



Division of Graduate Medical Sciences

## **Office of Postdoctoral Affairs**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2012**

Today in History:

Feb 22, 1980: U.S. hockey team makes miracle on ice



Many exciting things are being planned by OPA for February and March. Don't miss any of them:

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### **Refining Your Resume For Industry**

This workshop is part of the OPA Speaker Series, **Thursday, February 23, 2012 from 3:00-5:00 pm, Room L-201/203 Registration Required (Email [Yolanta@bu.edu](mailto:Yolanta@bu.edu))** There is still room for few more postdocs.

In this program you will:

- Focus on industry formatting for resumes
- Learn best practices for cover letter preparation
- Learn about what companies look for in a resume and cover letter and what they value
- Learn how to best highlight your experience
- Learn why it is important to tailor your documents
- Tips on how to differentiate yourself with your resume and cover letter

## **New Postdocs, please join us at the OPA Postdoc Welcoming Reception and Orientation, Friday, Feb. 24 from 3:00 – 4:30 PM Room L-315**

The OPA Postdoc Welcoming Reception and Orientation is your guide to a successful BUMC experience. This event will highlight the most important things you need to know as you start your postdoctoral training at BUMC. Meet the Postdoctoral Affairs staff and other incoming and current postdocs. The OPA Postdoc Welcoming Reception and Orientation is not only useful and fun, it's highly recommended for all new postdocs. Welcoming Receptions and Orientations are held every six weeks at the Boston University School of Medicine, Division of Graduate Medical Science, 72 East Concord Street, Conference Room L-315.

### **Industry Exploration Program (IEP)**

**Exciting news! OPA along Brigham & Women's Hospital, Broad Institute, and MIT joined forces with the MGH Postdoc Association, and MassBioEd Foundation to expand the IEP**

OPA is offering an **Intellectual Property Training and Informational Session for the IEP on Friday, March 23, 2012**. This session is a prerequisite to the first IEP visit on Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup>. Mark your calendar if you are interested in participating in this program. The Intellectual Property Training will be offered one time only. If you miss the session, you will not be eligible to be part of the IEP visit on April 27<sup>th</sup>. Lunch will be served!

**OPA is developing a workshop for International Postdocs on Taxation, Wednesday, March 7 in the early afternoon (time TBA)**



We would like to hear from you about the type of issues you would like the guest tax attorney to cover at this workshop. Please email me ([Yolanta@bu.edu](mailto:Yolanta@bu.edu)) any suggestions. Here are few examples:

1. **Domestic US taxation**
2. **Business-related issues**
3. **Basic individual tax issues**
4. **Tax treaties**

## **Recent Employment Opportunities**

### **Job Links You Should Know!**



<http://sciencecareers.sciencemag.org/>

<http://jobs.phds.org/>

<http://www.the-scientist.com/careers/>

<http://www.newscientistjobs.com/jobs/default.aspx>

<http://www.newenglandherc.org/>

<http://www.biospace.com/>

<http://www.fiercebiotech.com/jobs>

<http://boston.craigslist.org/sci/>

<http://www.indeed.com/>

## **News from the AAMC**

### **National Postdoctoral Association Newsletter February 21, 2012**

### **Propel Careers Newsletter, February 20, 2012**

### **Health/care Disparities Research Program: Disparities Grand Rounds**

### **Top 30 Fastest-Growing Jobs by 2020**



### Things to do this weekend



Best,  
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