



GSBS at RWJMS

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1. **The 2012 Annual Retreat on Cancer Research in New Jersey--Abstract Submission and Registration**

The Annual Retreat on Cancer Research in New Jersey

organized by The Cancer Institute of New Jersey & The New Jersey Commission on Cancer Research

[May 24, 2012 at UMDNJ-RWJMS](#)

675 Hoes Lane
Piscataway, NJ

Abstract Submission and Registration

Visit:

www.njcancerretreat.org

Online Abstract Submission

Opens: January 17, 2012, Closes: March 18, 2012

PLEASE REVIEW THE ONLINE TUTORIAL OR FAQ SECTION BEFORE SUBMITTING YOUR ABSTRACTS

Online Registration

Opens: January 17, 2012, Closes: May 17, 2012.

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2. **New Jersey Academy of Science-Call for Abstracts**

Every year in April, the New Jersey Academy of Science conducts an annual meeting <http://www.njas.org/> where high school and college/university students present their research.

This year's meeting is hosted by Seton Hall University at our campus in South Orange, N.J. on Saturday April 21st. We would like to invite you to participate in this meeting. Research can be presented in two categories: poster presentations and research talks. The New Jersey Academy of Science will publish all the accepted abstracts. Also, the presenters will have the opportunity to submit a 2-3 page manuscript after the event, which will be reviewed by peers and, if accepted, will be published as a research article in the Bulletin of the New Jersey Academy of Science.

We enthusiastically ask you to please inform your colleagues and students of this annual event and encourage them to participate.

The meeting website is now available and accepting abstracts <http://blogs.shu.edu/njas/>. The abstract submission deadline is March 16, 2012.

We look forward to seeing you at the 2012 Annual Meeting of the New Jersey Academy of Science at Seton Hall University

Sincerely,

NJAS Conference
c/o Dr. Mitra S. Feizabadi
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South Orange, NJ 07079

3. Student Wellness Program / Information I Can't Concentrate!

Might problems with concentration be interfering with your study habits? In reality, the ability to concentrate is a skill-set that can be learned! As with any new aptitude, however, the deftness of moving from acquisition of a skill-set to sustainability requires practice, practice, practice. That said, please examine the approaches outlined below so that the possibility of enhancing your individual concentration abilities can be upgraded as follows: **(Please see attachment)**

4. GSBS "Academic Forms"

Attention All Students:

Please visit the GSBS "Academic Forms" link <http://rwjms.umdnj.edu/education/gsbs/current/forms.html> and make sure you download the required most current form whenever needed.

Anyone who submits an outdated form will be asked to complete and obtain all required signatures again on the most current form.

5. Graduation Exercises

Dear Students/Graduates,

The graduation exercises are scheduled as follows:

Pre-Commencement Reception – May 20, 2012. (The Heldrick, New Brunswick, NJ)

Convocation – May 21, 2012 at 7 p.m. (State Theatre, New Brunswick, NJ)

Commencement – May 23, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. (IZOD Center, East Rutherford, NJ)

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