Office of Faculty Affairs and Professional Development- Winter 2016

Newsletter Content:

- Promotions and Tenure Guidelines Phase 2 proposed revisions
- 2016 Academy of Medical Educators Call for Applicants
- Search Committee for VP for Medical Affairs, Dean of Medical School
- Spotlight on the Simulation Center
- WIMS@SLU Announcements
- Upcoming Programs

---

**Promotions and Tenure Guidelines**

The task force charged with reviewing and revising the School of Medicine Appointments and Promotion Guidelines has created a [phase 2 document](#). This document reflects input received from faculty and departmental chairs on initially proposed revisions to the Guidelines. A phase 2 document is now posted for your review and comment.

Notable changes since the posting in October include a revised articulation of track for appointment and promotion based on defined priorities for faculty contributions to the missions of the School. The concept of a separate tenure review committee has been removed. Requests to establish a minimum number of publications since last promotion have been incorporated. Other modifications are noted throughout the document in bold print.

Thank you to those who have provided thoughtful suggestions for modifications to the originally proposed revisions to the Guidelines. The task force looks forward to your additional input and would appreciate receiving your comments by January 31, 2016.

[Link to Google Site]
Call for Applicants:  
2016 Academy of Medical Educators

We are pleased to invite applications for the Academy of Medical Educators Program.  
The goal of the AoME is to recognize medical educators for their teaching activities, their educational scholarship and innovation, their leadership and to foster an environment that promotes the continuous improvement of teaching.  
The Academy at SLUSOM consists of two arms, the Honorific pathway and the Developmental pathway. 
For faculty interested in furthering their career through a focus on medical education, the developmental arm of the Academy has been designed to augment skill, support scholarship and foster innovation in medical education. This aspect of the academy consists of a certificate program which is housed within the Center for Transformative Teaching and Learning (CTTL). Interested faculty should contact our office for more information or refer to the AoME web page.  
The goal of the honorific category is to recognize exceptional faculty demonstrating a commitment to education. Candidates should demonstrate an exceptional commitment to the professional growth and educational development of their colleagues, their learners, their community, and themselves. 
The deadline for applications is February 29, 2016. Please refer to the Office of Faculty Affairs and Professional Development website for packet guidelines or see the link below. All applications must be submitted to Dr. Angela Sharkey, Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs and Professional Development. (asharkey@slu.edu)

Checklist for Application to the Developmental Arm

Also be sure to check out the CUTS - Certificate in University Teaching Skills Program
The University Search Committee for the vice president for Medical Affairs and dean of the School of Medicine conducted "listening" sessions for the University community Tuesday, Jan. 12, and Wednesday, Jan. 13.

At the conclusion of the listening sessions the members of the search firm Isaacson, Miller, http://www.imsearch.com will propose to the search committee a position profile describing the responsibilities of the position and the requisite qualifications. Once the profile is approved by University President Fred P. Pestello, Ph.D., and the search committee the solicitation of candidates will begin. The search committee invites anyone with a perspective concerning the desired qualities of the successful candidate to contact search committee chair Bill Kauffman at 314-977-3799 or kauffman@slu.edu or search committee member and chair of the Faculty Assembly, Dr. Jane McHowat. Please feel free to submit concerns through the Faculty Assembly contact form.

Click here to view a report from the search committee about this ongoing process

Spotlight on the Simulation Center

Erin Quattromani, M.D., Assistant Professor of Surgery, Medical Director of Simulation Center

If you ask any professional athlete, musician or even pilot how they get better, they would probably say a lot of practice. In medicine, what better way to practice than to practice on plastic… but not just any kind of plastic; the kind of plastic that breathes sweats, blinks, and talks. In 2015, our Simulation Center upgraded one of our high fidelity manikins to one that is more realistic than the previous model and also, tether-less. Therefore, we are now able to take the manikin on the move, such as the hospital setting.

Since joining the Simulation Center as the Medical Director in July 2014, I have worked closely with Wesley Burch, Educational Specialist and simulation expert
who has over 25 years in teaching with simulation. Together we collaborate with the C-STARS (Center for Sustainment of Trauma Readiness Skills) to enhance the School of Medicine medical simulation program. We hope to help you find simulation solutions to practice medicine in the simulation center or in the hospital setting - whether it is in such arenas as technical skills, communication skills or team building. Let us know your ideas!

Contact:
Erin Quattromani (equattro@slu.edu)
Wesley Burch (burchwq@slu.edu) 314-977-8445

**WIMS@SLU Announcements**

A new AMWA-WIMS mentoring program is scheduled to kick off with the arrival of the new first year students in August 2016. This mentoring program will pair up to four first year women students with a women faculty facilitator in small peer-mentoring groups.

The WIMS steering committee is pleased to announce the creation of Saint Louis University's Women in Medicine and Science Facebook page.([https://www.facebook.com/SLUWIMS/?ref=hl](https://www.facebook.com/SLUWIMS/?ref=hl))

Our goal is to create a page dedicated to sharing information aimed toward enhancing professional growth and advancement of women in academic medicine. We will keep you updated on events, activities, and news related to the WIMS@SLU events as well. If you have anything you would like to post, please email Dr. Becky Lynn at lynnbk@slu.edu.

The link to our page is [https://www.facebook.com/SLUWIMS/?ref=hl](https://www.facebook.com/SLUWIMS/?ref=hl). Click on the link and like us to become part of our Facebook group.
Lilly Speaker Series 2015-2016
Stirring the Embers:
Reconnecting Medical School Faculty to the Jesuit Mission of Saint Louis University
How do we Mend the Divide?
Understanding Service to Humanity in the Spotlight of Ferguson

RSVP Today!
Tuesday, January 19
7:30 to 8:30 AM in LRC 113
Breakfast and coffee will be served

Save the Date:
AOA Visiting Professorship
Jo Shapiro, M.D., FACS
Chief, Division of Otolaryngology in the Department of Surgery Brigham and Women's Hospital
Medical Professionalism
Medical Center Grand Rounds
Thursday, May 5, 2016
8:00 am – 9:00 am
Faculty Development Session
Thursday, May 5, 2016
10:00 am - 11:00 am

The Fourth Dimension: Time Management
Wednesday, February 10
12:00 to 1:00 pm in LRC 106

Presented by:
Fred Rottnek, M.D., MAHCM
AHEC Medical Director
Family and Community Medicine
Kelly Everard, PhD

Organizational Strategies
Wednesday, April 6, 2016
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm in LRC 110

Presented by:
Theresa L. Schwartz, M.D., M.S., FACS
Assistant Professor of Surgery
Department of General Surgery
Breast Surgical Oncology
Associate Director--General
Assistant Professor
Director of Medical Student Education
Family and Community Medicine

RSVP

Surgery Residency Program

RSVP

Saint Louis University School of Medicine
Office of Faculty Affairs and Professional Development
1402 South Grand Blvd.
St. Louis, MO  63104              Phone: 314.977.8438
Website

unsubscribe from this list  update subscription preferences