EVENTS  (UNIVERSITY CAMPUS, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED)

FACULTY COUNCIL MEETING
Thursday, September 7 | Hiatt Auditorium, S1-608 | 4:00pm
Agenda: Standing reports by the Chancellor, Dean & Provost and Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs;
Standing Committee Reports: Library & Learning Committee
New Business: Future of the Library
Old Business: VOTE on the Academic Personnel Policy Revision

CONVOCATION WEEK
Monday, September 11
GSN PINNING CEREMONY | 6:00 pm | Faculty Conference Room
Reception to follow

Wednesday, September 13
CONVOCATION AND INVESTITURE | 4:00pm | Albert Sherman Center Auditorium
Reception following | The Cube
INVESTITURE DINNER | 6:30pm | Faculty Conference Room
By invitation

Thursday, September 14
GSBS RECOGNITION CEREMONY | 3:00pm | Albert Sherman Center Auditorium
Reception following | The Cube

Friday, September 15
WHITE COAT CEREMONY | 2:00pm | Albert Sherman Center 1st Floor Multi-Purpose Room
Reception following | Albert Sherman Center Patio

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
Thursday, September 14 | Amphitheater I, S2-102 | 9:00 to 10:30am
Agenda: Personnel Action Committee recommendations for June, July, August & September; Non-Voting Membership;
VOTE on the Academic Personnel Policy Revision; Five-Year Financial Overview

LAMAR SOUTTER LIBRARY SKILLS SERIES: FINDING AND EVALUATING JOURNALS
Friday, September 15 | Library Computer Classroom | 12:00n - 1:00pm
Sponsor: Lamar Soutter Library
Join us in the library for these one-hour, practical, lunchtime sessions on navigating the scholarly publishing and
communication landscape! This series will take place every third Friday throughout the fall term from noon to 1 PM in the
Library’s computer classroom, beginning on September 15. Faculty and students are welcome to any or all sessions!

NEW FACULTY ORIENTATION
Tuesday, September 26 | Room S2-351 | 7:45am-11:30am
Sponsor: Office of Faculty Affairs
The purpose of this orientation is to present new faculty at all levels with an overview of the institution, toward assisting
faculty in beginning a successful career at the University of Massachusetts Medical School. It will provide an opportunity to
hear from institutional leaders on topics that will help you succeed in your career at UMMS. Register
EQUITY + INCLUSION IN HEALTHCARE
Friday/Saturday October 27-28 | Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN | 7:00am – 4:15pm
Sponsor: Mayo Clinic School of continuous Professional Development
This conference is for those interested in advancing health equity and diversity and inclusion in health care, including physicians, nurses, and other health care providers, social workers, HR professionals, talent acquisition and development professionals, supervisors, hospital leadership and administrators, and diversity and inclusion practitioners. In addition to CME/CEU credits, we are offering HR credits via SHRM and HRCI. More information

ANNOUNCEMENTS

“MEDICINAL FLORA OF MASSACHUSETTS” AN EXHIBIT, BY TESS GRYNOCH
August 1-September 30 | Library, First Floor
Sponsor: UMMS Lamar Soutter Library
The Lamar Soutter Library presents “Medicinal Flora of Massachusetts” curated by Tess Grynoch. The exhibit will feature medicinal plants found throughout the state, highlighting both their historical and modern uses as herbal remedies along with their sometimes deadly side effects. Information

REGISTRATION OPEN: 22nd ANNUAL RESEARCH RETREAT
Monday/Tuesday October 30-31 | University of Massachusetts Amherst Conference Center, Amherst MA
Sponsor: Office of Research
Direct questions to Angela DiTerlizzi or call 508.856.1572. Register

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

TEACHING OF TOMORROW (TOT) – Enhancing Clinical Teaching Skills Through Discourse and Practice
4-Day Course to be held on: November 17-18, 2017 and March 9-10, 2018
Sponsor: Clinical Faculty Development Center
Teaching of Tomorrow (TOT) is a nationally recognized and highly acclaimed faculty development program for preceptors of medical students and residents. First offered in 1994, this program is presented by UMass faculty from the departments of Family Medicine, Internal Medicine and Pediatrics; over 1,500 clinical faculty and preceptors throughout the Northeast and beyond have participated. The course is designed for clinicians (MDs/DOs/BHPs/PAs/NPs) from any specialty—anyone who is interested in refining their clinical teaching skills and networking with other clinician educators. CME credits are available. Registration and information
Deadline to apply: September 23

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