Please see this week’s announcements from the Johns Hopkins Medicine, Office of Diversity and Inclusion.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMINDER: JHM Office of Diversity & Inclusion Achiever’s Award Nominations
We are pleased to announce a new Achievers Award Program to recognize and highlight underrepresented minorities who exemplify excellence and exhibit our Johns Hopkins core values. Award recipients from across Johns Hopkins Medicine will be recognized during their respective heritage and history months, beginning with Black History Month in February 2020. Please take a moment to nominate a deserving colleague for the first set of awards during Black History Month. The nomination period will close on Jan. 3, 2020.

REMINDER: HIV Research Grant for African-American and Latino/a Medical Students - RAMP Application 2020-2021 Now Live! -- DEADLINE: January 6, 2020
The HIV Vaccine Trials Network, in collaboration with the National Institute of Mental Health, the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, is investing in a young generation of HIV prevention researchers by providing African-American and Latinx medical students with opportunities to conduct independent research while receiving mentoring, project and salary funding, training, and professional development opportunities. The complete Request for Applications can be found at http://www.hvtn.org/ramp

REMINDER: Clinical Excellence Promotion Track Criteria Package And Process
The Office of Faculty and the Chairs of the Clinical Excellence Promotion Committee are hosting a general information session on Wednesday, January 8, 4:00-5:30 pm in the Chevy Chase Auditorium (Zayed 2119A) open to all faculty interested in learning more about promotion on the new Clinical Excellence track. In addition, the Chairs of the Clinical Excellence Promotion Committee and representatives of the Office of Faculty will be meeting with all Departmental Promotions Committees over the next two months to further clarify the promotions process on the new track and to answer any questions that arise. Thank you, Janice Clements, PhD

REMINDER: Stetler Research Award announcement 2020 – due January 15, 2020
Applicants should be females who are senior fellows or fellows transitioning to faculty (Instructor only, no Assistant Professors or above) and should have commitment to spend the year of the award with 75% effort dedicated to research activities. Details on qualifications can be found in the attachment. This year we will be utilizing an online platform to enter application information. Do NOT send your applications to us via email. Email nputchal@jhmi.edu no later than 5 pm on Friday, January 10th to obtain a web link for online application submission. Submit applications using this web link by 5 pm EST on Wednesday, January 15th. Funding decisions will be made on or before February 28th, 2020
Implicit Bias Grand Rounds - February 6, 2020
Dr. Arghavan Salles from Stanford University, Founding Member of TIME’S UP Healthcare, is the Visiting Professor on Thursday, February 6, 2020. She will be presenting Multidisciplinary Grand Rounds - “Implicit Biases and the Games They Play”. All School of Medicine faculty and staff are invited to attend, so please mark your calendar! If you have any questions please don’t hesitate to reach out to Sapna R. Kudchadkar, MD, PhD: sapna@jhmi.edu

Distinguished Teaching Society (DTS) Award
The Distinguished Teaching Society (DTS) is a program that recognizes residents/faculty who demonstrate excellence in clinical teaching. We ask medical students to nominate residents and attendings that they have worked with on the wards and thought were exceptional educators (forms here: https://dts.johnshopkins.edu/ nominations close early February 2020).

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