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Submit announcements and other items for the next issue to Kathy G by October 1.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Summer Research Program for GUIDE Scholars
 - ▶ 6 GSU students participated in an 8-week summer research experience at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) and presented their projects at the UIC Summer Research Symposium on August 9th.
 - Participants and Mentors: Dwaylon Bledsoe (& Dr. Karriem Watson), Brittney Harding (& Dr. Lisa Aponte-Soto), Tera Shante Ivy (& Dr. Kent Hoskins/Beverly Chukwudozie), Qur'Annah Jones (& Dr. Alicia Matthews/DeLawnia Comer-Hagans), Richa Patel (& Dr. Vida Henderson), and Claudya Skalaski (& Dr. Kent Hoskins/Beverly Chukwudozie)
- Partnerships to Advance Cancer Health Equity (PACHE) Investigators Meeting
 - ➤ GUIDE PI Cathy Balthazar and ESI DeLawnia Comer-HaGans attended the PACHE Investigators Meeting held in Rockville, Maryland.
- Tune In for the Stand Up to Cancer Telecast (September 7th)
 - ➤ The AACR is proud to be the Scientific Partner of Stand Up To Cancer, which will have its sixth biennial telecast 8-9 p.m. Eastern and Pacific, 7 p.m. Central, on Friday, September 7, on the major television networks and many cable channels.
 - ➤ It will mark 10 years since the first telecast and 10 years of lifesaving research achievements by SU2C.
 - ➤ The 2018 Stand Up To Cancer live fundraising special brings together all the networks and the biggest stars in entertainment, for one night of music, awareness, and inspiration.
- Mentor and Mentee Day (September 13th)
 - ➤ 10AM—1PM
 - ➤ Mentor Day activities will focus on advancing each ESI's project from a concept to a viable proposal submission.

- Our schedule will provide about 2 hours of time for mentors and ESIs to meet and discuss ways to meet that goal, followed by a presentation from Dr. Dubois, "Strategies for High-Impact Publishing."
- NIH-funded Mentor Workshop (September 20th)
 - Investigators at MD Anderson Cancer Center will present an NIH-funded workshop for mentors in techniques for mentoring scientific communication skills efficiently and effectively.
 - Registration is limited to 20 participants!
- AACR (November 2-5)
 - > Early registration ends on September 18, one minute before midnight!
 - ➤ If you plan on attending this conference, please complete your registration form and send it back to Kathy Gustafson.
 - There is an allowance for cancellation up to October 2, with a \$75 fee. *However*, the difference between registering early and after September 18 is \$155 more.

UPCOMING COURSES

CONFIRM YOUR PLANNED COURSES WITH KATHY G NOW!

September	
7	Stand Up to Cancer Telecast
9	NIH-Funded Mentor Workshop at Northwestern Feinberg SOM
13	Mentor and Mentee Day
November	
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2—5 11th AACR Health Disparities Conference



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