel Egbort (MED) LECOM
Matthew Elbert (MED) OSU School of Dentistry
Jacob Farber (BIO) Ohio U Heritage COM
Kirsten Fitz (MED) Marian U COMC
Taylor Geisman (BIO/BCM) Washington University SOM
Jordan Geroki (MED) Ohio U Heritage COM
Nicole Goettemoeller (BIO) OSU School of Dentistry
G. Mark Gottschlich (MED) Ohio U Heritage COM
Maria Grabnar (MED/CHM) U Toledo COM
Joseph Granite (MED) Ohio U Heritage COM
Amanda Gutwein (BIO) Marian U COM
Meredith Hamilton (MED) Ohio U Heritage COM
Adam Hicks (MED) Indiana U SOM
Michael Joseph (MED) Marian U COM

Thomas Kimberly (DEN) Creighton U School of Dentistry
Kathleen Kroger (MED) Creighton U SOM
Marissa Kuefgen (BIO) MED COM of Midwestern U
Brian Kurich (BCM) U North Carolina at Chapel Hill Pharmacy
Christopher Leblond (MED) Ohio U Heritage COM
Timothy Long (DEN) Marquette U Dentistry
Jordan Mattingly (DEN) U of Louisville School of Dentistry
Kelsey Mayrand (BCM) WSU Boonshoft SOM
Daniel McCory (BIO) Georgetown U SOM
Layne Perkowitz (MED) Marlan U COM
Marlee Reardon (BIO) Ohio U Heritage COM
Kyle Rismiller (BCM) Case Western U SOM
Anthony Rohana (MED) Marian U COM
Lawrence Saliba (BIO) U of Cincinnati SOM
Joseph Salomone (BIO) U of Cincinnati MD/PhD
Jacqueline Severt (BIO) Ohio State U COM
Aakash Shah (BIO) U of Cincinnati COM
Joseph Stefanski, St. George’s University SOM
Kelby Swartztrauber (MED) Kettering College of Medical Arts - PA
Kathryn Walacavage (MED) WSU BEACON Accelerated Nursing Program
Kyle Wenker (MED) Ohio U Heritage COM
Rachel Worden (BIO) Auburn School of Veterinary Medicine
Adam Wolters (DEN) OSU School of Dentistry
Matthew Wysocki (BIO) Marian U COM

Health Care Student Organizations

at Up the Orgs: (clockwise from top left) MAPS, Healing Hearts, AED, DIG, Red Cross Club, Global Brigades, and Rescue Squad

A big welcome to our new students and welcome back to our returners! I hope you had a summer filled with some rest, adventure and new experiences.

We look forward to a great year for our MED/DEN majors and other students interested in medicine and health. There are so many exciting opportunities for you both within and outside of the classroom!

Our Friday afternoon seminars kick off in September with a great schedule of visitors from various medical, dental and physician assistant programs. Many of our seniors will be meeting with these visitors to help them prepare for interview presents. Presently, we have 66 students in the application process. We finished up the 2012/2013 application process with an 80% success rate of acceptance to medical or dental school. Our dental applicants did particularly well with a 91% admission rate.

This past May thirty students joined three physicians and me for a medical/dental brigade to Honduras. We had a wonderful experience working with the families we served. This January we plan to travel to Nicaragua for a combination medical/dental and public health brigade.

You will find our students at local facilities as well, such as Reach Out Montgomery County, Dayton Children’s Medical Center, Miami Valley Hospital, local nursing homes and other community partner organizations.

I hope you will find valuable ways to connect with people as you build your skills and interest in health, dentistry and medicine. Best wishes for a great fall term!

Kathleen Schellens, Ph.D.
Director of Premedical Programs
Global Brigades

Informational Meeting Monday, Aug. 26 at 7:30 p.m. in 217 SC

We are in the early stages of planning our next medical/dental brigade! It will be to Nicaragua Jan 4 - 12, 2014. It is a combo MED/DEN brigade and Public Health Brigade. There will be room for about 40 students at a cost of $930 each plus airfare. For more information come to the informational meeting on Monday Aug. 26 at 7:30 pm in 217 SC or click on Global Brigades on the Premed Programs website (premed.udayton.edu).