



GSBS @ RWJMS

September Monthly Announcements!!!

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1. Tutoring

Peer tutoring for the core curriculum is available, free of charge, to students in the program.

Tutors are volunteer senior graduate students (2nd year and beyond) who have completed the courses. Once an assignment is made by the program director, the students and tutors work together to set up times and places. Tutoring is typically about an hour a week, and usually in small groups assigned by the program director. Tutors control their availability and schedule.

Tutors are needed in all courses and get paid \$15 per hour for one student and \$20 per hour for a small group, typically 2 or 3 students.

For additional information, see the website <http://www2.umdnj.edu/mbptweb/>.

This is a great chance to review material you would like to remember, get teaching skills, help other students and make some extra money.

If you are interested, please contact me (Gary Brewer) as soon as possible at brewerga@umdnj.edu. Also please indicate which core courses (including the Quantitative Problems in Biological Sciences course) you are willing to tutor.

2. RUConnection ID

UMDNJ Joint Program students must be registered for classes to be eligible for a RUconnection card. These students have access to Rutgers University libraries, computer labs, recreation centers, and career services via their RUconnection card.

RUconnection cards for UMDNJ Joint Program students may be obtained:

One week prior to the start of classes

At any RUconnection card office (no appointment necessary)

With a valid government-issued form of photo ID such as a driver's license or passport

At no charge for the first issue of this card

Busch Campus Office
581 Taylor Rd
Piscataway, NJ 08854-5610

Housing Office Hours
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m
Monday thru Friday

3. AAA Fellows (Call for Applications)

2010-11 AAAS S&T Policy Fellowships

To: <aaasfellows@listserv.aaas.org>, <aaas_staff@listserv.aaas.org>, <dcfellows@listserv.aaas.org>

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Greetings Current and Former Fellows, Our online application system is now open for the 2010-11 fellowship year. Attached and below is the Call for Applications.

Ellen Hatleberg
Senior Project Coordinator
Science & Technology Policy Fellowships
American Association for the Advancement of Science

A message from Dr. Soto:

I am a former Fellow, so anyone with specific questions can contact me for more information. With all the changes going on in Washington, this would be a great time to be a science fellow working on health care, energy policy, environmental issues, etc.

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4. Message from Student Wellness

The **Student Wellness Program (SWP)** is a **free, confidential** counseling service which helps students deal effectively with stressors and other pressures related to graduate school, as well

as personal problems that might impact one's academic performance (e.g., problems within one's home or academic setting).

**UMDNJ-University Behavioral HealthCare
220 Old New Brunswick Road, Suite #104
Piscataway, NJ 08854
732-235-5933**

Also, for crises after normal business hours, please call 1-800-327-3678.