



Division of Graduate Medical Sciences

Office of Postdoctoral Affairs

Monday, November 19, 2012



Happy Thanksgiving

*Upcoming Events:*

### **BU Takes Stage at Symphony Hall Tonight**

Orchestra, Chorus perform Orff's *Carmina Burana*. **Pick up your free tickets** from the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs for tonight's performance. We are located in the BU School of Medicine Instructional Bldg., 72 East Concord St., Room L-317. Ask for Yolanta



**Breathe Relax and Empower GMS Yoga** (next class: Monday, November 19th, don't forget to bring your own mat) **Tonight**

### **Career Advising with Lauren Celano (one more spot available 4:30-5:10 and 5:10 – 5:30 pm today)**

Looking for assistance as you go through your job search? If so, take advantage of GMS career development resources and support. Career Consultant, Lauren Celano will help you with resume and cover letter review, interviewing skills and mock interviews, negotiating a job offer, identifying career goals, networking tips, and more. Email [Yolanta@bu.edu](mailto:Yolanta@bu.edu) to schedule an appointment with Lauren  
**Book your appointment for Monday, November 19<sup>th</sup> beginning at 3:30 pm in Room L-317**

### **WEST Annual Career Possibilities and Speed Networking** (Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>)

### **Creating Your Individual Development Plan, Part I: Finding the Right Career Path for YOU** (Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>)

Don't miss this workshop, there are limited seats and we encourage postdocs to attend. Read the article: [myIDP: Interests](#)

### **Get out of Town! Strategies to Facilitate Professional Travel for Women in STEM MASS-AWIS Event** (Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>)

### **GWISE Professional Development Book Club** (Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>)

### **Science Shaping Our World-SHOW: Advances in Phenotypic Modeling and Therapeutics for Neurodegenerative Diseases Using iPS Cells** (Nov. 29)

### **New England Science Symposium** (Deadline to submit abstracts: Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>)

### **SAVE THE DATE FOR The Diverse Careers Panel Discussion** (Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>)



[Science Webinar: Validating Complex Biology: How Arrays Can Complement Your Next-Gen Data](#) (Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>)

[MASS-AWIS 2012 ANNUAL WINTER SOCIAL AND HOLIDAY PARTY](#) (Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>)

Fall 2012 Thematic Seminar Series Jointly Sponsored by The Department of Biochemistry & The Evans Center: [Guarding the Genome: Centromeres, Aneuploidy and Tumorigenesis](#) (Thursday, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>)

[Two-Day Strategic Grant Development Workshop](#) (To be held at: Tufts University Dec. 6 – 7)

---

***Job Opportunities:***

[Assistant Professor-Health and Health Sciences Health Promotion & Physical Education, Ithaca College, NY](#)

[Postdoctoral Research Fellow – Immunology, Merck – Boston, MA](#)

**Science Career Path**

---

***Funding Resources:***

[K-Kiosk – Information about NIH Career Development Awards](#)

[Massachusetts Life Sciences Center Cooperative Research Matching Grant Program](#)

[L'ORÉAL USA FELLOWSHIPS KEY FACTS AND APPLICATION INFORMATION](#)

[Research Funding Opportunities – Deadlines January 2013](#)

**Underrepresented Minority Postdoctoral Enrichment funding available**

**Funding Opportunities**

**Charles A. King Trust Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Program**

---

***E-Newsletters:***

[AAAS Advances \(Monthly Newsletter, Nov. 2012\)](#)

[Massachusetts Life Sciences Center Weekly Digest of Events \(11/13/2012\)](#)

[GreatMail on Sequestration's Impact on NIH and Other Items of Interest](#)

[National Postdoctoral Association Newsletter Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>](#)

[Propel Careers Newsletter](#)

---

***Articles Relevant for Postdocs:***

[Threat to Research Funding Prompts Outcry from Bay State University Presidents and Hospital Executives](#)

[The 10 Worst Communication Mistakes For Your Career](#)

[Tips for Writing a Resume in a Digital World](#)

[Taking the Office to Bed: Is Working 'Undercover' More Productive?](#)

[Must-Have Job Skills in 2013](#)

---

***BU Resources and Benefits:***

Dr. Franzblau and Dr. Traish would be happy to have postdocs take the courses they are teaching in the spring. If you are BU Employee, you may use your tuition remission for these courses:

[GMS MS 793 A1 Fundamentals of Medical Biotechnology](#)

[GMS MS 791 A1 Essential Readings in Translational Research](#)

**Faculty and Staff Assistance Office on the Medical Campus**

**ISSO Scholar Services**

**[Power Point Presentation from CTSI Seminar on the NIH Public Access Policy](#)**

**Things to do this weekend**



Best,  
Yolanta

**Yolanta M. Kovalko**  
*Postdoctoral Affairs  
BU School of Medicine  
Division of Graduate Medical Sciences*

72 East Concord Street, L-315, Boston, MA 02118 | [yolanta@bu.edu](mailto:yolanta@bu.edu) | T 617.638.5244 | F 617.638.5740