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1. EEP Section is Good for Trainees----Congratulations to these EB 2006 Award winners:

Predoctoral Awards:

  GATORADE YOUNG INVESTIGATOR
  MILITARY PHYSIOLOGY
  GRavitational Physiology
  Recognition
  Recognition

Ethan J. Anderson, Yale University

Marcella A. Raney, University of Southern California

Isabella Irrcher, York University

Jenni L. McCord, University of Oregon

Christopher L. Mendias, University of Michigan

Postdoctoral Awards:

  GATORADE BEGINNING INVESTIGATOR
  MILITARY PHYSIOLOGY
  GRavitational PHYSIOLOGY
  Recognition
  Recognition

Michael K. Strickland, University of Wisconsin

Carol A. Witczak, Harvard University

Parco M. Siu, West Virginia Univ. Sch. of Med.

Takeshi Hashimoto, University of California-Berkeley

Scott D. Kirkton, Univ. of California-San Diego

Trainees receiving APS Awards:

  TUM SUDEN-HELLEBRANDT AWARD
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Lacy A. Holowatz, Penn State University

Wook Song, Univ. of Texas-HSC San Antonio

2 EB 2006 April 1st through April 4th, 2005 San Francisco, CA

Ken Baldwin to Receive the EEP Honor Award

Frank W. Booth to present The Adolph Lecture
on Monday 3:00 PM, April 3rd.

Note: EEP Business mtg/Reception: 6:00 PM Monday April 3rd, Marriott Hotel, Yerba Buena 10/11
3. **EEP New Investigator Awardee:**

John R. Halliwill, Asst Prof. University of Oregon should be congratulated for receiving the **EEP New Investigator Award**. John earned his BS degree at The Ohio State University, his PhD from the Medical College of Virginia, and subsequently was a postdoctoral fellow at the Mayo Clinic and Foundation before his appointment in Eugene.

4. **Trainees, Meet the Adolph Lecturer at our EEP Luncheon:**

Graduate Student and Post Docs are invited to attend a luncheon with Dr. Frank Booth, who will deliver the 2006 Adolph Lecture (see above). Luncheon Time: 12:00 PM Monday April 3rd, Marriott Hotel, Pacifica H room. No charge, but reservations needed: there are still openings for a few trainees. Please contact: Ron Terjung (TerjungR@missouri.edu) to see if available.

5. **EB 2006 -- Program Items of Interest**

The EEP Honor/Social Event is scheduled for Monday April 3rd at 6:00 PM in the Marriott Hotel, Yerba Buena 10/11. The brief business meeting will focus on the presentation of Awards given by our Section, including: the predoctoral, postdoctoral trainee, and young investigator awards, and recognition and celebration of the achievements of the EEP Honor Awardee, Ken Baldwin. Immediately following will be an informal social gathering with hors d’oeuvres and associated beverages, including a cash bar. See you at the Marriott-Yerba Buena 10/11.--

Your attention is directed to some of the forthcoming sessions that should be of interest to EEP Section members:

**Symposia:**

- **Linking Mitochondrial Function in Skeletal Muscle to Disease.** D. Neufer & D. Hood
- **Novel Partners and Mechanisms in Oxygen Sensing**
  N. Prabhakar & C. Peers
- **Cellular and Molecular Signals Regulating Plasticity of Skeletal Muscle Fiber Type and Size.** M. Schneider
- **Molecular Characterization of Skeletal Muscle Plasticity in Nonmodel Organisms**
  A. Szucsik & B. Rourke
- **Neurovascular Interactions.** S. Segal
- **Oscillations and Rhythms in the Neural Control of the Circulation.** S. Barman & M Kenney
- **Human Integrative Physiology: The Missing Link in Systems Biology?** M. Joyner
- **Disease and Plasticity in the Neural Control of Breathing.** F. Golder & D. Fuller
- **Neuroendocrine Programming of the Respiratory Control.** R. Kinkead & V. Joseph
- **Regulation of Cardiac Muscle Contraction**
  K. McDonald

**Featured Topics:**

- **Autonomic Adjustments to Stress in Humans**
  C. Ray
- **Physiologic Adaptations to Intermittent Hypoxia Exposure.** S. Muza
- **Signaling Mechanisms Associated with Hypoxia.** P. Schumacker
- **Muscle Fatigue**
  J-M. Renaud & T. Nosek
- **Neural Control of Cardiovascular Function during Exercise.** L. Rowell
- **Physiological Genomics of Skeletal Muscle Adaptation in Health and Disease**
  G. Nader

**Adolph Lecture:**

- **Fundamental Question of Biology: How and Why Does the Body Adapt to Physical Activity?**
  Frank W. Booth

**EEP Section Business Meeting/Reception:**

- **Mon April 3rd, 6:00 PM- Marriott, Yerba Buena 10/11**
6. Congratulations to our New EEP Section Chair-Elect and Steering Committee Members

Michael N. Sawka, Chief, Thermal & Mountain Medicine Division, US Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine, will serve as Chair-Elect of the Section for one year, beginning after EB2006, and then assume the duties as Section Chair for two additional years.

Vince J. Caiozzo, Professor Department of Orthopaedics, University of California-Irvine, will serve as Councillor for Environmental Physiology on the EEP Steering Committee for the next three years, beginning after EB2006.

Scott Trappe, Professor of Exercise Science, Human Performance Laboratory, Ball State University will serve as Councillor for Exercise Physiology on the EEP Steering Committee for the next three years, beginning after EB2006.