



SHIFTING DULLNESS

DAVISON SOCIETY NEWSLETTER
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Special-For Y'all

ISSUES IN HEALTH CARE - AN INVITATION

The Law Forum at Duke Law School would like to invite all of the medical students to a debate on Issues in Health Care, Thursday, October 7 at 4:00 pm in the Moot Court Room (second floor) at the Law School. Dr. William Anlyan will present the issues as the medical profession views them, followed by Professor Clark Havinghurst of the Law School on behalf of the consumer's views. To summarize and put to program in current political and legislative perspective, Representative Richardson Preyer will be down from Washington, D.C.

DAVISON SOCIETY POLICY ON DUES FOR CANDIDATES IN JOINT DEGREE PROGRAMS

The policy for billing candidates in Joint Degree Programs (MD-PhD, MD-JD, MD-MPH) has been enforced this year. These students have benefited and do benefit from holding elected and appointed offices (officers of Davison Society, Curriculum Committees, Search Committees for Department Chairmen) and from the social and service activities of Davison Society (Edgemont, Medical Letter, Sex Ed, Shifting Dullness, etc.) The members of the Davison Council have passed a resolution to bill these students throughout their time in the programs. As to representation, all members of joint degree programs are regarded as third year students until they take 4th year clinical electives.

STUDENT-FACULTY TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The annual Student-Faculty tennis tournament is scheduled for October 24. For further information see your mail box or Ben Carey (Box 2728), Davison Council Social-Vice President.

STUDENTS INTERESTED IN COMMUNITY PRACTICE

The Forum for Primary Care is an organization of students interested in exploring the practice of medicine at the grass-roots level, in the primary care specialties of general internal medicine, general pediatrics, and family practice. The Forum hosts a monthly seminar series; the next one will be entitled "The Counselling Relationship in Practice", and will be on October 19 (see future Shifting Dullness for time and location). The Forum also sponsors an annual two-day Spring Conference, and publishes a newsletter, First Contact. If you would like to receive First Contact or contribute your opinions and observations, please write to Bill Griffin, DUMC Box 2760.

class notes

FIRST YEAR CLASS

Elections for Class Officers

There are to be 5 representatives elected to the Davison Society Council (the one with the most votes will be president of your class), 2 representatives elected to the first year curriculum committee (one with the most votes will also attend MEPAC), and 1 representative elected to the second year curriculum committee. Those energetic people who are interested in any of these positions, please write your name and the office to which you seek election on some paper, and mail it to the Davison Society, Box 2889 DUMC. All intentions to run must be submitted by noon, Friday, October 8. Elections will be held next week.

Anatomy Minemonics Booklets

Anatomy Minemonics Booklet available in Marilyn's office for those wishing to receive a free copy. Room 136 Davison.

contest

THE LUCE SCHOLARSHIP

This program is open to potential American leaders who are not and do not plan to become Asian or international relations specialists who wish to spend twelve months studying, traveling, and working in East Asia. The amount of each award is \$9,000 plus \$2,000 for a wife or husband accompanying the Scholar. Air transportation is provided.

Successful candidates will not receive academic credit for their work. They will rather be given "a concentrated exposure to a specific Asian environment within the context of their professional interests and abilities." Individual programs will be worked out by the Foundation in consultation with the candidates; they will center on a form on internship or work-study arrangement. Further information and applications are available in 07 Allen Building, from the Director of International Studies. The deadline is November 1.

residencies

The following residency and internship information has been added to the file in the Davison Society office. It is available for review from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays in room 603, Davison.

Internal Medicine

University of North Dakota School of Medicine
University of Missouri
University of Connecticut Health Center-Mt. Sinai Hospital, Hartford
Montefiore Hospital and Medical Center - Einstein College of Medicine

Psychiatry

University of Connecticut School of Medicine

General

Saint Elizabeth Hospital Youngstown, Ohio

smile awhile

Man: "\$50.00 just for unclogging a drain? You plumbers make more than brain surgeons!"

Plumber: "I know... I used to be one."