

**Wednesday, October 29, 2008**

### Upcoming Events

**[Demystifying Your HMS CV: FIRST Streamlined and Simplified - 11/20](#)**

Bornstein Amphitheater, 4-5:00PM. Sponsored by the BWH Center for Faculty Development and Diversity. [Register here](#). Contact: [BWHCFDD@partners.org](mailto:BWHCFDD@partners.org)

**[Hot Topics for International Researchers – 12/9](#)**

**FEEDBACK REQUESTED!** What do you want to know about International issues from the Partners International Office staff? We would like your feedback before the event to be sure that we address your top questions and concerns regarding visa status, guidelines for traveling, green cards, changes in immigration law, or other related topics. Please send your questions to [BWHOPRC@partners.org](mailto:BWHOPRC@partners.org). [Register here](#).

**[Pick Our Brains: Sponsored by the BWH-BRI Neurosciences Research Center – Save the Date 12/10](#)**

Join Drs. Ferenc Jolesz, Peter Lansbury, Srini Mukundan and Dennis Selkoe as they reflect on how to really get from bench to bedside in neurosciences at BWH. 3:00-6:00pm, Bornstein Amphitheater.

### Announcements

**[Has It Been Less Than 10 years Since You Completed Your Ph.D.?](#)**

NIH has modified the New Investigator Policy to identify Early Stage Investigators (ESIs) as investigators who have obtained their Ph.D.s or medical residencies within 10 years of the time of review. NIH included the modification to encourage “Early Transition to Research Independence.” [Read more...](#)

**[Northeastern University \(NU\) Seeks Co-op Experiences for Students – for January 2009](#)**

NU is seeking BWH Principal Investigators to place Co-op students into their laboratories. [The Co-operative Education Program at NU](#), popularly known as "Co-op," is an educational program that provides students with opportunities to alternate six-month periods of academic study and periods of paid full-time employment related to their academic majors and interests. Hiring a NU Co-op student is a simple, cost-effective way to meet human resource needs without recruitment costs. Co-op students are paid by the lab as temporary hourly employees, and maintain their student status during the course of their employment. For more information about the program and details about getting started, click [here](#).

## Did You Know?

### Get LinkedIn!

BWH postdocs/researchers now have two networking groups to join:

- [BWH OPRC Networking and Alumni Group](#)
- [HMS Postdoc Networking Group](#)

Your professional relationships are key to your professional success. LinkedIn's mission includes helping you open doors to opportunities using the professional relationships you already have. LinkedIn is free, and members can join as many groups as they choose. Importantly for BWH Postdoctoral Fellows, through your LinkedIn network you can; search for great jobs; discover inside connections that can help you land jobs; get introduced to other professionals through the people you know; find potential collaborators who come recommended; be found for business opportunities; and stay connected with colleagues from BWH/HMS after you move on in your career.

## If You Missed It...

[Slicer 3 Hands-On Workshop on 3D Visualization of Medical Image Data](#) - 10/30

[Conflict of Interest: Facts and Friction](#) - 10/30

[HMS/HSDM PDO Postdoc Movie Night](#) – 10/30

[Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Finding and Hiring a Nanny](#) – 11/4

[Acing Your Interview](#) - 11/5

[Writing for Publication: The Clinician Teacher](#)- 11/6

[Now You're Talking! Bringing Scientific Presentations to Life](#) - 11/7

[Research Connection Live Lunch: Meet the Catalyst Research Navigators](#) - 11/17

[OPRC Peer Mentor Program and Open House](#) - 11/17 (*last session until February 2009*)

[Case Studies Series: Authorship Questions](#)- 12/1

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