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NEWS

Med Student Lounge Completely Reinvigorated



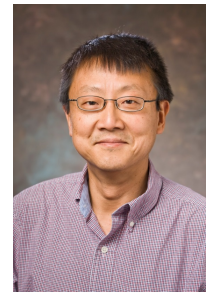
The newly refurbished student lounge in the Basic Sciences Building is a welcome retreat for study-weary students. The renovated area is filled with natural sunlight from a newly installed skylight and features hardwood floors, new couches and a flat screen television, seating areas for studying and socializing, and a small kitchenette area with hot and cold filtered water and a coffee bar. A pool table, ping pong table and piano round out the recreational space. "The new lounge area is functional and comfortable," said Gladys M. Ayala, M.D., M.P.H., vice chancellor of university student affairs, senior associate dean for student affairs, School of Medicine. "I think

HIGHLIGHTS

28th Annual Graduate Student Research Forum

"The Role of the BRCA2-DSS1 Complex in DNA Break Repair"

Tuesday, March 15
MEC Lobby
Chouake Auditorium
Nevins Auditorium



Patrick Sung, Ph.D.
Professor of Molecular, Biophysics and Biochemistry and of Therapeutic Radiology
Yale University School of Medicine

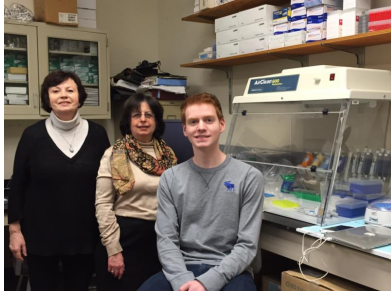
Medical Education Grand Rounds

"Financing Medical Education: Whose Dime Is It?"

Tuesday, March 15
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

students who frequent it will appreciate the space as a place to unwind and rejuvenate." The lounge is open 24/7 to medical students and is accessible with a valid student ID card.

ACCOLADES



Matthew Forman, a high school student from Ossining High School, was selected as one of the 12 finalists for the 2016 Neuroscience Research Prize from the American Academy of Neuroscience. He was mentored over the summer by **Esther L. Sabban, Ph.D.**, center, professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, and **Lidia Serova, Ph.D.**, left, research associate professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, on "Intranasal Administration of Neuropeptide Y and Y1 Agonist Prevents the Development of PTSD-like Symptoms." In addition he presented a poster of the research at a Junior Science and Humanities Symposia research competition and

scored first among of all of the student presentations.

Paul Morris, human resources assistant, presented "I Have Autism and Am Proud of It: What is Your Superpower?" on February 27 at the Klingenstein Third Generation Foundation 2016 Medical Student Conference at the Yale School of Medicine Child Study Center.



IN THE NEWS

New York Medical College Leadership News:

[Call PEHSUs for Questions on Pediatric Environmental Health Issues](#)

AAP News - 2/11/2016

Robert W. Amler, M.D., M.B.A., dean of School of Health Sciences and Practice and vice president for government affairs

Faculty News:

[Series: Pleasantville STRONG, Episode: Teenage Alcohol and Marijuana Use](#)

Pleasantville Community Television - 2/24/2016

Marcia J. Nackenson, M.D., clinical associate professor of pediatrics

[Human Babies from CRISPR Pigs](#)

Huffington Post - 2/29/2016

Stuart A. Newman, Ph.D., professor of cell biology and anatomy

[Gene Drive: Possible Solution for Zika Virus?](#)

TBL The Bottom Line - 2/17/2016

Stuart A. Newman, Ph.D., professor of cell biology and anatomy

Affiliate News:

[Westchester Medical Center plans \\$230M expansion](#)

Westchester County Business Journal - 3/3/2016

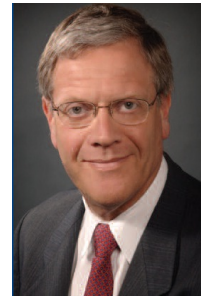
Westchester Medical Center

[County LCD Approves Funding for Westchester Med Center Expansion](#)

The Examiner - 3/3/2016

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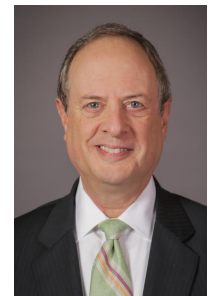
19 Skyline Drive
Annex Boardroom



Fredrick Z. Bierman, M.D.
Senior Associate Dean and
Professor of Pediatrics
Director, Graduate Medical
Education
Westchester Medical Center

Town Hall Meeting for TouroOne Student System

Wednesday, March 16
12:00 p.m.
Nevens Auditorium



David Raab
Executive Vice President
Touro College and University
System

and
Matthew Bonilla
Vice President of Student
Administrative Service
Touro College and University
System

School of Medicine

Match Day



Friday, March 18
11:30 a.m.

59th Annual AOA Visiting Professor Lecture

[Med Center proposes \\$230M Ambulatory Care Pavilion](#)

The Journal News - 3/2/2016
Westchester Medical Center

[Westchester's Largest Healthcare Construction Project In Decades Just Announced](#)

Westchester Magazine - 3/2/2016
Westchester Medical Center

[Westchester Medical Center to Build Ambulatory Care Pavilion](#)

Patch.com - 3/2/2016
Westchester Medical Center

EVENTS

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Tuesday, March 8	
Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds	11:00 a.m.
Wednesday, March 9	
Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds	8:00 a.m.
Department of Surgery Grand Rounds	9:00 a.m.
Department of Pharmacology Seminar	11:00 a.m.
Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Seminar	12:00 p.m.
Department of Microbiology and Immunology Seminar	12:00 p.m.
Department of Neurology Grand Rounds	4:00 p.m.

"A Stethoscope, a Pen, and a Compass"

Wednesday, March 23
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Skyline Auditorium



Ruth-Marie Fincher, M.D.
Vice Dean for Academic Affairs
Emerita Medical College of Georgia (MCG) Augusta University



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