

**Wednesday, May 20, 2009**

### Upcoming Events

#### [DFCI Asian Film Festival](#) - 5/20

The DFCI Asian Film Festival celebrates Asian Pacific Heritage Month with free films from China, India, South Korea and Japan. See the [flyer](#) for the film schedule and details. Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon will be filmed tonight! All are welcome to attend.

#### [Biostatistical Science Program Colloquium Series: Effectiveness Research](#) - 5/26

Stanford University's Philip Lavori, PhD, will discuss "Effectiveness Research: Bridging the Observational-Experimental Gap." Sponsored by [Harvard Catalyst](#).

#### [BRI Translational Genetics Seminar Series](#) - 5/28

Elizabeth Karlson, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine presents, "Risk prediction of rheumatoid arthritis. Are we ready to bring genetic risk scores to the clinic?" Contact: [BWHBRI@partners.org](mailto:BWHBRI@partners.org)

#### [HMS PDO Movie Night](#) - 5/28

7:00 pm, Cannon Rm., Building C, HMS. This month's featured film is "*The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*". Grab a labmate, friend, or date and join us for the movie, freshly-popped popcorn and beverages.

#### [WEST's Alternate Careers Panel Discussion](#) - 6/18

If you are exploring your options, leaving your job, or want to learn more about your career choices outside academia, please join WEST for the annual *Alternative Careers in Science and Technology* panel discussion. The panelists have experience breaking into and thriving in careers outside of academia including: communications, business development, patent law, project management, and technology transfer. They will share how they identified their new career, landed their first job, and the pros and cons of their new field. [More info and registration.](#)

### Announcements

#### [Calling all Postdoctoral Photographers!](#)

The HMS PDA is holding a photography contest to find photos that will appear on their new website! As the new website has only just launched, it will be begin posting lots of information about the PDA, events and other useful content which will be relevant to the

postdoctoral community. See the new website at: <http://web.hms.harvard.edu/pda/> . Seeking images that will convey to viewers the idea that the HMS/HSDM PDA is a social and professional networking association that includes postdocs from many institutions in the Boston area. See [program details](#). Email your submissions to: [PDA@HMS.HARVARD.EDU](mailto:PDA@HMS.HARVARD.EDU) Contact: [ksiggers@rics.bwh.harvard.edu](mailto:ksiggers@rics.bwh.harvard.edu)

### **CTSciNET**

AAMC has partnered with the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), Science Careers, and several other organizations, to launch CTSciNET, the Clinical and Translational Science Network. CTSciNet is a content-and-community Web site with the mission to assist clinicians interested in research, MD-PhD trainees and recipients, PhD-track scientists who want to work closer to the clinic, and anyone considering these career paths in assessing their options and making good career-related decisions. The project is supported by the Borroughs Wellcome Fund. Dr. Kerry O'Banion, Chair-Elect of the MD-PhD Section, is a CTSciNet Advisor.

### **Did You Know?**

#### **The BRI has a new, easier to navigate homepage!**

Check it out to see the latest upcoming events from BRI Research Centers, icons linking to important tools and resources, and ARRA updates.

### **If You Missed It...**

- [Random Collisions Pubnight](#) - 5/20
- [2009 Partners Program in the Responsible Conduct of Research](#) - 5/20
- [DF/HCC Pipelines in Oncology with Amgen](#) – 5/21
- [Technology Transfer & Intellectual Property Rights](#) – 5/21
- [Professional Interactions that Work: Valuing Differences, Managing Self](#) – 5/29
- [Show Me The Science! Reverse Science Fair](#)- 6/9
- [OPRC Annual Welcome Reception and Postdoc Barbecue](#) - 6/24
- [Tax Sheltered Annuity \(TSA\) Retirement Savings](#) - April, May and June dates
- [HMS Office of Work and Family](#) - spring work-life seminar schedule

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