



UNCG Gerontology Research Network

Facilitating Transdisciplinary Aging-related Research at UNCG

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Beth Barba, PhD to present at UNC Chapel Hill

-Two Keynote Addresses to be presented during National Gerontology Week at UNC at Chapel Hill on October 15:

- 1) Delirium and Older Adult Patients (to nursing students)
- 2) End-of-Life Decision-Making (to hospital interdisciplinary staff)

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Spirit, Service, and Community in the Second Half of Life

- Second Journey, a nonprofit based in Chapel Hill, will bring an exciting day-long seminar to Raleigh.

-Saturday, November 7, 9 AM--4:30 PM; McKimmon Center, 1101 Gorman Street in Raleigh

-The seminar celebrates the 30+ extra years of life that have accrued from the Revolution in Longevity and asks how we -- as individuals and as a society use that precious gift of time to: explore new avenues for individual growth and spiritual deepening, and new opportunities for "Encore" careers and meaningful work; and gather about us like-minded companions and create innovative models of community for later life.

Further Information: secondjourney.org/PR.htm -contains a link for downloading two news releases;

SecondJourney.org/Nov7.htm.

ACHieve, Star Rating and Legislative Review

-Wednesday, September 23rd, 9 to 11am, Carolina House Durham, 4434 Ben Franklin Blvd, Durham, NC 27704

-Learn about the new ACHieve assessment tool, the North Carolina Star Rating System and other important legislative updates - 2.0 Credit Hours.

-Featured speaker: Christine Stempel of the North Carolina Assisted Living Association Board.

-For reservations and more information, call Leslie Erb at (919) 244-5991 or lerb@brookdaleliving.com

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Grant Opportunity

-Robert Wood Johnson Foundation is making \$4.2 million available over the next three years to fund 10 grants of up to \$300,000 each to increase the number of nursing school graduates by evaluating strategies that address the nurse faculty shortage.

-The deadline to apply for one of the grants is Nov. 24.

-Eligibility: Nursing schools or healthcare organizations are eligible if they act as the applicant institution and subcontract to the evaluation team. Preference will be given to nonprofits.

-For all the details including contact information on this and other new funding opportunities:

<http://www.cdpublications.com/d092>

-When you reach our site just scroll down the page and check off Community Health Funding Report! The details are in the issue beginning the week of Sept. 14.

-Any questions? Call us at 1-800-666-6380. CD Publication is a family-owned publisher established in 1961, 8204 Fenton Street, Silver Spring, Md. 20910.

News about funding opportunities for UNC Institute on Aging constituents

1) *Title: Exceptional, Unconventional Research Enabling Knowledge Acceleration (EUREKA) (R01)*

Sponsor: National Institute of General Medical Sciences/NIH/DHHS

URL: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-GM-10-009.html>

Deadline(s): Applications may be submitted to Grants.gov in response to this announcement on or after October 24, 2009.

The deadline for receipt of full applications is November 24, 2009.

2) *Title: Leadership in Aging Fellowship*

Sponsor: Brookdale Foundation Group

URL: <http://bf.ianet.org/bf/>

Deadline(s): 11/05/2009

3) *Title: Alzheimer's Disease Research: Standard Awards*

Sponsor: American Health Assistance Foundation

URL: <http://www.ahaf.org/research/apply/main.html>

Deadline(s): 10/19/2009

4) *Title: ASA Award*

Sponsor: American Society on Aging (ASA)

URL: http://www.asaging.org/asav2/awards/description_asa.cfm?submenu1=asa

Deadline(s): 10/15/2009

5) *Title: Hall of Fame Award*

Sponsor: American Society on Aging (ASA)

URL: http://www.asaging.org/asav2/awards/description_fame.cfm?submenu1=fame

Deadline(s): 10/15/2009

6) *Title: Gloria Cavanaugh Award for Excellence in Training and Education*

Sponsor: American Society on Aging (ASA)

URL: http://www.asaging.org/asav2/awards/description_gloria.cfm?submenu1=gloria

Deadline(s): 10/15/2009

7) *Title: Mental Health and Aging Network (MHAN) Award*

Sponsor: American Society on Aging (ASA)

URL: http://www.asaging.org/asav2/awards/description_mhan.cfm?submenu1=mhan

Deadline(s): 10/15/2009

8) *Title: Graduate Student Research Award*

Sponsor: American Society on Aging (ASA)

URL: http://www.asaging.org/asav2/awards/description_grad.cfm?submenu1=grad

Deadline(s): 10/15/2009

9) *Title: NOMA Award for Excellence in Multicultural Aging*

Sponsor: American Society on Aging (ASA)

URL: http://www.asaging.org/asav2/awards/description_noma.cfm?submenu1=noma

Deadline(s): 10/15/2009

10) *Title: Forum on Religion, Spirituality & Aging Award*

Sponsor: American Society on Aging (ASA)

URL: http://www.asaging.org/asav2/awards/description_forsa.cfm?submenu1=forsa

Deadline(s): 10/15/2009