

OCTOBER 2014

the IBA NEWSLETTER

A resource for upcoming conference deadlines, social events, workshops, general information pertinent to your field, program reminders and other relevant activities.

UPCOMING IBA EVENTS

IBA Scholar Symposium November 17 7:00-9:00pm 101 BBE	FURF Registration Deadline! November 19 Register soon!	Fall Undergraduate Research Festival (FURF) December 3 4:30-6:30pm 2nd Floor Atrium UCC (Old Capitol Mall)	IBA Graduation/ Holiday Party December 7 6:00-7:00pm Details to come
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Halloween Creepy Density Jar



Get a jar and feel it with liquid of different density!

Pour each liquid into the glass slowly starting with the syrup, then the honey, followed by the water with added food colouring and finally the vegetable oil. You can try with any other liquids around the house!

Drop a few small items in and see which layer they float on. You can see below that we have a plastic bug floating on the top, a LEGO brick floating on the water.

The plastic bug and the red colour really gives out the creepiness!



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Opportunities

Institute for Strategic Enhancement of Educational Diversity (iSEED)

University of Buffalo Graduate Scholars Program

Graduate students participating in iSEED will have the opportunity to accelerate their graduate careers by participating in events designed to enhance their graduate school experience, and providing tools that would make them an ideal candidate for prestigious and competitive postdoctoral, faculty, and leadership positions in science.

Learn more about iSEED Graduate Programs:

<http://www.buffalo.edu/iseed/phd-students.html>

Emory University Graduate School STEM Research and Career Symposium

March 25-27, 2015

(Application Deadline: Jan. 15)

Open to students interested in a PhD or MD/PhD, PREP, or Postdoctoral Fellow

Apply here:

<https://www.applyweb.com/emoryapp/>

More info:

www.gsemory.edu/STEM

Center for International Rural and Environmental Health (CIREH) Minority Health and Health Disparities International Research and Training (MHIRT)

Summer Internship 2015

Information Session:

November 14

10-11am in C303 CPHB

For program information visit:

<http://www.public-health.uiowa.edu/cireh/mhirt/index.php>

For more information contact Kristina Venzke at 335-4135 or kirstina-venzke@uiowa.edu

Undergraduate Certificate in Clinical and Translational Science

Experience the thrill of translating biomedical discovery into practice!

Eligible students must have:

- 45 semester hours completed
- 3.0 GPA or higher
- Currently conducting lab research
- BIOL:1411 and MATH:1460

<http://www.icts.uiowa.edu/content/ccts>



Seminars and Conferences of Interest

Hawkeye Undergraduate Research Association

<http://iowahura.wix.com/research>

Nov. 5 @ 7pm: Dr. Blaise Boles, Assistant Professor of Microbiology

For seminars specific to your areas of interests, please see:

Biology:

<http://www.biology.uiowa.edu/seminars.php>

Physics:

<http://www.physics.uiowa.edu/resources/events/calendar>

Institute for Clinical and Translational Science:

<http://icts.uiowa.edu/calendar-month>

Psychology:

<http://www.psychology.uiowa.edu/resources/events>

Biochemistry:

<http://www.medicine.uiowa.edu/biochemistry/seminars/>

Microbiology:

<http://www.medicine.uiowa.edu/microbiology/events/>

Chemistry:

<http://www.chem.uiowa.edu/news/colloquium-seminar-schedule>

FALL UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FESTIVAL (FURF)

Wednesday, December 3

(Registration deadline: November 19)

Register here:

<http://www.uiowa.edu/icru/article/register-present-furf-or-surf>

More info: <http://www.uiowa.edu/icru/article/bi-annual-undergraduate-research-festivals>

ASSOCIATION OF MULTICULTURAL SCIENTISTS (AMS) Fall 2014 Coffee Breaks

(coffee & tea provided)

- Come and go as you please while enjoying coffee and fellowship
- Meet new people, build community and connections, enjoy a midday pick-me-up, and learn about what's happening around campus and Iowa City

November 19th

12:00-1:50pm

Bowen Science Building 2-501

iowaams@uiowa.edu

Medicine.uiowa.edu/ams

IBA/CDE STEM Diversity Networking



Get involved in the community!

Career Leadership Academy

The Career Leadership Academy is an exciting opportunity for YOU to develop your leadership and professional skills – those same skills that employers have told us they’re looking for in new employees.

The program is comprised of 4 academic credit-bearing courses called “phases” that focus on developing the leadership skills you already have and discovering the ones you’ll need to be successful after graduation. Each phase of the program is filled with seminars, activities, and events designed to give you an edge as a leader in whatever career field you choose.

For more information, visit: <http://www.careers.uiowa.edu/leadershipacademy/>



The nonprofit sector in our community is rich and diverse. There are organizations both on and off campus that fill every niche, including health and human services, arts and humanities, human rights, environmental causes, agriculture, social justice, animal welfare, public policy and more.

For more information, go to

<http://www.careers.uiowa.edu/cblp/opportunities.html>

Agape Café helps the homeless and hungry in Iowa City by providing them with a hot, delicious breakfast every Wednesday morning. [See more about the Agape Café’s mission here.](#) Laura Waldo-Semken, the volunteer coordinator for Agape Café has alerted us to an immediate need for committed volunteers. Interested persons should contact Laura at 319-626-2055 (preferred) or 319-351-2211 (work- good for leaving messages) or email her at: laurasemken@gmail.com.

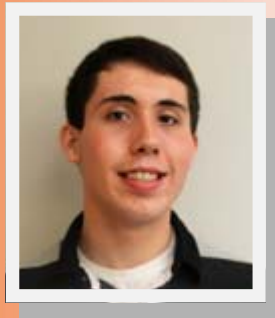
Volunteers needed for the Walk to End Alzheimer's The Alzheimer's Association is currently seeking volunteers to assist with day-of-event duties at the Iowa City [Walk to End Alzheimer's](#).



**IBA is on
Facebook!**



Happy Birthday!



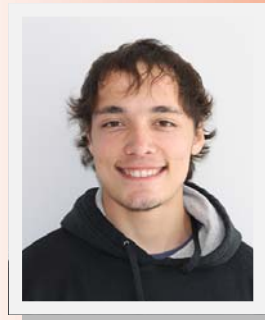
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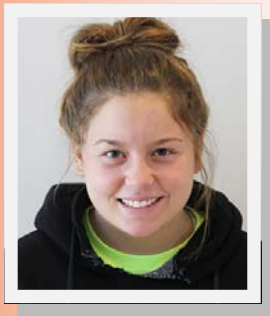
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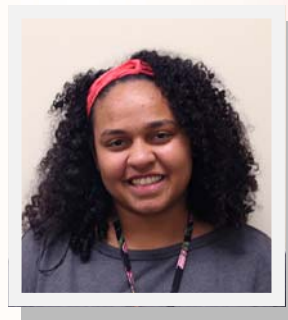
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