AS 3. FM MEETING— JANUARY, FEBRUARY 2009

We would like to notify you that the January AS 3.MF CU meeting (was supposed to be held on 13.1.2009) is cancelled because there were no concerns raised by the dean of the faculty or by others.

The next AS 3.MF CU meeting will be held exceptionally on the third Tuesday in February; that being February 17th, 2009 from 14,30 in meeting room 224 at the dean’s office building.

MUDr.David Marx, Ph.D., chairman of the AS 3.MF CU

A CHANGE IN DEPARTMENT MANAGEMENT

Effective since 1.1.2009 doc. MUDr. Jan Mareš, CSc. was named the head of the Department of Normal, Pathological and Clinical Physiology. 

Jaromír Chlapeč, Head of the Dept. of Personnel and Wages

AN OFFER FROM THE CU CHANCELLOR’S OFFICE

I would like to draw your attention to the International Student Congress of Medical Sciences (ISCOMS), which will take place from June2nd till June 5th of 2009 in Groningen. Netherlands.

For more information you can visit our website www.iscoms.com or you can contact us by email: iscoms@med.umcg.nl.

BAYHOST STIPEND-SCHOLARSHIPS 2009/2010

Dear Sir or Madam,
we would like to inform you about our scholarship program for graduates from Eastern Europe. We sponsor doctoral or postgraduate studies at Bavarian state universities. Graduates from Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia and the Ukraine are eligible to apply.


Further detailed information about the program, the application conditions and the application procedure are available at http://www-cgi.uni-regensburg.de/Einrichtungen/Bayhost/englisch/stipendien_e.shtml and http://www-cgi.uni-regensburg.de/Einrichtungen/Bayhost/stipen_ost.shtml

If you have any questions concerning the scholarship program, please do not hesitate to contact us.

TIGP: http://www.sinica.edu.tw/~tigp/ in order to attract international students to pursue their PhD study in Taiwan.

One of the programs is our program in Molecular and Cellular Biology (MCB: http://www.imb.sinica.edu.tw/imb/mcb/index.html ).

The application deadline is March 31, 2009.

Růžena Hrušková, referát pro zahraniční styky 3.LF UK

PHD STUDY IN TAIWAN

The Academia Sinica (the National Academy) of Taiwan has established a Taiwan International Graduate Program (TIGP: http://www.sinica.edu.tw/~tigp/ ) in order to attract international students to pursue their PhD study in Taiwan.

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The application deadline is March 31, 2009.
SOFTWARE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF BIBLIOGRAPHIC CITATIONS

Offer – since 2008 the Web of Science on EndNote Web was completed – for the Academic community of the 3. MF for free

1. **EndNote Web is (free)** a freely available citation program for the collection and management of bibliographical citations and web references. It’s available through Web of Science – top list My EndnoteWeb, all you need is to create your own personal account at Web of Science.

Other freely available bibliographic software - free

2. **Bibliographic citation - project** – Czech program – Offers information on correct citation of documents, educational animation, discussion forums and of course a tool for generating citations according to the norms ČSN ISO 690 and ČSN ISO 690-2, called the Generator of citations (now in version 1.1). - [http://www.citace.com/](http://www.citace.com/)

3. **Connotea** – in English – Freely available online reference manager for researchers and research workers upon registration. - [http://www.connotea.org/](http://www.connotea.org/)

   Zotero is a free, easy-to-use Firefox extension to help you collect, manage, and cite your research sources. It lives right where you do your work — in the web browser itself.

   *PhDr. M. Hábová, CSI*

CONFIRMED ACCESS TO E-SOURCES FOR THE YEAR 2009 SINCE 5.1.09

Electronic books as part of the Books@Ovid database

- Oxford Textbook of Medicine
- Oxford Textbook of Surgery
- Cancer: Principles and Practice of Oncology
- Schiff’s Disease of the Liver

Journal NATURE

Access to the selected titles of the Oxford Press - Oxford Journals Full Collection

Database Ebsco Host

Including the licence for Dynamed, Smart Imagine Bases purchased only for 3. MF

Database Science Direct

An extended access to a much larger collection of electronic journals than last year, the archive accessible only since the year 1999 – see the notice in last year’s VNS

Thieme textbooks for students – licence only for 3. MF

For the confirmation of access to other sources we’ll inform you continuously.

*PhDr. M. Hábová, CSI*

NEW PORTAL OF ELECTRONIC SOURCES – AN OVERVIEW OF CU AND 3.MF DATABASES

Information of all available electronic sources (meaning databases), valid licences, link for direct access, and links for remote access can now be found at the newly created portal of electronic sources, including a description of sources at the CRI web pages – in the DATABASE navigation.

Your sources can be divided according to the alphabet, by subject, by faculty.

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Portal of electronic sources came about in co-operation with the Department of Informative Technology, the CU central library CU and all CU faculty libraries in the year 2008.

M. Hábová

LET’S APPLAUD OURSELVES

Chancellor of Charles University in Prague Exceptional Award
16 students in total accepted the Chancellor of Charles University in Prague Exceptional Award on December 18th given to them by His Magnificence prof. Václav Hampl.

Among those who were rewarded at the 3. MF CU are the following:

- Gabriela Vařeková (2nd year student of General Medicine) for athletic success in rowing-double skulls – 6th place at the OG, 2nd place at the WC, 1st place at the ČRC – 2008
- Martina Olexová (5th year student of General Medicine) for athletic success in fencing-sword – ČR Championship winner - 2008
- Michal Votava (1st year student of General Medicine) for athletic success in rowing-four oars – ČR Championship winner - 2008
- Tereza Smržová (6th year student of General Medicine) for her success in her Student Scientific Work

The award is given to student for an act, or activity performed during their studies and demonstrates an exceptional civilian bravery or sacrifice; for attaining such exceptional results while studying in the area of Science and Research; or for an exceptional high acknowledgment in the field of cultural or artistic activities or for excellent athletic results at international competitions.

More praise for professional representation and the ability to establish a close professional relationship with the clinic of oncology at the Imperial College London (concretely the Department of Pathology at the 3. MF) is
merited to Ondřej Gojiš – graduate of the 3. MF and now a PhD student at the 3.MF of the study program of Biology and Pathology of the Cell (supervisor prof. MUDr. V. Mandys), who is now at a professional internship at the Imperial College in London. Apart from basic research and study activities he became a member of the international oncology team working on breast cancer.

With his second project on „The role of co-activators of the estrogen receptor in breast carcinoma“ he was awarded by the European Society of Surgical Oncology (ESMO).

This competition is applicable to physicians from all around Europe (Oncology, Surgery, Radiology) dealing with Oncological problems.

**SIGNIFICANT ANNIVERSARIES AT FNKV AND 3. MF CU IN THE YEAR 2009**

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<td>On Dolní Stromka grounds construction of the Vinohrady hospital.</td>
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<td>1919 1. 1.</td>
<td>Jan Šemerád (internal medicine) state secretary at the Ministry of Health.</td>
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<td>1924</td>
<td>Status of hospitalized patients for rabies therapy decreased below 100.</td>
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<td>Ferdinand Tománek (radiology) head of the Dept. of Radiology at VN.</td>
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<td>1934 5. 4.</td>
<td>Emerich Polák was habilitated in Surgery.</td>
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<td>1934 27. 7.</td>
<td>† Václav Michal (surgery), first chief of surgery VN.</td>
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<td>1939</td>
<td>František Bláha organiser of the Sokol domestic resistance.</td>
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<td>doc. Vladimír Hlaváček chief of ENT div. at Vinohrady hospital.</td>
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<td>1944 12. 2.</td>
<td>† doc. František Vanýsek (internal medicine).</td>
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<td>1944 16. 10.</td>
<td>Petr Pachner (work hygiene) intern at KT Postoloprty.</td>
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<td>prof. Jan Konopík (dermato-venerology) dean of the MFH CU.</td>
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<td>† prof. Jan Šebek (neurology).</td>
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<td>1969 31. 3.</td>
<td>prof. Roman Bláha head of the dept.of radiology MFH CU.</td>
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<td>† prof. MUDr. František Bláha (health care organization).</td>
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<td>† prof. MUDr. a RNDr. Ferdinand Škaloud (dentistry).</td>
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MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine 3. MF CU

Portion of the state rigorous examination in the subject of preventative medicine
Place: dean’s office, 1st floor, room No. 224 and 223

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Max. number of students examined per day: 10

This order:
• Is effective upon issue: 15.1.2009
• Is valid until: 25.2.2009

Was compiled by the Study Division– L. Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc., Dean at the 3rd Faculty of Medicine

OPTIONAL SUBJECT

1) Name of subject: International Intensive Course in Bioethics
2) Name, workplace and telephone of the subject organizer: MUDr. Jitka Patočková, PhD.
   Department of Pharmacology 3. MF CU, Ruská 87, 100 00 Praha 10, CZ
   tel: +420 267 102 402-4, e-mail: Jitka.Patockova@LF3.cuni.cz
3) Amount of students: 3
4) Designed for: 2nd – 6th year students
5) Semester: summer (one-semester course)
6) Number of course hours: 85
7) Hours per day: 8,5
8) Number of EU credits: 5
9) Date of course: 2nd and 3rd week in July
10) Place: Italy
11) Financing: EU grant
12) Conditions for registration: - competition held in Spring 2009 (an exact date will be published in VNS)
    - good understanding of English
13) Conditions for receiving credit: complete the Bioethics course
14) Short syllabus of the subject:

The aims of the course:
To gather an international group of distinguished scientists, having interests and experiences in ethical aspects of their fields.

To expose a selected group of students to
• the bioethical analysis of the most advanced results of biomedical research
• their relevant impact on clinical procedures
• revision of their medical decision

Main Topics

• Case reports
• Video taped role-playing

The structure of the course:
• 2 weeks of residential educational activities
• (morning) regular sessions
• (afternoon) interactive sessions
• small group work

The educational planning:
• Lectures & Educational Workshops
• Interactive resuming sessions
• Tutored working teams
• Movie commentaries

• Post-Genomic Molecular Biology
• Alternative Medicine
• Conflict of Interest
• Ethical Issues Related to Human Reproduction
• Ethics, Society and Law
• Bioethics in Paediatric Practice
• Culturally Sensitive Medical Intervention: A Moral and Ethical Imperative
• The Doctor (Student)-Patient and The Doctor-Doctor Relationships
• Ethical Issues Related to the End of Life
INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS OF 3RD-6TH YEAR

As the academic year has begun, I would like to address students in 3rd-6th year to come and help as tutors and demonstrators during the winter dissection course in the English curriculum (date???)

Please, apply at Mrs. Ivanka Žížalová, door No. 508. One week before the course starts, a meeting for all the tutors and demonstrators will be held.

Thank you for your willingness and help.

Prof. MUDr. Josef Stingl, CSc.

AN OFFER FROM THE CHANCELLOR’S OFFICE OF CU

The Department of Foreign Affairs of the Chancellor’s Office of Charles University in Prague received an offer from the Fondation Internationale Balzan - "Prix".

Proposals for recipients of the prize will be accepted up to March 15th, 2009.

(Information to the offer can be found in French at the referral for Foreign Affairs at the 3.MF CU)

Růžena Hrušková, referral for Foreign Affairs

NOTES IN HISTORY

January 27th, 1949 (60 years):
Václav KARFÍK’S venia legendi was transferable to MU Brno

Born on 3. 3. 1904 in Idria, today in Slovenia, he graduated 12. 6. 1923 at the real high school in Prague, studied at the MF CU in Prague and graduated 22. 2. 1929; during his studies he worked from 1926-1928 as a demonstrator at the dental clinic, upon graduation 1929-1930 as an operation student at the 2nd clinic of surgery, simultaneously 1929-1936 as an assistant at the dental clinic, in July and August 1929 as a secondary physician of the surgical department in Kutná Hora, 1929-1937 on-off as a secondary physician (since 1930 assistant) of the Department of Plastic Surgery in Prague-Pankrác, since 1930 a specialist dentist, 1933-1936 operational student and 1936 secondary physician at the Clinic of Surgery, 1935-1937 unpaid assistant at the State Institute of Dentistry, since October 1st, 1936 up to May 29th, 1948 as an assistant of the Department of Plastic Surgery and since 1937 as a secondary physician at the division of plastic surgery at the Vinohrady hospital, since 1938 as a specialist physician for plastic surgery, since June 2nd, 1947 to July 31st, 1949 as the chief of the department at the Vinohrady hospital; May 29th, 1948 he was habilitated in plastic surgery; January 27th, 1949 his venia legendi was transferred to Masaryk University in Brno; June 18th, 1949 effective since January 1st, 1948 named the director of the State Institute for Plastic Surgery in Brno and stayed in function until April 30th, 1963; August 9th, 1957 he was made the management for the ex-State institute but now, the clinic of Plastic Surgery at the medical faculty MU in Brno and continued this function until April 30th, 1963; effective since January 1st, 1959 on September 22nd, 1959 he was named an associate professor in plastic surgery, December 16th, 1959 he was named the head of the Brno clinic, August 1st, 1963 made the temporary head of the clinic of plastic surgery of the MFH CU in Prague, February 1st, 1966 as an external head of the laboratory of plastic surgery for congenital disorders ČSAV, May 1st, 1966 a full professor and head of the clinic of plastic surgery MFH CU; March 27th, he went into retirement, whereas June 30th, 1970 he was named the director of the Laboratory of Plastic Surgery for congenital disorders ČSAV; he remained in function until September 1st, 1981 and died 6. 12. 1981 in Prague.

This student of prof. František BURIAN continued in promoting plastic surgery as an independent subject and asserting the reconstructive methods of all surgical fields including burn unit medicine (Léčení spálenin, Praha 1949, with Holubec and Pešková). He promoted complex care for patients with congenital defects, especially cleft palates. His domain was therapy of congenital defects of the arm, and congenital defects of the face (Plastická chirurgie poraněného obličeje, Praha 1961).

During the Nazi occupation of Bohemian land he was an active member of domestic resistance as a member of Dr. Miloš Nedvěd group. In May 1945 he was selected as the head of the revolutionary committee at Vinohrady hospital. As a member of the municipal committee he partook in the organization of health services abroad.

venia legendi = authorization to read, or in this case teach (based on habilitation)
(venia, ae, f. = authorization; legō, legere = read)

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine at the 3. MF CU

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Prof. MUDr. Josef Stingl, Csc.

AN OFFER FROM THE CHANCELLOR’S OFFICE AT CU

Dear all,
The chancellor’s office at Charles University has sent us an offer from the Pakistani Embassy for studies at the Aga Khan University, Pakistan.
Detailed information can be found at: www.aku.edu. Or at the e-mail address student.affairs@aku.edu

Růžena Hrušková, referral for Foreign Affairs

LET US APPLAUD OURSELVES

The Vinohrady Cardio Centre among the best in Europe

Care, which is given to people with a sick heart for example in Scotland’s Edinburgh or Sweden’s Stockholm, is received at Prague’s Vinohrady hospital. Or so claim American specialists that listed the Vinohrady Cardio Centre among the best eight in Europe.
A selection of the most successful cardiology centres were performed by the prestigious journal Circulation, which is the most recognized specialist journal in this field in the world.
During the evaluation, specialist focused on not only the quality if work of the physicians, but also on research held at the centres. „Cardio Centre FNKV and 3. MF CU coordinates a whole line of prestigious research projects known around the world under the acronym PRAGUE clinical trials,“ said the head physician Petr Widimský.
The Cardio Centre at the Vinohrady hospital was founded in 1996, annually they have a circulation of over five thousand patients.

Mladá fronta DNES, 26. 1. 2008

NOTES IN HISTORY

1. 2. 1934 (75 years):
Vratislav JONÁŠ was habilitated in pathology and internal diseases therapy
Born on 23. 12. 1899 in Prague; he graduated 2. 3. 1917 at the classic high school at Králové Vinohrady, where he was summoned to the army and served until the end of the war in Steiermark, Herzegovina, Albania and Macedonia; after the war he studied at the medical faculty of Charles-Ferdinand University (since 19. 2. 1920 re-named Charles), he graduated in less than five years 13. 10. 1923. Since June 1923, he worked at the 1st medical clinic and grew up as a student of prof. Ladislav SYLLABA († 1930) and prof. Kristián HYNĚK – since 13. 10. 1923 as an external physician, since 1. 1. 1925 as a demonstrator, since November 1925 as scientific assistant, since 1. 2. 1927 as a secondary at the 1st medical clinic, simultaneously 1924 as a demonstrator at the Department of Cardiology polyclinic and in summer 1925 as a demonstrator of the clinic of ophthalmology; Since 1. 12. 1927 unpaid, and since 31. 3. 1932 as a paid assistant at the 1st medical clinic up to 31. 12. 1941 (meaning until its cancellation and transformation into the internal department of the General Hospitals part of the cancellation of Czech clinics), he later remained there as a secondary; 1927-1930 he undertook some internships abroad (Switzerland, France, Belgium, Netherlands, Poland); 2. 2. 1933,
His edition unselfish, 1966 monography, medical Vita resp. diabetes, courses kardiologija Vinohrady Hospital; immediately upon the foundation of the courses at the medical faculty of Hygiene CU, he was hired at the Vinohrady hospital and here since 1. 9. 1952 until the end of his life he worked as the chief of the 1st internal clinic and 1st Department of Internal Medicine of the medical faculty of hygiene of CU (he writes that the conditions and opportunities at the beginning of the faculty were such that they had no laboratory, no ECG and X-rays for skiascopy only at a high risk for personnel); 1. 3. 1956 DrSc.; Since 1. 5. 1966 a full professor MFH CU. Am exquisite diagnostic and therapist, exceptional teacher and his bed manner was unselfish, devote, honourable and modest person, he died on 7. 5. 1968 in Prague.

His main scientific research and specialties were in Endocrinology and Cardiology and mutual relations between endocrine and cardiovascular functions; he occupied himself with the thyroid gland—studied the hemodynamics in Basedow illness and for experiments in the isolation of the thyrotrophic hormone; as the first in the ČSR and as one of the first in the world he described in 1932 Cushing’s syndrome; He published even his works on diabetes, blood diseases and tuberculosis. His principal literary work was in Cardiology: He dedicated a three-issue monography, with its first title being Clinical Cardiology, Prague 1950 dedicated to general cardiology and written for the general hospital, while the other two issues Special Cardiology I, Prague 1957; II, Prague 1962 were written at the Vinohrady hospital and are considered the most significant publications of this medical faculty; this is shown even its translation into Russian, issued reversely during the 60s (Častnaja kardiologija I, 1960, 1961; II, 1963; Kliničeskaja kardiologija 1966).

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine at the 3. MF CU
CHANGE IN THE MANAGEMENT OF A CLINIC

Doc. MUDr. Martin Krbec, CSc., tel. 26731 2431, 2716, email-krbec@fnkv.cz was named into function as the head of the Orthopaedic-Traumatology clinic effective since 1.2.2009.

Jarmir Chlapc
Head of the Department of Wages and Personnel

AN OFFER OF EMPLOYMENT

The 3rd medical faculty at CU in Prague will hire:

An officer for the Study Division – for those studying in Cz-full time.

Required skills and abilities: HS or University degree, experience in administration, PC work, organizational and communicative abilities, understand English communicatively. Experience in the educational system welcome.

Anticipated date of commencement: March 2009.

A professional curriculum vitae including a cover letter can be sent by e-mail to alena.vlasakova@lf3.cuni.cz or in written form to Charles University in Prague, 3rd Faculty of Medicine, Study Division- Alena Vlasáková, Ruská 87, 100 00 Praha 10.

A. Vlasáková, Head of the Study Division

INFORMATION FROM THE DEAN’S OFFICE

Conclusion from the meeting of the 3. MF CU in Prague held on 7. and 8. 12. 2008 in Milín

A) Examination of Module Clinical-Pathological bases in medicine in the Acad.Year 2008/2009

1) Examination from Module IIC in the Academic Year 2008/2009 will be held in the form of case studies, where the student will draw two case studies for the examination.
2) Based on the letter from the dean, the heads of the individual workplaces will adjust the case studies in such a manner so they contain the requirements for the „core curriculum in Pathology‟.

Dates: Prof. Mandys and doc. Mareš will send their requirements for the contents of the case studies by 12.18.2008 – completed

A letter from the dean stating to send out the case studies by 10.1.2008 the heads of the workplaces– letter sent 19.12.2008 – completed

3) The dean of the faculty names a committee made of: prof. Anděl, prof. Mandys (substitute doc. Vernerová), doc. Mareš, MUDr. Marx, Doc. Džupa + 3 students. This committee will perform editing of the case studies so that no later than 28.2., the case studies including English translations will be placed on the faculty web site – currently in progress

B) Classes and examinations from Module Clinical-Pathological bases of medicine in the Academic Year 2009/2010 and the following.


AN OFFER FROM THE CU CHANCELLOR’S OFFICE

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,
The Medical University of Sofia organizes a Scientific Conference on Challenges in health research in Sofia, at which it would be a great pleasure for us if members of your Universities have the opportunity to participate on April 24-25, 2009. The forum is open for limited number of representatives of the Danube Universities who are interested in the matter.

Kind regards, Prof. Guenka Petrova, MPharm, MEcon, DSc, Deputy Rector on Science, muscience@abv.bg

Růžena Hrušková, referát pro zahraniční styky

MEFANET

Dear Teachers and Authors of Instructive Materials generally,
on 3.3.2009 14:00 as part of the MEFANET project
discussion with lawyers on the subject Author Rights.

Inquiries for the lawyers can be sent by 9.2.2009 to the address eugen.kvasnak@lf3.cuni.cz

Most likely, the discussion may be observed on-line, using Teleconferencing (details later, ensured by 1.MF CU).

AN INVITATION TO THE CONFERENCE

Dear all,
As part of the Czech presidency under the auspices of the Ministry of Education, Youth and Physical Education, the conference called „Researchers in Europe without Barriers“, will be held in Prague from April 28th to 29th, 2009.

With this I would like to remind you that there are 300 spots and registration is possible on the official conference pages (http://www.eramobility.cz/). Once the spots are filled, the web page will be deleted. The Czech centre for mobility will have a stand with advertising items.
More information: SSČ AV ČR v.v.i., The Czech centre for mobility, e-mail bodnarova@ssc.cas.cz

FOR THE VISITORS OF THE COURSE Principles of evidence based medicine and the basis of scientific preparation

Dear colleagues, thank you for your interest in this course. Because the course had its premiere in the winter semester 2008, it is very important to know the opinions of those who attended the course, or even more so of those that stopped attending the course.

Those that were registered, have received an e-mail with the evaluation, but those that were not registered, we do not have your contact. That is why we are asking you to take a few minutes of your time and complete this electronic evaluation that can be found at the web page of the course, therefore http://www.lf3.cuni.cz/cs/pracoviste/imunologie/vyuka/pvk/

Again I thank you and I wish you all the best in the New Year 2009

Pavel Martinek,
MUDr. Jan Novák, Ph.D.

WHAT’S NEW WITH THE WHITE BOOK OF TERTIARY EDUCATION?

The Academic Senate CU protested on November 23rd, 2009 against the present method of university reform. It rejected the final version of the White Book of Tertiary Education introduced by the Ministry of Education and due to the repeated reproached of the Academic Community and insufficient settlements, it asked the government to return the reform back to the Ministry of Education for reprocessing.
On January 26th, the ČR government approved the White book of Tertiary Education. According to the Ministry of Education, Ondřej Liška, the goal is to increase internal competition, and with that the universities’ quality, stop the isolation of tertiary education and change it into an attractive centre for cooperation. It is necessary to include external influences into the decision making but to better protect the schools in the future from particular political agendas. From the point of view of the schools, the reform should concern in the change of their financing, effectivity of setting relationships between the management and autonomy and a significant decrease of the bureaucratic burdens.

The white book opens the debate on implementing school fees – if it is implemented, than no sooner than in the year 2014, 2015.

The scientific council accepted information on the decision of the government on January 29th, 2009 with regret. It also warned of the possible fundamental abridgements of Academic freedom and autonomy of public universities, which would mean a direct negation of one of the basic pillars of the Velvet Revolution.

The scientific council stated, that the White book does not complete the standard requirements for strategic documentation of this character and that the whole process during its preparation was not sufficiently transparent.

The Scientific council of Charles University therefore challenged the ČR government to begin preparing the new act on tertiary education only after specialist and thorough debate on the actual needs for developing the university sector where the academic community can play an active part.

Zdroj: i-Forum.cuni.cz

NOTES IN HISTORY

February 12th, 1944 (65 years):

František VANÝSEK died

Born on July 7th, 1889 in Čechovice (near Prostějov), he graduated from the high school in Přerov, completed the medical faculty of Charles Ferdinand University in Prague, where he graduated in the second year of the war 13. 9. 1915; by then, he was serving in the army for almost three months (since 22. 6. 1915), from which he returned in five years after the formation of the Czechoslovak Republic (1. 11. 1920). Since 1. 6. 1921, he worked as an assistant II. Medical clinic, lead by prof. Josef PELNÁŘ, who was appointed seven weeks prior, a became along with Bohumil PRUSÍK (* 1886) and Augustin PIRCHAN, Ladislav VOLICER (* 1894), Josef CHARVÁT (* 1897), Aleksandr GIURIČE (* 1898), Antonin VANČURA (* 1899), František HERLES (* 1900) and Karl ŠILÍNEK (* 1908) one of Pelnář’s best students. On 27. 1. 1926 he was habilitated in Pathology and Therapy of Internal Diseases, since 15. 6. 1928 he worked as the Chief of Staff of the Internal Department at the Vinohrady hospital, since 13. 10. 1939 he left for retirement and four months and four years later he died in Tuchoměrice (area Praha-West) at not even 55 years of age. On 16. 9. 1947 he was named by the Health council in memoriam. The focus of his research and practical activities was diagnostics and therapy of the Liver physiology; other favourite subjects were gallbladder diseases, pancreatic diseases, water metabolism and radiotherapy.

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine 3. MF CU

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The faculty’s student research conference at the 3. MF CU will be held on May 19th, 2009 from 9 o’clock in the Burian lecture hall. We would like to notify all of those interested in active participation and primarily those students that have selected a Student Research activity instead of optional courses to submit their application form with a structured abstract of their presentations to the Research Dept. Mrs. Alincová by April 30th (even in electronic form on a disquette or by e-mail: blanka.alincova@lf3.cuni.cz) using the following format:

1) Scope – maximally 1 page of text, eventually 1 page for the appendix (literature, graphic documentation)
2) Division
   a) purpose
   b) methods
   c) results
   d) conclusion
3) Formal format
   Using a text editor – MS Word or AmiPro is best
   Font type and size: Times New Roman 12
   Spaces between lines: title 1, text 1,5

Title sample:
- Výběr parametrů pro hodnocení modelů mozkové ischemie u potkana
- BAUER, P., OTÁHAL, J., PERLÍK, V.
- školitel: Prof. MUDr. R. Rokyta, DrSc.
- UK, LF 3, Ústav normální, patologické a klinické fyziologie

Doc. MUDr. Romana Šlamberová, Ph.D.
Coordinator for the Student Research conference 3.MF CU

Dear colleagues,
The chancellor of Charles University has received an offer from the Indonesian Embassy in the form of a scholarship according to conditions that can be found at the given web pages www.darmasiswa.qo.id or www.indonesian-embassy.cz

Dear Colleagues,
we are pleased to inform you that the International 20th Puijo Symposium,
“Physical Exercise in Health Promotion and Medical Care: Current Evidence for Metabolic Syndrome”,
will take place in Kuopio, Finland, June 23-26, 2009. Registration is underway, and you will find more details at www.puijosymposium.org

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,
the organizers of the European Polymer Congress 2009 would like to remind you of the forthcoming EPF’09 taking place in July 12-17 2009, in Graz, Austria.
The second circular is now available as pdf-file following the link given below
http://www.ictos.tugraz.at/epf09_2ndcircular_web.pdf

The ABSTRACT SUBMISSION DEADLINE is scheduled for 28th of February 2009
For detailed information, regular updates and registration please visit the congress website: www.epf09.org
Study programs in Israel

Dear all,
We would like to offer some scholarships for Jewish students by the Jewish Agency in the Czech Republic (Sochnut). Jewish students have the opportunity to take advantage of the MASA program – scholarships. There are many programs to choose from within this project. A complete offer of concrete programs even an application form can be found at the web page www.masaisrael.org.
In case of any inquiries please contact by e-mail sochnut@volny.cz, Or by phone: +420 776 176 417
More information on these programs can also be found at www.sochnut.cz, Jewish Agency in ČR, Jáchymova 3, Prague 1, 110 00.

National Institutes of Health/National Institute of Child Health and Human - USA

Dear all,
Charles University has concluded a contract with the National Institutes of Health/National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Bethesda, USA.
We have received from the aforementioned institute an exceptional scholarship offer (for two years) for students in the 2nd and 3rd year of postgraduate studies at medical faculties. The 3.MF CU can nominate one student.

Research programs that are concerned are the following: bone and extracellular matrix branch, cell biology and metabolism, cellular regulation and metabolism, developmental and molecular immunity, developmental endocrinology and genetics, developmental neuroscience, genomics of differentiation, molecular medicine, perinatal research and obstetrics, physical biology, reproductive and adult endocrinology, nervous system development and plasticity, physical biochemistry, scientific core facilities.

Those interested must submit the following in English to the referral of Foreign Affairs at the 3.MF CU:
1/ curriculum vitae
2/ research area
3/ academic transcript
4/ two letters of recommendation

Deadline: March 17th, 2009

The scholarship program of the German foundation for the Environment for Central and Eastern Europe (MOE-Austauschstipendienprogramm der DBU)

The German foundation for the Environment - DBU (www.dbu.de) each year offers scholarships for qualified university graduates in Central and Eastern Europe focused on studying the protection and care for the Environment. Those university graduates under 30 years can apply for the scholarship and up to three years upon completing their master’s or engineer studies. The scholarship program supports 6 – 12 monthly stays at professional workplaces: at German universities, in businesses, research departments of non-governmental organizations, institutions etc. Apart from the scholarship stay, they can choose their own requestor or ensure DBU according to their selected area/professional focus of the requestor.
A list of scholarship offers can also be found at http://www.dbu.de/618.html (Stipendien/MOE-Austauschstipendienprogramm der DBU/Praktikumsplätze).
Scholarship amount: 1060 € per month
Scholarship commencement: usually March
DBU will also pay for expenses associated with insurance, related to living in SRN even for a language preparatory course in German apart from the monthly scholarship.

A scholarship request is submitted in June of the previous year and must contain apart from the completed form at DBU http://www.dbu.de/387.html in German or English the following appendices (also in German or English):

1) project proposal/focus of specialty, that the applicant wants to perform as part of his scholarship stay including reasoning on choosing a theme (anticipated gain for the environment and the requestor). Max. 3 A4 pages, division according to the given scheme: introduction into the problems and reasoning for choosing the theme, current understanding in the given field in the world and the Czech Republic, monitored project goal, proposed work method and a general time schedule, anticipated results and their significance for practical experience event. further research, anticipated usage and presentation of results
2) curriculum vitae with details on your interests and personal professional perspectives
3) publications, research duties, projects
4) document on completing the state final examinations including your grade for your thesis (can be added as supplements, no later than the date of the admission interview)
5) recommendation from the trainer or superior (part of the DBU form)
6) an evaluation on the language capabilities of the applicant (part of the DBU form)

The deadline for submitting the request for the scholarship: June of the previous year (this year: 15.6.2009) for the DBU in ČR and SR.

Prior to submitting the application, a consultation on the focus/project even the application is appropriate at DBU http://www.dbu.de/789.html or at the DBU representation in ČR and SR.

The selected applicants will be invited to the admission interview that will be held in the autumn, for Czech applicants in Prague, for Slovak applicants in Bratislava (usually in the 38th week in the year).

The requestors must have an average understanding of German and an ability to present a project in German or English, communication where they’ll be staying can be in English. You cannot request the scholarship more than once.

The deadline, information and forms can be found at: http://www.dbu.de/stipendien_international (Stipendien/MOE-Ausstauschtipendienprogramm der DBU).

Contact for the ČR and SR: Společnost pro Lužické hory, zastoupení DBU v ČR a SR, ing. Romana Cermanová, Lidická 321, 463 34 Hrádek nad Nisou, tel.: 48 5108960, 777 216852, E-mail: r.bermanov(at)gmail.com, skype: luzicke.hory

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**9th International Congress of Young Medical Scientists**

May 17-19, 2009
Poznań, Poland

Dear Students and Young Medical Scientists!!!

It’s an honour and privilege to invite you for the 9th time to the International Congress of Young Medical Scientists, May 17-19, 2009 Poznań, Poland!!!

As each year, we make our best to offer participants a unique opportunity for an international scientific exchange. We aim to give young and talented researchers from all over the world not only possibilities to present their achievements, share ideas and views, but also to take part in professionally organized workshops and courses, meet other gifted and enthusiastic researchers that share their fascination for medical knowledge.

The setting for the Congress is Poznan, a vibrant city placed in the heart of Greater Poland, famous for its trade, industry, business and most of all academic traditions. Poznań University of Medical Sciences is considered one of the best medical universities in Poland, and has always been a forum for well-developed scientific activity of the highest European level in the field of medical research. Furthermore, Poznań is a beautiful place to visit, it joins monuments and old traditions with modern values. Therefore, our amazing social program will give you an opportunity to sense this unique atmosphere of Poznań, and to explore its breathtaking nightlife!

As each year we plan to organize following scientific sessions:
- Anesthesiology, Intensive Care & Emergency Medicine
- Basic Life Sciences & Genetics
- Dentistry
- Dermatology & STD
- Cardio, Thoracic, and Vascular Surgery
- Cardiology & Vascular Hypertension
- General, Oncological Surgery & Urology
- Gynecology & Obstetrics
- Head & Neck Diseases
- Internal Diseases
- Neurology & Psychiatry
- Orthopedics, Traumatology & Rheology
- Pediatrics
- Pharmacy
- Public Health
- Physiotherapy and sport medicine

REGISTRATION ON-LINE AND DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS: MARCH 31ST 2009

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE: www.stn.ump.edu.pl

Růžena Hrušková, referát pro zahraniční styky

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**MOBILITY FOUNDATION CU**

Dear all,

We would like to inform you on the deadline of submitting a request for a contribution from the mobility foundation in the summer semester 2009.

The deadline for submitting the request to the referral for Foreign Affairs at the 3.MF CU is: **March 25th, 2009**

Růžena Hrušková, referral for Foreign Affairs
CSI INFORMATION

Trial access into the new source in the area of Physiotherapy Rehabilitation Reference Center™ Evidence-based medicine clinical reference tool from 1.3. to 30.4. - Ebsco

Try out the new specialty for Physiotherapy made accessible for the 3. MF and all of CU from 1.3.2009. Lines for direct and remote access will be published from from 1.3. 2009 in the portal for electronic sources as usual – on the CSI pages – click on DATABASE – search according to the title. A short instruction is arranged for the clinic of rehabilitation medicine, on how to use the source and what it has to offer. More detailed information on the offered source can be found at the

Rehabilitation Reference Center™ Evidence-based-medicine clinical reference tool

Rehabilitation Reference Center (RRC) is a clinical information source for evidence-based medicine and is designated for clinical experience of physicians in the area of rehabilitation (point of care). RRC provides information based on evidence for the given theme to physiotherapists, physicians and professionals in the area of rehabilitation.

RRC contains about 200 clinical themes, 100 study and research materials (tests, manuals etc.), information on more than 11,700 pharmaceuticals and their products (AHFS Drug Information Essentials), more than 9,800 illustrated rehabilitation exercises, over 1,500 relevant summarized themes for patients (in English and Spanish), actualized clinical reports and reference manuals.

Clinical Reviews presents an organized summary of the given rehabilitation theme that are based on available evidence that is systematically evaluated for the physician according to the rigorous evaluation of updated sources. All clinical themes are written up and are registered by a medical team of EBSCO Publishing and professional physiotherapists. Each theme contains concise information for a quick clinical application of understandings on:

- Indexing/Metadata Description
- Causes & Risk Factors
- Overall Contraindications/Precautions
- Examination
- Assessment/Plan of Care
- Desired Outcomes/Outcome Measures
- Maintenance or Prevention

The purpose of the Rehabilitation Reference Center is to help the clinical experience of rehabilitation specialists by providing valid and relevant information that are based on the best available evidence for the given theme. The Rehabilitation Reference Center aids physicians in their decision making for optimal patient therapy.

Information on the database can be found at the producer’s web pages EBSCO

Try out our trial access into the Biomedical & Life Sciences Collection database by 28.2.2009

Biomedical & Life Sciences Collection contains over 900 audiovisual lectures and seminars lead by world experts in the area of Biomedicine and Natural Sciences. The source is interesting mainly for biologists, molecular biologists, physiology etc.

Searching within the database is possible using the Search window. An overview of all that can be found on the source is shown upon clicking on Book Series – where lectures and seminars are arranged by subject or according to the alphabet.

Entrance into the source can be found on the CSI pages – under the DATABASE navigation- where you can find a link to all sources, that can be accessed by the 3. MF.

You can find it according to the alphabet – search for the source with the title Biomedical & Life Sciences Collection – and there you can always find a direct link (for access from computers in the 3. MF) and remote access (for access from FNKV computers or home).
No password is needed.

Remote access is performed by the "Onelog/EZ Proxy portal". Very simply – with the help of the Onelog/EZ Proxy your IP will be set in such a manner so that your computer will work as from a 3. MF network (it is important due to licences – we report the IP addresses of our computers that can enter the databases).

For entrance into the remote access, you must have a Employee Pass of the 3. MF CU or a student CU pass (login is your personal number under the photograph and a valid password into CAS – set by Ondřej Kubánek - line 2482 or via web.)

PhDr. Martina Hábová, head of the CSI

**Invitation**

*For a practical online seminar*

„DynaMed – research in the clinical informational source for „evidence based medicine”

Wednesday, March 25th, 14:00-15:00

(Computer room at the Department of Biophysics and Informatics, 3. MF CU, Ruská 87, Pha 10)

*DynaMed* is a clinical informational source for "evidence-based medicine" that was created by physicians for physicians and other professionals in the medical field and is primarily designed for direct usage of medical experience (point-of-care). *DynaMed* allows systematically organized summaries of evidence for no less than 3 000 clinical themes, is updated daily and monitors the contents of over 500 medical journals and databases (including the Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews).

*DynaMed* is now available at the 3rd Faculty of Medicine at Charles University

[http://search.ebscohost.com](http://search.ebscohost.com)

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Regional health Inc., Most Hospital, will accept a graduate of the medical faculty with an interest in Orthopaedics working full-time. We are offering an opportunity in the hospital area, hospital cafeteria, erudite personnel with exceptional interpersonal relations, possibility for personal development and other training in the chosen specialty. Those interested please contact MUDr.P.Vlasák, chief of staff of the Orthopaedic division. email: ortopedie.primar@nspm.cz

MUDr.Pavel Janšta
Dept. of Orthopaedics in Most

**INVITATIONS AND SEMINARS**

Evidence based medicine and Research in medicine

*(MUDr. Jan Novák, Ph.D.)*

A seminar on what is and why we use Evidence-Based Medicine, on the terminology in EBM and in research...
On the concept of the course Principles in Medicine based on evidence and the basis of their research preparation
The importance of actual verification of information, examples
What is Evidence-Based Medicine?
Basic and clinical research, how do we conduct research (clinical research phases, types of research, study design), grants

Tuesday 24.2.2009, 17:00 – 18:30, 3rd medical faculty, room 221
The seminar is held as part of the freely accessible course
Medical principles based on evidence and basics on research preparation
http://ebm.lf3.sweb.cz

CHANCELLOR’S OPINIONS ON CHANGES IN THE LAW

The head council of the Czech chancellor’s conference is warning the chamber of deputies of the Parliament that towards the proposal of the amendment of the Act on supporting research and development from public sources were introduced modified proposals that are not relevant with the negotiated act.

On principle the head council of the CCC does not agree with that modifications to the university educational activities and labour-law provision were discussed without any type of consultation with university representatives.

The chancellors warn of dramatic interventions into the career system of academic employees that are driven by efficient and motivational parameters guaranteeing competition and quality of universities. Further, by stating a minimal length of employment of non-habilitated academic employees would limit the opportunity of establishing new jobs, which would work against supporting career development of young academic employees.

The chancellors state that accepting the introduced modified proposals would contradict to that what the Czech political representation expects and demands from universities and would threaten the ability of these universities to comply to these public expectations.

The head council of the Czech chancellor’s conference, therefore, requests that the chamber of deputies does not approve these modified proposals while discussing the proposal of the Act on supporting research and development from public sources.

The same position is taken by the Universities Council.

February 18th, 2009

NOTES IN HISTORY

February 25th, 1884 (125 years):
Joseph HASNER the knight from Artha left the University in order to protest against its division
The son of the director of legal studies at Prague University, Leopold HASNER, the knight from Artha, the brother of the Austrian Minister of Education, Leopolda HASNER, the knight from Artha, was born on 13. 8. 1819 in Prague, he studied at the high school in the Old Town and the medical faculty of Charles-Ferdinand University in Prague (graduated from Surgery Dr. 25. 7. 1842, upon supporting his dissertation De suppuratione Med. Dr. 26. 7. 1843, master’s in obstetrics 1846). 1842-1844 worked as a secondary at the surgical department, 1844-1846 assistant of the eye clinic (where its head of the department was the first professor of ophthalmology in Prague Jan Nepomuk Fischer) and a secondary of the ophthalmology clinic at the general hospital, 1846 an ophthalmologist at the Dept. of the deaf and mute, 1846-1848 a health official of the governorate, 1847-1848 representative of the district physician in New Town in Prague, 1848 they received permission to found an eye polyclinic, where they charged the domestic foundation to take care of the poor patients; 30. 10. 1849 he was habilitated in ophthalmology and as a private associate professor he lectured at the University on optical diseases, microscopy and pathological anatomy of the eye and lead the ophthalmology clinic of the general hospital; 1852 he was named an associate professor in Ophthalmology; in 1852/53, 1853/54 and 1854/55 he was the dean of the Physician’s collegiate; 18. 9. 1856 he was named a full professor in Ophthalmology and chief of staff of the Ophthalmology department of the General hospital; since 1856 he worked as a municipal ophthalmologist; he was the intern at the Dept of the Blind in Hradčany; in 1869/70, 1870/71 and 1871/72 he was the dean of the professors collegiate, 1874/75 the chancellor and 1875/76 a vice-chancellor of the Charles-Ferdinand University in Prague. He was mainly interested in Anatomy, Physiology and even Pathology of the Eye. His...
improvement on the ophthalmoscope and even after a few alterations it is still used today. He wrote over 50 publications on Physiology and Optical pathology, optical operations even the history of medicine etc.; his main publications are: Entwurf einer anatomischen Begründung der Augenheilkunde, Prag 1847, Physiologie und Pathologie des Thränenableitungsapparates, Prag 1850, Klinische Vorträge über Augenheilkunde, 3 Bde., Prag 1860-1966, Tycho de Brahe und J. Kepler in Prag, Prag 1872, Beiträge zur Physiologie und Pathologie des Auges, Prag 1973, Die Verletzungen des Auges in gerichtärzlicher Beziehung, Tübingen 1880. He co-edited the Prague faculty journal Vierteljährsschrift für praktische Heilkunde. He was renowned for his operational technique and exceptional teaching capabilities. Outside the University, he was a member of the municipal health council for Czechs, the municipal health council, both councils; he was a member of the Royal Czech society of Education, member and twice the chairman of the Committee of German physicians in Czech, member of the medical society in Vienna, Paris, Erlangen, Dresden, winner of the rank of Frank Joseph I. He openly and absolutely stood against the division of Charles-Ferdinand University into a Czech and German one; when he say that it was inevitable, to protest it, he asked to go into retirement and on 25. 2. 1882 he retired since 1. 3. 1882. He died on 22. 2. 1892 in Prague and is buried at the Olšanské hřbitovy (V. hřbitov, 6th department, grave No. 25).

Literature:

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine 3. MF CU
DEAN’S ORDER NO. 4/2009

Classes cancelled on March 5th, from 7,30 to 10,30 a.m.

On Thursday, March 5th, 2009 I am cancelling all classes for all years and all study subjects at the 3. MF CU from 7,30 to 10,30 without replacement.

Classes held on the above-stated day will commence at 10,30 and will follow the valid schedule for that day.

This order:
- Is valid since March 5th, 2009
- Obeys all internal regulations

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine

AN OFFER FROM THE CU CHANCELLOR’S OFFICE

The Norwegian Scientific Council announced to the MŠMT ČR that they are introducing a new open system for PhD student programs and young scientists. It is the "Yggdrasil" programme-research scholarships for postgraduate and young scientists from 25 countries around the world including the Czech Republic.

The scholarship may be granted for research stays from 1 to 10 months, applications are submitted directly to Norway and whether to provide or not provide scholarships is evaluated exclusively by the Norwegian party.

Deadline for accepting application forms for the Academic Year 2009/2010 is April 22nd, 2009.

Information and an application form is available at http://www.rcn.no/is (see "YGGDRASIL - Young Guest and Doctoral Researchers' Annual Scholarships for Investigation and Learning in Norway")

Contact and further information: e-mail: instip@rcn.no, Internet: www.rcn.no/is, www.studyinnorway.no (general information on the possibilities of study in Norway)

Růžena Hrušková, referent for Foreign Affairs

INVITATIONS AND SEMINARS

The Sector of Immunology and Gnotobiology of the MBÚ AV ČR, v.v.i. and the Czech Immunological Association cordially invite you to a lecture by

Prof. Pramod Srivastava
Center for Immunotherapy of Cancer and Infectious Diseases, University Cancer Center Farmington, USA

Heat shock protein-peptide complexes: Central player in immunity to cancers and viruses

The lecture is held on Wednesday, March 4th, 2009 from 13.00 in the lecture hall (cinema hall) FGU AV ČR, v.v.i.

(final stop of bus 193 from the metro Budějovická).
Inform your co-workers.

We look forward in your participation.

prof. RNDr. B. Řihová, DrSc.
MBÚ AV ČR, v.v.i. – sector of Immunology and Gnotobiology
NOTES IN HISTORY

March 1st, 1924 (85 years):
Josef SKLÁDAL assistant of the Department of Physiology at the MF CU Prague
Born 16. 3. 1898 in Vienna, he graduated 1. 7. 1916 at the secondary school in Kroměříž, studied medicine in Brno (MUDr. 26. 6. 1923); since 1. 10. 1919 he worked as an assistant of the Department of Biology and since 1. 10. 1921 – 30. 11. 1923 as an assistant of the Department of Physiology at the MF at Masarykova University in Brno, 1. 3. 1924 – 28. 2. 1926 assistant of the Department of Physiology at the MF CU in Prague, since 11. 5. 1926 a secondary and since 1. 7. 1926 as a secondary –Departmental physician at the Masarykova sanatorium for pulmonary diseases of railway staff in Kvetnice near Poprad; 1. 1. 1928 – 30. 11. 1930 as an attending physician and a consultant of the Pulmonary Sanatorium of the Sezská humanity in Jablunkov; 1929-1931 completed an annual study trip to Paris; since 1. 12. 1930 worked as chief Terrestrial pulmonary sanatorium in Paseka, since 1. 7. 1935 as the director of the
Terrestrial pulmonary sanatorium in Jevíček; 21. 4. 1936 he was habilitated for general and experimental Pathology; since 1. 1. 1937 to 31. 3. 1951 he worked as a consultant of the Department for TBC at the Bulovka Hospital in Prague (interrupted in August 1939, when he left the protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia through Poland to France and then to Great Britain, where he operated as the chairman of the Health Committee for the Czechoslovak state council; finally he left to the USA; August 1944 he was a health services director member of the Czechoslovak government delegation to the USSR; since the same year he was a member of the health committee UNRRA – United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration; he returned from emigration 12. 5. 1945); 19. 2. 1946 he was named a full professor of the clinic of Physiology effective since 1. 10. 1945, in the year 1948 he was the chairman of the Department of clinical Physiology a the MF CU in Prague, 1952 chief of the department of Pathological Physiology of the medical faculty of Hygiene (today’s 3. MF) CU in Prague; 1. 8. 1954 – 31. 8. 1956 he also operated as a professor also at the faculty of paediatrics (today’s 2. MF) CU in Prague; since 1. 2. 1958 he was the chief of the department of pathological physiology and pharmacology and chief of the Department of pathological physiology for the medical faculty of hygiene until he retired on 31. 3. 1970; he died 31. 7. 1981.

He enriched literature of physiology, pathophysiology, pneumology, ftizeology and public health; his work The Pleurosubpleural Zone, published in Cambridge in 1942, was even published after the war in France. He founded and edited Rozhledy v TBC. He applied his pathophysiological aspect in the diagnosis and treatment of respiratory diseases. He earned the founding of a department in the area of fight against tuberculosis in the Czechoslovak system; he was a member of the Masaryk League against tuberculosis, a member and chairman of the Czech Association of Pneumology and Ftizeology, he was one of the founders of the International Association for the Pathophysiology of breathing.

Josef Skládal is among the large generation of founders of the medical faculty of Hygiene at CU in Prague; he was one of those, who founded their specialties and their departments and clinics since the beginning of classes at Vinohrady and imprinted their concept.

Literature:


MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet History of Medicine 3. MF CU

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APPOINTMENT OF NEW PROFESSORS

The president of the Republic based on the proposal by the Scientific Council of Charles University in Prague according to § 73 Act No. 111/1998 Coll., on higher education effective since 2.3.2009 has named the following as a professor:

- doc. MUDr. Jiří Horáček, CSc. – field of internal diseases
  Clinic of Psychiatry and medical psychology – Psychiatric clinic

- doc. MUDr. Libuše Kolářová, CSc. – field of medical microbiology
  Department of medical microbiology

- doc. RNDr. Eva Samcová, CSc. – field of medical chemistry and biochemistry
  Department of Biochemistry, Cellular and molecular biology – Department of Biochemistry

Postgraduate Doctorate Study in Biomedicine (Ph.D.)

The Department of Normal, Pathological and Clinical Physiology at the 3. MF CU offers posts in present postgraduate students in the fields of Human physiology and pathophysiology and Neurosciences. Successful candidates will work on selected topics from the fields:

- manifestations and the suppression of neuropathic and visceral pain in rats
  (doc. MVDr. Šimon Vaculín, Ph.D., doc. MUDr. Miloslav Franěk, Ph.D.)

- metabotropic receptors and the perception of pain in rats
  (doc. MVDr. Šimon Vaculín, Ph.D., doc. MUDr. Miloslav Franěk, Ph.D.)

Methods

- behavioural, electrophysiological and molecular biological methods
- animal models of visceral, neuropathic and nociceptive pain

Requirements

- education in the medical field (before its completion),
- interest in the physiology of pain,
- understanding of English,
- involvement in performing experiments,
- involvement in teaching Physiology.

Time schedule

- Up to April 10th – candidate selection, topic selection
- April 10th – 30th – completing the application form and annotation of a research project
- April 30th – submitting application form into PDSB
- June 2009 – admission procedure
- September/October 2009 – beginning of study

Contact

Candidates will receive further information by phone, e-mail or in person from the trainers:

- doc. MUDr. Miloslav Franěk, Ph.D. e-mail: franek@lf3.cuni.cz tel.: 224902714
- doc. MVDr. Šimon Vaculín, Ph.D. e-mail: svaculin@lf3.cuni.cz tel.: 224902714

Offer of Scholarship Stays

Dear all,

We would like to notify you on current offers of scholarship stays abroad:

DENMARK: http://www2.dzs.cz/scripts/detail.asp?id=3810
Go8 March Newsletter 04/03/09

In this issue

Go8 universities attract and retain equity students
Go8 universities have a longstanding commitment to equity and take seriously their responsibilities to contribute to the national equity agenda.

Go8 welcomes ERA timeframe
The Go8 welcomes the Government’s approach to the development of a robust framework for evaluating the quality of Australian university research.

Go8 Future Research Leaders Program
The Go8 Future Research Leaders Program will be delivered at all Go8 member universities this year.

Chinese Government scholarships for Go8 students
One of the leading universities in China, Harbin Institute of Technology (HIT), offers exclusively to Go8 member universities a number of government scholarships for outstanding Australian students.

Speakers include Ministers Gillard and Carr, Go8 executive director, Michael Gallagher and Go8 vice-chancellors, Professors Hilmer and Greenfield.

Upcoming events

Inserm-CNRS ATIP – AVENIR Programme

Objectives
Under a partnership between the CNRS and Inserm, a call is launched to:
   Enable young scientists to create and lead a team within a CNRS or Inserm structure. The ATIP - AVENIR teams will strengthen the research of the host units but will develop independently their own scientific project.
   ● Promote mobility and attract young team leaders of high-level. Successful applicants will have to develop their projects within a structure in which they never worked before *.
   The ATIP - AVENIR grant is allocated for a period of 3 years. After evaluation, it can be extended for an additional 2 years. It is open to any young scientist not over forty **, without nationality restriction.
   Non-tenured scientists: The applicant should hold a PhD.
   Tenured scientists: The program is open to any scientist or university professor.

Funding
   Successful applicants will receive an annual grant of € 60 000.
   A two-year salary for a postdoctoral researcher will be awarded to the team.
   Non-tenured successful applicants will receive, a monthly salary of € 3 500 (before tax deduction, for 3 years)
   The host laboratory will provide the team with a research area of about 50m² and access to technology platforms. In the absence of a host laboratory, the applicant may submit its proposal and, in parallel, contact Inserm and CNRS to help identify a suitable site.
   Management will be provided by the agency to which the host laboratory belongs.

Selection procedure
Projects must relate to Life sciences or Health. The scientific quality of the projects will be assessed by French and...
Further information can be obtained from: Applications must be addressed before April 16th 2009
Chantal Lasserre à l’Inserm
chantal.lasserre@inserm.fr

Download the applicant file
Jean Houmard au CNRS
sdv-atipe@cnrs-dir.fr

Partners may finance or co-finance projects in their scientific areas

L’agence nationale de recherches sur le sida et les hépatites virales (ANRS), l’institut national du cancer (INCa) l’établissement français du sang (EFS), l’association pour la recherche sur le diabète (ARD), l’association française contre les myopathies (AFM), l’association pour la recherche sur le cancer (ARC), la ligue nationale contre le cancer (LNCC), la fondation Bettencourt Schueller, le ministère chargé de la santé -direction de l’hospitalisation et de l’organisation des soins (DHOS), les hôpitaux, les universités, les conseils généraux et régionaux, les laboratoires Pierre Fabre.

Růžena Hrušková, referral for Foreign Affairs

INVITATIONS AND SEMINARS

Seminars for the hepatic group at the 1st Clinic of Internal Medicine at the 3. MF CU and FNKV

Summer semester for the Acad. Year 2008/2009

Seminars are held each Friday at 14.00 in the clinic meeting room unless specified otherwise.

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We cordially invite all those interested.

Prof. MUDr. Jiří Horák, head of the clinic
March 12th, 1849 (160 years):

Karel PAWLÍK was born

Born in Klatovy, he graduated on 24. 7. 1867 at the secondary school in Klatovy; he studied at the medical faculty in Vienna (he graduated on 24. 7. 1873). His first year after graduating he worked as an intern at the 1st clinic in Vienna; since 1. 10. 1874 as an assistant of babické school in Vienna; since 1. 5. 1877 to 30. 9. 1881 an assistant of the 1st obstetrics and gynaecology clinic in Vienna; 27. 7. 1881 habilitated in gynaecology and obstetrics; 1886 head physician of the gynaecology department policlinic in Vienna; in the year 1887 his Viennese activity ended and he returned to Bohemia where he was appointed a full professor and chief of the clinic of gynaecology and obstetrics at the Czech medical faculty in Prague effective since 1.10.1887 replacing the deceased first professor of obstetrics at the Czech medical faculty Jan STRENG due to the help of a Viennese surgeon (Žamberk native) prof. Eduard ALBERT 28. 5. 1887 (1.6.1887). For the entire period of his Prague professorship he sought to improve the environment and equipment of his workplace but in vain; in 1893 he made his first proposals and plans for the construction of the Czech Gynaecology clinic next to Faustův Dům (construction was complete in 1921 for his successor Prof. Václav PITHA). In 1910 he was chosen as the chancellor of the Czech University Charles-Ferdinand, however, he never accepted it. On 1.11.1913 he retired; he died on 7.9.1914 in Prague.

He was exceptional as a teacher, clever diagnostic and remarkable surgeon; he is respected as a pioneer of urologic gynaecology around the world. His name will be forever remember in Anatomy: „PAWLÍK triangle“ (trigonum PAWŁIKA, PAWLÍK triangle) is a triangular box and the vaginal wall, adjacent to trigonum vesicae, surrounded by “PAWLÍK folds”; his inventions include many diagnostic procedures such as original method of catheterization of the urinary duct (Ueber das Sondiren der Ureteren der weiblichen Blase aus freier Hand ohne vorbereitende Operation, Centralblatt für Gynaekologie 1881; Ueber Hamleitersondirung beim Weibe und ihre praktische Verwendung, Wiener medizinische Presse 27, s. 1425-1430, 31. Okt. 1886; s. 1462-1465, 7. Nov. 1886; s. 1492-1495, 14. Nov. 1886; s. 1557-1560, 28. Nov. 1886; s. 1615-1620, 12. Dez. 1886), palpation of the contents of the uterine cavity – so called “PAWLÍK palpation” (Beitrag zur äusseren Untersuchung der Schwangeren, Wiener medizinische Blätter 1891), direct endoscopy of the urinary bladder filled with air (Endoskopie měchýře ženského, ČLČ 1894); his many primacies in operational procedures includes vesicovaginal fistula operations (Über die Operation der Blasenscheidenfisteln, Zeitschrift für Gynaekologie und Geburtshilfe 1882), extirpation of the uterus and its surrounding in cervical cancer (On the extirpation of the entire uterus and parts in the pelvic area, ČLČ 28, 1889, on the same in Internationale klinische Rundschau 3, 1889, s. 1073) and complete extirpation of the urinary bladder (Extraktion der Blasenentzündung, Wiener medizinische Wochenschrift 41, s. 1814-1815, 7. Nov. 1891), operation for urinary bladder incontinence („operation PAWLÍK-DURET“), implantation of the ureter in the uterus etc.

He was a corresponding member of the Czech Academy of Sciences, Fine Literature and Art (1890), Croatia-Slavonic doctor’s association, Prague Medical Society (1889); an honorary member of America’s Gynaecological Society; actual member of the Scientific committee of the French Medical Society L’Oeuvre d’enseignement médical complémentaire; a bearer of the title of the court council (Hofrat, 1905), the Austrian imperial order of merit of the Iron Crown 3rd class, commander of the Portugal Christ O.M> and the Franz Josef 1st class.

Literature:


MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine 3. MF CU
The Program eFEES — Records of fees from students in the English program — New — Records of fees for the academic year 2008/2009 — Made available for students since 17.03.2009

The 3.MF computing centre has created records of fees for students in the English program as ordered by the 3. FM Study Division. The program uses information on students from the study information system – student names, their current study situation in the given academic year. Information on received payments is imported in batches from the 3. FM economic system according to statements from the Czech commercial bank. A valid contract for the Academic year and proper parameters for the specific contract (method of payment-lump sum amount, payment in two instalments, the exact amount, term of payment) are assigned to each student.

According to all the above-stated amounts of the given parameters, an algorithm is created for comparison and for the calculation of the virtual current student’s financial account, which deals with the payment of “school” fees. The program automatically calculates the amount owed and event. the amount of penalty fees arising from no payment or delayed payment, calculates over-payments and allows you to send out informative e-mails directly to the students.

Fee records are the task of the 3. FM Study Division. The system records only proper data for the Academic year 2008/2009.

Access settings to the program:

• Only authorized employees from the Study Division, heads of the Study Division and system administrators (employees from the computing centre and head of the CSI) have Editing access to the program
• Browsing student payments mode is set for the economic department, faculty Secretary and for employees in the internal audit of the 3. FM CU.
• Browsing your own account mode is set for each student in the Master’s study program AVSEOB

Program access:
The program is accessible directly from the web address: http://docent.if3.cuni.cz/poplatky or from the English web pages of the 3.MF (http://www.if3.cuni.cz/en/studium/payment/) — Navigation – For Students - Student Account of Payment - program eFEES.

Registration into the program:

For registration you must have a valid CU student pass or in case of the 3.MF employees valid 3.MF CU employee’s pass and valid password into CAS.

Registration into CAS authentication (same registration method into SIS or other faculty or university systems).

(NetID): personal number under the photograph
(Password): set password in the CAS system

The student pass or CU employees can be given only by the CU distributional centres.

– Further information in the Czech language on CU pages: http://www.cuni.cz/UK-2763.html

The password into the CAS system can be set, prolonged or changed by each person using the web address: https://ldap.cuni.cz/index.php or indirectly by the faculty CAS administrator, in the case of the 3. FM contact Ondřej Kubánek, line 2482, e-mail: ondrej.kubanek@if3.cuni.cz.

After logging in each student of the AVSEOB study program will be able to print out the current status of his “account” – all received payments, current debts/over-payments and eventually the penalty process. In addition, the student may view e-mail copies sent to the study division via the eFEES program to its e-mail inbox.
During technical difficulties — program access, program control — contact the computing centre.

Ondřej Kubánek, PhDr. Martina Hábová

WINTER SPORTS COURSES

Together with the beginning of the summer semester, there is usually the end of intensive winter fun and a traditional recapitulation of winter courses. This year the DPE 2nd and 3rd MF CU held 5 basic winter courses in total. 4 courses were held traditionally in our tested destinations of Krkonoše / Rokytnice n/J., Pec p/Sn. and Špindlerův Mlýn/ and 1 course was held in Italy - Marilleva, Folgarida + Madonna di Campiglio area.

Our VSK Medic at the same time since December to March, held traditional sports courses abroad / Flachau-Austria/ or In the country – Christmas weekend in Krkonoše, spring cross-country skiing and newly even trekking on snow racquets in Jeseníky.

We believe that everyone was pleased with our courses that they did something for their health, relaxed from the completed exams or prepared themselves for the upcoming exams. Simultaneously, the students learned in several lectures information about innovations in equipment, apparel, familiarized themselves/even practically/ with health aspects while staying in a mountain environment, foundations of mountain medicine, interaction and co-operation with CR mountain service and in informal debates about much more. Simultaneously they could have rooted and compare their efforts along with the World Championships in Liberec. Due to the previous years, we must state that more students from the 3rd Faculty of Medicine signed up than ever before. So all in all: the basic winter courses that were completed with credits were attended by 186 students from both faculties, which are about 18 students more than last year. The courses were evaluated as very positive and without any serious injuries or complications. We hope that even next year we will minimally see the same interest as this year.

We are now planning these courses and based on the positive feedback we are expanding by another course abroad — either in Austria or France— and the next course will be directed into the requirements of mountain hiking and survival in mountain conditions. Any new suggestions are invited; please take advantage of the contacts on our web pages.

We wish you all a nice summer, successful completion of the summer semester and in other DPE courses /not only the winter/ we look forward to seeing you again.

Mgr. Přemysl Žák, Department of Physical Education

NOTES IN HISTORY

March 21st, 1859 (150 years): Rudolf WINTERNITZ was born

The Prague native attended all his schools in his city; upon graduation on 5. 7. 1877 at the Small Town Grammar school, he studied medical school at the Charles-Ferdinand University (graduated 19. 1. 1883 – not even a year after its language division – at the medical faculty of German Charles-Ferdinand University) in Prague. Since graduation up to 1885, he worked as an external and secondary doctor and operational élève at various departments and clinics at the Prague General Hospital; 1885-1887 as an assistant of the clinic of dermatology, after a few months long stay at the Dermatological Clinic in Wroclaw (1889) specialist doctor in Prague (still in 1940 in Prague II); since 1889 a scientific worker of the pharmacological institute and polyclinic division for dermatology and syphilidology; 6. 9. 1894 he was habilitated in Dermatology and Syphilidology upon defending his publication Über die Ausschneidungsgröße des Quecksilbers bei den verschiedenen Arten seiner Anwendung; since 1895 he was the head of the polyclinic division for sexual and dermatologic diseases, Since 1896 a consultant for dermatologic diseases in the ambulatorium of the Children’s hospital Francis Joseph; 1902 he took 2nd place in the competition for the head of the dermatology clinic in Graz; 5. 10. 1907 he received the title of assistant professor of dermatology and syphilidology; 1912 he attempted for professorship in Graz; 15. 6. 1914 he was appointed assistant professor of dermatology and syphilidology and the head of the polyclinic. In forty documents of his scientific work the theme on the use of Mercury prevailed (devoted to even in his habilitation) and new drugs; the most important publication was Die Syphilis des Urogenitalisystems (Wien 1916), and Die allgemeine Therapie der Haut (Berlin 1930). 1929 he retired. At 80, he lived through the arrival of Hitler to Prague; 9. 6. 1942 at the age of 83, as a Jew, he was transported to Terezín and in that ghetto; he lived for only 5 days: he died in Terezín immediately on 14. 6. 1942 and thus spared further transport to the annihilation camp.

Literature:


MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine at the 3. FM CU
Vita Nostra servis - Informational weekly magazine of Charles University in Prague – 3rd Faculty of Medicine. Designated for the Academic Community. In-house publishing. Edited by the 3. FM, Ruská 87, Prague 10. 150 copies. Freely distributed. The full text edition is posted on the web pages of the 3. FM. The deadline is every Thursday, and is published every Tuesday.
TEST OF GENERAL MEDICINE—6TH YEAR

On Thursday 28.5.2009 from 13.30 no later than until 18.30 a comprehensive knowledge test (CSZNXX6) will be held at the 3rd lecture hall for all students in the 6th year (including foreign students). The test will comprise of 120 questions including theoretical, preclinical and clinical subjects in medicine. Participation in these tests is mandatory. The individual results will not be subject to examination and will have no impact on the evaluation of study. For general information, there will be an anonymous scale (order with the participant’s number) and selected anonymous information of a statistic character. The test results will be used for the evaluation of study at the faculty and for the evaluation of the admission procedure. The test organizer is Doc. MUDr Marek Bednář, CSc., who will be happy to answer any of your eventual questions at the address bednarm@volny.cz. Please do not forget your identification number and pen (as you are used to from the microbiology tests, the modul IIA tests, the credit test of Modul IIC etc.). Individual transfer to another time is only possible for serious objective reasons (study internship abroad etc.)

Doc. MUDr. Marek Bednář, CSc.

STUDENT AWARDS - CANDIDATE PROPOSALS

A) THE MINISTER AWARD 2009

The award from the minister of Education, youth and physical education for exceptional students and graduates in the study program is given to students in the Bachelor, Master or Doctorate program for exceptional results in study and in the science, research, development, artistic or other creative activities

A written proposal contains:

- Name and last name of student or graduate, birth number, address
- Study program with the given study subject that the student field program that the student is studying or has graduated from
- The name of University, faculty or other legal persons, where the study program was carried out
- Student or graduate CV
- A list of published research or engineer work and documents of their scientific, research, developmental, artistic or other activities’ results
- Justification of the proposal of receiving the award.

The proposal with all its documents must be submitted in two copies.

Deadline: a written proposal for receiving the award must be submitted to the Study Division by 20. 5. 2009.

More information at: www.msmt.cz (Statute of the Minister award for Education, Youth and Sports), event. at the Study Division

B) THE JOSEF HLÁVKA AWARD

THE JOSEF HLÁVKA AWARD for the best students and graduates of Prague public higher education, Brno’s technical school and young talented employees at the ČR Academy of Science

- the award is designated for talented students in the bachelor, master’s or doctorate study program that have shown exceptional abilities and constructive ideas in their field and for young talented scientific employees at the ČR Academy of Science younger than 33 years.

Notice. Only one candidate per faculty

The written proposal contains:

- Name and last name of student or graduate, birth number, address
- Study program with the given study subject that the student field program that the student is studying or has graduated from
• The name of University, faculty or other legal persons, where the study program was carried out
• Student or graduate CV
• A list of published research or engineer work and documents of their scientific, research, developmental, artistic or other activities’ results
• Justification of the proposal of receiving the award.

The proposal with all its documents must be submitted in two copies.

Deadline: a written proposal for receiving the award must be submitted to the Study Division by 20. 5. 2009.

Personal student registrations must be only submitted via the faculty and with the faculty dean’s recommendation.

More information: www.hlakovananadace.cz

C) THE CHANCELLOR’S AWARD

THE CHANCELLOR’S AWARD – for the best graduates of Charles University

The award for medicine: The award of prof. MUDr. Karl Weigner – the award can be given to exceptional students in the Bachelor or Master’s program at the end of their studies, who have, during the course of their studies, reached exceptional results in the scientific, research, sports or cultural activities

Note.: one candidate for the Bachelor program, one candidate for the Master’s program

The written proposal contains:

• Name and last name of student, birth date, address
• Name of study program and study field
• Study results and evaluation for the course of studies
• A list of published research or engineer work and documents of their scientific, research, developmental, artistic or other activities’ results
• Justification of the proposal of receiving the award.

Deadline: a written proposal for receiving the award must be submitted to the Study Division by do 15. 6. 2009.

More information on the award: Chancellor Provision No. 10/2001

CSI INFORMATION

For all of Charles University, trial access into BMJ Best Practice was set up until 17. 4. 2009

You can find the source at http://bestpractice.bmj.com/best-practice/welcome.html (direct access from 3. MF computers), remote access is still being discussed but as soon as the remote access will be activated, we will complete this information on the web pages (CSI news).

The source with a description and other information can be found on the portal of electronic sources at CU - http://pez.cuni.cz/ezdroje/zdroj.php?lang=cs&id=434&freetrials=1

A detailed description:

Best Practice is a knowledge-based tool to promote decision-making combining the latest results in research with various instructions and expert opinions. The results are presented in individual steps and cover the actual diagnosis, development prognosis, therapy methods and prevention. Best Practice contains even the complete information from the BMJ Clinical Evidence, thus becomes an invaluable tool for clinical practice and for study and research.

Take advantage of the trial access into the new source in the Physiotherapy field: Rehabilitation Reference Center™ Evidence-based medicine clinical reference tool – can be accessed from 1. 3. 2009 to 30. 5. 2009

Try out the brand new resource for physiotherapy that was made accessible for the 3. MF and for the FNKV since 1. 3. 2009. This database can be tested by 30. 5. 2009.

Direct access to the database can be found at:

For remote access, the 3.MF employees can use the following link:
For FNKV employees, who do not have the opportunity to register using the university personal card, remote access (outside the 3. MF and FNKV network – e.g. from home) can be found using a password – to send you the password please contact the CSI at: mvs@lf3.cuni.cz – a condition is to have an employee contract with FNKV!!!


Miroslava Plecitá, CSI

AN OFFER OF INTERUNIVERSITY CO-OPERATION

Dear heads of clinics,

Allow us to inform you that Justus-Liebig-Universität Giessen /further as JLU/ in Germany has shown an interest of beginning an interuniversity co-operation with CU.

JLU Giessen was founded in the year 1607, and belongs among the oldest universities in the Federal Republic of Hesse. It has 11 faculties, of which all subjects from humanities to natural sciences including medicine, 8 science centres and two centres that are part of the “excellence initiative”. More information can be found at: http://www.uni-giessen.de.

In particular, two JLU Giessen centres showed an interest in co-operation with CU:

1. Das Giessener Zentrum Östliches Europa/Giessen Center for Eastern European Studies (GiZo), inter-branch scientific and research centre covering subjects of law, economic science, social and cultural sciences (education, politics, sociology, history, Eastern European history, art history, history of journalism, evangelic and catholic theology), languages (Slavic studies, German studies, English studies, Romanist studies). Here are the subjects that were moved from the partnering Philippus-Universität Marburg (mainly Slavic studies and Eastern European history).


2. Das Giessener Graduiertenzentrum Kulturwissenschaften/ International Graduate Centre for the Study of Culture (GCSC), international centre in the “Excellence initiative” is focused on educating doctorate students and innovative research in the area of humanities, culture and social sciences.

More information at: http://gsc.uni-giessen.de/wps/pgn/home/gcsc_eng/.

JLU Giessen is open to establishing co-operation even in other fields, and so in the exchange of research and educational employees for the co-operation in joint projects, student and doctorate student exchanged and is ready to participate in the common management of the doctorate study program (cotutelle).

Dear head of the clinics, we would like you to let us know if you are interested in establishing co-operation with JLU Giessen. If so, please present your co-operation topics and the responsible workers and workplaces for those topics to both universities in German/English and Czech language. These topics will be delivered to the foreign party.

Růžena Hrušková, referral for Foreign Affairs

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... tour of the St. Wenceslav church included in the price of the ticket

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Avet Terterian Symphony No. 6
Radim Sedmidubský – viola
conductor: Peter Vrábel

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DEAN’S ORDERS

DEAN’S ORDER No. 5/2009
On the dates of the state examination in the Academic Year 2008/2009

MASTER’S STUDY
Portion of the state rigorous examinations in the field of preventative medicine
Place: dean’s office, 1st floor, room number 224 and 223

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Max. amount of students examined per day: 10

This order:
- Is effective upon issue: 25.3.2009
- Is valid until: 12.9.2009
- Obeys all internal regulations
- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine

DEAN’S ORDER No. 6/2009,
Which shall be issued by this Dean’s measure on the fees for the Academic Year 2009/2010

FEES ASSOCIATED WITH STUDIES for the Academic Year 2009/2010

In accordance to the regulation § 58 of Act No. 111/1998 Coll., on Universities and the changes and supplements of other regulations and in accordance with provision of Article 33 of the Statute of Charles University in Prague for the Academic Year 2009/2010, the following charges associated with study are applied:

1. Fee for a longer study period (if the student is in the study program longer than the standard study time increased by one year in the Bachelor or Master’s study program):

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The stated financial amount is for each semester or six months of study.

2. Fee for another study program (if a graduate of a Bachelor or Master’s program is studying in another Bachelor of Master’s program. This, however, is not valid for a student of a Bachelor’s program that is studying in a connected Master’s study program or in the case of overlapping proper study programs not exceeding the standard study period of either of the study programs.):

2,900,- Kč

The stated financial amount is for each additional year of study.
3. Fees for studying in the English language:
   a) for payment of the entire amount by 30. 10. 2009, the fee totals: 290.000,-Kč or
   b) for payment in two instalments based on the contract between the student and the 3rd MF CU in Prague and by student’s request:
      305.000,- Kč
      1st instalment 150.000,- Kč if paid by 30. 10. 2009
      2nd instalment 155.000,- Kč if paid by 28. 2. 2010

The student that is registering into the first year of study is required to pay no later than August 30th, 2009 a deposit in the amount of 10.000,-Kč that is non-refundable. The deposit amount is reduced by letter a) or the 1st instalment according to letter b) of point 3 of this order.

Charges accounted by the sending bank or the receiving bank are to be paid for by the payer.
Proper payment is based on the date and amount in CZK that has been credited to the faculty’s account.
The stated financial amount is relative to one year of study.

4. a) Admission procedure fees:
   Electronic application form 480,-- Kč
   Classic (paper) application form 580,-- Kč
   Concerning each study field (program) that the student is applying for
   Payable: by 28. 2. 2010
   b) Fees for the admission procedure – in English: 35,-- EUR
   Those applicants whose admission exam was arranged by one of the agencies with which the faculty has a concluded contract can be pardoned the fee.
   Payable: by 31. 5. 2010
   c) Fees for the admission procedure – postgraduate studies: 500,- Kč
   Payable: by 30. 4. 2010

Offers from the Chancellor’s Office

Dear all,
The CU chancellor’s office was offered study programs from the University of Bridgeport.
More information can be found on their web pages: http://grageducation.net/

Dear all,
We have received an offer from the Global Meducation Services.
More information can be found at: www.globalmeducation.com
Mazen B. Eldeen
Business Development Manager, Global Meducation Services (GMS),
Tel: +421 907 357 331, Email: mazen.eldeen@globalmeducation.com

Růžena Hrušková, referral for Foreign Affairs

Nomination of New Associate Professors

According to § 72 paragraph 11 of Act No. 111/1998 Coll., on higher education, the chancellor of Charles University in Prague named the following as an Associate Professor effective since 1.4.2009

RNDr. Ing. Petra Tůmu, Ph.D. – Analytical Chemistry
Department of Biochemistry, Cellular and Molecular Biology – Department of Biochemistry

Jaromír Chlapec
Head of the Personnel and Wages department
CORRECTION OF ANNOUNCEMENT

In the VNS No. 9/2009 issue, the following incorrect information on the naming of professors according to § 73 Act No. 111/1998 Coll., on higher education effective since 2.3.2009 doc. MUDr. Jiřího Horáčka, Ph.D. – field of internal disorders, Clinic of Psychiatry and Medical Psychology – Psychiatric clinic. I sincerely apologize for the incorrect information.

Jarmír Chlapeč
Head of the Personnel and Wages department

VERIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS AND AUTHENTICITY OF SIGNATURES

Under Act No, 634/2004 Coll., on administrative fees, § 8 paragraph 1) Charles University in Prague is exempt from an administrative fee to verify compliance to transcripts or a copy of the document of title and the verification of the authenticity of signatures, if requested by executions by the state administration. The verification must be performed by executive authorities (such as state representatives) and further territorial authorities (such as the Municipality of the capital Prague, ÚMČ, MěÚ) and the legal person authorities if they are carrying out in the scope of state administration.

Jarmír Chlapeč
Head of the Personnel and Wages department

CSI INFORMATION

Nursing@Ovid - online portal allowing convenient access to full text information for Nursing and Health personnel based on cutting edge interface OvidSP.

From 1. 4. to 30. 4. 2009 trial access into the Nursing@Ovid database is set. You can use it either for direct access from a CU IP address or remote access upon registering through the EZProxy portal.

More information including access at the Electronic sources address can be found at:

Nursing@Ovid is a new online service from the company Ovid. It is an online portal allowing convenient access to full text information for nursing and medical personnel, based on the cutting edge interface OvidSP. The portal was built by the use of intensive discussions with leading experts in the field in order to provide direct responses on daily clinical and scientific questions they encounter in the doctor’s offices or in a study.

Nursing@Ovid is composed of the following components:
- Ovid Nursing Subject Thesaurus – a guided dictionary on specialist terminology developed especially for Nursing@Ovid including practical diagnostics, patient status, therapy etc.
- Ovid Nursing Database is based on specially established subset OvidMEDLINE that completes other bibliographical data from Ovid and their indexation is used for the Ovid Nursing Subject Thesaurus
- Ovid Universal Search – the newest federative search from Ovid allows to search and display relevant information and from sources outside Ovid
- Full text sources – especially highly quoted specialist journals from leading publishers including the sister’s company Ovid - Lippincott Williams & Wilkins
- Specialized search filters allowing and speeding up the search

Miroslava Plecitá, CSI

NEUROSCIENCE SUMMER SCHOOL

2009 PENS Summer School on the Metabolic Aspects of Chronic Brain Diseases

Thursday 9 - Wednesday 15 of July, 2009

Reisensburg Castle, Günzburg, Germany Supported by the Graduate School for Molecular Medicine, University of Ulm

GAUDIUM PRAGENSE
The collective choir of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine at Charles University

Would like to invite you to a traditional Spring concert

On Thursday, April 23rd, 2009 at 19.30,
In the large auditorium Karolina, Prague 1, Ovocný trh 3

The concert is held under the auspices of the dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine Doc. MUDr. B. Svobody, CSc.

Program

W. A. Mozart (1756-1791): Sancta Maria, mater Dei
I.F. Stravinskij (1882-1971): Ave Maria
F.J. Tůma (1704-1774): Stabat Mater
C. Monteverdi (1567-1643): 3 parts of the Mariánky evening prayers
W. A. Mozart (1756-1791): Veni Sancte Spiritus
K. Harant (1564-1621): Maria Kron
J. S. Bach (1685-1750): Sinfonia from the cantata "Ich gehe und suche mit Verlangen" BWV 49
C. Ph. E. Bach (1714 - 1788) : Magnificent part No.9 Sicut erat

Performers:
Orchestra and the Gaudium Pragense choir
Ivana Michalovičová — organ
Conducted by Lukáš Hurník

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DEAN’S ORDER No. 9/2009

On dates of the state examinations in the Academic Year 2008/2009

MASTER’S STUDY: GENERAL MEDICINE

Part of the state rigorous examination in Paediatrics
Place: Office of the Head of the Children and Youth Clinic
Max. amount of students per day: 10

Part of the state rigorous examination in Neurobehavioural Sciences:
Place: will be specified – most likely at the Neurological clinic
Max. amount of students per day: 12

Date: 5. 5. 2009
Date: 7. 7. 2009

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc., dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine

REQUISITION

Some forgotten objects have been found at the dean’s office of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine. If you are missing something, please contact the student organization TRIMED, e-mail: trimed@if3.cuni.cz or the secretary of the Academic Senate of the 3.MF CU, e-mail: jana.jenicova@if3.cuni.cz eventually by phone 267 102 227.

Upon agreement those objects will be returned.

In Prague, April 1st, 2009.

Jana Jeníčková

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Růžena Hrušková, referát pro zahraniční styky

NOTES IN HISTORY

April 10th, 1749 (260 years): Jiří PROCHÁSKA was born
Born in Blížkovice (near Znojmo) he studied at the Znojmo Secondary School from 1756-1765, then 1767-1769 Philosophy in Olomouc and then the medical faculty in Vienna from 1769-1776; in 1774-1774 he also worked as an assistant at the medical faculty in Vienna; upon providing his dissertation De urinis, he graduated on 5. 11. 1776 in Phil. et Med. Dr., 29. 3. 1778 mag. of ophthalmology, all at the University in Vienna. In 1776-1778, he worked as an assistant to the professor of Ophthalmology in Vienna, in March or in April 1778, he was named an associate professor of Anatomy in Vienna, however, already on 5. 6. 1778, he was called to Prague as a full professor of Anatomy and Ophthalmology at the MF CFU in Prague; at the same time he worked as a municipal eye doctor. As a first he introduced in Prague the teaching of Ophthalmology at the MF on 26. 10. 1786 he was named a full professor in Higher Anatomy and Physiology and Ophthalmology at the MF CFU in Prague; in 1789 he was elected dean. After 13 years of work he left Prague when he was named on 1. 10. 1791, a full professor of Higher Anatomy, Physiology and Ophthalmology at the MF in Vienna and he remained in this function until his retirement on 9. 6. 1819. At both of his workplaces in Prague and in Vienna, he raised the bar on training and the equipment of the departments; the perfection of his anatomical specimens were famous and so many foreign universities bought his collection. He was a pioneer in the exploration of the vascular system. He also published Ophthalmology but mainly his work in Anatomy and Physiology entered into the History of medical literature; his work is strongly remembered in the history of Physiology of the Nervous System – a pioneering significance was Procháska’s concept of the neural reflex, formulated in his works issued in Prague over two and a half centuries ago: De functionibus systematis nervosi commentatio, Praeae 1784 (Czech issue in Prague 1954). A great reputation was received for his textbook on Physiology Lehrsätze aus der Physiologie des Menschen, Wien 1797 (apart from three German issues, it was published in Latin, Russian and Polish; the Czech issue was in Prague in 1956 and 1971). His great interests included drawing, music and archaeology. He was a member of the Royal Czech Society teachings even in foreign medical societies (Paris, Hanau, and Petersburg). He died in Vienna on 17. 7. 1820.

Literature:

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine at the 3. MF CU
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DEAN’S ORDER NO. 10/2009

On dates of the state examinations in the Academic Year 2008/2009

MASTER’S STUDY: GENERAL MEDICINE

Part of the state rigorous examination in the field of internal medicine
Place: students will be divided according to the breakdown at the 2nd internal clinic on the day of the exam

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Max. amount of students examined per day: 12 students

Part of the state rigorous examination in preventative medicine
Place: dean’s office, 1st floor, room number 224 and 223

28. 4. 2009

Max. amount of students examined per day: 10

This order:
- is effective upon issue: 7. 4. 2009
- is valid until: 27. 8. 2009
- obeys all internal regulations
- was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, Csc.
Dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine

SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM OF STUDENTS

Scientific Symposium of Students will be held on 19th May 2009 from 09:00 in Burian's hall. We would like to notice all participants, especially students, who have chosen Scientific Student Activity over Compulsory Selectable Courses, to send your application form including synopsis using our web form.

If you would like to send a graphical attachment to your form, please do so via e-mail. Do not forget to include your name, grade and title of your thesis.

Synopsis should be about one page long and contain thesis goal, method description, results and conclusion.

http://trimed.lf3.cuni.cz

SUMMER COURSE BIOETHICS

Humanizing Tomorrow’s Biomedicine
XIII International Intensive Course in Bioethics
13th – 24th July, 2009 – UDINE, ITALY

Department of Pharmacology and the Department of Ethics is announcing the summer course on Bioethics held in Udine during the days 13.7.- 24.7.09.

Accommodations, Food, Transportation: covered by an European grant
Course fee: free of charge
Number of vacant posts: 4
Qualifications: completed at least 3rd year of study of the Master’s program or Bachelor’s program at the 3. MF, good understanding of English
Application forms: study department
Application deadline: 30.4.2009
For more information see SIS. The course is open even for PGS students.
Application forms along with a curriculum vitae and motivational letter in English must be submitted to the Department of Pharmacology at the 3. MF CU. Those interested will be informed of the results of the selection procedure, which will take place based on the submitted documents. The informational meeting for candidates shall be held on 23.4.09 at 15:00 in the Pharmacology classroom No. 523.

MUDr. Jitka Patočková
Mgr. Marek Vácha

GRiFFiTH UNiVERSITY

Dear colleagues,
The chancellor’s office has sent us an offer on the direct utilisation of Griffith University, Australia.
Further information: http://www.griffith.edu.au/research

Růžena Hrušková, referral for Foreign Affairs

SUMMER SPORTS COURSES

Department of Physical Education at the 2nd and 3rd MF is holding basic summer sports courses:

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Department of Physical Education at the 2nd and 3rd MF in cooperation with the VSK Medik Praha is holding extended summer sports courses:

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PaedDr. Ivana Vladyková
Summer committee DPE

NOTES IN HISTORY

1954 (55 years):
One of the street in Vienna’s Essling named after Vojtěch DUCHEK
For Germans Adalbert, for Czechs Vojtěch DUCHEK was born on December 1st, 1824 in Prague as a son of a physician. In his native town he studied secondary school, philosophy even medicine and upon defending his dissertation Über die Wirbel-Tuberkulose, Prag 1848, Diss. vol. 669 N. 18 there he graduated (September 8th, 1848 Med. Dr., December 23rd, 1848 Chir. Dr.); until October 1850 he worked as a houseman at the Prague Institute of the brain diseases (here he concentrated on brain atrophy in relation to paralytic dementia, while he supported his study with pathological anatomical autopsy in the spirit of Rokitansky); since November 1850 to September 1851 he worked as a houseman at the general hospital, whereupon he was asked to work at Prague’s university: 1851-1853 he worked as an assistant at the 2nd medical clinic prof. Josef HAMERNÍK, shortly at the same time he was an assistant of the department of pathological anatomy prof. Joseph ENGEL an assistant at the department of medical chemistry prof. Josef Udalrich/Oldřicha LERCH; later from 1853-1854 as an interim assistant at the zoochemical institute, during the summer semester 1854 as a provisional dissector at the pathological anatomical institute and since November 1854 an assistant at the 2nd medical clinic again; at that time he pointed out his work on the relationship of alcohol metabolism, on urotropin acid, on aldehydes etc.; in the year 1855, he was called upon as a professor of the medical
clinical at the medical-surgical training centre in Lyova and immediately in the year 1856 at the University of Heidelberg, where at the same time he substituted for pathological anatomy. In 1858 he worked as a full professor at the medical clinic at the newly re-opened Josef’s medical-surgical anatomy (Josefinum) in Vienna; he worked there for 13 years (1858-1871), he published very renowned works on respiratory tract diseases, vascular and heart diseases and in 1862 he began in Erlangen to issue a textbook Handbuch der speziellen Pathologie und Therapie. Upon the departure of the founder of the “second Viennese medical school” Josef ŠKODA into retirement in 1871 he was unanimously chosen as his successor in the medical clinic at the General Hospital (1871-1882) and he remained in this position until his death. He was admired for his ability of being an excellent diagnostician, as a responsible physician in pharmacotherapy (he tried to take the middle route between therapeutic nihilism and the opposite extreme) and an exceptional teacher.

From his planned works on special pathology and therapy of internal diseases he managed only to finish „Krankheiten des Herzens, des Herzbeflets und der Arterien“ and „Krankheiten des Larynx, der Trachea und Schildrüse“, in: Handbuch der speziellen Pathologie und Therapie, Bd. I, Erlangen 1862; „Scorbut (Scharbock), scorbutus“, in: F. Pitha, T. Billroth (eds.), Handbuch der allgemeinen und speziellen Chirurgie 1, 2. Abt. A, Erlangen 1876. He co-edited Wiener medicinische Jahrbücher a Zeitschrift der k. k. Gesellschaft der Ärzte zu Wien. Český publikoval v ČLČ and inEiseltov’s Specialist pathology and therapy. He sympathized with the Czech national movement, he thought about donating his assets to the Czech Academy of Sciences. As the court council he died March 2nd, 1882 in Vienna. In the year 1901, his torso statue by J. Grünhut was unfolded in the courtyard of the Viennese University. Since the year 1954, one of the streets in Essling in the 22nd Viennese district called Dachegasse.

Literature:

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine at the 3.MF

INVITATION

The Prague Summer Theatre School

at the Theatre Faculty of the Academy of Performing Arts (DAMU)

June 14th to July 3rd, 2009

http://www.damu.cz/zahrani/invitation/thepraguesummertheatreschool

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ASSEMBLY OF THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY AT THE 3.MF CU

On Tuesday, May 26th, 2009 the dean is convening the Academic Community of the 3.MF CU in the Syllaba lecture hall:

- from 15.00 for Czech students
- From 15.45 for students studying in the English program.

DEAN’S ORDER NO. 11 AND 12/2009

On the dates of the State Examinations in the Academic Year 2008/2009

MASTER’S STUDY
Part of the state rigorous examination in the field of Preventative medicine
Place: dean’s office, 1st floor, room number 224 and 223
Max. Amount of students per day: 10

Part of the state rigorous examination in the state rigorous examination in the field of preventative medicine
Place: students will be divided according to the breakdown at the 2nd internal clinic on the day of the examination
Max. Amount of students per day: 6

Part of the state rigorous examination in the field of surgical subjects
Place: surgical clinic and FNKV and 3. MF
Max. Amount of students per day: 10
Dates: 18.5.2009

This order:
- Is effective from: 5.5.2009
- Follows all internal regulations
- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Cancellation of classes on May 19th

Tuesday, May 19th, 2009 classes are cancelled in all years of study and study programs at the 3. MF CU

This order:
- Is effective from May 19th, 2009
- Follows all internal regulations

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine
SUMMER PRACTICAL NURSING EXPERIENCE

Practical nursing experience is a part of the Master’s study program in General Medicine. The practical experience may be completed after second year. A requirement for completing the practical experience is to fulfill the credit for Basic Nursing. The practical experience is in part organized by the 3.MF CU in cooperation with FNKV, and partially organized by the students themselves. The students from Slovakia can also complete these requirements in their own country under the same circumstances as the Czech students.

The main objectives of the practical experience
The student under the surveillance of experienced nurses will expand their knowledge and gain practical experience in patient care (the basic and specialist nursing care) for in-patient facilities. The student will be introduced to the organized duties in nursing care and to the management of the hospital. The student will learn the basic requirements for nurses and of the whole medical care team. The student will gain experience and will master communication with the patients and with the whole medical care team.

Scope and focus
The holiday practical experience will run for 3 weeks at the in-patient care area of the basic department of internal medicine and surgery that means at the Department of Surgery, Internal Medicine, Orthopaedics, Urology, Neurology. The students will be required to complete all three different time shifts. They will complete 3–6 afternoon shifts, 1 – 3 night shifts and 1 Saturday or Sunday shift. The work hours are 40 hours per week (including the 30 minute break).

Work Fulfillment
The work is focused on the work fulfillment of the nurses in their particular department. Aside from nursing care, the student must complete individual nursing duties that are all recorded into the attached list confirmed by the nurse. All of the duties are performed under the surveillance of the experienced nurse that was authorized by the department/clinic. During holiday practical experience, the students cannot be given duties outside the scope of the nursing care.

Organization
The dates of the practical experience is based on the individual arrangement where the requirement is that the student must work for three weeks consecutively as described above and during the holiday period while no instruction is taking place (from 8.6. to 25.9. 2009).

a) Individually arranged practical experience
At the study division, the students must pick up request forms (1. An arrangement of the practical nursing experience 2x, 2. A syllabus of the practical nursing experience – Nursing- 2x, 3. A list of the nursing duties for completion the practical nursing experience, 4. An introductory letter of confirmation on completing practical nursing experience, 5. An 2 evaluation of the student, 6. A confirmation of study status).

The introductory letter including the syllabus and the arrangement will be given to the head nurse (the assistant manager of nursing care). He/she will deliver one copy of the agreement to the Study Division and will deliver the Confirmation on completing the practical experience (a part of the introductory letter) by 8.6.2009 to the Department of Medical Ethics and Nursing from Mgr. Jana Holubová (Pavilion X, 3rd floor, room number 415, Secretariat 413, mail box). During the practical experience the student must complete responsibilities as indicated in the syllabus. He/she must hand in 1. syllabus, 2. student evaluation at the appropriate department/clinic to the head nurse or departmental nurse. Completes the list of duties and has them approved.

b) Practical experience at FNKV
Students will pick up the necessary documents at the Study Division and will visit the head nurse of the respective department. Then they will need to establish an appropriate date and then go to /Mgr.Jirkovský/ that will confirm the contract and the introductory letter. The student will submit one copy of the contract to the study division and the confirmation-part of the introductory letter will be given by 8.6. 2009 to Mgr. Jana Holubová (Pavilion X, Department for Medical Ethics and Nursing, 3rd floor, room number 415, Secretariat 413, mail box).

During the completion of the care, the student is responsible for fulfilling all the requirements of the syllabus. At the department, the student will submit to the head nurse 1. syllabus, 2. evaluation of the student. The list of duties will be in the student’s possession as the student progressively completes them and receives confirmation by the nurse.
Students living in Prague are recommended to fulfill their experience at the FNKV heath facility. Due to the fact, that you will be performing more practical experience in the hospital in the following years, we consider it a great benefit for further studies that you will gain experience from these workplaces.

Credit

Credit for practical nursing experience will be given during registration into the next year. The documents needed for this credit are 1. The evaluation of the student, 2. A confirmation on returning the work clothes (if they were borrowed), 3. A confirmed list of duties (100% know how to be performed, 90% were performed).

The students, who attended Nursing Secondary School or University, are exempt from completing the practical nursing experience. Students will pick up a form at the Study Division and will submit it to Mgr. Jana Holubová (415) along with documents indicating their completion of the given school.

If there are any questions regarding the practical nursing experience (perhaps regarding hospitals, contacts, dates, etc.) Mgr. Jana Holubová will be happy to answer them every Tuesday by telephone at 606 394 708.

Doc. MUDr. Daniela Janovská, CSc.
Vice-dean for Study Affairs and Education

STUDENT SURVEY / EVALUATION

For students of the English Curriculum

Dear Students,

I would like to thank each one of you that took the time to fill out a Student Survey. I am working very hard on my report and presentation to give to the Academic Senate and to the Deans. I am still going over and organizing everything. I am also seeing trends on what needs to be fixed (the complaints) and what seems to be working. If you have not had the chance to fill out a Student Survey, please swing by the Study Division and pick one up. You may give them back to the Study Division or to me.

There was a very large turn out amongst the 1st, 2nd, and 5th years.

I wish you happy studies and an enjoyable summer.....

Scott Keel

SSC 2009

Dear students and members of the teaching staff,

Another year has past and once again we have the Student Scientific Conference at our faculty. The registered contributions are indicative of the high quality of work of those, who have instead of selecting optional courses have chosen student research activity. As you can see from years past, the effort of these students is not sufficiently appreciated by other members of the Academic community since their representation in the audience is usually very sporadic. I firmly believe that the situation this year will be improved and you will come to support your colleagues and you will establish a decent atmosphere of the public presentation of their annual scientific efforts.

As every year, the winners of the pre-clinical and clinical section will continue to the nationwide competition and equally to the competition on the Prize for medicine organized by the company Pierre Fabre Médicament Ltd. and the French Embassy in the CR.

We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 19.5.2009 in the Burian lecture hall!

doc. MUDr. Romana Šlamberová, Ph.D., Coordinator of the SSC

STUDENT RESEARCH ACTIVITY 09/10

3rd and/or 4th year
Czech and English Curriculum

Dpt. of Normal, Pathological and Clinical Physiology 3. LF UK offers the following themes for Student Research Activity (instead of Compulsory Selectable Courses):
• comparison of pain evaluation methods
• analgesic effect of alpha2 adrenergic receptor agonists
• effect of GABA<sub>a</sub> receptor ligands on body temperature
• analgesic effect of GABAB receptor allosteric modulators
• interference of animal identification with nociceptive tests

Contact
For more details please do not hesitate to contact by phone, e-mail or personally:
doc. MUDr. Miloslav Franěk, Ph.D. e-mail: franek@lf3.cuni.cz tel.: 224902714
doc. MVDr. Simon Vaculin, Ph.D. e-mail: svaculin@lf3.cuni.cz tel.: 224902714

Nomination of New Associate Professors
According to § 72 para 11 Act No. 111/1998 Coll., on universities the chancellor of Charles University in Prague named the following as an associate professor effective from 1.5.2009
MUDr. Aleš Bartoš, Ph.D. – field of Neurology
Clinic of Neurology

Jaromír Chlapec
Head of the dept. of Personnel and Wages

Promotional Items at the 3. MF CU.
A permanent offer of promotional items at the 3.MF CU (prices and designs) is located on the web pages of the faculty. New items that can be purchased are quality silk ties with the 3.MF CU logos.
The purchasing price of one tie is 450,- Kč.

Ing. Jana Mužíková v.r.
Secretary of the 3.MF CU

Let’s Applaud Ourselves

The Department of Anatomy would like to thanks the students Petr Macháček, Katarína Jaššová, Jan Salač, Tomáš Přívětivý, Josef Fontan, Mária Kultánová, Jan Seeman, Tomáš Pelcl, Kristina Nešpolová, Petra Šebková, Martin Lvončik a Marek Koňařík for altruistic and devoted help teaching the 2nd year students for their summer necropsy practical experience.

Ivanka Žižalová, Department of Anatomy

CSI Information
Subscribers to the DynaMed database of which the 3. MF is a part are being offered by the operator of this database – the EBSCO company, clinical summaries and new updated information on the virus A(H1N1). Those interested can have a look at: http://www.ebscohost.com/dynamed/h1n1/
The database is available on the computers with the 3.MF CU IP addresses; you can connect from home, dorms or from other places using the remote access through the EZProxy portal.

Mirka Plecitá
Centre for Scientific information

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The student scientific conference was held on May 19th, 2009 in the Burian lecture hall of the 3. MF CU. At the conference 18 projects were presented: where 8 were clinical and 10 preclinical (scientific section). This breakdown is used in the national competition, where winners shall proceed to. This year’s SSC should possibly merit even another breakdown and that of “Medical policies”. The students were evaluated by a 7-member committee with the appropriate representation from preclinical and clinical disciplines (without a conflict of interest). The committee had the following composition:

Head of the committee
doc. MUDr. Romana Šlamberová, Ph.D. – Department of Normal, Pathologic and clinical physiology

Members of the committee
prof. MUDr. Radana Königová, CSc. – Clinic of Burn medicine
prof. MUDr. Miloslav Kršiak, DrSc. – Dept. of Pharmacology
prof. RNDr. Jan Kovář, DrSc. – Dept. of Biochemistry, Cellular and Molecular Biology
doc. MUDr. Jan Mareš, CSc. – Department of Normal, Pathologic and clinical physiology
doc. MUDr. Ivan Rychlík, CSc. - II. Internal clinic
MUDr. Miloslav Kopeček – Psychiatric centre Prague

The presenting students were evaluated by the pre-defined criteria points 1-5, where 1 is the worst and 5 the best evaluation. The points of each member were totalled and based on the achieved individual scores the order was established for clinical and preclinical sections.

In the clinical section the first three places went to:
1. Josef Fontana (supervisor: M. Anděl): Hypoglykémie na jedenace intenzivní metabolické péče FNKV: Výskyt, příčiny, léčení, výsledky u 100 pacientů – 207 points
3. Andrej Mikolášík (supervisor: M. Hendrichová, J. Horáč): Vztah koncentrace NT-proBNP k parametrům metabolické jaterní funce hodnocené pomocí dechového testu s 13C-methacetinem u pacientů s akutní dekompenzaci chronického srdečního selhání – 189 points

In the preclinical section the first three places went to:
1. Markéta Kostrouchová (supervisor: V. Mandys): Proteomic changes of malignant cells induced by short-term treatment with valproic acid – 196 points

Winners were rewarded not only with credit (as all actively presenting students), but also with a gift voucher for the purchase of books in the vestibule of the 3.MF CU faculty in the amount of 1 500,- (1st place); 1 000,- (2nd place) and 500,- Kč (3rd place). Each of the 1st places (one from each section) shall proceed to the national competition in the student scientific conference and also into the national competition for the prize for medicine held by the company Pierre Fabre Médicament Ltd. and the French embassy in ČR. In this nationwide sponsored competition the financial prize is very rewarding.

1st prize will amount to 60 000,- Kč and a two-month scholarship in France
2nd prize will amount to 30 000,- Kč and a one-month scholarship in France
3rd prize will amount to 20 000,- Kč and a two-week scholarship in France

Congratulations to the winners!

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I would like to take the opportunity to thank the management of the faculty for its financial support of the event, including the sponsorship of the gift vouchers and to the dean for cancelling classes during the time of the conference, which proved to be necessary in particular for the teaching staff in the committee. Unfortunately this benevolence of the dean was not mirrored for the students that were not competing. Nonetheless, I must state that the participation this year was a little better than last year and I equally appreciate the participation of the teaching staff in the audience.

My personal thanks goes to the members of the evaluation committee. I greatly appreciate that despite all the complications and necessary schedule adjustments they were capable of finding the time and support their students at this conference. Their targeted questions and fair evaluations gave a respectful atmosphere of the whole conference.

A great acknowledgement go to students Peter Ivák (4th year) and Pavel Sekerka (5th year) for their preparation and successful course of the whole conference. The students have solely thought up and created web forms for easier registration of their projects for the conference and abstract sending. They handled the printing of posters and created and print of the collection of abstracts. Their enthusiasm for a successful event was very welcomed and I only hope that in the lower years we will be able to find equally enthusiastic students to continue with their work.

Last but not least I value the work of all students that have presented their results of their year-long work. For some students it was evident that they intend to pursue actively their scientific activities and their knowledge of their examined issues is being reinforced from year to year. All participating students portrayed high quality performances and approached their scientific activities responsibly.

Allow me to add that choosing a SSA requires a greater effort and represents greater time consumption than some Mandatory optional courses on which a student receives credit only for “participation”. We should consider whether we could provide greater motivational factors for the students that chose the SSA either in financial sums or other compensation. In fact, an overwhelming majority of students will be doing a form of postgraduate studies that will require such scientific knowledge. Those students that will gain such experience during their studies will have an easier position even when beginning their clinical or research activities.

doc. MUDr. Romana Šlamberová, Ph.D., SSC co-ordinator

**AN OFFER FROM THE CHANCELLOR’S OFFICE**

Dear colleagues,

The CU chancellor’s office has sent us information for students on summer courses of Chinese medicine that will be held from **13.7.2009-21.8.2009** at the National Yang-Ming University in Taiwan.

Further information can be found at: [http://issue.ym.edu.tw/cia/new/](http://issue.ym.edu.tw/cia/new/)

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**SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDY IN GERMANY**

- KAAD – Eastern Europe – program ([www.kaad.de](http://www.kaad.de)) -
  
  Catholic academic service for foreigners – registered society (KAAD/Bonn)
  
  Scholarship for Christian students (after 6th semester), university graduates and research workers

(Basic information)

KAAD, the German catholic scholarship organization has provided to young Christian academics, study and research scholarships and since has over 7 000 graduates displaced in 117 countries. Those scholarship recipients and applicants have a world-wide contact and partnership network.

As part of the program “Eastern Europe” scholarships for study purposes, research experience and research projects are provided twice per year (March and September). Those interested can continue these studies at some of Germany’s academic universities, researching institutes, archives, clinics etc. depending on their selection.

There are no subject limitations.

**The following documents must be submitted (apart from others):**

1. Application form (immediately send to KAAD)
2. Research project (study objective, experience, event. Research stay)
3. 2 testimonials from domestic university associate professors / professors
4. Commitment/ invitation of German associate professor or institution
5. Recommendation from applicant's priest
6. Written confirmation of a sufficient knowledge of the German language

Duration of scholarship: 2-36 months
Scholarship amount: from 540,- to 1530,- EUROS/month

Travel expenses (there and back) and health insurance are paid by KAAD

Where can you get scholarship application forms and further information?
Scholarship application forms and information on the program “Eastern Europe” can be asked for by e-mail (address: Radwanski@kaad.de; oe1@kaad.de) at the KAAD central in Bonn (mailing address: KAAD/program Eastern Europe, Hausdorffstr. 151, D-53129, Bonn, tel.: +49 228 91758-33, fax: +49 228 9175858).

Further information of the program “Eastern Europe” see: http://kaad.de/deutsch/vorausoe.htm
Absolutely completed scholarship application forms must be received by KAAD by June 30th / January 15th, or even sooner by the domestic partnering organization KAAD: http://kaad.de/deutsch/prog_oe.htm

The scholarship committee decides 2x year: always at the end of March/September, the applicant will be notified of the provided scholarship.

Information on the programmes offered by A*STAR which may be of interest to Czech students and faculty:

1. Singapore International Graduate Award (SINGA)

SINGA is a PhD award for international students in science and engineering, and provides support for tuition and stipends for up to 4 years, as well as a one-time settling-in allowance and airfare grant. PhD research will be carried out in English in a lab in an A*STAR Research Institute, supervised by distinguished and world-renowned researchers. Upon successful completion, awardees will be conferred a PhD degree by either the Nanyang Technological University or the National University of Singapore.

For more details, please visit www.singa.a-star.edu.sg

2. Singapore International Pre-graduate Award (SIPGA)

The Singapore International Pre-Graduate Award (SIPGA) supports short-term research attachments (2 - 6 months) for international students at A*STAR. It provides a unique opportunity for top overseas students to experience the vibrant scientific environment in A*STAR Research Institutes and Consortia. Students will be able to work with top researchers from around the world in A*STAR labs. This award will normally be for students in the later years of a Bachelor or Master level programme in science and engineering-related disciplines. Interested students are to contact A*STAR Research Institutes and Consortia directly for attachment opportunities.

For more information, please visit http://www.a-star.edu.sg/graduate_academy_and_scholarships/401-Singapore-International-Pre-Graduate-Award-SIPGA

3. PhD Attachment Programme (PAP)

The A*STAR PhD Attachment Programme (PAP) allows A*STAR to partner overseas universities to provide research opportunities at A*STAR research institutes (RIs). Under this programme, PhD students from partner universities will normally spend 1 to 2 years at A*STAR RIs under the joint supervision of the staff of the A*STAR RI and the overseas university. The student will be provided with a monthly stipend during their stint at the RI, as well as a one-time airfare grant and settling-in allowance. The students will be conferred a PhD degree from the home university upon completion of their PhD studies.

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Instruction for students—How to extend your loans via internet

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In the electronic catalogue (banner E-catalogue on the homepage of the CSI under the left navigation) upon registration in the USER Menu you can find all your loans with due dates, by which they are loaned and from which CU library. You can extend them via internet. You can find out which books you have returned, whether you have any fees and in which amount and at which CU library. You can also find out if you have a valid registration at the library.

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Each loan publication can be extended only 2x before the end of the loan period or max. 1 day after the loan period – one tolerance day. In other cases it is necessary to personally deal with the library.

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Changes in the mailing address can be performed only by the employee of the library in person.

M. Hábová

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SESSION OF THE 3.MF CU ACADEMIC SENATE

The 3.MF CU Academic senate invites members of the Academic community to the session that will be held in the Burian lecture hall in the faculty building of the dean’s office

On Tuesday, June 16th, at 14:30

The session will be attended by His Magnificence, the chancellor of Charles University in Prague Prof.RNDr.Václav Hampl, DrSc.
A detailed program of the session will be published additionally.

MUDr.David Marx, Ph.D.v.r.
Chairman of the AS 3.MF CU

APPOINTMENT OF NEW ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS

According to § 10 para. 6 Act No. 131/2002 Coll., on higher education (SR), the chancellor of the Pavel Josef Šafárik University in Košice has appointed in effect from 15.5.2009

MUDr. Václava Báču, Ph.D. as an associate professor – field of Anatomy, Histology and Embryology
Department of Anatomy

Jaromír Chlapec
Head of the Dept. Personnel and Wages

INTERNSHIPS – GERMANY, CANADA

Dear colleagues,
We have received an offer from the Rhön-Klinikum AG (Germany) with its headquarters in Bad Neustadt (Northern Bavaria) designated for young physicians/graduates of medical faculties, event. Students that will complete their medical studies this year.

Internship in the form of inspection of classes for a length of 6 months in the fields of Neurology, Anaesthesiology and surgery can be later extended to 5-6 years at some German clinics and lead to receiving the title of specialist physician.

The deadline for submitting applications to the Bad Neustadt clinic is August 1st, 2009.
Details to the internships and application documents are available at the Foreign Division of the 3.MF CU.

CANADA

Dear colleagues,
The CU chancellor’s office has sent us an offer for an exceptional exchange internship for the summer semester of the Academic Year 2009/10 as part of an interuniversity agreement for the Université de Montréal, Canada. Instruction is held in French, for CU students there are 5 places available.

This offer is for:
1) postgraduate students (upon receiving the MUDr. title)
2) other students for short-term stays for 1 to 3 months (mainly during the summer)

This information is published on the student mobility pages involving Canada http://www.cuni.cz/UK-3091.html

For the selection procedure, the students will submit in French a curriculum vitae (with actual contacts – e-mail, mobile), motivational letter, study plan, recommendation letter from the institute, a statement of study results for the duration of their studies at CU (can be in Czech or English) and documentation for their language abilities. In the nomination letters, please provide the year of study of the student.
Deadline for the selection procedure is June 18th, 2009 (Foreign division of the 3.MF CU)
The selected students will be contacted to complete the application and to submit other necessary documentation. Specific conditions regarding the selection procedure and studies can be found on the web pages of the University. Detailed and updated information can be found on the web pages of the CU STUDENT MOBILITY: http://www.cuni.cz/UK-226.html.

CONGRATULATIONS to Jan G o j d a, student of the 6th year, who in the year 2009, received the Margaret M.Bertrand Prize as the most successful student of the faculty, for excellent study grades and exceptional extracurricular successes, which contributed in the good name of our faculty.

Doc.MUDr.Hana Provazníková, CSc.
Chairwoman of the student endowment fund 3
June 1st, 1919 (90 years):
Rudolf KIMLA a full professor of Charles University
Born on 8. (9.) 12. 1866 in Smíchov (today Praha-Smíchov); he studied at the objective secondary school in Malá Strana (graduated 19. 7. 1885) and the medical faculty of the Czech Charles=Ferdinand Universitz in Prague (graduated 28. 2. 1891). Already in the first years of study, he focused on his future field and became one of the best pupils of prof. Jaroslav HLAVA – since 1. 10. 1888 as a demonstrator, since 1. 10. 1890 to 30. 9. 1906 as an assistant to the pathological-anatomical department; 27. 6. 1896 he was habilitated in Pathological Anatomy and Pathological Histology; he later completed a study trip to Strasburg and Paris. 6. 12. 1899 he received the title and character of an associate professor, 23. 2. 1902 he was named an actual honoured associate professor and 1. 10. 1906 a head of the department of histology of the pathologic anatomical department (on its establishment and construction he played a personal role), 7. 12. 1911 he earned the title and character of the full professor of pathological anatomy and pathological histology, 1. 10. 1918 he was named the head of the institute for general and experimental pathology (here he raised a number of outstanding pupils including LAUFBERGER, HEPNER, MAČELA), 1. 6. 1919 a full professor of general and experimental pathology, 4. 7. 1925 a full professor of pathological anatomy and 1. 10. 1925 (after HLAVA’S death) head of the pathological anatomy department. During the academic years of 1919/20 and 1926/27 he was voted dean of the medical faculty and 1932/33 the chancellor of Charles University.

His dominant area of interest was initially developmental abnormalities (glandular organs, heart), later tuberculosis (etiologic, morphology, immunoology even therapy, often in cooperation with POUPĚTE and VESELÝ; he clarified the importance of the child type primary tbc for adult tbc and explained the principle of the difference among them in constitution but in standard reactivity to the primary infection and allergic reactivity of an adult for re-infection), lues (he created the concept “congenital latent hypoplasia” for congenital disorders evoked by the luetic infection), malignant tumours (demonstrated the resistance of healthy hens against massive intravenous injections of a live tumour and a large susceptibility to the minimal perivenous dose), allergies (even before we began calling it that; the difference between normal and allergic reaction not in the quality but in the speed and quantity; from this point of view major morphology of all chronic infectious diseases in order to understand the laws of reactivity of living organisms and concluded the belief in the non-infectious essentials of cankers and some examples of Plaut-Vincent angina). He published over 60 works mainly in Czech, as an enthusiastic panslavist also in Polish and Serbian, much less French, English and German; wrote the manual Píevní technika pathologicko-anatomická (Autopsy technique pathological anatomy) (Prague 1911), for the Memorial Czech Academy he wrote the bibliography of the Czech pathological anatomy from the years 1848-1898, he published a number of case studies. Since 1906, he re-edited the Časopis lékařů českých. He was a member of the state health council, many scientific societies (except. art.: Czech Academy of Sciences and Art; hon. art.: Association of Russian doctors in Czechoslovakia, Jugoslovansko lekarsko društvo Beograd, Interstate Postgraduate Medical Association of North America; corr. art.: Societé de Chimie biologique Paris, Akademia polska Kraków), holder of the Serbian St. Sava 1st and 2nd class. He retired on 1. 3. 1937, died 13. 2. 1950. His grave is No. 14-51 in the arcades on the western side of the Vyšehrad cemetery and belongs to the annual walk of the Cabinet of the History of Medicine at the 3. MF.

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MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine 3. MF CU

INVITATION TO A CONCERT

MADE IN POLAND
... top Czech soloists, contemporary dance
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Monday, June 8th, at 19:30
Anežský klášter (U Milosrdných 17, P1)

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Havran a moře (world premiere)
Zygmunt Krawieze
Emille Bell
Henryk Górecki
Concert for cembalo and orchestra
Wojciech Kilar
Orava

Monika Knoblochová – cembalo,
Jana Bezpalcová – accordion
Berrak Yedek (TUR) – dance
Conductor: Marzena Diakun (PL)

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Polish artistic glass – exceptionally opened until 19h!
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(28).

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Dlouhá třída, metro B - Náměstí Republiky
Exact transportation info: www.dpp.cz/idos
Map: http://amap.yatlap.cz/mapa/anezsky-klaster

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TICKETS
ON-LINE: http://www.berg.cz/vstupenky_order.html
e-mail: vstupenky@berg.cz | tel.: 604.205.937
* advance purchase ticket venders of Via Musica (Staroměstské nám. 14 and Malostranské nám. 13, daily 10.30-18h)
* price: 200 Kč / 100 Kč for students, seniors and ZTP and ZTP-P pass holders

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CLOSING OF THE STUDY DIVISION

In the week from the 8. 6. 2009 to 12. 6. 2009 including, the study division will be CLOSED.

This is due to the compilation of the admission procedure.

An exception is given to students in their final year that will be completing their state final examination or the final part of the state rigorous examination.

On 9. 6. 2009, the study division is CLOSED without exception.

Thank you for understanding

A. Vlasáková, Study division

INVITATION TO THE 13TH ACADEMIC SENATE MEETING...

...3rd Faculty of Medicine CU, in the Burian lecture hall of the dean’s office, Ruská 87, Prague 10

On Tuesday, June 16th, 2009 at 14:30.

Program proposal:

1) Opening and program approval
2) Minutes review
3) CU chancellor Prof. RNDr. V. Hampla, DrSc. speech
4) Information from the dean
5) Election announcement of the dean of the faculty for the period 2010 -2014.
6) Report of activities from IFMSA and TRIMED
7) VESMÍR magazine prize recipient
8) Various

MUDr. David Marx, Ph.D.v.r., Chairman of the AS 3.MF CU

NEW LECTURE NOTES FOR STUDENTS AT THE 3. MF – INTRODUCTION TO SURGERY (DUŠKOVÁ, MARKÉTA AND COLLECTIVE)

The clinic of plastic surgery at the 3. MF CU and FNKV in co-operation with the CRI 3. MF and by the approval of the 3. MF CU’s dean has issued new lecture notes for students at the 3. MF on CD-ROM. The lecture notes are accessible in full text at the faculty’s website of the Clinic of Plastic Surgery and also in the study programs in the Master’s study – 2nd cycle - MODULE IIB – Clinical Propedeutics – Study materials.

New lecture notes were created by the initiative and author leadership of

doc. MUDr. Markéta Dušková, CSc.
From the Clinic of Plastic Surgery at the 3rd MF and FNKV.

The author collective is:
MUDr. Jiří Bayer
MUDr. Michaela Čakrtová
MUDr. Eva Dřevínková
doc. MUDr. Markéta Dušková, CSc.
MUDr. Michal Haas
The lecture notes are designated for students in the 3rd event. 4th year for Module IIB – Clinical Propedeutics.

CD ROM in a limited issue was technically compiled and created by © SVI 3. LF, PhDr. Martina Hábová.

The lecture notes on CD ROM can be rented at the CRI.

NOTES IN HISTORY

June 9th, 1859 (150 years):
Johann WALLER became a full professor

Born on 12. 10. 1811 in Blšany (Louny district), he studied at the secondary school in Žatec, philosophical preparation and at the Charles-Ferdinand University in Prague medical faculty (upon defending the dissertation Conspectus morborum in clinico medico Pragensi ii. semestri anni scholastici 1836-1837 tractatorum he graduated as a medical doctor and surgery on 3. 8. 1838). He later worked in Prague as a houseman at the Institute of the clinically insane, from 1839-1843 as an assistant to the medical clinic for wounds, 1843 as the head of the 2nd department of internal diseases at the general hospital, from 1844-1845 he substituted for practical medicine for wounds, 1847 he became the head of the department of syphilitic diseases at the general hospital; 1848 he was appointed an associate professor for syphilitic diseases and due to a ministry decree from 9. 7. 1850, he acquired the right to give lectures and demonstrations on skin diseases. From 1851-1852, he was the director of all hospitals in Prague, on 1951 he was appointed an associate professor of dermatology and syphilis, in the Academic year 1855/56 he was elected dean of the doctor’s collegiate, in 1856 he substituted as chair of general pathology and pharmacology, on 9. 6. 1859, he was appointed a full professor of general pathology, therapy and pharmacology. He enforced the establishment of the propedeutical department at the general hospital. Since 1860, he became a permanent member of the health committee for Bohemia, since 1870, a member of the teaching council. On his proposal in the year 1872, the chair of experimental pathology was founded. The subject of his most significant work (Die Contagiosität der secundären Syphilis, Weitere Beiträge betreffend die Contagiosität der secundären Syphilis, both from the year 1851) is syphilis and (in opposition to the Ricard theory) demonstration of infection in its secondary symptoms by exact trial in incurable patients. Most of his publications including the fore-mentioned he published in the quarterly of the Prague medical faculty Vierteljahrschrift für die praktische Heilkunde. He was a member of the society of physician’s in Vienna and one of the founder’s of the society for the support of widows. In the year 1871, he received the Order of the iron crown of the 3rd class. Due to health reasons, he retired in 1879 and died on 17. 10. 1880 in Prague.

Literature:

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine at the 3. MF CU

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RESULTS FROM THE FINAL KNOWLEDGE TEST OF 6TH YEAR STUDENTS 2009

On May 28th, 2009, the second year of the final knowledge test was held for 6th year students from our faculty. 135 Czech and English speaking students took the test. It was comprised of 3x40 questions derived from three past USMLE tests (United States Medical Licensing Examination) Step1, 2, 3. Each question had 5 answers out of which one was correct. In comparison to the USMLE, our test had fewer questions. Upon collecting the results, the students learned their personal ranking within their 6th year from an anonymous chart. Individual results do not influence their evaluation and are kept secret. No significant difference was found between the Czech and English speaking students. The English speaking students were found among the top and bottom placements in their tested group. The faculty will compare the results statistically with the individual parts of the admission procedure. The overall very satisfactory results of the final knowledge test at our faculty were mainly Step2 that is similar to our Module IIC.

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Tab.1 The number of 6th year students at the 3. FM CU in the Academic year 2008/2009, from which we can estimate with an appropriate margin of error that they would be successful in some USMLE test – in one out of three, two out of three or all three tests. Limit of individual USMLE tests varies between 60-70% of correctly answered questions.

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Tab.2 Test results in the academic year 2007/2008.

Doc. MUDr Marek Bednár, CSc., doc. MUDr Daniela Janovská, CSc.

TRIAL ACCESS INTO THE INFORMA HEALTHCARE AND INFORMA PHARMACEUTICAL PORTAL SCIENCE - BY 4.8.2009

Up to 4.8.2009, trial access into the Informa Healthcare and Informa Pharmaceutical Science portal was set for Charles University – full texts of clinical and pharmaceutical titles. Journals that are available for CU in full text editions in the Informa Healthcare database are designated in green. More information can be found at PEZ (Portal of electronic sources of CU) in the area of “Trial access/Free-trials”. For remote access, please use the EZ Proxy portal.

DAAD - DEUTSCHER AKADEMISCHER AUSTAUSCH DIENST - GERMAN ACADEMIC EXCHANGE SERVICE

"Modern Applications of Biotechnology" Research Grants for German and Foreign Postdoctoral Students 2010/2011 The scholarship programme "Modern Applications of Biotechnology – CEE" is run by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) with financial support of the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) and offers
academically especially qualified young postdoctoral students the opportunity to spend at least 6 months and up to a maximum of 12 months doing research at relevant institutes abroad.

**Research Fields**
The research work of the postdoctoral students should address topics of modern biotechnology with high innovation potential, such as:
- Medical biotechnology (including regeneration technologies),
- Engineering biotechnology (e.g. nanobiotechnology, biological production processes),
- Agricultural biotechnology (including biological safety research), and
- Molecular life sciences (including bioinformatics and systems biology).

**Countries**
The programme is open for Germans who want do research in Poland, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, Hungary, Czech Republic, Slovakia and Slovenia as well as for postdoctoral students from these countries who want to join a research group in Germany.

**Grants**
**Foreigners:** Each grant provides a monthly instalment of 1,840.- euros; additional financing can be provided for a 2-month German language course.

**Germans:** Each monthly grant is calculated individually. It includes a base instalment, a foreign allowance and a subsidy towards the material and equipment costs. In addition, grant holders may receive married persons or child allowance payments. The flat-rate allowance for return travel (outward and home journey) depends on the host country in question and amounts to between 350.- and 700.- euros.

**Application Requirements**
At the time of application, foreign and German applicants are expected to have completed their doctorate/PhD within the last five years and to be able to provide proof of excellent English language proficiency (TOEFL: 550 / 213 / 80; ELTS: 5.5); German language proficiency is welcomed.

**Application Papers**
All application papers must be submitted in duplicate. Incomplete papers will not be processed.
- Foreign applicants should complete the form "Application for Research Grants and Study Scholarships" that can be downloaded from the following address: http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.de.html.
- German applicants should use the form "Antrag auf ein Auslandsstipendium für deutsche Studierende / Graduierte / Promovierte" available from the following address: http://www.daad.de/ausland/de/3.7.1.html

The following papers must be submitted together with the respective application forms:
- Curriculum vitae
- Summary of the dissertation / PhD thesis (3 pages max.)
- List of scientific publications, courses and lectures
- Description of the research project including schedule (2 pages max.)
- Copy of the doctoral/PhD certificate
- Letter of invitation from the host institute
- Two referees' reports by professors of the applicant's choice
- Proof of English language proficiency

**Foreign applicants** should please send their papers to the DAAD via the DAAD Warsaw Office or via the German diplomatic missions, the DAAD Information Centres or the partner organizations of the DAAD in the above-mentioned countries.

**German applicants** can send their papers (in duplicate) direct to Section 421 at the DAAD, after they have completed their online application.

**Dates**

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**Contact:** German Academic Exchange Service, Referat 421, Supraregional Special Programmes, Kennedyallee 50, 53175 Bonn. Email: m.hildebrandt@daad.de
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DEAN’S ORDERS

DEAN’S ORDER No. 13/2009

Supplementary procedure for the Academic Year 2009/2010

In accordance to art. 17 Appendix No. 5 of the Statute of Charles University in Prague, I announce the supplementary procedure for:

Master’s study program: General medicine
Type of study: full-time
Study in the language: English

Date: June 2nd, 2009

This order:

• Is effective upon issue – 2. 6. 2009
• Is valid until 31. 10. 2009
• Obey all internal regulations
• Was compiled by: Prof. RNDr. Eva Samcová, CSc.

DEAN’S ORDER No. 14/2009

On registration into study for the Academic Year 2009/2010

1) Registration for the Academic Year 2008/2009 shall be held from the 14th to the 25th of September, 2009 from 8.00 to 13.00 at the Study Division (building No. 19). For individual registration, it is possible to use the Jonáš lecture hall during these times.

2) Registration is mandatory for all students, even for those that are travelling abroad as part of exchange programs such as Socrates-Erasmus and equally for those that are taking a two year extension limit for completing the state final or state rigorous examination.

3) Registration is valid for all undergraduate study programs (Bachelor, Master), meaning those studying in Czech, English, full-time, part-time and is stated as follows:
   - 6th year: September 14th or 21st, 2009
   - 5th year: September 15th or 22nd, 2009
   - 4th year: September 16th or 23rd, 2009
   - 3rd year: September, 17th or 24th, 2009
   - 2nd year: September 18th or 25th, 2009

4) The submitted Proof of higher education studies (further as „index“) must contain all the completed study requirements stated in the study plan and that including practical experience, optional subjects and Bachelor and theses. Prior to submission of the index, the student is required to check if the information in the Student Informative System (further as „SIS“) agrees with his information in the index and print out his study requirements that he must submit for registration at the Study Division.

5) Credits for practical experience will be given as follows:
   - mgr. Holubová (for 2nd year): 17. 9. and 24. 9. 2009 from 8.00 to 13.00
     at the Department of Nursing, building of the SHS, Pavilion X – room number 415
     from 9.00 to 12.00 at the faculty on the 6th floor, room number 622
   - doc. Kneidlová (for 5th year): 14. 9. and 21. 9. 2009 from 8.00 to 15.00
     Occupational health clinic (pav. I), ground floor
     On other days are possible upon personal agreement by e-mail: kneidlova@fnkv.cz
     from 8.00 to 13.00
6) Students that submit for inspection their index with all their responsibilities complete and with the printed paper of study requirements (from the SIS) prior to the stated date can come register at any time, meaning from September 14th to 25th of September from 8.00 to 13.00 independent of their year of study.

7) **Study requirements** stated by the study plan must be **completed** in accordance to the Schedule for the Academic Year 2008/2009 (Karolina – page 51) by **25. 9. 2009 inclusive**.

8) The student must bring an index, a printed copy of study requirements from the SIS and a CU Study Pass.

This order:
- Is effective upon issue: 4. 6. 2009
- Is valid until: 30. 10. 2009
- Obeys all internal regulations
- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

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**DEAN’S ORDER No. 15/2009**

**On dates of the State Examinations in the Academic Year 2008/2009**

**MASTER’S STUDY PROGRAM: GENERAL MEDICINE**

**Portion of the state rigorous examination from preventative medicine**

Place: dean’s office, 1st floor, room number No. 224 and No. 223

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Max.number of students per day: 10

This order:
- Is effective upon issue: 10.6. 2009
- Is valid until: 10. 9. 2009
- Obeys all internal regulations
- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.  
Dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine

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**DEAN’S DIRECTIVE**

**DEAN’S DIRECTIVE No. 4/2009,**

That states the organizational administrative requirements for viewing materials associated with the decision for the admission procedure for applicants

1. In accordance to art. 10 of the Order of the Admission Procedure for Charles University in Prague, the applicant has the right to request to view his/her materials associated with their admission for their studies.

2. The request can be requested up to 1 month since receiving the decision of admission; the time limit does not begin from the time of sending out a request to re-examination proposal by the dean up to the 10th day following the day of receiving the decision.

3. The faculty will allow the applicant to view these materials no later than 2 months from the date of sending the request. If the applicant asks to view them up to 7 days upon receiving the admission decision, the faculty will allow him/her to view the materials within 28 days of receiving the admission decision. The set dates when these materials can be viewed are announced to the applicants in writing by registered mail to the address that the applicant wrote in the study application form or the to the address given to the study division at the dean’s office for this such cases as a corresponding address.

4. It is possible to view these materials in Building No. 19 in the area of the State Health Department, Šrobárova 49/48, Praha 10 – 2nd floor – in the areas of the Study Division –room number 206 and 209 b.

5. The applicant has the right to view his/her materials for one hour. If the applicant requests a longer viewing period due to some limitations, his/her request will be accepted but to no later than 15:30.

6. The applicant will be given appropriate space in order to view his materials without interruption and he will have necessary office supplies available while he views them.

7. Viewing the materials is understood as reading these materials and writing notes. Only the applicant himself/herself can view his/her materials and identification will be asked by a dean-appointed employee.
This Directive is understood as the Dean provision according to art. 10, paragraph 6 Appendix No. 5 of the Statute of Charles University in Prague.

This directive:
- Is effective upon issue: 5. 6. 2009
- Is valid until: 30. 10. 2009
- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Appendix to No. 8-4/2009 – 3 MF
Set dates, when it is possible to review the materials are the following:

Always Wednesday from 9.00 until 11.00 o'clock.

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the Faculty

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DEAN’S ORDER NO. 16/2009

On dates of the state examinations in the Academic Year 2008/2009

MASTER’S STUDY PROGRAM: GENERAL MEDICINE

Part of the state rigorous examination in preventative medicine
Place: office of the head of the Clinic for Children and Youth
Max. number of students per day: 10
Date: 31.7.2009 – 8.9.2009

Part of the state rigorous examination in surgical fields
Place: Clinic of Surgery FNKV and 3. MF
Max. number of students per day: 10
Date: 22.7.2009

This order:
- Is effective upon issue: 25.6.2009
- Is valid until: 9.9.2009
- Obey all internal regulations
- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the 3rd Faculty of Medicine


The Academic Senate at the 3.MF CU at its session on June 16th, 2009
Has announced in accordance to § 27, paragraph 1, letter g) of Act No.111/98 Coll., art.10, paragraph 1, letter g) of the Statute of the 3.MF and with art.19 of the Election and Procedural Order of the AS 3.MF

Electing a candidate for dean of the faculty for October 27th, 2009.

The deadline for submitting proposals for candidates for the function of dean is

Until Friday, 16. 10. 2009.

You can submit written proposals from the day of announcing the election dates at the registrar of the senate as a member of the AS 3.MF or as a group of 20 members of the Academic community of the faculty.

MUDr. David Marx, Ph.D.,
Chairman of the AS 3.MF CU

ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE PRAŽSKÉ TEPLÁRENSKÉ A.S.

As usual, the Pražská teplárenská a.s. has announced the planned summer cut off and a temporary absence of heat supply for hot water due to maintenance and repairs of their equipment for the building at Ruská 87, Prague 10 and surrounding areas rented by the 3MF (SZÚ 19, Ruská 91 pav.X) on 19.7.2009 – 25.7.2009.

The maintenance technical department is apologizing for the inconvenience and eventual problems associated with this event.

Ing. Jaroslav Šnajdr,
Maintenance technical department
CSI NOTIFICATION

TRY IT OUT

The Faculty of Social Sciences at CU has arranged with the EBSCO Company an **annual trial access** to the Research Starters – Sociology database. You can find study materials created for university students and selected postgraduate students in the area of Sociology– more can be found at:  

The Faculty of Philosophy at CU has arranged with the EBSCO Company access to the MLA (Modern Language Association of America) **International Bibliography**, and that **up to 31. 12. 2009** – all information including access can be found at:  

Further, you may thanks to the Faculty of Philosophy use trial access to the **Literary Reference Center** – applicable up **to 31. 7. 2009** – information including access can be found at:  

All of the above stated accesses are valid for the entire CU

*Mirka Plecitá, CSI*

DO YOU REMEMBER NOVEMBER 1989?

Soon we will remind ourselves of the 20th anniversary since the fall of the communist regime in Czechoslovakia. What happened at our school, associated with November 1989, was made more visible at the web pages of our faculty (see gallery) where a collection of photos from the photographer of the 3. MF CU Mr. Krč. However, we would be more interested to find out how it was at our hygienic medical faculty (or FNV) at that time, how it manifested itself, meetings, founding the citizen’s forum that were the main motivators and what were the main requests from the students and teachers.

Therefore, we ask those that remember for help: can you send us your personal memories, photographs, documents or other materials (for example posters) related to November at our school? If you help us, we will publish the results of your efforts in fall in one of our faculty newsletters – as a reminder for the elderly and a lesson for youth.

All materials will be accepted over the summer holidays either in the post-box for the Vita nostra revue near the mail room on the ground floor of the dean’s office or by e-mail at vnr@MF3.cuni.cz, where you can arrange a personal meeting.

We look forward to your witness reports for an important time at a small faculty and thank you in advance.

*Mgr. Marie Fleissigová,* 26716 2105, 602 759 874

A MESSAGE FROM THE EDITORIAL STAFF

We send our good-byes from the VNS for two months and we wish all employees a nice vacation and successful summer holidays to the students.

For inspiration, so that the weather and vacation does not surprise us we post:


- Videos on how to get into your vehicle if you leave your keys in your locked vehicle – by unusual and generally available household items

PS: We have not tried them but we came to the conclusion that if it works – the only certainty against theft is insurance – turn on the sound 😊

- Can be found at: http://pobavse.net/zajimavosti/navod-jak-se-krade-auto

I hope that it will equally entertain you.

*VNS editorial staff, PhDr. M. Hábová*
June 26th, 1909 (100 years):
Ladislav SYLLABA received the title of associate professor
The founding father of the medical faculty of hygiene of CU in Praze prof. Jiří SYLLABA was born June 16th, 1868 in Bystřice near Benešov. He studied at the secondary school in Kolín (graduated 1. 7. 1886) and the Czech medical faculty in Prague (graduated 29. 3. 1892 summis auspiciis). He then worked as an external physician at the dermatology, infectious, internal and ophthalmology department at the General hospital in Prague, the same year 1892 as an inspectional physician in Dolní Grunt, 1893 at the internal department and since 1. 4. to 30. 9. 1893 at the ophthalmology department of the polyclinic in Prague. Since 1. 9. 1894 to 1902, he worked as an assistant of the internal department of the polyclinic. During these years, he went on many study trips and internships (1893 Vienna, Graz, Zurich, Basel; 1893-1894 Paris; 1894 Berlin, Brussels, several German universities; 1894-1895 department of pathological histology, 1896 internship in Southern Germany, 1899 and 1902-1904 department of medical chemistry). 16. 4. 1901 he was habilitated in pathology and therapy of internal diseases (in his work O patogenese zhoubné chudokrevnosti, Prague 1901, he introduced his viewpoint on toxic hemolysis as a pathogenetic foundation of malignant anemia). At the polyclinic, he was the first to examine blood for bilirubin. From 1. 10. 1902 to 30. 9. 1903, he worked as a representative of the internal division of the polyclinic and head of the polyclinic, where he had a private practice, where he performed study trips in 1906 (Holland, England, Scotland) and 1907 (Turkey), he continued in his scientific research and published articles in Haematology, Endocrinology, diseases of the GIT, lungs, circulatory diseases etc. 26. 6. 1909 he was named a titled associate professor. During WWI, he was from 1. 10. 1914 to 15. 9. 1915, the head of the internal department at the Military hospital at the Strakov academy in Prague, in the year 1916 in Terezín, then until 7. 6. 1918 in Prague-Vršovice. At the same time, the first part of his famous work, dedicated 80 years after the death of Josef Škoda on the methods of physical examination Learning about medical percussion and auscultation methods I, Prague 1918. During the war, he was active on the home front; during 1918-1920 he was a member of the revolutionary national assembly. Right after the war on 9. 1. 1919 effective since 1. 1. 1919 he was appointed a full professor. Since 1. 4. 1919 up until his death, he worked as a physician and head of the 1st medical clinic, where he founded many new departments, also as a personal physician of the president of the country. Seven years after his first edition, the continuation of his masterful work Learning about medical percussion and auscultation methods II., Prague 1925. The value of this work was noted 30 years later. One of the most important Czech internal physicians, creator of his personal internist school, a member of Czech, Czechoslovak even foreign scientific and research societies, recipient of the French order of the Honour League and Yugoslavian order of St.Sáva 1st rank, he died on December 30th, 1930 in Prague and is buried along with his song and other members of his family at the Vinohrady cemetery.

MUDr. Pavel Čech, Cabinet of the History of Medicine
DEAN’S ORDERS

DEAN’S ORDER No.17/2009 on the dates of the State examination in the Academic Year 2008/2009

MASTER’S STUDY

Part of the State rigorous examination in Gynaecology and Obstetrics
Place: office of the Head of the Department of Gynaecology and Obstetrics
Max. number of students per day: 10

Part of the State rigorous examination in Preventive medicine
Place: dean’s office, 1st floor, room number 327
Date: 3.9.2009 – 10.9.2009
Max. number of students per day: 10

Part of the State rigorous examination in Neurobehavioural Sciences
Place: Department of Psychiatry and Medical Psychology Prague-Bohnice
Date: 4.8.2009
Max. number of students per day: 12

This order:
Is affective upon issue: 13.7.2009
Obeyes all internal regulations
Is valid until: 11.9.2009
Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

INFORMATION ON PAYABLE LANGUAGE COURSES AT THE THIRD FACULTY OF MEDICINE FOR WINTER SEMESTER 2009/2010

This academic year, also, the Department of Foreign Languages will offer these payable courses for faculty students and other interested:

- German
- French
- English Medical Terminology with a native speaker
- Advanced English - preparation for international FCE exam
- Czech for Foreigners

The language level of Schedule courses: from beginners to advanced (placement into courses can be consulted at the DFL). Advance courses are directed for medical language.

Amount of students per group: minim. 5, maxim. 10.
Teaching: 2 hours/week, or 26 hours/semester (it is assumed that students will continue with their course in the summer semester)
Course fee: 2300,-CZK/1 semestr

All applications form into courses will be accepted by the DFL until 29.09.2009 at the below stated contact info.
The date of the courses will be stated at the beginning of the semester (until 07.10.) upon the agreement with the lectures and students. The regular courses will be held in the Department of Foreign Languages in the building of Secondary Nursing School (Střední zdravotní škola, Ruská 91), entry from the Hospital area, Pavilion X, 4th floor.
Contact: ing. M. Prokopíčová, Secretariate of the Dep. of Foreign Languages, line 2905; e-mail: mirka.prokopicova@lf3.cuni.cz

AN OFFER FROM RETOR´S OFFICE – INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION, MOBILITY, INTERSHIP

International Conference on Healthcare and Trade
Date: 10 and 11 December 2009
Venue: Erasmus Expo and Conference Center, Woudestein campus, Erasmus University Rotterdam
Registration: The registration form is available at www.erasmusobservatoryonhealthlaw.nl

Information:
Further information is available through the website of the Erasmus Observatory on Health Law at www.erasmusobservatoryonhealthlaw.nl. Specific questions related to the conference can be addressed to info@erasmusobservatoryonhealthlaw.nl

ACA/SI European Policy Seminar
Making ends meet - Innovative ways of funding international students
15 October 2009 Stockholm, Sweden

Have you ever wondered what one student costs? Then you might know what the costs of one international student are. Across Europe, more countries and their universities are seeking innovative approaches to the financing of international students - a topic intrinsically linked to the funding of higher education per se. Clearly, institutions want to ensure that they can attract high quality students and young researchers in the face of increasing global competition. But are fees and scholarships the only way to do it? Are there other options? What are the legal frameworks? All these questions require higher education professionals to understand both the policy and marketing context.

A European Policy Seminar by the Academic Cooperation Association (ACA), co-organised by the Swedish Institute (SI) and hosted by the Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), will provide case studies from countries and universities across Europe so that delegates might:
Explore the financing of international students, based on case studies from a number of countries and universities;

Understand the context of setting appropriate fee levels to attract quality international students and young researchers;

Review the strategic potential to use scholarships at both national and institutional levels;

Examine innovative and new modes of financing.

Join ACA and SI on **15 October 2009 in Stockholm**, to discuss with high-calibre experts from various countries in Europe, i.e. **Dan Brändström** (Former professor at Umea University and Director of the Bank of Sweden Tercentenary Foundation), **Robert Coelen** (Leiden University), **Neil Kemp** (Institute of Education, University of London), **Hans-Peter Jensen** (CIRIUS, Denmark), **Eirinn Larsen** (University of Oslo), and **Liqui Meng** (Technical University Munich).

Don’t miss your chance, register now!

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### CSI INFORMATION

#### New access to electronic source

**Publishing House KARGER – access to full text journals**

All Faculties of Medicine, Charles University have access into complete journal collection of Publishing House Karger, year 2009, materials from archive 1998-2008 too. There are more than 80 medical books, the list can be found: [http://content.karger.com/ProdukteDB/produkte.asp?Aktion=JournalIndex&ProduktNr=0](http://content.karger.com/ProdukteDB/produkte.asp?Aktion=JournalIndex&ProduktNr=0)

A detailed branch distribution:


The access was set up until 31. 12. 2009.

#### BMJ Group

**Third Faculty of Medicine** has set up access from 1.9.2009 to 31.8.2010 into BMJ full text journal

Try out the access into [British Medical Journal](http://group.bmj.com/products/journals).

The access is possible only for Third Faculty of Medicine, you can use it either for direct access from a CU IP address, remote access (the Third FM employees and students) will be set up during September 2009. More info about remote access can be found in actualities CSI.

#### Rehabilitation Reference Center – other available database on the portal EbscoHost - Rehabilitation

Third Faculty of Medicine has from 1.9.2009 to 31.8.2010 prepaid access into database Rehabilitation Reference Center from Ebsco.

**Rehabilitation Reference Center** (RRC) is a clinical information source for evidence-based medicine and is designated for clinical experience of physicians in the area of rehabilitation (point of care). RRC provides information based on evidence for given theme to physiotherapists, physicians and professionals in the area of rehabilitation.

RRC contains about 200 clinical themes, 100 study and research materials (tests, manuals etc.), information on more than 11,700 pharmaceuticals and their products (AHFS Drug Information Essentials), more than 9,800 illustrated rehabilitation exercises, over 1,500 relevant summarized themes for patients (in English and Spanish), actualized clinical reports and reference manuals.


For access into database: [http://search.ebscohost.com/](http://search.ebscohost.com/)

Remote access (for the 3FM employees and students) is performed by the EZ Proxy portal.

#### Trial access into fulltext

Charles University has set up free testing access into fulltext of journals: **Future Medicine, Future Science** a **Expert Reviews Collection**, from 1.9.2009 to 31.12.2009, do not hesitate, try and use it....

You can use it either for direct access from a CU IP address or remote access will be set up during 1st part of September 2009 (can be found on portal of electronic sources at CU „free trials“)

Direct access to the diabase can be found at: [www.futuremedicine.com](http://www.futuremedicine.com), [www.future-science.com](http://www.future-science.com), [www.expert-reviews.com](http://www.expert-reviews.com)
### Which journals can you find there??

- Aging Health
- Biomarkers in Medicine
- Clinical Lipidology
- Future Cardiology
- Future Microbiology
- Future Neurology
- Future Oncology
- Future Virology
- HIV Therapy
- International Journal of Clinical Rheumatology
- Immunotherapy
- Nanomedicine
- Dermatology
- Endocrinology and Metabolism
- Gastroenterology and Hepatology
- Hematology
- Medical Devices
- Molecular Diagnostics
- Biofuels (Coming Soon)
- Future Medicinal Chemistry
- Bioanalysis

### Information on Library Services at the beginning of ac.y. 2009/2010

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Mo – Thu 8<sup>00</sup> – 12<sup>00</sup> 13<sup>00</sup> – 15<sup>00</sup>, Fri 8<sup>00</sup> – 13<sup>00</sup>

**Please, bring your Proof of higher education studies (Index Book) and your Student Card (green colour)**

Upon completed registration of all students, regular mening hours will apply as of **19. 10. 2009**:

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### INFORMATION ON COMPUTER ROOM NO.222

Due the repair works the number of computers is reduced to 17 in computer room No.222. At present time the services and instalment of new version of operating system are in progress. According Info from MUDr.Kostrhun computer printing to computer machine OCE will be possible by the end of next week. Document copying is available at OCE now, for printing you can use PC in room No.523 Pharmacology or PC for students at Library.

### Computer Centre

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Dear all,
We would like to notify you on current term of filing the application for funding from Mobility Found of CU.

**Mobility Found of CU in winter semester academic year 2009/2010**

The final deadline for submitting application forms is **October 15th, 2009** at Division of International Affairs

*Růžena Hrušková, Division of Intenational Affairs*

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**SCHOLARSHIP INTERSHIP ABROAD BASED ON INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2010/2011**

Dear all,
We would like to inform you about current offers of scholarship abroad for students and members of academic staff of Charles University in Prague based on International agreements.

Further detailed info about scholarship are available: [www.dzs.cz](http://www.dzs.cz) (House of Foreign Affairs MŠMT ČR).
The scholarship is not specified to particular universities abroad. It is assumed that the participants will find the contact they are interested in. It is recommended that at the time of application, those who are interested have made contact with the appropriate workplace abroad. The scholarship are indicated for students of Charles University in Prague. The chosen applicants should continue to be such students even during their scholarship intership abroad.

Those interested must submit two copies (1 original and 1 copy) of the following documents:

1. Application form for the proposal/regest for the scholarship; 2. Study focus; 3. Grade point average

The electronic evidence system was established for submitting a proposal, so the applicants fulfill the appropriate form electronically at the Internet web page: [www.dzs.cz](http://www.dzs.cz) (Reference- AIA- Scholarship intership abroad based on international agreements – quota information).

The completed application forms and other documents needed, must be sent to Division of International Affairs, Third Faculty of Medicine to the following deadlines:

- **Up to 06. 10. 2009**: Norway, Finland
- **Up to 17. 11. 2009**: Denmark, Portugal
- **Up to 08. 12. 2009**: China, Egypt, Croatia, Ireland, Island, Italy, Luxemburg, Macedonia, Russia, Greece, Slovenia, Sweden

*Růžena Hrušková, Division of International Affairs*

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The scholarship programme Herbert Quandt at Technical University in Dresden for year 2010
(Quandt/GFF-Stipendienprogramm an der TU Dresden)

All pre-graduate and postgraduate students at Charles university can apply for scholarship internship under the scholarship programme Herbert Quandt at Technical University in Dresden for year 2010. The programme supports longlife cooperation between the Technical University and other Universities in Central and Easten Europe.

1. **Scholarship intership – for pre-graduates (Studienaufenthalte)**

*The scholarship is designated for students in upper years of study*: 630,- EUR monthly

*Scholarship length*: summer semester 2010 (max. founded period April - July 2010)

**Records to be submitted with scholarship application:**

(All records to be submitted with scholarship application have to be translated in German in two copies— one as original, the second as a copy.)
Application for Study Scholarship Herbera Quandta (Antrag auf Zulassung zum Studium) and completed form (Bewerbung zu einem Studienaufenthalt)

- Structured CV
- Description of the research project at TU Dresden (2-3 pages)
- Letter of recommendation from a university professor at CU
- Confirmation of Matriculation at CU
- Copy of Secondary school leaving certificate*
- Summary of Study results – Official Study Transcript stamped by Dean’s office *
- Proof of German language proficiency (for study in English, it is needed too).
- 1 photograph

* - Study Division of related faculty can confirm and stamped acknowledge correctness of translation.

**Information:**
The scholarship is designed for applicants of all study areas at TU Dresden (viz http://www.tu-dresden.de). Study should be in English too if TU Dresden will offer it.

**Selection procedure:**
The most important criteria for selection – study plan, excellent study results, German language proficiency (if you choose study programme in English – English proficiency, basic German is welcome).

**Those interested must submit their application form along with their records to the Division of International Affairs by the due date determined by each faculty!!!** Ahead of selection will be done by prof. MU Dr. Jan Škrha,DrSc., MBA – Vice-Rector for International Affairs and Mobility in November or December 2009. The final selection procedure will occur at TU Dresden according the stated order. The selected applicants will be invited the Technical University Dresden.

**The application deadline:**
- until October 27th, 2009 for postgraduate students
- Until November 26th, 2009 for pre-graduate students

*Růžena Hrušková, Division of International Affairs

**AN OFFER FROM THE CHANCELLOR´S OFFICE**

The International Graduate School of the University of Würzburg invites applications for 11 PhD Student Positions within the DFG funded Research Training Group „Processing of affective stimuli: from the molecular basis to the emotional experience“, starting 2010. Positions are initially limited to 1 year. Extensions up to an overall duration of 3 years are possible.

Nine research groups from psychology, psychiatry, neurology, anatomy, physiology, and philosophy will closely collaborate in order to develop excellent and internationally visible interdisciplinary research opportunities for doctoral students within the Affective Sciences. The projects converge on four levels, each addressed by human or animal research: the neurobiological and molecular basis for the processing of affective stimuli, the morphology and anatomy of the involved neural systems, normal and pathological emotional behavior on a cognitive, behavioral and physiological level, and modulating self-regulation processes and contexts. The philosophy project provides a theoretical framework and focuses on the epistemological, anthropological and ethical dimension of research on emotion.

The exact dissertation projects can be found in the appendix.
We are seeking highly motivated, independent and creative graduates. Admission to the program is based on a competitive selection procedure. Applicants require a degree in psychology, biology, medicine or philosophy (Master, Diploma). Applications should include CV, copies of university certificates, two letters from referees, a short outline of research interests and the application form that can be downloaded at http://www.gk-emotions.uni-wuerzburg.de/fellowship/.

**Deadline is September 15, 2009.**

Additional information about the participating principal investigators can be obtained by visiting our website or by personal contact. Applications should be sent to:

GK-Emotions, University of Würzburg, Lehrstuhl für Psychologie I Marcusstr. 9-11, D-97070 Würzburg/Germany
Telefon: +49 931 312848 Email: gk-emotions@uni-wuerzburg.de

Růžena Hrušková, referát pro zahraniční styky

**NOTES IN HISTORY**

**September 14th, 1884 (125 years):**

**Carl KOLLER introduced the area of local anaesthetic**

The famous american scientist and writer of sci-fi Isaac Asimov mentions in his biographical encyclopedia of famous scientific personalities- Carl Koller – father of local anaesthetic.

Carla Koller – ophthalmologist was born December 3, 1857 in Schüttenhofen, Bohemia (now Sušice in South Bohemia), he graduated in Vienna 1882. He had tested solutions such as chloral hydrate and morfine as anaesthetics of laboratory animals without success. He was inspired by his friend Sigmund Freud essay of properties of cocaine in 1884, performing eye surgery at himself, he demonstrated cocain’s potential as a first local anaesthetic. His discovery was published in *Wiener medizinische Wochenschrift* 1884; 34: 1276, 1309.

In 1884, Carl Koller moved to the United States, and practised as ophthalmologist in Mount Sinai Hospital and died March 21, 1944 New York. Later, cocaine was also used as a local anaesthetic in other medical fields such as dentistry. In the 20th century, other agents have replaced cocaine as a local anaesthetic, but it has not reduced his credit and influence of his invention.

*MUDr. Pavel Čech, Division of the History of Medicine*
Scholarship Internships

Scholarships for a semester by the Hermann and Else Schnabel Foundation at the University of Hamburg for the summer semester 2009/2010

The partnering University of Hamburg is offering a four-month long scholarship stay for the summer semester in the academic year 2009/2010, for pre-graduate and postgraduate students of Charles University as a part of an interuniversity agreement.

The scholarship is designated for: students in upper years of study and postgraduate students of all study areas with exception to dentistry

Scholarship length: 4 months – summer semester 1.4.-31.7.2010

Scholarship amounta: 715,- to 750,- EUR monthly

Quota for the summer semester 2009/2010: 2 scholarships

The application deadline:

Until November 10th 2009

to the Division of International Affairs, Third Faculty of Medicine, Mrs. Hrušková, room No.205

The faculty’s divisions of International Affairs will precede the application forms in the stated order to the CU Chancellor’s Office, Division of International Affairs where the final selection procedure will occur.

Records to be submitted with scholarship application:

- Completed form “Bewerbung um ein Stipendium im Rahmen der Partnerschaft”
- 1 photograph
- Aim of study (Letter of motivation) in Czech and German
- Confirmation of good fluency in German language+
- Structured CV in German language
- Summary of study results
- Confirmation of acceptance into PhD studies, copy of diploma and grades from the final examinations (specialy PhD students)
- Letter of recommendation from a university professor at CU
- Letter of acceptance from a Hamburg University professor (for PhD. students it is requirement, for students it is not necessary)

Ad+ PhD students can prove English proficiency, basic German language is welcome

All records to be submitted with scholarship application must be submitted in two copies – one as originals, the second as a copy of the original.

The selected applicants will be invited to complete the application form of the University of Hamburg and to submit a copy of their European Health Insurance Card.

Division of Internal Affairs

CONGRATULATION

We would like to congratulate doc. MUDr Jiří Horáček, Ph.D. on obtaining the 3rd place on the competition for the best oral! information, for the work of cetamine and EEG cordance which he participated in USA in Atlanta at a conference ECNS-ISNIP. Second place was occupied by famous Flor-Henry (University of Alberta, Ca), co-founder of the mentioned organisations. The first price won GW Taylor (Harvard) for work on P 300 ERP wave.
ECNS Conference 2009  
September 9th-September 12th, 2009  
Joint ECNS - ISNIP Conference  
Atlanta, Georgia  
The 2009 Annual Meeting of the EEG and Clinical Neuroscience Society (ECNS) will be held jointly with the International Society of NeuroImaging in Psychiatry (ISNIP) and will take place in Atlanta, Georgia, USA the week of September 9 - 12, 2009. This is the 6th consecutive joint meeting of these two societies. The topic of this year’s meeting is Frontiers in the Assessment and Treatment in Neurobehavior Disorders.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR PROTECTION OF EXPERIMENTAL ANIMALS AT THIRD FACULTY IF MEDICINE CU AND PCP

The Committee for protection of experimental animals at Third Faculty and PCP was found in year 1998, chair prof. MUDr. Miloslav Kršiak, DrSc. And members MUDr. Klára Bernášková, CSc., doc. RNDr. Pavel Rödl, CSc., doc. MUDr. Romana Šlamberová, Ph.D., MVDr. Ivan Štácha, RNDr. Hana Tejkalová, Ph.D., she is responsible for the care of experimental animals in PCP, MVDr. Petra Tomanová a doc. MVDr. Šimon Vaculín, Ph.D. (responsible for the care of experimental animals at Third Faculty of Medicine).
Work with experimental animals at Third Faculty of Medicine is ruled by valid norms, i.e. Animal Protection against Abuse Act.No.246/1992 and the decree No.207/2004 and the Dean’s order No.2/2005 on the breeding and use of experimental animals at Third faculty of Medicine.
The committee monitors especially filling of particular obligations of persons engaged in management and animal experiment, discusses and reflects an attempt to project and control its observance, controls going of equipment (the Menagerie), preparing accreditation and other documents required by resort committee.
The accreditation procedure took place at Third Faculty of medicine and PCP last year. All necessary documents for accreditation committee of Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports ČR (eg. registration and records of the number of experimental animals for the last 3 years, technological practices, organisational schemes) were found free and clear. Based on the accreditation process in 2008, the re-accreditation was awarded for all manegeries at 3 MF UK and PCP for the longest possible period, eg. 5 years.
In 2008 the result of experimental animals approved and supervised by Committee were published in 12 works in extenso in journals with IF (total IF over 21), authors: Bernášková, Krištofíková, Nedvídek, Páleniček, Sliva, Škurlová, Šlamberová, Vaculín, Votava).
Members of Committee particpate for minimal use of animal models in teaching and especially to minimize the suffering of animals during training. Delivering of all necessary documents to interested parties, methodologies for monitoring and control of experimental animals during training in the field of Normal Physiology.
In conclusion, the committee fills up all duties arising from legislativ and is engaged in fulfillment of free „R“ (Reduction, Replacement, Refinement) in the use of experimental animals.

Worked by
Šimon Vaculín

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We welcome new students in English curriculum in academic year 2009/2010

DEAN´S ORDER NO. 20/2009

On the dates of the State examination in the academic year 2009/2010

Master’s study

Part of the State rigorous examination in Paediatrics

Place: Office of the Head of the Children and Youth Clinic
Max. amount of students per day: 10

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Part of the State rigorous examination in Neurobehavioural Sciences:

Place: Dean´s office, 1st floor, room number 224 or 223
Max. amount of students per day: 13

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Part of the State rigorous examination in Preventive Medicine

Place: students will be devided according to the breakdown at the 2nd internal clinic on the day of the exam
Max. number of students per day: 12

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- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc, Dean of the Third Faculty of Medicine
APPOINTMENT OF NEW PROFESSORS

The president of the Czech Republic has named on September 18th, 2009 record number of new professors, generally 104. On the proposal of the Scientific Council of Charles University in Prague he has named the following two protagonists: doc. MUDr. Markéta Dušková field of Sumery and doc. MUDr. Jiří Horáček field of psychiatry.

Prof. MUDr. Markéta Dušková, CSc., is a major figure in the Czech plastic surgery. She has proposed as the first on the world a surgical procedure that on basic of objective measurement transports the antropological parametres of the patient’s face into the range of normal.

Prof. MUDr. Jiří Horáček, Ph.D., is well-researched worker in the field of psychiatry. His scientific work represents an valucable asset in solution of basic questions in the field of biological psychiatry, especially glutamatergic hypothesis of schizofrena, and solution of practical questions of diagnostics, he turns to genetics of mental disorders, computer and animal models.

The chancellor of Charles University in Prague named 50 new associate professors in June 2009 – the following as an associate professor doc. MUDr. Aleš Bartoš, Ph.D., field of Neurology, Third Faculty of Medicine.

We congratulate

Mgr. Marie Fleissigová, CSI

AN OFFER FROM CHANCELLOR´S OFFICE

Official Opening of new Scholarship Internship Programme SCIEX-NMS

The Scientific Exchange Programme between the New Member States of the EU and Switzerland- SCIEX-NMS®- the programme aims at facilitating research stays in Swiss research teams to doctoral (PhD) and PostDoc candidates from Czech Republic.

Duration of the programme: 2009-2016.

First call for tenders – the final date for submission is 1st of November 2009

Main coordinator for Czech republic is National Agency for European Educational Programmes (NAEP).

Further detailed info are available:


SCIEX: http://www.sciex.ch

OZS RUK: http://www.cuni.cz/UK-3273.html

They will join a research team at a Swiss partner institution, they will be fully integrated in the on-going research work, contribute their own ideas and results and bendit from specific knowledge through exchanges with Professional and young researchers.

CSI INFORMATION

Online accesss into Dynamed database will be terminated 30.09.2009 !!!

Try out the last chance of the access into Dynamed database by Ebsco – a database founded on the Principle of Evidence Based Medicine. The annual access to the Dynamed database has been launched only for Third Faculty of Medicine, the advance payment is not ordered for next year.

For access you can use either for direct access from an CU IP address, the remote access (the Third FM employees and students) – the valid CU student card and valid password into CAS.

All info about access you can find on the website of faculty

Mirka Plecitá
Internationale Deutschkurse 2010

Genießen Sie einen unvergesslichen Sommer in der UNESCO-Weltkulturerbestadt Wittenberg und verbessern Sie Ihre Deutschkenntnisse!

Das Institut für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V. an der Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg bietet auch im Sommer 2010 zahlreiche internationale Sommersprachkurse an.

1. **Intensivvorbereitung für die TestDaF-Prüfung (B2)** (jeweils 1 Woche vor dem Prüfungstermin)

2. **Deutschland 2010 – 20 Jahre nach der Wiedervereinigung (B2) DAAD**

3. **Intensivkurs für die Mittelstufe (B1+)***

4. **Deutsche Sprache und Landeskunde (B1+) DAAD**

5. **Intensivkurs für die Mittelstufe (B1+)**

6. **DaF und Theater (B1+) DAAD**

7. **Intensivkurs für die Oberstufe (B2+/C1) DAAD**

8. **Intensivkurs für Anfänger/fortgeschrittene Anfänger (A1/A2)**

9. **Intensivkurs für Anfänger / fortgeschrittene Anfänger (A1/A2)**


11. **Fachsprachkurs Wirtschaft (B2) DAAD**

12. **Vorbereitungskurs: Studium an einer deutschen Hochschule DAAD**
    - (B1+) 13. Sept. – 01. Oktober 10 (Anmeldeschluss: 02. August)

* Sprachniveau erfolgen nach Gemeinsamen Europäischen Referenzrahmen (GER), A – Anfänger/Grundstufe/ B – Mittelstufe/ C – Oberstufe

* Für diese Kurse vergibt der DAAD Hochschulsommerkursstipendium* / Teilstipendium durch Institut möglich.

Informationen zu den einzelnen Kursen und Preisen sowie Stipendienmöglichkeiten finden Sie unter:

[www.sprache.uni-halle.de/deutschkurse](http://www.sprache.uni-halle.de/deutschkurse)

Wir freuen uns darauf, Sie hier in Wittenberg begrüßen zu können!

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We would like to make VNS more efficient and flexible. Thank you for your suggestions and recommendations that help us improve our services.

Please, inform us whenever you have any ideas, commendations or suggestions.

Thank you!!! Thank you!!! Thank you!!!

Write to e-mail:
jana.habova@lf3.cuni.cz
SESSION OF THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY

The Dean of the Third Faculty of Medicine and the 3 FM CU Academic Senate are convening

The session of the Academic Community of the Third Faculty of Medicine in Prague

on Tuesday, October 20th, 2009, from 14:00

Programme:
The introduction of new candidates for the function of Dean at the 3rd FM CU for the period 2010-2014.

Classes are cancelled in all years of study and study programmes
on Tuesday, October 20th, 2009 from 13.30

Doc.MUDr.Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the Third Faculty of medicine

MUDr.David Marx, Ph.D.
Chairman of AS 3rd FM CU

DEAN´S ORDER

Dean´s Orded No. 21/2009

The alternate registration date for the Academic Year 2009/2010

1. According to art.4 para.6 of the Study and Examination Order of Charles University in Prague, the registration was closed on September 25th,2009 for all students in all forms of study/years.

2. The alternate registration date is stated on October 13th,2009 from 8.00 to 11.00 in room number 205, 207 and 208 – Study Division (Building No.19)).

3. If even those students do not show up for the alternate registration their studies will be terminated according to § 56, para 1 letter b) of the Act.No.111/1998 Coll . On Universities and art. 12 para. 1 letter b) on the Study and Examination Order of Charles University in Prague .

In the appendix there is a list of students which this alternate registration is concerned.

This order:
• Is effective upon issue:  25. 9. 2009
• Is valid until:  30. 11. 2009
• Obeys all internal regulations
• Was compiled by the Study Division – L.Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the Third Faculty of Medicine

Notice: The list of unregistered students is posted on the faculty´s notice board (building Ruská 87).

CHANGE IN DEPARTMENT MANAGEMENT

Effective since 1.10.2009, MUDr. Dagmar Schneidrová, CSc. was named the Head of the Department of Children and Youth Health

Jaromír Chlapec
Head of the Dep. of Personnel and Wages
SERVICE, TECHNICAL SUPPORT OF LECTURE HALLS — NEW EMPLOYEE

Since 29. 9. 2009, Mr. Márió Szkála (replacing Mr. Josef Nelhübl), began his work as service, technical supports of lecture halls and their equipment.

Contact: room No. 525 (main building, Ruská 87)),
e-mail: poslucharny@lf3.cuni.cz, phone: 267102525, mobile: 776 694 099 (from 7:30 to 16:00 hod).

A. Vlasáková
Head of the Study Division

STUDENTS COUNSELLING CENTRE

Department of Child and Youth Health – bldg. 19 (next to the main bldg.), 1st front door, 2nd floor, door 306
Third Faculty of Medicine, Charles University in Prague
Ruská 87, 100 00 Prague 10

Contact Person
MUDr. Dagmar Schneidrová, CSc., e-mail: Dagmar.Schneidrova@lf3.cuni.cz, Phone : +420 267 102 340
Consultations: Wednesday 10:00-12:00, 13:00-16:00, or upon telephone agreement

Students Counselling Centre provides:

- Study counselling
  - assistance in solving study problems
  - guidance in developing suitable study methods

- Counselling in coping personal problems and personal growth
  - assistance during adaptation to new study and life conditions
  - guidance in a difficult personal situation
  - coping stress, incl. supporting healthy lifestyle

- Psychotherapy
  systematic care focused on coping:
  - anxiety states (e.g. test anxiety, social anxiety)
  - depressive states
  - eating disorders and other psychosomatic problems.

Stress management programme for university students
http://www.lf3.cuni.cz
(For Students – Study Information – Health Care and Social Matters - Student Counselling Centre at the Dept. of Child and Youth Health)
http://www.szu.cz/poradna/successfulstudent/

MUDr. Dagmar Schneidrová, CSc

CSI INFORMATION – TRIAL ACCESS INTO EBRARY ACADEMIC COMPLETE.

For all of Charles University the trial access into ebrary Academic Complete was set up. It is collection of specialized monographs created by leading producers which covered the whole academic sphere.

More detailed information on the offered source can be found at the:

Trial access is valid by 28.10.2009
The remote access is on discussion.

Mirka Plecitá
LET´S APPLAUD OURSELVES

The 10th Congress of European Association of Clinical Anatomy took place in Istanbul, on September 2-5, 2009, the lecture "Retroperitoneal lymph nodes drainage" written by David Kachlík, Radovan Turyna, Václav Báča and Josef Stingl won the prestigious price - Turkish Society of Anatomy and Clinical Anatomy "Professor Atilla Muftuoglu Prize" for the best interpretative information.

The general meeting of European Association of Clinical Anatomy (EACA) and International Academy of Clinical Anatomy(IACA) took place on September 3rd, 2009 and Doc. MUDr. Václav Báča, PhD. was elected to the top committee of both institutions.

Congratulations!!!

THE MEDIA EVENT – YOU KNOW THEM

On October 1st, 2009, TV ČT2 from 20.00
Vizita mezi životem a smrtí aneb Kdo bude léčit doktora Dušku a jeho partu?

The inspection of life of six young Doctors of medicine, six years after their graduation directed by Marek Sklář.
The lead actor of this document MUDr. František Duška, Ph.D, who works for Faculty Hospital Královské Vinohrady and teaching Biochemistry at Third Faculty of Medicine
On September 21st, 2009  Studio 6

Interview with MUDr. Ondřejem Gojišem,
Postgraduante student at Third faculty of Medicine, who was awarded a prize of the European Cancer Society

Taken from archives of Česká televize:

We would like to invite students, members of academic staff and all employees at Third Faculty of Medicine to Ceremonial Liturgy

on the occasion of opening the winter semester 2009 which will be celebrated by Marek Vácha

on October 7th, 2009 at 16.15

in the Chapel at Department of Children and Adolescents (Building M), 1st floor, entrance by background stairs
DEAN’S ORDERS

Dean’s Order No. 22/2009

Cancellation of Teaching on Tuesday, October 20th, 2009 from 13.30

Classes are cancelled in all years of study and study programmes at Third Faculty of Medicine on Tuesday, October 20th, 2009 from 13.30.

This order:
- Is valid on October 20th, 2009
- Obeys all internal regulations

Dean’s Order No. 23/2009

On dates of the State examinations in the Academic Year 2009/2010

MASTER’S STUDY PROGRAM: GENERAL MEDICINE

Part of the State rigorous examination in Surgical fields

Place: Clinic of Surgery FNKV and Third Faculty of Medicine

Max. number of students per day: 10

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This order:
- Is effective upon issue: 30.9.2009
- Is valid until: 12.6.2010
- Obeys all internal regulations
- Was compiled by Study Division—L. Zamrazilová Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.

Dean of the Third Faculty of Medicine

DECLARATION OF THE ELECTION FOR THE FUNCTION OF DEAN

Electing a candidate for the Dean at 3rd FM CU for the period from 1.2.2010 to 31.1.2014

Declaration of the election for the function of Dean.
The Academic Senate at the 3rd FM CU at its session on June 16th, 2009 has announced in accordance to §27, paragraph 1, letter g) of Act. 111/98 Coll., art. 10, paragraph 1, letter g) of the Statute of the 3rd FM and with art.19 of the Election and Procedural Order of the AS 3rd FM
The date and place for electing a candidate for the function of Dean was announced by the secretariat of Academic Senate on the official board of 3rd FM CU no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

The Academic Senate of faculty will vote the candidate for the function of Dean at its session. The election shall be by secret ballot in not more than free rounds. A candidate shall be elected as Dean if absolute majority of all members of the Senate vote for him.

Must be submitted in written form by the recorder of the AS (Mrs. Jeničková, Dean’s office, room No. 240):

a) By a member of the Senate
b) By a group of at least 20 members of the Academic Community (contain the following: name of the candidate, the workplace and the signatures)

No later than seven days before the election, the recorder shall obtain the written approvals.

The session of the Academic Community, Syllaba Hall, at 14.00

The session of the Academic Senate of 3rd FM CU, dean’s office, cabinet, 1st floor, at 14.30

The session of the Academic Senate of 3rd FM CU, dean’s office, cabinet, 1st floor

The financial crisis and the economic recession affect the ambition of the European Union to become a highly competitive dynamic knowledge-based economy. The slowdown of the global economy impacts on HEIs.

To respond to these difficulties universities are confronted with an urgent need to strengthen institutional capacity and to modernize university governance and management. The EU and member governments are urging universities to strengthen their cooperation with business and to become more entrepreneurial. They call for innovative activities, improved tools and exchange of good practices to further reform education and training systems. Knowledge transfer must contribute to innovation and economic growth, in particular at the regional level.

Numerous successful examples exist across the EU in terms of a win-win interaction between academic institutions and enterprises contributing to economic growth and showcasing universities as a driving force in cooperation with business and regional authorities.

- To what extent are European universities prepared to contribute to the EU Lisbon strategy, the “modernization agenda” and the “new skills for new jobs initiative”?
- How can deans of faculties and academic managers in universities play a key role as the vital interface with the economic actors in the region?
- Why should deans be involved in the university’s strategic direction as managers in a complex set of internal and external relations?

The central point for the two-day DEAN 2009 conference is the role of deans as change agents of the Knowledge Society, with a particular focus given to Regions and Businesses.

2009 CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

Universidade de Lisboa, 19-20 November 2009

“Driving regional innovation in times of global crisis”
The role of the dean – New strategies in European universities”
The conference will offer an excellent opportunity to take stock of current developments. It will look at critical success factors for regional innovation through institutional capacity and human capital building, and address the topic of regional innovation partnerships in the framework of lifelong learning, developing a demand-driven agenda set by employers (including entrepreneurship), knowledge transfer and innovation (networks, clusters, science parks). It will look at strategy, leadership, governance and funding issues.

**Confirmed speakers so far include:**

- Mr. **David Coslet**, Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Pro Vice-Chancellor, University of Plymouth
- Mr. **David Coyne**, Director European Social Fund, DG Employment, European Commission
- Prof. **Stephen Hagen**, University West of England, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, University of Wales Newport
- Prof. **Stefan Jurga**, Former Secretary of State Poland, former Rector Poznan University
- Prof. **Olof Nilsson**, Dean of medical education, University of Uppsala; representative Association of medical schools in Europe
- Prof. Sir **Peter Scott**, Vice-Chancellor, Kingston University London
- Prof. **Luc Soete**, Director of UNU-MERIT (Maastricht Economic and Social Research Training Centre on Innovation and Technology); Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, University of Maastricht
- Prof. **Frans van Vught**, ESMU President, advisor Commission President Barroso, former Rector University of Twente
- Prof. **Mick Wilson**, Dean, Graduate School Creative Arts and Media, Dublin Institute of Technology

For further information, registration and a full programme, see [www.esmu.be](http://www.esmu.be)

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**INVITATION TO A CONCERT**

The Berg Chamber Orchestra and the Jewish Museum in Praze

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**Wednesday, October 14th, 2009 at 19.00 + nocturne at 21.00**

The Spanish synagoge (Vězeňská 3, P1)

The music-film event of this year

The feature-silent film from the early Hollywood production Hungry Hearts, 1922

New music of young Czech composer Jan Duška LIVE

**BONUS**: the sight-seeing of the Spanish synagoge with guide (at 18.30 and at 20.30)

**Tickets**

**ON-LINE:** [http://www.berg.cz/vstupenky_order.html](http://www.berg.cz/vstupenky_order.html)

E-mail: vstupenky@berg.cz, phone: 604.205.937

* **advance purchasing**: music shops Via Musica (Staroměstské nám. 14 a Malostranské nám. 13, denně 10.30-18h)
* **price**: 200 Kč / 100 Kč for students, seniors and ZTP and ZTP-P pass holders

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BUILDING OF THE AUDIOVISUAL CENTRE

In recent time we have built the Audiovisual Centre from the financial recource of MŠMT ČR which you can find in room No.339A main building of faculty. AVC makes opportunity to digitizing screen and sound (rewriting from VHS to DVD)on 3 PC with SW, cutting video and you can use high-quality portable audiovisual technic (high-quality cameras, tripods, sounding, microphones, LCD TV with diagonale 107 cm). It is possible to make use of all apparates and equipments in the room AVC (avc@lf3.cuni.cz) or lend this. For more info, please contact RNDr. E. Kvašňáka, Ph.D. (mobil 731 560 592).

Doc. MUDr. Jozef Rosina, Ph.D.

DIPLOMA WORKS WITH PREVENTIVE FOCUS – SUBMISSION OF WORK TOPICS TO THE SIS – 3RD FM CU

All topics of diploma works in academic year 2009/2010 must be presented to the SIS (Educational Info System) until 16.10.2009 (for teachers)

Students in English curriculum have determined topics in Study programme AVSEOB

SIS-http://is.cuni.cz/studium

Submission of topics – the associated web application will appeal after logging into the System

The topics of diploma work focused on prevention can be assigned under any teaching Department of the Faculty. The head of the project can be pedagogical worker of the faculty who is associated for submitting topics.

The student has 2 years for processing and defence of diploma work. After registration for a topic, she/he should immediately inform the head of the project. The diploma work shall be defended in the 6th study year as part of the State Final Examination in Preventive Medicine.

For login into the SIS you need the valid CU student pass and valid password into CAS (if there are any problems – contact Mr. O. Kubánka, tel. 267102482).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Prof. MUDr. Milena Černá, DrSc.
Head of Department of Preventive Medicine

The registration for the topic of diploma work (for students) will start on November 9th, 2009
Providing assistance services to CU disabled students (personal assistance, assistance in their university studies, e.g. in obtaining specialized literature for their studies, providing them the sign language interpreting at lectures, seminars, etc) is financially supported through the project called Improving the Study Conditions for Disabled CU Students.

The merit bonus as scholarship 70 CZK/1 hour

Further information can be obtained by contacting The Information and Advisory Centre of CU, Office for students with special needs

Alice Rytychová, via email alice.rytychova@ruk.cuni.cz

Phone: 224491604

Bc. Alena Vlasáková, DIŠ,
Head of Study Division
SESSION OF THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY- INTRODUCTION OF CANDIDATES
The Academic Senate of Charles University voted the Rector of Charles University – prof. Václav Hampl at its session. He was the only one candidate for the function of Rector and he was voted by 55 members (all 61), he was supported by 12 faculties (all 17) of Charles University. He will be the Rector for the period 2010-2014.

Mgr. Marie Fleissigová, editress of VNR

THE DECLARATION OF THE BOARD OF CZECH RECTORS CONFERENCE

The Board of Czech Rectors Conference (CRC) made an announcement on the occasion of 92th session:

1. CRC shares the public concern concerning the situation at the Faculty of Law, West Bohemia University in Pilsen.
2. CRC considers it necessary to apply all options promptly (in accordance with the Declaration of the Board CRC from October 13th, 2009) that the Higher Education Act provides to the academic institutions and the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports and are based on the principle of autonomy and self-government of Universities.
3. CRC is convinced that the current setting of tertiary education in Czech Republic provides an effective solution of this regrettable situation which did not occurred as a result of system failure, but on the basis of individual behaviour or inactivity of the responsible persons.
4. CRC strongly declines the politicization of this case.

Pardubice 21st October 2009

Petr Fiala
Chair of Czech Rectors Conference

SUMMER PRACTICAL NURSING EXPERIENCE

Practical nursing experience is a part of the Master’s study programme in General Medicine. The practical experience may be completed in second year of study (after winter or summer semester). A requirement for completing the practical experience is to fulfill the credit for Basic Nursing. The practical experience is in part organized by the 3 FM CU in cooperation with FNKV, and partially organized by the students themselves. The students from Slovakia can also complete these requirements in their own country under the same circumstances as the Czech students.

The main objectives of the practical experience
The student will expand their knowledge and gain practical experience in patient care under the surveillance of experienced nurses (the basic and specialist nursing care) for in-patient facilities.
The student will be introduced to the organized duties in nursing care and to the management of the hospital.
The student will learn the basic requirements for nurses and of the whole medical care team.
The student will gain experience and will master communication with the patients and the whole medical care team.

Scope and Focus
The summer practical experience will run for 3 weeks at the in-patient care area of the basic department of internal medicine and Sumery that means at the Department of Surgery, Internal Medicine, Orthopaedics, Urology, Neurology. The students will be required to complete all free different time shift. They will complete 3-6 afternoon shift, 1-3 night shift and 1 Saturday or Sunday shift. The work hours are 40 hours per week (including the 30 minute break)

Work Fulfillment
The work is focused on the work fulfillment of the nurses in their particular department. Aside from nursing care, the student must complete individual nursing duties that are all recorded into the attached list confirmed by the nurse. All of the duties are performed under the surveillance of the experienced nurse that was authorized by the department/clinic.
During summer practical experience, the students cannot be given duties outsider the scope of the nursing care.

Organization
The dates of the practical experience are based on the individual arrangement where the requirement is that the student must work for three weeks consecutively as described above and during the summer period while no instruction is taking place (from 25.1. – 21.2. 2010 or from 7.6. - 28.9. 2010).
a) Individually arranged practical experience

At the Study Division, the student must pick up request forms (1. An arrangement of the practical nursing experience 2x, 2. A syllabus of the practical nursing experience - Nursing, 3. A list of the nursing duties for completion the practical nursing experience, 4. An introductory letter of confirmation on completing practical nursing experience, 5. An evaluation of the student).

The introductory letter including the syllabus and the arrangement will be given to the head nurse (the assistant manager of nursing care). He/she will deliver one copy of the agrément to the Study Division and will deliver the Confirmation on completing the practical experience (a part of the introductory letter) by 22.1. 2010 (winter semester) or by 4.6. 2010 (summer semester) to the Department of Nursing Mgr. Jana Holubová (Building X, 3rd floor – Secretariat room No. 413, mail box).

During the practical experience, the student must complete responsibilities as indicated in the syllabus.

He/She must hand in: 1. Syllabus, 2. The Evaluation of the student - at the appropriate department/clinic to the head nurse or departmental nurse. Completes the list of duties and has them approved.

b) Practical Experience at FNKV

The students will pick up the necessary documents at the Study Division and will visit the head nurse of the respective departments. They will need to establish an appropriate date and then go to deputy of Nursing care who will sign the contract and the introductory letter. This will be given by 22.1. 2010 or in summer semester by 4.6. 2010 to Mgr. Jana Holubová /Building X, Department of Nursing, Secretariat room No. 413, mail box/.

During the practical experience, the student must complete responsibilities as indicated in the syllabus.

At the department the student will submit to the head nurse :1. Syllabus, 2. The Evaluation of the student. The list of duties will be in the student’s possession as the student progressively completes them and receives confirmation by the nurse.

Students living in Prague are recommended to fulfill their experience at the FNKV health facility. Due to the fact that you will be performing more practical experience in the hospital in the following years, we consider it as a great benefit for your further studies that you will gain experience from these workplaces.

Credit

The credit for practical nursing experience will be given during registration into the next year. The documents needed for this credit are 1. The Evaluation of the student, 2. The confirmation on returning the work clothes (if They were borrowed), 3. The confirmed list of duties (100% know how to be performed, 90% were performed).

The students who attended Nursing Secondary School or University are exempt from completing the practical nursing experience. The students will pick up forma t Study Division and will submit it to Mgr. Jana Holubová (room No. 415) salong with documents indicating their completion of the given school.

If there are any questions regarding the practical nursing experience (perhaps regarding hospitals, contacts, dates, etc.) Mgr. Jana Holubová will be happy to anter by email /Jana.Holubova@if3.cuni.cz/ or by phone 606 394 7 08.

Doc. MUDr. Daniela Janovská, CSc.
Vice-Dean for Master’s Study Programme

THE INVITATIONS AND THE SEMINARS

We are pleased to invite the students and members of academic staff to the lecture „Infections in Immunocompromised Host“

Prof. Zelalem Temesgen, M.D., Ph.D.
Division of Infectious Diseases, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota

November 6th, 2009, Syllaba Hall at 11.00a.m

Doc. MUDr. Jiří Beneš, CSc., MUDr. O. Džupová, Ph.D.
Department of Infectious Diseases
Dear all,

We would like to invite you to the 19th EXPOLINGUA Praha – The only International fair for Languages, Education and Cultures in the Czech Republic.

The 19th EXPOLINGUA Praha will take place November 6 – 7, 2009, Národní dům, nám. Míru 9, Praha 2 Vinohrady.


We look forward to welcoming you to EXPOLINGUA Praha 2009!

Your EXPOLINGUA Praha team

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**Charles University in Prague**

**Information and Advisory Centre would like to invite you**

**STUDY IN SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES**

**WHEN:** November 11th, 2009
From 14 o´clock

**WHERE:** Zelená posluchárnna RUK,
Celedná 20, Praha 1

**PROGRAM:**

- specifiks, attractions, practical advice
- guest expert at Scandinavian countries
- study experience gained in Sweden and Finland

You are welcome.

Please, registration at: http://www.cuni.cz/UK-1473.html
In response to the nationwide alarm declaration by the WHO Pandemic Alert Level Phase 6, it is our honour to invite you to attend the World Response Conference on Global Outbreak (WRCGO 2009) on November 12th -13th, 2009 at Monte Carlo Hotel in Las Vegas, Nevada. WRCGO 2009 mission is to support the urgent endeavours of worldwide public health, business, and consumers on pandemic influenza and to contribute to the advancement of the global community thru the aspect of Prevention, Protection, Response, and Recovery.

Contact person: Judita Kinkorová, TC AVCR, tel.: 724 543 043, kinkorova@tc.cz.
Our purpose is to create an ad hoc multi-sector Crisis Prevention & Response Management Plan during the event for a possible Co-Occurrence H5N1 Avian Flu during H1N1 Swine flu in the same area, which will be studied as a model by communities worldwide. It is the first world event to invite leaders representing every sectors of society from Government-City, County, State and Federal Emergency Planners and Public Health Professionals, Critical Infrastructure Councils, Medical & Scientific Community, Agriculture and Food Safety, Military, Justice & Law Experts, Clinicians & First Responders, Shopping Centres and Establishments, Human Resource, Information Technology Guru, Media, Companies with products, services and solutions designed to aid in the World and US medical response to pandemic disease and mass casualty events, Anyone in the emergency and preventive medicine sectors who are concerned with or unsure about their roles in the response to an influenza pandemic, as well other experts to model a community process to help prepare, respond, and recover from a localized outbreak, as well as broader pandemic.

Simulation exercise, compelling case studies-scenarios, global partnerships, and health management emergency structure on H1N1 & H5N1 influenza will be presented over the two-day forum, offering new important findings on headline-grabbing incidents of H1N1 & H5N1 influenza, their cost to society, and how they have impacted local and global prevention, preparedness, response and recovery processes.

We hope to see you joining our international speakers and delegates in this conference. We are looking forward to a more winning partnership and commitment from you soon.

Jean McCrory
Events Manager

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DECLARATION OF THE 2ND ROUND OF ELECTION FOR THE FUNCTION OF DEAN AT 3RD FM CU FOR THE PERIOD 2010 - 2014

The Academic Senate of 3rd FM CU at its session on October 27th 2009 did not elect the candidate for the function of the Dean at 3rd FM CU for the period 2010-2014 in three rounds of first election and that’s why it has announced in accordance to §27, paragraph 1, letter g) of Act.111/98 Coll., art. 10, paragraph 1, letter g) of the Statute of the 3rd FM and with art.19 of the Election and Procedural Order of the AS 3rd FM and in compliance with measures art. 30, paragraph 8 of the Election and Procedural Order of AS Charles University in Prague

2nd round of electing a candidate for the function of the Dean on November 26th, 2009.

The time-limit for submitting a nomination for candidates

Until Tuesday, November 10th, 2009 at 16.00

The nomination for candidates must be submitted in written form by the recorder of the AS (Mrs.Jana Jeničková) of the date of declaration the election a) by a member of the AS or b) by a group of 20 members of the Academic Community. The nomination for candidate (in written form) will contain the following – name of the candidate with all titles, place of work, names and signatures of the persons who nominate him/her. In accordance to resolution of AS 3rd FM CU from October 27th, 2009 it cannot be nominated the same candidates which were voted at the last unsuccessful election – in our case neither of the two candidates of 1st round.

MUDr.David Marx, PhD.
Chair of Academic Senate 3rd FM CU

Prague, October 27th, 2009

PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE FOR STUDENTS IN THE 5TH YEAR OF STUDY

The students will arrange their practical experience individually and for a 2-week period in a chosen field or at a family physician’s clinic and a 2-week period in the area of gynaecology and obstetrics. The students have the opportunity to arrange their experience at a hospital of their choice and that is in Czech Republic or abroad.

The dates of the practical experience must follow Dean’s order No. 34/2005:

- To complete the practical experience in a chosen field or in gynaecology and obstetrics: anytime after completing the course in the field
- To complete the practical experience at a family physician: anytime except during courses.

The list of necessary forms for completing the practical experience:

1) A letter with information on the practical experience. A signed portion of the letter with the approval of the hospital that needs to be submitted to the office depending on the type of practical experience:

- Practical experience in the selected speciality or family physician´s office
  Box No. 41 – Department of Occupational and Travel Health
  Practical experience coordinator: doc. Monika Kneidlová – I. 2679

- Practical experience in gynaecology and obstetrics
  Box No. 12 – Department of Gynaecology and Obstetrics
  Practical experience coordinator: dr. Marie Bendová – I. 2730

2) The syllabus for practical experience in a selected speciality or at a family physician office

3) The syllabus for practical experience for gynaecology - obstetrics
The report on the evaluation of the student experience – two copies
(1 for a selected speciality or a family physician and 1 for gynaecology and obstetrics)

The contract on student practical experience with a health institute (only if necessary)

The list of requirements necessary for receiving credit:
• The report on student practical experience evaluation
• The syllabus

Both of these documents must be stamped and signed by the responsible person. (ie. The chief of staff, etc.)
This requirement refers to both types of practical experience.

The forms necessary for completing the practical experience at the informational meeting on 10.11.2009 at 15.30 in the Burian lecture hall, and later at the Study Division.

Doc. MUDr. Daniela Janovská, CSc.
Vice-Dean for Master’s Study Programme

RESULTS FROM THE CREDIT TEST OF MODUL IIC

Modul IIC: The relationship between the result of the 1st term of the final credit test and the grade of the 1st term of the oral exam

This year’s final credit test of Modul IIC was comprised of 120 questions of all courses in Modul IIC. The detailed statistical analysis of all responses you can find at the faculty website, 1st Department of Internal Medicine http://www.lf3.cuni.cz/cs/pracoviste/1interni/ . The test was automatically generated from the used questions of credit test sof Modul IIC in 2004-2008 and under the descriminator power of these questions. The numbers of questions corresponded to the scale of hours of the courses. The prescribed limit was 76 correctly answered questions. The first term was 2.6.2009, there were 129 students, 90 passed the test and 39 repeated the test. The oral exam of Modul IIC followed. The examiners did not know the details of the credit of the examining student.

• From 90 students who obtained the course-credit on the first occasion, 10 students failed in the exam. From 39 students who obtained the course-credit on the second occasion, 22 students failed by the exam.
• From 20 students marked „excellent“ at first term of exam, 19 students obtained the course-credit on the first occasion. From 53 students who failed in the exam only 28 students obtained the course-credit on the first occasion (more info in table).

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Table. n – number of students; Ø – an average number of correctly answered questions (all 120 questions).

The results from the credit test of Modul IIC consisting of approved questions correlated with the results of the following first term of the oral exam.
Thanks to Mr. Ondřej Kubánek from Computer Services Centre for the selection of necessary data.

Doc. MUDr Marek Bednář, CSc.
Department of Medical Microbiology

PARTICIPATION IN AN INTENSIVE PROGRAMME ERASMUS FOCUSED ON INCCAR – AN ELECTIVE COURSE – 3 CREDITS

We offer to our English speaking students the opportunity to participate in an Intensive programme ERASMUS focused on Integrating of Complementary care within a Responsive Health Care System (INCCAR) - an elective course, 3 ECTS, 20.1.2010-31.1.2010
Nursing department of the Third Faculty of Medicine is organizing the second run of an Intensive Programme Erasmus, subsidised by European Commission, focusing on Complementary Health Care Practice. Apart from our faculty 7 faculties and health education institutions from Great Britain, Belgium, Lithuania, Netherlands, Turkey, Finland are contributing to the programme. The programme aims at explanation of complementary health care concepts (lectures) and on practical training (workshops) of selected procedures, like massages, aromatherapy, mind-body techniques etc. Site visits are also a part of the programme. Students work also in small groups or individually and present their results of their individual study or group discussion. The programme continues a previous one which was held in Belgium (COHCA). The programme takes place from 20.1.- 31.1. 2010 (10 programme days) in Prague 10, kolej areál Hostivař. You will gain 3 European credits and a certificate. Accommodation and full board will be provided. The intensive course is also suitable for students of general medicine of 3-5th school years. An excellent English knowledge is necessary, motivation in field of CAM (complementary and alternative) an advantage. Max. 5 places will be divided between Czech bachelor and medicine students and English speaking students.

The applicants may e-mail me to: eva.krizova@lf3.cuni.cz before 30.11.2009, the final selection of students will be made latest by 4.12. I will provide you with deeper information on your request.

dr. Eva Křižová, Dept. of Nursing Third Faculty of Medicine,
door , 416, pavilon X, eva.krizova@lf3.cuni.cz

LET’S APPLAUD OURSELVES

😊 Congratulations to Markéta Kostrouchová – she was rewarded with the Award of Josef Hlávka 2009 for her work "Proteomic changes of malignant cells induced by short-term treatment with valproic acid" (supervisor: Prof. MUDr. Václav Mandys, CSc.) and she gained the second prize in the national competition for medicine held by the company Pierre Fabre Medicament and the French embassy in Prague for year 2009.

😊 Congratulations to Josef Fontana - he gained the third prize in the national competition for medicine held by the company Pierre Fabre Medicament and the French embassy in Prague for year 2009, for his work "Hypoglykémie na jednotce intenzivní metabolické péče FNKV: Výskyt, příčiny, léčení, výsledky u 100 pacientů" (supervisor: Prof. MUDr. Michal Anděl, CSc.)

Congratulations to the winners!

INVITATION

We are pleased to invite the students and members of academic staff to the lecture „Infections in Immunocompromised Host“

Prof. Zelalem Temesgen, M.D., Ph.D.
Division of Infectious Diseases, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota

November 6th, 2009, Syllaba Hall at 11.00a.m

Doc. MUDr. Jiří Beneš, CSc., MUDr. O. Džupová, PhD
Department of Infectious Diseases

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DEAN´S ORDER NO. 24/2009

On dates of the State examinations in the Academic Year 2009/2010

**Master´s Study Programme: General Medicine**

**Part of the State rigorous examination in Preventive Medicine**
Place: Dean´s office, 1st floor, room No. 223
Max. amount of students per day: **10**
Date:

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**Part of the State rigorous examination in Surgical fields**
Place: Clinic of Surgery FNKV and Third Faculty of Medicine
Max. amount of students per day: **10**
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This order:
- Is effective upon issue: 27.10.2009
- Is valid until: 11.6.2010
- Obey all internal regulations
- Was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

**Dean of Third Faculty of Medicine**

SCHOLARSHIP INTERSHIP, AN OFFER FOR THE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

An offer of scholarship stays for students and PhD in the Academic Year 2010/2011 as part of an interuniversity cooperation among German and Switzerland Universities and summer language courses in German in 2010

As part of an interuniversity agreement, one-semester and two-semester scholarship at partnering universities in Germany and Switzerland are offered in the Academic Year 2010/2011.

A list of anticipated placements:

**University:**
- **Bonn** 2 semester spots - also for medical faculties
- **Dresden** 2 semester spots - also for medical faculties
- **München** 3 full year spots or 6 semester spots - also for medical faculties

Students must submit an application form with their records to the Division of International Affairs.

**Deadline:** March 25th, 2010.

**Suplementary records for the scholarship:**
- Completed application form "Bewerbung um ein Stipendium im Rahmen der Partnerschaft"
- 1 passport format photograph
- Structured curriculum vitae in German
- Study plan (motivational letter) in German.
Two recommendation letters by university professors in German, event. English
Confirmation of a general knowledge of German
Approved leaving certificate translated into German*.
A list of study results translated into German* (concerning those students in Master Programmes and Bachelor Programmes)
Confirmation of being accepted into PhD. Studies, a copy of the diploma and a leaving certificate on final examinations translated into German * (for PhD. students)

* the confirmation can be done by the faculty’s Division of Internal Affairs and approved by a stamp

All records must be submitted in German in two copies - one original and one copy of the original!
If the application forms will not have the required records, the material will not be accepted.

2. One month long summer German language course in 2010

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Those interested in the language course must submit the application forms to the faculty’s Division of Internal Affairs Deadline: February 25th, 2010.

Supplementary records for the language course
- Completed application form for the language course
- Reasons for submitting the application form – motivated letter in German
- Structured curriculum vitae in German
- Vice-Dean for International Affairs recommendation (on the application form)

Selection procedure:
A pre-selection of candidates for the scholarship stay and language courses are stated by order at the faculty. A final selection of scholarship recipients and language course participants are completed by the Vice-Chancellor of Foreign Affairs at the Chancellor’s office. Application forms of the selected students will be sent to the foreign university that will decide whether to accept the nominated candidate and further, send them an acceptance letter, a so-called “Zulassungsbescheid”.

Upon returning from abroad, the students will write a report on the scholarship stay to the address: lenka.dostalkova@ruk.cuni.cz.

More information can be found at the Department of Foreign Affairs Chancellor’s office Charles University in Prague. Referral to: Mgr. Lenka Dostálková (lenka.dostalkova@ruk.cuni.cz)

The application forms for scholarship stays and for summer language courses are available at the faculty’s Division of Internal Affairs.

Růžena Hrušková,
Division of Internal Affairs

International Max Planck Research School for Molecular and Cellular Life Science:
International PhD Program in Molecular and Cellular Life Science Spring Selection 2010

An offer from the Chancellor’s office – international PhD Programme „PhD in Molecular and Cellular Life Science“, in München. More information and terms (15.1.2010), application forms: http://www.imprs-ls.de.
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<td>Launched in 2007, the programme aims to cultivate the leaders of tomorrow primarily from Eastern Europe, Central Asia, Russia, the Middle East and North Africa. The programme is managed by the Institute for Strategic Dialogue (ISD), a London-based policy organisation; for contact details, see below. The scholarship is tenable only at the University of Oxford.</td>
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<td>Application procedure</td>
<td>In your application to Oxford, select ‘Weidenfeld’ in the Funding Section of the University’s Graduate Application Form or the ‘IO0809_CONTDEF’ form (for Weidenfeld Scholars already at Oxford). You must also complete and upload together with your graduate application form a Weidenfeld Scholarship Questionnaire as well as ½ A4 page motivational statement. The questionnaire can be downloaded from this webpage (see ‘Downloads’ section). They must be returned to <a href="mailto:student.funding@admin.ox.ac.uk">student.funding@admin.ox.ac.uk</a> with the subject title ‘Weidenfeld Scholarship Statement’. Failure to apply in full by the deadline will mean that you will not be considered for the scholarship, even if you have selected ‘Weidenfeld’ on the Graduate Application Form. Shortlisted candidates will be invited to attend an expenses-paid interview weekend in Oxford in late April 2010</td>
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This document is available under the following weblink:
http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/studentfunding/scholarship_profiles/weidenfeld.shtml

Růžena Hrušková,  
Division of Internal Affairs

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The Academic Senate of 3rd FM CU at its session on November 9th, 2009 changed the resolution in this way:
The Academic Senate of 3rd FM CU announced in accordance to §27, paragraph 1, letter g) of Act. 111/98 Coll.,art.10,paragraph 1, letter g) of the Statute of the 3rd FM and with art.19 of the Election and Procedural Order of the AS 3rd FM

2nd round of electing a candidate for the function of the Dean on November 26th, 2009.

The time-limit for submitting a nomination for candidates

Until Friday, November 13rd, 2009 at 16.00

The nomination for candidates must be submitted in written form by the recorder of the AS (Mrs. Jana Jeničková) of the date of declaration the election by a member of AS or by a group of 20 members of the Academic Community. The nomination for candidate (in written form) will contain the following – name of the candidate with all titles, place of work, names and signatures of the persons who nominate him/her.

MUDr. David Marx, PhD.
Chair of Academic Senate 3rd FM CU

WARNING— THE LOCKERS IN THE ENTRANCE HALL

We would like to ask the students who use the lockers in the entrance hall of the faculty to observe „the Operating Rules for Using Lockers at Third Faculty of Medicine“ and the lockers must be emptied before the end of week. The key will be returned to the Porter’s lodge

Thank you for co-operation on this matter

Ing. Jaroslav Šnajdr
Division of Technical Works and Management

REGISTRATION OF THE TOPICS OF DIPLOMA´S AND BACHELOR´S WORKS IN ACADEMIC YEAR 2009/2010 IN SIS – FOR STUDENTS

Selecting the topic – registration of the topic by the students- the associated web application will appeal after logging into the SIS from 9.11. 2009. Students will choose the offered topics for their Diploma´s and Bachelor´s works in Academic year 2009/2010

M. Hábová

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION — EXCHANGE FELLOWSHIP

Exchange fellowship in ac.y. 2010/11 with partnering Université de Genéve, Switzerland as a part of an interuniversity agreement
(winter and summer semester, for students from Charles University 1 spot).
Study programme in French language. For selection procedure student will submit:
• Curriculum vitae in French language (with up-to-date e-mail,mobile phone)
• Motivational letter
• Study Plan
• Recomendation letter of University
• Summary of Study results – Official Study Transcript (in Czech or English with Grade point average)
• Confirmation of language proficiency
• Year of study and study programme, the chosen semester.

Additional information about entrance exam can be obtained by visiting websites of Universities or at UK STUDENTSKÁ MOBILITA: http://www.cuni.cz/UK-226.html
The application deadline until December 10th, 2009 at Division of International Affairs 3rd FM CU

Růžena Hrušková,
Division of International Affairs

Supporting International Research Collaborations

UBC is actively engaged in global research activities on six continents. From advancing scientific discovery to training international leaders, UBC researchers contribute to international efforts addressing global health and safety, economic opportunity, human rights and environmental integrity. In 2009, two new programs were launched to support the development of international research partnerships and exchanges between UBC and research-intensive academic institutions and research institutes outside of North America:

> Graduate Student International Research Mobility Award
> International Research Collaboration Workshop Grant

UBC has a special interest in facilitating research collaborations in Europe, China, India and Asia; however, applications are not restricted to these areas.

International Research Collaboration Workshop Grant

These grants support the development of workshops or roundtables that will foster significant research collaborations with groups at leading research institutions outside of North America. The program objectives are to:

1. Be a catalyst for international research collaborations in areas of mutual excellence.
2. Lead to the development of joint research proposals to support the resulting collaborative research.
3. Strengthen or develop long-term partnerships and advance formal institutional research agreements.

Workshops or roundtables can be held in Canada or overseas and are generally closed invitational events designed to facilitate dialogue between scholars and distinguished experts, from UBC and abroad, on a specific, well-defined area of collaboration.

Workshops must lead to a joint research agenda and/or delineation of specific research questions or needs, and a strategic plan for joint proposal submission, including identification of potential sources of funding. UBC faculty members must submit applications in collaboration with a lead international scholar.

Value: Up to 50% of total approved workshop costs to a maximum of CDN $10,000.
Graduate Student International Research Mobility Award

In partnership with UBC’s Go Global program, the Graduate Student International Research Mobility Award supports graduate students who wish to pursue research studies at leading institutions located outside of North America and graduate students from non-North American institutions to conduct research at UBC. The program’s objectives are to:

1. Enrich graduate research learning through short-term international research abroad opportunities with research-intensive universities and centres of excellence.
2. Facilitate the exchange of high-level expertise and research skills.
3. Contribute to the development of leading research in areas of mutual excellence.

A one-time stipend of up to $1500 is available to outbound and incoming students. It is generally expected that the lead UBC department or faculty, and international partner, will contribute a portion of the nominated student’s travel-related expenses, outbound or incoming.

The development of research abroad programs involving institutions with whom UBC has a signed Student Mobility Agreement or Memorandum of Understanding is encouraged. UBC graduate students submit applications for research abroad programs and include a letter of invitation from the host international research supervisor.

International students coming to UBC must be nominated by a UBC faculty member who applies on the student’s behalf. Priority is given to PhD students. Students generally participate in the program for stays between 1-3 months, although longer stays are eligible.

Students at the undergraduate and graduate levels can apply directly to Go Global and to partner institutions’ student exchange programs for international research programs throughout the year.

Contact

Jacqueline Smit
International Research Resource Officer
Office of the Vice President Research
The University of British Columbia
224-6328 Memorial Road
Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z2 Canada

Email: jacqueline.smit@ubc.ca
Web: www.research.ubc.ca/international.aspx
DEAN´S ORDER No. 26/2009

On dates of the State examinations in the Academic Year 2009/2010

MASTER´S STUDY PROGRAM: GENERAL MEDICINE

Part of the State rigorous examination in Gynaecology and Obstetrics
Place: Office of the Head of the Gynaecology and Obstetrics Clinic
Date:

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Max. number of students per day: 10

Part of the State rigorous examination in Neurobehavioural Science:
Place: Dean´s office, 1st floor, room number 223
Date: 23.2.2010
Max. number of students per day: 10

Part of the State rigorous examination in Preventive medicine:
Place: Dean´s office, 1st floor, room number 223
Max. number of students per day: 10

This order:
• is effective upon issue: 11.11. 2009
• is valid until: 17.4. 2010
• obeys all internal regulation
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Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the Third Faculty of Medicine

ACADEMIC SENATE THIRD FACULTY OF MEDICINE CU

The Board of the Academic Senate 3rd FM CU has announced, in accordance to part IV., art. 20, paragraph 1 – 4 of the Election and Procedural Order of the AS 3rd FM CU and in compliance with resolution of the Academic Senate from November 9th, 2009 – the nominated candidate for the function of the Dean for the period 2010 – 2014, 2nd round of electing

Prof. MUDr. Michal Anděl, CSc., Head of the 2nd Department of Internal Medicine

The nominated candidate gave the written consent to his nomination for the function of the Dean.

MUDr. David Marx, Ph.D.
Chairman of Academic Senate 3rd FM CU

In Prague, November 18th, 2009.
Requisition

Some forgotten clothing objects belong to the students have been found at the area of 3rd Faculty of Medicine in period 2008-2009. We had no reply for the previous announcement. If you are missing something, please contact the secretary of the Academic Senate of the 3rd FM CU by e-mail or by phone and give the details of the missing objects. Upon agreement those objects will be returned.

Contact:
J. Jeničková – secretary of the AS 3rd FM CU
Phone: 267 102 227
E-mail: jana.jenickova@lf3.cuni.cz

The objects will be given to charity if nobody is interested in it.
In Prague, November 16th, 2009.

Who lost the watch?

Please, contact the secretary of the AS 3rd FM CU
Mrs. J. Jeničkové
Phone: 267 102 227, e-mail: jana.jenickova@lf3.cuni.cz.

LET´S APPLAUD OURSELVES

President Václav Klaus appreciated psychiatrist Cyril Höschl honorary plaque

President Václav Klaus awarded a prize to professor Cyril Höschl at the Prague Castle on November 13th, 2009. On the occasion of his 60th birthday, he gave him the Gold Plaque of the President of the Czech Republic. President Klaus emphasized that prof. Höschl is known in his field – psychiatrii – both us and the world and he deserves this award for his wider public exposure.

Prof. Höschl wants for his lifework in the field of research and development, including the popularization of Psychiatry and Neurobehavioral Science. The Award of the President of the Research and Development in last year´s competition „Česká hlava“. Professor MUDr. Cyril Höschl, DrSc., FRCPsych., is one of our foremost psychiatrists. He contributed actively to delimitation of boundaries in Psychiatry and especially the destigmatization in the eyes of the general public.

In addition to educational activities at the Third Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, he is director of the Prague Psychiatric Center and the Center for Neuropsychiatric Studies (clinical work-place of Third Faculty of Medicine) in Prague Bohnice. In 2007 he was elected the President of the Association of European Psychiatrists.

REPORT FROM THE STUDENT SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

The student scientific conference of Medical Faculties in Czech and Slovak Republic was held on November 9th-10th, 2009, at Medical Faculty, University of Komenský in Bratislava. The visiting Medical Faculty, University of Komenský is celebrating 90 years of its founding in this year. At the conference 22 projects from all Medical Faculties were
presented: where 11 were preclinical and theoretical section, and 11 clinical section. All projects were at high level and the discussion was rich and inspiring.

The conference took place in free languages (Czech, Slovak and English) and the projects were evaluated by two committee consisting of representatives of the faculties:

Professional committee for preclinical and theoretical section has the following composition:

- Head of the committee - prof. MUDr. Vladimír Bencko, DrSc. (The First Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic)
- Members
  - doc. MUDr. Kateřina Kaňková, Ph.D. (Medical Faculty, Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic)
  - doc. MUDr. Romana Šlamberová, Ph.D. (The Third Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic)
  - doc. MUDr. Rostislav Večeřa, Ph.D. (Medical Faculty, University of Palacký, Olomouc, Czech Republic)
  - MUDr. Mgr. Ing. Peter Celček, Ph.D. MPH (Medical Faculty, University of Komenský, Bratislava, Slovak Republic)

Professional committee for clinical section has the following composition:

- Head of the committee – prof. MUDr. Jan Trnka, Ph.D. (The Second Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic)
- Members
  - doc. MUDr. Ján Staško, Ph.D. (Medical Faculty, University of Komenský, Martin, Slovak Republic)
  - prof. MUDr. Anton Kohút, DrSc. (Medical Faculty, University of P.J.Šafářík, Košice, Slovak Republic)
  - doc. MUDr. Jiří Kobl, Ph.D. (Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Plzeň, Czech Republic)
  - doc. MUDr. Ljuba Bachárová, CSc. MBA (International laser centrum, Bratislava, Slovak Republic)

The placement of students was as follows:

Preclinical and theoretical section:

1. **Miroslava Htoutou Sedláková** – Medical Faculty, University of Palacký, Olomouc (Supervisor: Prof. MUDr. Milan Kolár): „Možnosti fenotypových metod v deteckci širokospektrých beta-laktamáz v mikrobiologické praxi”

2. **Vendula Šepsová** – Faculty of Military Health, Hradec Králové (Supervisor: PharmDr. Jana Žďárová Karasová): „Testování inhibičního potenciálu reaktivátorů acetilcholinesterasy in vitro”

3. **Lucia Kolenová** – Slovak Academy of Science, Bratislava (Supervisors: RNDr. Katarína Dlugošová, RNDr. Narcis Tribulová, DrSc.): „Omega-3 nenasytěné mastné kyseliny a Atorvastatin ovplyvňujú medzibunkový komunikáciu v myokarde a v aorte hypetriacylglycerolemických potkanov”

Clinical section:

1. **Lukáš Krbaľ** – Faculty of Medicine, Charles University, Hradec Králové (Supervisor: prof. MUDr. Ivo Šteiner, CSc.): „Pôsobenie k patogenezi kalcifikované aortální stenózy – vaskularizace chlopien”

2. **Jan Brůha** – Faculty of Medicine, Charles university, Plzeň (Supervisors: MUDr. Václav Liška PhD., prof. MUDr. Vladislav Třeška, PhD.): „Inhibition of transforming growth factor beta-1 augments liver regeneration after partial portal vein ligation in porcine experimental model”

3. **Martina Mišáňiková** – Medical Faculty, University of Komenský, Martin (Supervisors: MUDr. Anton Dzian, RNDr. Tatiana Matáková): „Polymorfízmus biotransformačných génov glutatión S-transferázy a riziko vzniku karcinómu plúc”

The representing students of our faculty were the winners of both sections of our Student scientific conference which was held on May 19th, 2009 at Third Faculty of Medicine:

- in the preclinical and theoretical section: **Markéta Kostrouchová** – student of 6th study year (Supervisor: prof. MUDr. Václav Mandys, CSc.) „Proteomic changes of malignant cells induced by short-term treatment with valproic acid”

- in clinical section: **Josef Fontana** – student of 5th study year (Supervisor: prof. MUDr. Michal Anděl, CSc.): „Hypoglykémie na jednotce intenzivní metabolické péče FNKV: Výskyt, příčiny, léčení, výsledky u 100 pacientů”

The projects of both our students were high quality and their representation of our faculty was more than decent in such a difficult competition. My personal thanks ges to both students for exemplary representation in previous competitions.
• In the national competition for Prize for Medicine held by the company Pierre Fabre Médicament Ltd. And the French embassy in Czech republic were rewarded
  o Markéta Kostrouchová – 2nd prize
  o Josef Fontana – 3rd prize
• Markéta Kostrouchová she was rewarded the Award of Josef Hlávka 2009, to which she was nominated by our faculty.

Congratulations to Markéta and Josef!

doc. MUDr. Romana Šlamberová, Ph.D.
SSC co-ordinator at 3rd FM CU

DOLOMITY 2010

WINTER TRIP 13.3. - 18.3. 2010

Accomodation – Viums penzion Haslerhof – 2 – 3 beds per room with bathroom

Food – half board – breakfast - buffet ,
  dinner – Italian cuisine – five course

Skiing - 4 days according selection; according to agreement –
  Plose, Kronplatz, Gitsberg ,
  Val Gardena , Helm

Price – 6 350,-CZK + skipass 134,- EUR adults,
  5 980,-CZK for children born after 1.1.96.
  Junior skipass 97,- EUR and for all children born after 29.11.1993

Total price in CZK + EUR includes
  – food, accommodation, transport and skipass

Applications up to 5.1.2010 to as. Skálové
Phone: 272 082 505, 732 856723 , Kvetas@centrum.cz – /date of birth, address and contact /
Trip over there will be during the day and back will be during the night.
**CHALLENGE TO STUDENTS - MODUL IIC**

Dear colleagues,

Last academic year we executed an extensive review and innovation of casuistics for passing Module IIC exam. Although we have given care to all casuistics, it is possible that some mistakes may be found in both formal and relevant. If you discover this, please, call the teacher’s or my attention to this problem.

Thank you for co-operation on this matter

prof. MUDr. Jiří Horák, Head of Module IIC

**INFORMATION FROM COMPUTER SERVICES CENTRE**

**Changes in Computer room No.222**

The change of access
The electronic lock was installed for entry the computer room. The access is allowed to all students and employees with the valid CU student pass. The reader is located to the left of the door. If you have any problem with entry into the room, please contact Computer Service Centre.

Problems with printing on OCÉ machine
Following the opening of new academic year the significant problems with printing in room No. 222 computers running on Linux were reported. The situation has rapidly improved by instalation the newest vision Ubuntu 9.10. We are dealing with the contractor of OCÉ to remove the remaining problems.

Notes to printing
We have noticed problems with printing „lecture notes – winter autopsy room“. In room No.222 is not possible to print from computers running on OS Linux. The solution which we recommend to you is to print from computers with OS Windows (computer and study room – Department of Pharmacology, computer in Library), which are equipped with different type of printer drivers(PCL), or to allocate it to more smaller parts.

Watch out the correct printing
The correct procedure is as follows: First – send all your printing jobs and only then sign your card printer. The printer automatically verify that you have a print job for printing.

The guides for students are available to download on website of faculty, or in room No.222, in front of Library and in the 5th floor, beside the room No.547- all in written form !!!!!!!

Ing. Petr Bitzan, Computer Services Centre

**LET´S APPLAUD OURSELVES**

Charles University awarded a commemorative medal to prof. Jiří Dvořák

On the proposal from Third Faculty of Medicine the commemorative medal of Charles University was awarded to prof. Dr. med. Jiří Dvořák for his significant contribution in the field of neurology and sports medicine.

Jiří Dvořák is professor of neurology at University in Curych and chairman of Health Committee FIFA. He studied medicine at Faculty of Medicine Charles University in Prague and he completed his study in Switzerland where he emigrated in year 1968. Gradually he has became one of the most academically successful doctors. Except the neurology he is focused to sports medicine and as a member of FIFA’s management he is responsible for health questions of world football.
He was by foundation of the Internal Grant Agency Ministry of Health CR, he was chairman of administrative board during 1995-2003. During his working at this position he had created a circle of colleagues which he had formulated the basic principles of IGA with. He has always been objective, impartial and under his supervision the IGA MH CR has grown up. Prof. Dvořák’s contribution for Czech science and medicine is very important.

**INVITATIONS**

Charles University in Prague

Information and Advisory Centre
Would like to invite you to the lecture

**STUDY IN UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN**

Come listen the study experience of those who completed their studies
at one of the Britain´s universities.

**When:** on Wednesday, December 9th, 2009, from 14 o´clock

**Where:** Zelená posluchárna (Green Lecture Hall), Celetná 20, Prague 1

You are welcome

**NIGHT VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT OF QUADRIPARTITE TEAMS**

**Term:** 20.11. 2009
Place and organisation: the sport hall SCUK Hostivař – as, Skálová a Čechovský

VSK Medik Praha

Počet participants: 18 registered teams , 15 teams participated, c.70 students of Prague´s universities

The 11th tournament / 6th year – autumn + spring / was held at night´s hours from 20,30 to 4,00 o´clock in sport hall SCUK Hostivař. Teams played in 2 groups of performance – group A-6 teams and group B-9 teams. The players in group A had a very good level, the participants rated the tournament very well.

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In Prague, November 23rd, 2009

*PaedDr. Skálová Květoslava*

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THE ELECTION FOR THE FUNCTION OF DEAN

The Academic Senate of 3rd FM CU at its 18th session on November 26th, 2009 elected the candidate for the function of the Dean at 3rd FM CU for the period 2010 - 2014

prof. MUDr. Michala Anděla, CSc.
Head of the 2nd Department of Internal Medicine

MUDr. David Marx, Ph.D.
Chair of Academic Senate 3rd FM CU

AN OFFER FROM RECTOR´S OFFICE

The SmaRT Summer Student Research Training Program of the University of Milano-Bicocca is designed to help students to understand the nature of research science.

The Program offers postgraduate students (students with first level/bachelor degree and attending the second level courses) with EU citizenship of Biochemistry, Biology, Biotechnology, and Medicine a unique opportunity to conduct biomedical research independently under the supervision of renowned scientists. Students are awarded a grant while experiencing real science and research.

They will be required to prepare a short report on their work at UNIMIB, which should be submitted at the end of their stay. Students come for 10 weeks and between May 10th 2010 and July 31st 2010.

We kindly ask you to advertise our program and to visit our website:
http://www.unimib.it/go/Home/English/ITALY-MILAN/STUDENTS/SmaRT-Program

Dott.ssa Luisa Lorenzi (luisa.lorenzi@unimib.it)
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Don't hesitate to contact me if you need some help.

Jacques Sdika, MD, Webmaster
info@medicamail.com

INVITATIONS

Cycle: The nuclear oblivion of small European nations

On the theme: The day of Pawlik and Treitz

On December 9th, 2009 at 14.00

Syllaba Lecture Hall, Third Faculty of Medicine CU Prague

We will commemorate the 190 years anniversary of the birth of czech pathologist Václav Treitz and 160 years anniversary of the birth of czech gynaecologist Karel Pawlik.

Free admission Official language: English.
**CHRISTMAS SET-UP TIME – CHRISTMAS CONCERTS**

**ORCHESTR BERG 09**

**PONDĚLÍ 7. PROSINCE 19.30**

sál mariniů lichtenštejnského paláce
malostranské nám. 13, P1

barbora Sojková - soprán
pražští pěvci & stanislav Mistr
miroslav Táborský - vypravěč
dirigent peter Vrábel

**NEBESKÁ SPOLEČNOST**

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benjamin Britten - the company of heaven

**BENEFICE:** prodej dětských obrázků pro Linku bezpečí

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[www.berg.cz](http://www.berg.cz)
tel.: 604 205 937
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The Chamber choir at Third Faculty of Medicine Charles University
Collegium MUSA PRAGENSIS

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Christmas Concert
on Sunday, December 20th, 2009 at 16.00
in the church of St.Clement

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DEAN´S ORDER No. 27/2009

On dates of the State examinations in the Academic Year 2009/2010

MASTER´S STUDY PROGRAM: GENERAL MEDICINE

Part of the State rigorous examination in Gynaecology and Obstetrics
Place: Office of the Head of the Gynaecology and Obstetrics Clinic
Date:


Max. number of students per day: 12

Part of the State rigorous examination in Surgical Fields
Place: Clinic of Surgery FNKV a. 3. MF
Date:

| 6.1.2010 |

Max. number of students per day: 10

This order:
- is effective upon issue: 3.12.2009
- is valid until: 7.9.2010
- obeys all internal regulation
- was compiled by the Study Division – L. Zamrazilová

Doc. MUDr. Bohuslav Svoboda, CSc.
Dean of the Third Faculty of Medicine

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS WITH LOGO OF 3RD. FACULTY OF MEDICINE.

You can buy these Christmas presents in the senate office in the door No. 240 1.floor of Faculty building or in TRIMED office

- Pot
- Blue scarf
- Neck tie
- White T-shirt
- Blue and yellow T-shirt
- White, blue and yellow shirt

| Kč 70,- | Kč 320,- | Kč 450,- | Kč 120,- | Kč 125,- | Kč 220,- |

FREE PLACES ON INTEGRATING OF COMPLEMENTARY CARE WITHIN A RESPONSIVE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM - 3 CREDITS

We offer to our English speaking students the opportunity to participate in an Intensive programme ERASMUS focused on Integrating of Complementary care within a Responsive Health Care System (INCCAR)- an elective course, 3 ECTS, 20.1.2010-31.1.2010

Nursing department of the Third Faculty of Medicine is organizing the second run of an Intensive Programme Erasmus, subsidised by European Commission, focusing on Complementary Health Care Practice. Apart from our faculty 7 faculties and health education institutions from Great Britain, Belgium, Lithuania, Netherlands, Turkey, Finland are contributing to the programme.
The programme aims at explanation of complementary health care concepts (lectures) and on practical training (workshops) of selected procedures, like massages, chinese and indian medicine, aromatherapy, yoga, sauna, mind-
body techniques etc. Site visits are also a part of the programme. Students work also in small groups or individually and present their results of their individual study or group discussion. The programme continues a previous one which was held in Belgium (COHCA).

The programme takes place from 20.1.-31.1. 2010 (10 programme days) in Prague 10, kolej areál Hostivař. You will gain 3 European credits and a certificate. Accommodation and full board will be provided. The intensive course is also suitable for students of general medicine of 3-5th school years. An excellent English knowledge is necessary, motivation in field of CAM (complementary and alternative) an advantage. Max. 5 places will be divided between Czech bachelor and medicine students and English speaking students.

The applicants may e-mail me to: eva.krizova@lf3.cuni.cz as soon as possible. I will provide you with deeper information on your request.

*dr. Eva Křížová, Dept. of Nursing Third Faculty of Medicine, door 416, pavilion X, eva.krizova@lf3.cuni.cz*

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Further information and the online application form can be found on our website, under [www.bayhost.de → Stipendien]. Please note that we only accept online applications.

**Application deadline is the 15th of February 2010.**

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us. (e-mail: info@bayhost.de).

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**CHRISTMAS SET-UP TIME – CHRISTMAS CONCERTS**

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**Děkan 3. lékařské fakulty UK si dovoluje pozvat studenty, učitele, další zaměstnance a přátelé fakulty na tradiční VÁNOČNÍ KONCERT**

**Musica Florea**

**Umělecký vedoucí: Marek Štryncl**

**Mluvené slovo: P. Mgr. Vladimír Kelnar, Mgr. Marek Vácha**

**ČTVRTEK 17. XII. 2009, 19:45 HOD. CHRÁM MATKY BOŽÍ PŘED TÝNEM**

**PRAHA 1, STAROMĚSTSKÉ NÁM.**

**PARTNER KONCERTU ŘK FARNOST MATKY BOŽÍ PŘED TÝNEM**

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STRITCTLY PROHIBITED

INFORMATION FROM VICE-DEAN FOR SCIENCE AND RESEARCH:

1st Prague Interdisciplinary Cancer Colloquium

Will be held in Prague, Hotel Clarion Prague 9, on January 28-29th, 2010
Under the auspices of First, Second and Third Faculty of Medicine, Charles University

The colloquium is designed for doctors of various specialities who deal with diagnosis, treatment and research of cancer issues.
The Ministry of Education supported the poster section for postgraduated students – a financial reward for the best poster. The abstracts of the theme of the poster can be sent to the e-mail add. lucie.vapenikova@vfn.cz

Prof. MUDr. Michal Anděl, CSc.

SIS – EXAM DATES - REGISTRATION

The current system of watching the examination dates was replaced on 14.12.2010 by a new one – Queue of candidates (Fronta čekatelů). All students who used the old system should be re-registered because their watching was canceled. The Queue of candidates (Fronta čekatelů) works this way:
The exam dates is filled to capacity. Instead the button – registration for exam dates – appears Edit watching (Queue of candidates – Fronta čekatelů). The student will stand to the imaginary queue. When someone logs off or the number of students will increase the system will automatically register the first student (the one who registered first), the other students will move one position higher. The student who has been newly registered the system automatically
cancels all other watching of exam dates of the same subject and automatically logs off all future exam dates if he had any. All steps are reported to the student by e-mail.

Ondřej Kubánek
Computer services centre 3rd FM CU

What next, doctors?

On January 4th, 2010, at 16.00
Burian Lecture Hall, Third Faculty of Medicine CU Prague
Ruská 87, Praha 10

MUDr. David Marx, Ph.D.
Division of Public Health 3rd FM CU

MUDr. Vojtěch Čapek
graduate of 3rd FM CU, in these days working in Sweden

Programme:
1) The current employment of graduates
2) The changes in the system of postgraduate education in Czech Republic-amendment to Act No. 95/2004 Coll.
3) The career possibilities abroad, focusing on the EU
4) Strategy and tactics – applying for a job
5) The working conditions for graduates of medical faculties in Sweden

The seminar is primarily intended for students of 5th and 6th study year

The candidates who will register themselves at marx@fnkv.cz will receive details by e-mail.

Let´s applaud ourselves

Ten recent graduates of Charles University took on December 17th, 2009 the prices of Rector of CU for extraordinary study and scientific results.

One of them MUDr. Jan Gojda, who graduated from Master´s programme at Third Faculty of Medicine with honors. During his study he was very active – he worked for the research team of Department of Orthopaedics and Traumatology 3rd FM CU, for Department of Pathology and Department of Anatomy at issue „Weitbrecht´s retinakula of hip joint“.

He also participated in two foreign internships.
In addition to these activities he contributed to the organization of faculty life, he was member of the Academic Senate of 3rd FM and in 2005 he won the Student Scientific Conference.


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EDITORS OF VNS

Editors of VNS give notice that this copy of VNS is the last one in this year. Next issue will be published again in January 2010. In this context, we wish ourselves more current and more interesting posts from our contributors so that VNS could bring such information which are needed to the staff of our faculty.

We wish you wonderful Christmas, good luck, health, love and optimism in every day of the new year 2010.

Editors of VNS