Congratulations to our graduate students for their accomplishments!!!

- **SPRING and SUMMER QUARTER GRADUATES**
  
  **Daise DaCunha, MS** (R. Hamlin, Advisor)
  - Daise will pursue her PhD with Dr. Hamlin
  
  **Laura DePalatis, MS** (C. Brooks, Advisor)
  - Laura has accepted a position at Genentech
  
  **Frank Frissora, MS** (N. Muthusamy, Advisor)
  - Frank will continue working in Dr. Muthusamy’s lab
  
  **Hajime Hiraragi, PhD** (M. Lairmore, Advisor)
  - Hajime has accepted a position at Genentech
  
  **Yoshinori Nishijima, PhD** (R. Hamlin, Advisor)
  - Nori is applying for post doc positions
  
  **Li Xie, PhD** (P. Green, Advisor)
  - Li is working as a Post-Doc in Dr. Green’s lab
  
  **Ihab Younis, PhD** (P. Green Advisor)
  - Ihab will be doing a Post-Doc at the U. of Pennsylvania

- **CANDIDACY EXAM**
  
  **Heather Chandler** (D. Kusewitt, C. Colitz, Advisors)
  
  **Yan Ge** (Y. Rikihisa, Advisor)
  
  **Haibin Huang** (Y. Rikihisa, Advisor)
  
  **Yi-Wen Huang** (Y. Lin, Advisor)
  
  **Thattawan Kaewsakhorn** (C. Capen, N. Inpanbutr, Advisors)
  
  **Kimberly Newkirk** (D. Kusewitt, Advisor)
  
  **Christopher Premanandan** (M. Lairmore, Advisor)
  
  **Li-Shu Wang** (Y. Lin, Advisor)
  
  **Xueqi Wang** (Y. Rikihisa, Advisor)
  
  **Weiping Ye** (Y. Lin, Advisor)

**SELECTED GRADUATE STUDENT AWARDS AND PUBLICATIONS**

- **Wendy Lorch** (T. Rosol, Advisor) recently won a Young Investigator Award from the American Society of Bone and Mineral Research which entitles her to a cash award and an oral presentation at the upcoming ASBMR meeting! The ASBMR meeting typically has over 1500 abstracts, so this is a wonderful accomplishment!

- **Prasad Nadella** (T. Rosol, Advisor) is one of 5 finalists in the Young Investigator Award Competition associated with the 2005 Merck-Merial Scholar Symposium, "Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Science: Intersection on the Road Ahead". He will receive a trip to present his work at the symposium at the University of Georgia.

- **Nicole Placek** (K. Boris-Lawrie, Advisor) received an award from the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory to attend the RNA Processing meeting and present her abstract, “Splicing and Translation are Coordinately Modulated by a Unique 5' Terminal Structured Retroviral Post-transcriptional Control Element.”

- **Shuiming Qian** (K. Boris-Lawrie, Advisor) received an award from the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory to attend the RNA Processing meeting and present his abstract, “RNA helicase A is necessary for translation of unspliced retroviral and a cellular mRNA.”


- Congratulations to **Stephanie Corn** who recently passed the ACVCP Board Exams!!!
Welcome, New Students Summer & Autumn Quarter 2005!

Phongsakorn Chuammitri, PhD & Thai Scholarship Award, Rush Lab
Michelle Corliss, OSBP Program, Brooks Lab
Veronica Dawson, Biochemistry program, Brooks Lab
Adrienne Dorrance, PhD, Caligiuri Lab
Robyn Haines, MS/DVM Program, Lairmore Lab
Stacey Fossey, PhD, Anatomic Pathology Residency
Surender Kumar, MS, Burkhard Lab
Pamela Lee, MS/DVM Program, Oglesbee Lab
Cindy Lin, PhD Program, London Lab
Jennifer McCleese, PhD, Clinical Pathology Residency
Geeta Vittal Rao, Biophysics Program, Brooks Lab
Nicole Sabo, MS/DVM Program, Lairmore Lab
Keerthi Shet, Biomedical Engineering Program, Jun Liu, Advisor
Jillian Werbeck, PhD, Rosol Lab
And welcome also to Denise Schwahn, Clinical Instructor and Anatomic Pathology Resident

Autumn 2005 Calendar

September
- September 21, Autumn Quarter starts. Last day to register or pay fees without penalty.

October
- Sept. 30, Applications to graduate in AU05 due at the Graduate School

November
- November 11, Veteran’s Day - offices closed
- November 24, Thanksgiving Day - offices closed
- November 25, Columbus Day observed - offices closed

December
- December 2, Last Day of Classes
- December 5-9, Finals
- December 11, Commencement
- December 26, Christmas Day observed - offices closed
- December 27, President’s Day observed - Offices closed

Congratulations to 2004-2005 Roche Distinguished Graduate Award Winners

For the Seventh consecutive year, the research achievements of students within the Department of Veterinary Biosciences were awarded. This program recognizes the annual progress and outstanding biomedical research productivity of student scientists within the department.

Distinguished Graduate Seminar Awards:
First Place, Ihab Younis (advisor Dr. P. Green) for his talk "Human T-Cell Leukemia Virus Type 2 p28 is Recruited to the Viral Promoter but Inhibits Replication Post-transcriptionally."

Second place was a tie between Thomas Carsillo (advisor Dr. M. Oglesbee) for his talk "Hsp72 - A Host Determinant of Measles Virus Neurovirulence" and Sherry Shu (advisor Dr. Y. Lin) for her talk "Function and regulatory mechanisms of the candidate tumor suppressor gene protein tyrosine phosphatase gamma in breast cancer cells."

Seminar Finalists: Yingjie Zhang, Li Xie, Heather Miller, and Seung-Jae Kim

Distinguished Graduate Publication Awards:
First place winner is Ihab Younis (advisor Dr. P. Green) for his article "Repression of Human T-Cell Leukemia Virus Type 1 and Type 2 Replication by a Viral mRNA-Encoded Posttranscriptional Regulator" that was published in the Journal of Virology.

Second place winner is Hajime Hiraragi (advisor Dr. M. Lairmore) for "Human T-lymphotropic Virus Type 1 Mitochondrial Localizing Protein p13II Sensitizes Jurkat T Cells to Ras-mediated Apoptosis" which was also published in the Journal of Virology.

Publication Finalists: Yan Ge, Katherine Knostman, Prasad Nadella, Daniel Sanford, and Xueqi Wang
Funding Announcements & Other Useful Info...

- NIH is now accepting applications for its five Loan Repayment Programs. National Institutes of Health Loan Repayment Programs (LRPs) can repay up to $35,000 a year of qualified educational debt for health professionals pursuing careers in clinical, pediatric, contraception and infertility, or health disparities research. The programs also provide coverage for Federal and state tax liabilities. Applicants must have a doctoral-level degree, devote 50% or more of their time (20 hours per week based on a 40 hour work week) to nonprofit- or government-funded research, and have educational debt equaling at least 20% of their institutional base salary. U.S. citizens, permanent residents, or U.S. nationals may apply. All applications for 2005 awards must be submitted by December 1, 2005. Visit www.lrp.nih.gov for further information and to apply online.


- Travel funding from the OSU Office of International Affairs http://oia.osu.edu/grants.html

- Cornell University Graduate Fellowship Database: http://cuinfo.cornell.edu/Student/GRFN/


- Graduate Women in Science Awards http://www.gwis.org/grants/default.htm

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS!!!

One post-doctoral fellow position for the Mouse Models of Disease T32 Training Grant has been re-instated. Applications must be submitted by MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2005. Please submit 10 copies of your application to Janelle in 101 Goss. The position will begin as soon as possible, likely in Nov. or Dec. of this year.

Requirements: DVM degree, USA citizenship or permanent residency, One year of residency in veterinary pathology, laboratory, animal medicine, clinical sciences, microbiology or other specialty NIH funded mentor(s) from T32 training faculty, Willingness to participate in all aspects of the mouse pathobiology training plan (enclosed file), Trainee and mentor committed to annually seeking funding by, the K award mechanisms from NIH, Completion of an Application. For more information, please contact Dr. Rosol at rosol.1@osu.edu or Dr. Lairmore at lairmore.1@osu.edu

Reminders...

- COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS TRAVEL AWARDS - Quarterly awards up to $450 to present original research at scientific meetings, For more info: www.acs.ohio-state.edu/students/grad

- LATE PAYMENT AND REGISTRATION FEE DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 21. Avoid late payment and registration fees by registering for sufficient credit hours to be eligible for your fee payment authorization:
  
  **GRA/GTA appointments**: minimum of 9 credit hours (7 hours in summer quarter and 12 hours every quarter for PhD students who have passed the candidacy exam)

  **Graduate Fellows**: 15 credit hours every quarter

- VIEW YOUR ACCOUNT ONLINE - http://www.treasurer.ohio-state.edu/

- CHANGE OF ADDRESSES must be made at all of the following:
  
  **Registrar’s Office**: http://www.ureg.ohio-state.edu/

  **Human Resources System** (for students on appointment): Janelle Henderson.328 or 7-7649

  **Office of International Education (International Students only)**: oie@osu.edu International Students who move must update their address with OIE and the registrar within 10 days of the move.

Send comments to Janelle Henderson, Henderson.328@osu.edu