

OKLAHOMA SOCIETY OF PHYSIOLOGISTS

32nd ANNUAL MEETING

November 8, 2013

OSU-CHS

Title: Trends in Undergraduate Education and Preparation for Medical School

The Oklahoma Society of Physiologists (OSP) will hold their 32nd annual meeting at Oklahoma State University Center for Health Sciences (OSU-CHS) in Tulsa on November 8, 2013. The meeting will feature two outstanding speakers with expertise in undergraduate education in life sciences. Pre-health advisors at all undergraduate institutions in Oklahoma will be invited to the meeting and will enjoy a lunch and tour of the medical school. The primary goal of the conference is to enhance communication among faculty, students, administrators, and program directors at the state medical schools and undergraduate universities.

Agenda

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| 8:00 AM | Registration & welcome to all OSP members & guests
Set up posters, poster viewing, socializing (coffee & refreshments provided) |
| 9:00 AM | OSP Business Meeting – Dr. Al Rouch |
| 10:00 AM | Welcome to Conference Attendees –
Dr. William Pettit, Associate Dean for Rural Medicine & Dr. Al Rouch, Acting President
OSP |
| 10:15 AM | Trends in Pre-Med Enrollment
Dr. Vivian Stevens, Associate Dean for Enrollment Management and
Lindsey Kirkpatrick, Director of Admissions and Recruitment |
| 10:45 AM | Overview of new medical curriculum at OSU-CHS
Dr. Bruce Benjamin, Associate Dean for Graduate Studies and Biomedical Sciences |
| 11:15 AM | Break, Poster Viewing |
| 11:30 AM | National Education Experiment in Undergraduate Education (NEXUS)
Dr. Cynthia Bauerle, Howard Hughes Medical Institute (Live video feed) |
| Noon | Lunch provided by OSU-CHS
During lunch medical students will talk with attendees about their undergraduate
education and the positives & negatives regarding preparing for medical school. |

1:15 PM Interdisciplinary reasoning skills within the biological sciences program
Dr. Kaci Thompson, University of Maryland

2:00 PM Announcements – Poster winners

Further Discussion