

July 30, 2019



LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

Welcome to the Department of Pediatrics' weekly email blast designed to deliver important department information straight to your inbox.

[Visit our website](#)

LSU Pediatrics Announcements

Michael Brumund Appointed Director of ACHC

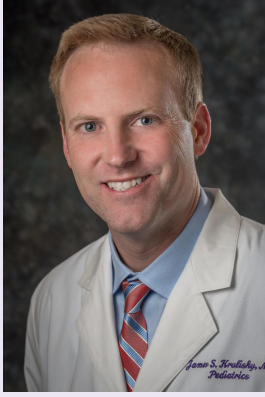


Dr. Michael Brumund has been appointed the Heart Center Director of Adult Congenital Heart Disease (ACHD). He will be assisted by Dr. Mallula. Both physicians are board-certified in ACHD. Dr. Brumund will be building a formal ACHD program for the purpose of improving care to this important population. This program will consist of many elements with specific emphasis on collaboration with our adult cardiology partners in the city, region and state; starting a network of outpatient clinics specializing in ACHD; and developing processes for ACHD cardiac catheterization and surgery. Finally, Drs. Brumund and Mallula will organize the effort, develop the guidelines and policies and establish the collaborations in order to obtain accreditation for the program.

Dr. Brumund has also been appointed the Heart Center Director of Outpatient Cardiology. In this role, he will organize efforts to fulfill Heart Center and Children's Hospital outreach initiatives. In addition, he will examine and work to improve current outpatient processes as they relate to patient satisfaction, patient flow, no-show, cancellations, billing and clinic efficiency.

Dr. James Krulisky has been appointed the Heart Center Director of Residency and Medical Student Education. As such, he will be responsible for developing the curriculum, ensuring educational opportunities for these learners and

monitoring the program's success.



The LSUHSC Department of Pediatrics School-Based Health Center (SBHC) team was present at the student orientation/open house for Living School-New Orleans (6003 Bullard Ave Suite 16, New Orleans, LA). Living School is a new charter school that began classes on July 24, 2019 in the New Orleans East area. The SBHC team under the direction of Dr. Ryan Pasternak will be providing primary and preventive care, along with school nurse services, to students on the campus of Living School.

Dr. Ryan Pasternak along with Colleen Bodet, FNP, Renette Jones, RN, Mary Pendleton (Data Coordinator) and Tabitha Washington (SBHC Coordinator), had the chance to meet parents, students, and faculty and discuss the benefits of having a LSUHSC Pediatrics on the school's campus. Gwendolyn Collins, RN is also a SBHC team member and will be working closely with Living School students and the outreach program for New Orleans East area schools. The SBHC team looks forward to a great school year and is very excited to begin a new partnership with Living School.



DEA SCAM CALLS

Please see the attached press release from the DEA. Physicians have been the target of scam calls from criminals posing as DEA personnel. When contacting practitioners the criminals may have NPI or State license numbers. Members of the general public have also been the target of similar scams. ([PDF](#))

Training Opportunity

Physician-Scientist Training Program - ([information](#))

Career Women Faculty Development Seminar

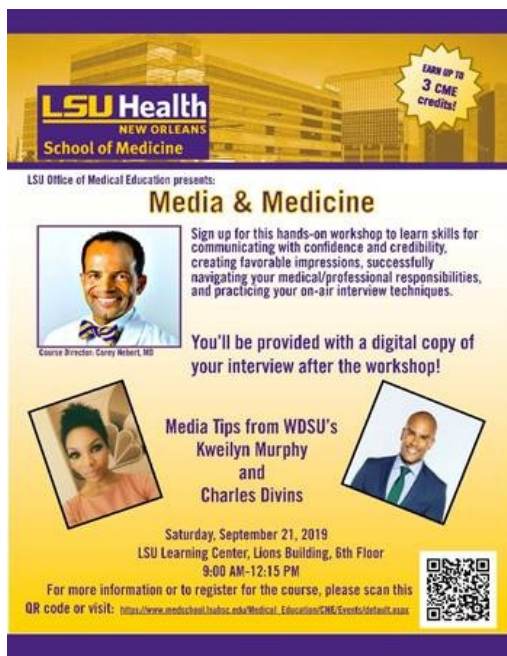
The Dean's Office will support up to three faculty to attend the AAMC Mid-Career Women Faculty Leadership Development Seminar, which will be in New Orleans December 7 - 10.

<https://www.aamc.org/members/leadership/catalog/323118/mid-careerwomenfacultyleadershipdevelopmentseminar.html>

The seminar is for women who have 8 – 15 years of experience on the faculty, are at the rank of Associate Professor, and are looking to advance their careers in academic medicine. Candidates must apply and the application process begins in early August. If you have a faculty member that is eligible and interested in attending, please do the following:

1. Have the faculty member write a brief explanation of their goals in academic medicine. They should also briefly explain how their attendance at this conference will benefit the school of medicine. See the attached PDF form.
2. Send an email to me **by August 2, 2019** confirming that, if selected, the faculty member will be able to attend the conference December 7 – 10. [Attach the completed PDF form.](#)

The Dean's office will review the applications and let you know which candidates we will support by August 6th so selected candidates can apply to the AAMC.



The flyer is for a "Media & Medicine" course. At the top left is the LSU Health New Orleans School of Medicine logo. A starburst graphic says "EARN UP TO 3 CME credits!". Below the logo, it says "LSU Office of Medical Education presents: Media & Medicine". A photo of Dr. Corey Hebert is shown with the text: "Sign up for this hands-on workshop to learn skills for communicating with confidence and credibility, creating favorable impressions, successfully navigating your medical/professional responsibilities, and practicing your on-air interview techniques." Below this, it says "You'll be provided with a digital copy of your interview after the workshop!". Two other photos are shown: one of Kweilyn Murphy and Charles Divins with the text "Media Tips from WDSU's Kweilyn Murphy and Charles Divins". At the bottom, it says "Saturday, September 21, 2019, LSU Learning Center, Lions Building, 6th Floor, 9:00 AM-12:15 PM". A QR code is at the bottom right with the text "For more information or to register for the course, please scan this QR code or visit: https://www.medschool.lsuhsoc.edu/Medical_Education/CME/Events/default.aspx".

Media & Medicine Course

The Media & Medicine course will be offered again on **Saturday, September 21 from 9:00 AM – 12:15 PM** on the 6th floor of the Lions Building. Dr. Corey Hebert offers this half-day workshop to LSU School of Medicine faculty to develop or improve on-air interview skills.

Registration is limited to 12. There is no registration fee but pre-registration is required.

For more information and to register, visit:

https://www.medschool.lsuhsoc.edu/Medical_Education/CME/Events/default.aspx

Medical Student Research Committee

Would you like to help LSUHSC advance its name in the research realm? A new medical student group on campus called the Medical Student Research Committee is working to do so, but we need your help. One of our main goals is to provide a centralized source of potential research projects proposed by faculty here at LSUHSC and a list of all the researchers who have worked with medical students before. We are working with Dr. Gregory, the Assistant Dean of Medical Student Research.

How can you help?

- We are building a list of all faculty researchers who are involved with medical

students. It simply lists your name, specialty, research interests, and email to allow students to contact you if they are looking for a research project or have a project that they think you may like. Add your name to the researcher form below if you want to be listed. If you have colleagues who do research with medical students, please forward this to them and tell them to fill out the researcher form below. The database is private and only accessible by LSUHSC medical students who are members of our organization.

- Secondly, we have created a project submission form for researchers who have an idea for a project and want a medical student to work on it. All submitted ideas will be forwarded to the members of our organization so that they can contact you. We have a website to begin collecting projects ideas from faculty (link below) and were wondering if you could forward/disseminate this to your colleagues that take part in research.
- Lastly, please spread the word of our organization throughout your department.

Our website: www.lsuhs-msrc.com

Projection Submission: <https://www.lsuhs-msrc.com/projectssubmission>

Researcher List Submission: <https://www.lsuhs-msrc.com/researcher-submission>

Welcome 3rd Year Students and Visiting Acting Interns

Download the new Department Composites for the new academic year! ([Faculty](#), [Fellows](#), [Residents](#)).

Faculty Development - Quick Bedside Tips

Want to get the most out of bedside rounds? In only 2 minutes learn about some Dos and Don'ts of Bedside teaching in this video. Let's kick off our academic year with renewed dedication to excellence in medical education.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iiqB-eQcbT8>

For questions or comments regarding Faculty Development, please contact [Amy Prudhomme](#), [Jessica Patrick-Esteve](#) or [Amy Creel](#).

CHNOLA Announcements

Campus Transformation Steering Committee Presentation ([PDF](#))

Campus Transformation Update ([Information](#))

ID Badge Security Update ([faculty information](#)) ([trainee information](#)) ([General information](#))

Medical Staff Newsletter ([link](#))

Latest edition of CHNOLA Employee E-News ([link](#))

Free Tickets to a Baby Cakes Game ([Flyer](#))

Upcoming Events

**Mark your calendars for the first Grand Rounds
of the 2019-2020 academic year!**

Bariatric Surgery in the Pediatric Population

Peter Lundberg, MD

Department of Surgery, Children's Hospital

Wednesday, August 7, 2019

8:00am - 9:00am

CHNOLA Conference Center

8/9/19 - Baby Cakes Game

8/15/19 - Sleep Well Be Well Workshop ([Information](#))

8/16 - 8/18/19 - Crescent City Potpourri ([Information](#))

9/21 - Medicine & Media

12/7-12/10/19 - AAMC Mid-Career Women Faculty Leadership Development Seminar

Department Wellness

Bootcamp Class: Children's is offering FREE bootcamp classes on Tuesday evenings from 5:30-6:30 p.m. outside the Conference Center. Class is open to all Children's employees and members of the medical staff. This one-hour interval training bootcamp is for all skill levels. No experience is necessary. You will gain confidence in your abilities and increase your capacities for stamina, strength, flexibility, and balance. Please bring a water bottle with you to class.

Weekly Walk in Audubon Park - Another weekly opportunity for exercise and fellowship with your colleagues is Walk with the Execs. Every Wednesday, you can meet members of our executive team in the Lauricella Pavilion at 5:30 pm for a walk to and through Audubon Park. We hope to see you next week!

Department Anniversaries

The following employees celebrate another year with the department this month.
Thank you for your continued service to LSU Pediatrics!

Raghubir Mangat, 36 years

Joy Osofsky, 33 years

Aluizio Stopa, 33 years

Lolie Yu, 31 years

Susan Berry, 29 years

Brian Barkemeyer, 28 years

Staci Olister, 28 years

Dana Rivera, 28 years

Betty Lo, 27 years

Bonnie Desselle, 24 years

Suzanne Lefevre, 24 years

Michael Lan, 22 years
Michael Marble, 20 years
Jay Hescoock, 19 years
Ricardo Gomez, 16 years
Ryan Pasternak, 14 years
Ken Paris, 13 years
Amy Creel, 11 years
Ernest Siwik, 10 years
Janet Rossi, 10 years
Brent Keith, 9 years
Jeffrey Surcouf, 9 years
Dania Felipe, 7 years
Raegan Gupta, 7 years
William Morgan, 6 years
Chelsey Sandlin, 6 years
Luke Wall, 6 years
Marcella Houser, 5 years
Dana LeBlanc, 4 years
Amy Prudhomme, 4 years
Anna McFarlin, 4 years
Kyle Fulton, 3 years
Amanda Messer, 2 years
Michelle Knecht, 1 year
Zach LeBlanc, 1 year
Shannon Palombo, 1 year

Looking for old newsletters?

A *Tuesday Tidbits* archive has been added to the department's website. ([link](#))

Submit information to the next Tuesday Tidbits

Department of Pediatrics | LSUHSC