

Spring 2019 - Issue #5

GUESS WHAT? **REDUCED TUITION** FOR SUMMER INTERNSHIP COURSES!

YES, YOU READ THAT CORRECTLY. ON ALL CAS 297, 397, 497 AND 597 COURSES!

1/3 the rate of regular tuition

Contact Elizabeth Jones for more information at jonesel@up.edu.

On Campus Highlights

Check them out below!

UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND UNDERREPRESENTED MINORITY PRE-HEALTH WORKSHOP

PRE-HEALTH 101

MONDAY MARCH 25 | 6:00PM
BUCKLEY CENTER AUD
PIZZA PROVIDED

Come and ask the Pre-Health Advisors ANYTHING! Have a question you just haven't been able to get answered about being a pre-health student? Come join us to dive deeper into what it means to be pre-health!

NEW COURSE OFFERING FOR FALL 2019! JUNIOR AND SENIOR PRE-MED STUDENTS CHECK IT OUT!

CAS 391: PREPARING FOR MEDICAL SCHOOL

ARE YOU PLANNING TO APPLY TO MEDICAL SCHOOL THIS YEAR?

This course is a comprehensive overview of the medical school application process. It is designed for Junior and Senior level students who have made a well-informed decision to pursue medical school and a career as a physician. During the course students will gain resources and information covering the many parts involved with preparing and applying to medical school. Upon completion, students should be well situated to position themselves for the best application possible for acceptance into medical school.

1 Credit : Graded Pass/No Pass
Monday 5pm - 6:10pm

Questions?
Becca Henley or Kyle Flann
healthprofessions@up.edu

Shiley School of Engineering presents: GUEST SPEAKER ALBERT CHI, MD, FACS

Dr. Albert Chi is the leader of the TMR (Targeted Muscle Reinnervation) program at OHSU. This surgery connects existing nerves allowing people with upper-arm amputations to control their prosthetic devices with their mind.

Dr. Chi joins us to discuss his background and experiences as he works to build the TMR program here in Portland.

Time will be allotted for questions/answers.



Dr. Chi in the media:

THURSDAY APRIL 4, 2019
6 PM - 7 PM
CHILES CENTER, HALL OF FAME ROOM

UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND'S 2ND ANNUAL HEALTH PROFESSIONS FAIR

Medicine, Dentistry, Physical Therapy and More!

APRIL 24TH, 2019
6PM-8PM
BAUCCIO COMMONS

Bringing together representatives from over 40 professional health professions across the US to network and connect with pre-health students here on campus!

Questions? Contact Becca Henley or Kyle Flann
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DROP-IN HOURS @ BUCKLEY CENTER

CAREER CENTER DROP-INS Tuesdays | 10am-12pm | BC 204

INTERNSHIP ADVISING WITH ELIZABETH JONES Thursdays | 10am-12pm | BC 216

Are you Taking an Entrance Exam or Interviewing This Year?!

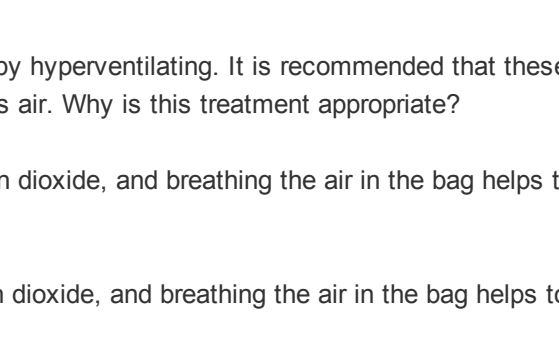
MCAT? DAT? GRE? PCAT? OAT?

If you are taking any entrance exam or interviewing at a professional program in the next year please come and write your name on the calendar in Becca's Office (Buckley Center 216) once you register for the exam or have your interview date!

We want to cheer you on as you study and help you find other people who are working towards the same goals to connect with this year. We also want to celebrate with you when you're done - and we don't know when you're taking these tests or interviewing unless you let us know!

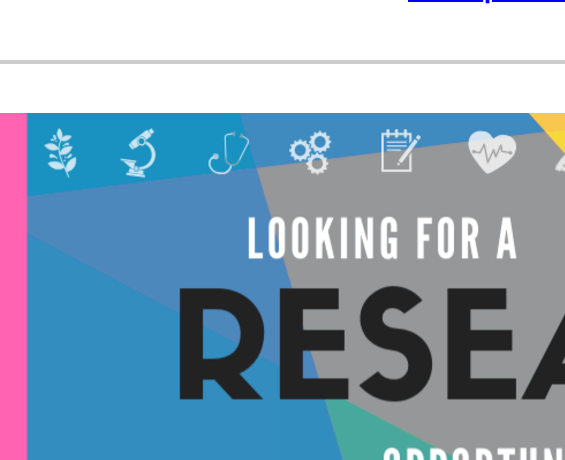
Off Campus Highlights

- Camp Promise-West is recruiting [summer volunteers](#) for their one week-overnight camp for kids, teens and adults with muscular dystrophy. Expires 5.13.19
- [RFPC Intern](#) at Richard H. Fine People's Clinic Expires 3.31.19



- [Biological Sciences Teaching Assistants](#) (Residential Summer Employment) at Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth (Summer Programs). Expires 7.21.19
- [Chemistry Teaching Assistants](#) (Summer Employment) at Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth (Summer Programs). Expires 7.21.19.
- [Summer Clinical Intern](#) South Asian Heart Center - El Camino Hospital (expires 6.3.19)

- Casa de Esperanza in Houston, TX is looking for [Hands of Hope Interns](#) to provide residential care to children birth through six who in crisis due to abuse, neglect or the effects of HIV.
- OHSU's annual [Dive into Dentistry](#) program for pre-dental students will be held 4.12.19 & 4.13.19 - [more information can be found here.](#)



Today in the Know

Professional health programs will expect you to stay up to date with what is going on in the larger healthcare world.

Check out this week's "In the Know" article about [the link between gum disease and other health issues](#)

Test Prep Question of the Day

Today's Question comes from the MCAT:

Some people with anxiety disorders respond to stress by hyperventilating. It is recommended that these people breathe into a paper bag and then re-breathe this air. Why is this treatment appropriate?

- Hyperventilation causes an increase in blood carbon dioxide, and breathing the air in the bag helps to readjust blood levels of carbon dioxide.
- Hyperventilation causes a decrease in blood carbon dioxide, and breathing the air in the bag helps to readjust blood levels of carbon dioxide.
- Hyperventilation causes an increase in blood oxygen, and breathing the air in the bag helps to readjust blood levels of oxygen.
- Hyperventilation causes a decrease in blood oxygen, and breathing the air in the bag helps to readjust blood levels of oxygen.

Questions? Concerns? Need an Advising Appointment? Contact Us!

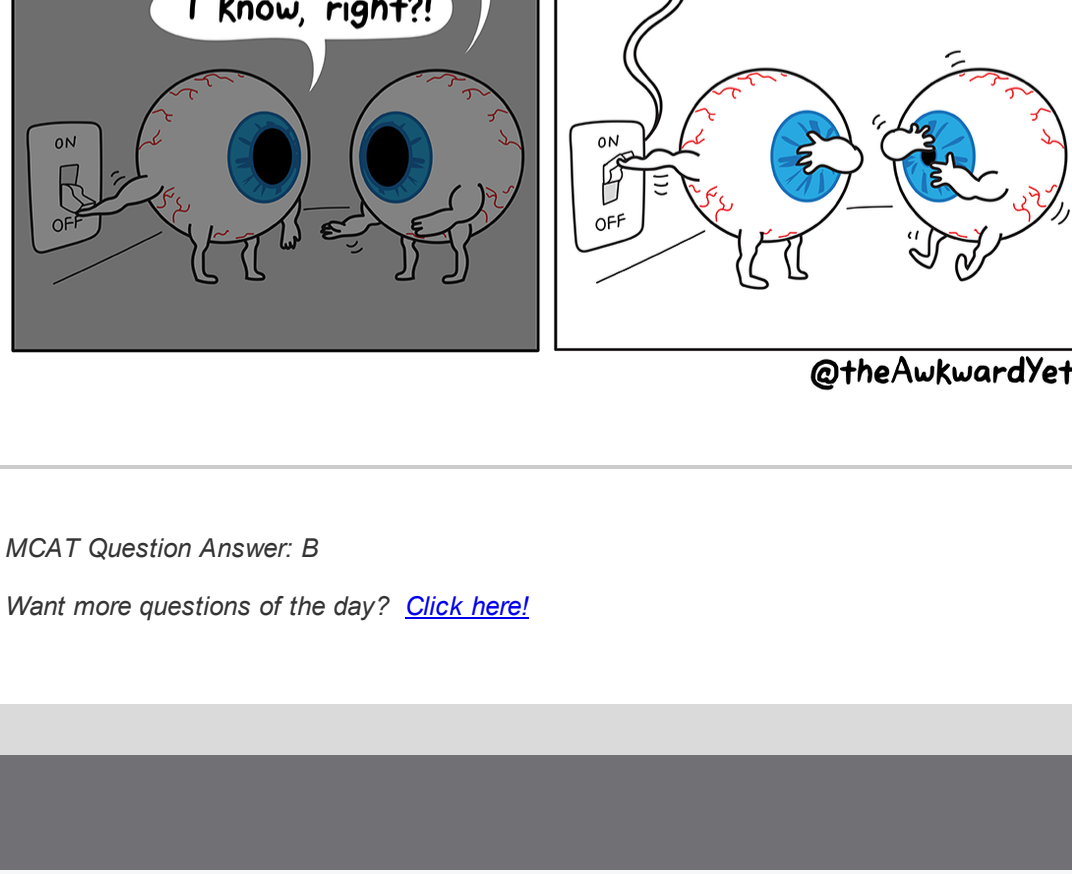
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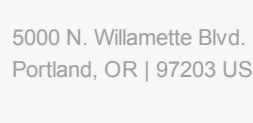
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MCAT Question Answer: B

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