

DMICE

LATEST UPDATES

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATES:

- [Latest Leadership Essentials](#)
- Latest SOM Update: [Here](#)
- OHSU and Legacy have signed a binding, definitive agreement to unite, latest update [here](#).
- OHSU Farmers Market returns Tuesdays between 10-2 in the Auditorium Courtyard.
- Unclassified employees receive Juneteenth hours in their time off banks on June 19 and have until the following June 18 to use them. If you are represented by a union, please refer to your collective bargaining agreement for any terms related to observance of Juneteenth.

Action Items

- Apply by July 10th for the OHSU board of director's position. Details can be found [here](#).

RESEARCH UPDATES:

- We know you have questions about what's ahead with Legacy and OHSU. Please join us for a [special town hall on June 12 from noon to 1 p.m.](#) We hope to answer all of your questions.
- OHSU Faculty Excellence and Innovation Award is now open, due Friday, Aug. 16. More information can be found [here](#).
- NIH is changing so many things that they have a new website that will be regularly updated [here](#).
- NIH Funding Opportunities: [Here](#)
- OHSU Research Funding [Alert](#)
- Latest Research [Update](#)
- Latest Knight News: [Here](#)

EVENTS, WEBINARS AND MORE

The Black Employee Resource Group (BERG) and Women's Employee Resource Group (WERG) are excited to invite you to a special Juneteenth event.

Thursday, June 20, 2024 Time: 12 p.m. - 1 p.m. Location: Knight Cancer Research Building East Lobby, this is a badge-only access facility.

Guest Speaker: Mariah Taylor is a Portland community advocate, clinic founder, and recipient of Oprah Winfrey's Angel Network Use Your Life Award. She is the co-founder of the North Portland Nurse Practitioner Community Health Clinic in Portland, Oregon, and the first Black-owned community-based nurse practitioner clinic in the country. She is not just a practitioner of hope but a beacon of inspiration for communities worldwide.

Manage Your Email (Virtual) | Thursday, July 11 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. | Overwhelmed by e-mail? Learn best practices and tools for writing, processing and using e-mail to increase efficiency and save time.

Succeed with Feedback (Virtual) | Thursday, July 11 from noon to 2 p.m. | Build your capacity to communicate effectively, right when it matters most: when feedback is needed, and perspectives differ.

Find Your OHSU Career Pathway (Virtual) | Wednesday, July 24 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. | Reflect on your interests, strengths and skills and using this information to identify a way forward.

Resume Tune-up (Virtual) | Tuesday, June 18 from 9 to 10- a.m. | Update your resume by reviewing current formatting trends and learning how to tailor your resume to specific positions.

Interviewing Skills (Virtual) | Tuesday, June 25 from 9 to 10 a.m. | Prepare for your next interview by learning how to anticipate and effectively answer questions.

The Brand Portal is an online platform that provides creative resources – such as flyers, brochures and more – as templates available for members to use at any time. The user experience has been upgraded, with templates that are easy to edit and can be customized with text and images.

Members can access the upgraded Brand Portal with their OHSU usernames and passwords at: ohsu.edu/brand.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT AND STAFF TRAININGS

The 3 Ps to Plan Your Professional Pivot, Tuesday, June 25

This interactive webinar digs into practical strategies to plan your professional pivot. The webinar is 11 a.m. to noon, Tuesday, June 25. Facilitator Carlita Favero, Ph.D., will share actionable steps for the process of moving to a new career, whether it be in small or big ways. You'll learn how to determine your needs and potential obstacles at each stage of the process. Register now for this opportunity to equip yourself with valuable skills and a method that is applicable to numerous contexts, both in and out of academia.

The OCTRI Human Investigations Program, HIP, is accepting applications for the Fall 2024 cohort. HIP trains scientists based on nationally recognized competencies for clinical and translational research. All disciplines are welcome to apply. Review applications details on the [HIP website](#). Due Monday, July 15th.

Moving from Resistance to Writing, Thursday, June 13

Vollum Science Writing Class Summer Session, July 24-August 14, Contact Rachel Dresbeck. Register on [Compass](#) - search for locator 65075 or "Vollum Writing Class."

The Spring Career and Workplace Enhancement Center offers classes all year. These courses provide employees with professional development resources for succeeding, advancing, and making a difference at OHSU. Current course listing can be found [here](#).

SUPPORT SERVICES & RESOURCES

Support Services if you experience discrimination, harassment, sexual misconduct or retaliation.

- Problem-solving at OHSU – includes information and contacts for many of the programs listed below.
 - *Confidential Advocacy Program - CAPSupport@ohsu.edu or 833-495-2277 *CONFIDENTIAL
 - *Ombuds – 503-494-5397 or ombuds@ohsu.edu – *CONFIDENTIAL

Reporting Resources if you experience discrimination, harassment, sexual misconduct or retaliation.

- Office of Civil Rights Investigations and Compliance - 503-494-5148 or ocic@ohsu.edu
- Integrity Hotline - 503-494-8849 or integrity@ohsu.edu
- Sexual Misconduct - titleix@ohsu.edu or 503-494-5148 press #6

Resources for Health and Wellness

- OHSU Well-Being
- Employee Assistance Program
- Resident and Faculty Wellness Program
- Student Health and Wellness
- Keeping you safe at OHSU (OHSU Now Post)
- Employee Resource Groups
- Student Interest Groups
- Student Support - 503-494-7878 or studentaffairs@ohsu.edu

DMICE NEWS AND KUDOS

Tosha's Zaback's last day with the EPC will be June 12. Tosha will join the Center of Mental Health Innovation as a Senior Research Project Manager, where she will manage a multi-site study aimed at early prediction and treatment of mental health conditions in children. Tosha joined the EPC as manager in August 2021 and has been fantastic to work with and a vital part of the EPC's success. We will miss her steady hand and attention to detail. She is going to be hard to replace. We wish you the best in your new role!

Summer brings images of barbeques, swimming pools, hot weather, and—since the Summer of 2007—the DMICE Summer Internship. Since 2007, DMICE has hosted 139 summer interns; this summer, we will have 21 participants working closely with faculty on projects.

The background of participants this year range from undergraduates to medical students. With majors in Data Science, Genetics, Mathematics, Computer Science, and Medicine just to name a few. And are currently studying at Portland State University, University of Portland, University of Oregon, Texas A & M, UC Davis, UCLA, University of Massachusetts Amherst, and OHSU.

We are grateful for our faculty who will be mentoring these students on projects based on Causal Fairness Analysis, Large Language Models, Clinical Decision Support, Electronic Care Plans, Improving Patient Matching to Clinical Studies, Voice Biomarkers and AI, Data Standardization, Telehealth, and Human Microbiome.

Interns will start their projects on June 17th and July 1st. They will be on campus Tuesday and Thursday afternoons for didactic experiences, as well as attending and participating in the Thursday Research Conferences. They will work in cubicles on the 4th and 5th floors of the BICC Building.

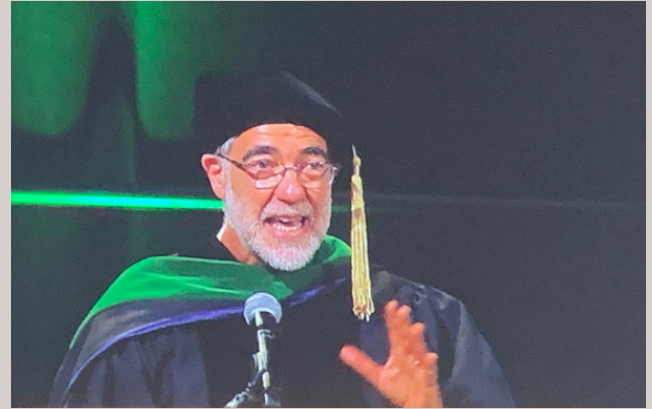
The program has been funded through different resources over the years. This year, funding will come through two grants:

- Attracting Talented and Diverse Students to Biomedical Informatics and Data Science Careers Through Short-Term Study at OHSU
- Voice as a Biomarker of Health: Building an Ethically sourced bio-acoustic database to understand disease like never before

We look forward to a fun-filled and educational experience again this summer!

COMMENCEMENT

DMICE Professor and Former Graduate Program Director William Hersh was invited to give the Faculty Address at this year's School of Medicine Commencement and Hooding Ceremony. Dr. Hersh reflected on his 34 years at OHSU, including starting a graduate program and a department. He then encouraged graduates to remember that their work will always be a team effort, involving supervisors, mentors, collaborators, students, and staff. Dr. Hersh also noted that while achieving independence as a researcher or practitioner was important, it was also critical to remember the contributions of others to our personal success. Finally, he noted that we also must not forget the role of patients, for whom all research at academic medical centers is directed, and that we should respect them as well as the privacy and confidentiality of their data.



Congratulations to all of our recent graduates! A full list can be found on our website [here](#). We are incredibly proud of each one of you and are excited to see what amazing things you will accomplish.



left to right: Shannon McWeeney, Nathaniel Evans, Gareth Harman, Bonnie Nagel, Bill Hersh, Grace Potter, Karen Eden (interim chair), Deb Levy, Lisa Karstens, Mike Mooney, Guanming Wu, and Chris Klocke

COMMENCEMENT CONTINUED...

Congratulations once again, and best wishes for a bright and prosperous future!



Nathaniel Evans and Shannon McWeeney



Guanming Wu and Christopher Klocke



Karen Eden and Deborah Levy