



GSBS at RWJMS

July Monthly Announcements

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Happy summer students!

Below are some helpful notices for students, including information for students who travel abroad for scientific meetings. This is a free university service, so check it out.

In addition, as we go into the fall, this is a good time to log into myumdnj and check out your transcript. Have you taken all the courses you need? Are all the courses you took listed and the grades registered? Is your GPA above the 3.0 required for graduation? It is always good to be looking at this well before graduation time, and reviewing it with your advisor, program director or committee as appropriate.

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1. International SOS (ISOS)

Dear students and faculty

The University offers students and employees traveling abroad on University-authorized educational or work experiences a program of insurance through International SOS (ISOS). ISOS helps students and employees traveling abroad on University-authorized educational or work experiences with a 24/7 resource - on call, online and even on the ground - to help with any medical, security and logistical questions, concerns and situations that may arise.

The ISOS website is: <http://www.internationalsos.com/en/>

The UMDNJ password is: 11BYSG000015

On this UMDNJ-specific site, travelers will find the "Personal Travel Locator" (PTL) on which they can enter their trip and contact information, and are provided with pre-trip advisories which contain important security and medical information. All UMDNJ students traveling abroad on a University-authorized educational experience are required to register their trip through the PTL; registration through the PTL helps students fulfill the requirements of the University policy "Students Participating in Education Activities Outside UMDNJ of Any of its Affiliates."

The following link provides a overview of the PTL:

<http://www.internationalsos.com/producthelp/ptl.htm>

Additionally, the site includes links to country advisories that contain very useful business and cultural information about the travelers destination. International SOS provides special knowledge and assistance regarding security, medical or personal issues - such as lost passport or prescriptions. Whether travelers have questions about advisory information, become seriously ill abroad, or need assistance due to a lost or stolen wallet, they call any 24 hour alarm center around the world to speak with a doctor, security specialist or coordinator.

2. FASEB web site for awards.

The Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology (FASEB) has launched a new website that provides information about science training and education awards for students and science mentors made by FASEB's member societies. The FASEB Science Training and Education Awards webpage highlights over 50 unique initiatives including information on scholarship opportunities, travel awards, and fellowships. It also houses links to FASEB's Society Awards and Resources to Enhance Diversity in Science websites. Please visit: <http://tinyurl.com/5u69u5c>

3. New U. Michigan post doc opportunity Fair

The University of Michigan Medical School Office of Postdoctoral Studies will hold its first annual postdoctoral recruitment event, Postdoc Preview, in Ann Arbor from November 3-5, 2011. Upper-level graduate students must apply to attend by September 4, 2011. Travel expenses, accommodations, meals and entertainment for accepted students will be provided by the UMMS Office of Postdoctoral Studies. Additional information is available online at: www.med.umich.edu/postdoc/preview

Brochures are available outside of the GSBS at RWJMS office.