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SPH in the News

**Putting an end to intestinal worms** - The Seattle Times; features Arianna Means (GH), Kenny Sherr (GH, Epi) and Judd Walson (GH, Epi)

Hurricane Harvey public health concerns - KING 5; interview with Scott Meschke (DEOHS)

How Alaska tribes solved their dental health crisis - Yes! Magazine; cites research by Donald Chi (HServ)

Seattle's bike-share program: Where are the helmets? - KOMO News; quotes Fred Rivara (Epi)

Recently Awarded Grants & Contracts »

Foundation Funding Opportunities »

Who Knew??

Joe Harper Kowalczyk (OD, PHM) and his wife, Michelle, climbed two mountains on two consecutive Christmas holidays. First, the Drakensberg Mountains, then Mount Kilimanjaro. They blogged about these adventures and more as Peace Corps

**Congrats!**

The UW Population Health Initiative announced recipients of the inaugural pilot research grants. SPH faculty are involved in four of the five projects: Jennifer Otten (DEOHS, Nutr), Joseph Zunt (GH, Epi), Peter Rabinowitz (DEOHS, GH, Epi), Sarah Gimbel (GH), Ana Seminario (GH), Benjamin Spencer (GH), Debra Kaysen (GH) and Shannon Dorsey (GH).

Noel Weiss (Epi) has won the American Public Health Association's Abraham Lilienfeld Award for his lifelong excellence in teaching epidemiology.

Ruanne Barnabas (GH, Epi) was recently named the new holder of the King K. Holmes Endowed Professorship in STD and AIDS.

Vanessa Galaviz (DEOHS) was invited by University of California President Janet Napolitano to join a state advisory committee on environmental justice and climate change policy. The group will support Gov. Jerry Brown.

Wyatt Pickner (HServ, COPHP) was awarded a $5,000 grant from the UW Center for Communication, Difference and Equity to fund his capstone project, a PhotoVoice study of urban American Indian/Alaska Native men's perceptions of police violence and mental health.

Making a Difference

SPH is supporting efforts in Montana to design and implement trainings and to build greater capacity for public health education. PhD student Meagan Brown (HServ) recently held a training in Billings to teach health department staff how to communicate the importance and success of programs to stakeholders. (See photos.) “Their work can be overlooked because they’re focused on day-to-day tasks and don’t
on the Calendar

Sept. 12, 12-1pm
Ending TB: Leveraging Public-Private Partnership to Accelerate Access to Tools

Sept. 27, 12:30-1:30pm
Kenya Research and Training Center Seminar with Emily Deichsel

Sept. 28, 12:30-1:20pm
No Water, No Food: Water Equity in Public Health Nutrition

Oct. 2-3
Leadership, Readiness and Motivation for the Health and Safety Professional

We'll keep you busy: take a look at the SPH Events Calendar.

Search for SPH Dean

Meetings with the SPH Dean search team will take place on Oct. 3 in the Health Sciences Bldg. The team will meet with students from 9:30-10:15am in T-360, faculty from 12:30-1:30pm in I-132, and staff from 3:30-4:30pm in T-531.

Jobs

SPH job listings page for national and local public health jobs and opportunities.

NewsCatcher Archive

Featured by the ASPPH

Professor leads effort to map research priorities for the nature-health connection:
Howard Frumkin (DEOHS)

Faculty member finds opioids leading cause of drug deaths in Seattle area:
Caleb Banta-Green (HServ)

Center leads evaluation of public health emergency communications tools:
Janet Baseman (Epi), Debra Revere (HServ)

Researcher finds height plays role in aggressive prostate cancer risk:
Janet Stanford (Epi)

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