



## CSU-COP Welcomes the Class of 2014



*Pictured Above: CSU President Wayne D. Watson and the Class of 2014, CSU Jones Convocation Center, September 10, 2010*

On Friday, September 10, 2010, the Chicago State University College of Pharmacy welcomed the Class of 2014 with its 3rd Annual White Coat Ceremony. This event signifies the formal inculcation of the profession's values unto the Class of 2014.

Ms. Papatya Tankut, Vice President of Pharmacy Professional Services for CVS Caremark, was the keynote speaker and urged students to enjoy their professional journey as she formally welcomed them into the profession. Ms. Tankut also underscored the importance of their future roles in providing patient-centered care.

Dr. Michael T. Ellison, Assistant Dean of Student Affairs, and faculty advisors presented students with their white coats followed by the administering of the Oath of a Pharmacist, administered by College of Pharmacy Interim Dean, Miriam A. Mobley Smith. Dr. Joseph Slonek, Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, discussed the significance of the 'White Coat' and Mr. Keon Ryu, Pianist and CSU-COP P-3 Student, performed a musical selection.

CSU President, Dr. Wayne D. Watson and University Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dr. Sandra Westbrooks also addressed the Class, congratulating the students on the achievement of the

professional milestone. At the conclusion of the ceremony the students celebrated with the entire CSU University community as well as with family, friends and members of the local professional community.

### CSU-COP CLASS OF 2014 DEMOGRAPHICS:

- ◆ 91 Students
- ◆ Average Age: 27
- ◆ 36% Male
- ◆ 64% Female
- ◆ 33% Under-represented Minorities



CSU-COP produces “Faces of Change in Pharmacy Practice” highlighting student educational experiences -to view the video visit [www.csu.edu/collegeofpharmacy/index.htm](http://www.csu.edu/collegeofpharmacy/index.htm)



October 24-30, 2010, is American Pharmacy Educator Week! CSU-COP recognizes the dedication of preceptors in educating the tomorrow's pharmacists!



**American Pharmacists Month**  
October is American Pharmacists Month! CSU-COP salutes all of our pharmacists that serves the community while advancing the profession!

## CSU-COP Welcomes RxPreceptor!!

CSU-COP has transitioned to **RxPreceptor**, the online data management system for experiential education. EMS, our previous online data management program, is no longer in use. **RxPreceptor** has many features and benefits, allowing preceptors to easily complete tasks associated with student experiential education and associated requirements (e.g., verification of student hours, submitting student evaluations, etc). For more information about **RxPreceptor**, including obtaining USER ID's and passwords, contact the Office of Experiential Education (OEE) at 773-821-2152.

## What Being a CSU-COP Preceptor Means for You....

The Office of Experiential Education (OEE) at Chicago State University is dedicated to assisting and empowering preceptors with the tools necessary to serve in their roles as competent role models and mentors. CSU-COP preceptors are provided the following:

- Adjunct faculty appointment and recognition
- Continuing education opportunities
- University Library access (remote and on-site)
- CSU email account
- Access to the Pharmacist's Letter Preceptor Training and Resource Network



For more information about accessing your preceptor benefits, please contact OEE at 773-821-2152.

## Introducing Kalea Whitmore, OEE Program Specialist

CSU-COP is proud to welcome Kalea Whitmore, MBA, BS, CPhT, as the Program Specialist in the Office of Experiential Education! Ms Whitmore is primarily responsible for site contracting, the overall management of **RxPreceptor**, and serves as the first point of contact for students and preceptors.

Ms. Whitmore obtained her BS in Biology from Tennessee State University, and later obtained a Master of Business Administration concentrating in Health Services Management from Keller Graduate School of Management.

Prior to joining Chicago State University, Ms. Whitmore worked for the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy in the Professional Affairs Department, and also assisted with DMEPOS Accreditation and other areas of the organization. Ms. Whitmore has experience as a part-time Pharmacy Technician Instructor for Everest College and has been a PTCB Certified Pharmacy Technician for 6 years. Ms. Whitmore also has experience in retail and mail order pharmacy.

Ms Whitmore is looking forward to meeting and working with all of the CSU-COP preceptors. She can be reached at 773-821-2152 or at [k-whitmore@csu.edu](mailto:k-whitmore@csu.edu).



## *IPPE and APPE Task Forces Convene*

In June and July 2010, two subcommittee Task Forces of the CSU-COP Experiential Education Advisory Council (EEAC) convened to assist the College with its IPPE (introductory pharmacy practice experience) and APPE (advanced pharmacy practice experiences) curriculum.

In June, IPPE institutional/hospital preceptors provided feedback and recommendations to the College on Professional Practice III and IV (Introduction to Institutional/Hospital Pharmacy). Members of that IPPE Task Force included: Judith Brown-Scott (University of Chicago Medical Center), James Chandler (Loretto Hospital), Susan Samet (Community Hospital, Munster), Eureka Walker (John H. Stroger Cook County Hospital), Charlene Hope (Methodist Hospital, Northlake), Antoine Jenkins (CSU-COP/Roseland Community Hospital), and Janene Marshall (CSU-COP/Little Company of Mary Hospital).

In July, preceptors met and assisted the College in developing the APPE student evaluation form which will be used to assess P-4 students throughout their experiences during the last professional year. Members of the APPE Task Force included: Michael Patton (Illinois Pharmacists Association), Judith Sommers Hanson (Walgreens), Sonali G. Kshatriya (Safeway-Dominick's), Sabah Hussein (CSU-COP/Well Group), Melany Puglisi-Weening (CSU-COP), Deborah Harper-Brown (CSU-COP/Well Group), Delicia Rucker (Provena Senior Services), and Sima Akbarpour (CSU-COP P3 Student).

## *CSU-COP Needs You! APPEs Begin June 2011*

On June 9, 2011, the CSU-COP Inaugural Class of 2012 will begin their fourth professional year which will consist of seven (7) advanced pharmacy experiences (APPE) modules. Each module is 6 weeks in duration and the four required APPE modules include: community, hospital (institutional), acute care general medicine, and ambulatory care. Additionally, each student will choose three elective modules in a variety of pharmacy practice settings.

The APPE Module Calendar is as follows:

**Module 1:** 6/9/2011 - 7/15/2011    **Module 2:** 7/18/2011 - 8/26/2011  
**Module 3:** 8/29/2011 - 10/7/2011    **Module 4:** 10/10/2011 - 11/18/2011  
**Module 5:** 1/9/2012 - 2/17/2012    **Module 6:** 2/20/2012 - 3/30/2012  
**Module 7:** 4/2/2012 - 5/11/2012

OEE is in the process of collecting preceptor availability for APPE. Contact Mr. Donald Brower, APPE Coordinator, at 773-821-2507 or via email at [dbrower@csu.edu](mailto:dbrower@csu.edu) for more information.

## **PRECEPTORS- SAVE THE DATE!**

### **●Spring 2011**

#### **Professional Practice II (Intro to Public Health)**

-Practicum begins Wed, Feb 2 (Thur, Feb 3); concludes on Wed April 20 (Thur April 21)

#### **Professional Practice III- IV (Intro to Institutional/Hospital Pharmacy)**

-Students must complete 16 contact hours of orientation between either Dec 13-23, 2010 or Jan 10-12, 2011

-Students return to their sites on Wed, Jan 19 (Thur, Jan 20); the practicum concludes on Wed, April 13 (Thur, April 14)

#### **Professional Practice V (Applied Practice Skills)**

-Students complete one inpatient and one ambulatory care module

-Module 1:  
5/10/2011 to 5/18/2011

-Module 2:  
5/19/2011 to 5/27/2011

## *Thank You to Our Fall 2010 Preceptors!!!*

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|----------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Salma Abdul-Ghani          | Frederick Carter    | Erik Johnson         | Shagufta Moinuddin | Matthew Princehorn  |
| Sunday Ademuyiwa           | Sonya Carter        | Theresa Kelly        | Lisa Mondie        | Lorna Pryor         |
| Amer Ahmed                 | Valencia Compton    | Joseph Lask          | Nydia Munez        | LaShon Rushing      |
| Ali Akhras                 | Bauswell            | Cornetta Levi        | Fadi Musleh        | Susan Samet         |
| Kristen Animagi-Richardson | Kathleen Fitzgerald | Robert Lindbloom     | Paul Myers         | Avni Shah           |
| Daniela Barac              | Richard Cordts      | Karen Fortune-Little | Minh Nguyen        | Susan Shepard       |
| Christina Becker           | Richard DeVience    | Diana Liz            | Jocelyn Noel       | Katie Snellenbarger |
| Miin Bellario              | Corie Gentry        | Kristina Llanes      | Murillo            | Edward Snodgrass    |
| Preslava Birova            | Peter Hand          | Makeda Lofton        | Karla Nunnally     | Julie Strong        |
| Calvin Bryant, Jr.         | Melodee Hull        | Jenifer Long         | Catherine Okorie   | Barbara Tanouye     |
| Daphne Buckner             | Lucius Jenkins      | Yan Louie            | Lina Othman        | Jeffery Veal        |
| Aminah Burns               | Hakeem Idris        | Rana Mihayr          | Kathleen Pacey     | Matthew Wagner      |
|                            | Jerome Jones        |                      | Cynthia Peca       | Jerome Welenc       |
|                            |                     |                      |                    | Don White           |

### *Professional Practice V-Applied Practice Skills Practicum Begins May 2011*

On May 9, 2011, the CSU-COP Inaugural Class of 2012 will begin the Professional Practice V- Applied Practice Skills Practicum, an intermediate pharmacy practice experience. This intermediate experience allows the students to apply the previously learned patient care skills in actual direct patient (ambulatory and acute/inpatient) care settings. The students will be at each site for a six day practicum either May 10-17 and/or May 19-26, 2011.

**Both Community (Ambulatory/Chronic care) and Institutional (Inpatient/Acute Care/General Medicine) preceptors can precept students for this practicum!**

#### **Suggested activities may include-**

- Providing patient care through management of various disease states (anticoagulation, HTN, DM, etc.)
- Answering drug information requests from patients and practitioners
- Assist in the development/implementation of new clinical services
- Provide counseling and education for patients on chronic pain medications
- MTM services-including development of medication treatment plans, medication calendars/schedules, identification and resolution of drug-related problems, and provision of patient education (in a private and/or group setting e.g. "class")
- Participate as a member of an interdisciplinary team
- Participate in medication reconciliation and patient discharge education

OEE is in the process of collecting preceptor availability for this practicum. Contact Dr. Angela C. Riley, IPPE Coordinator, at 773-821-2500 or via email at [a-riley@csu.edu](mailto:a-riley@csu.edu) for more information.

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