Our People

(since winter – December 2013)
Promotions

Jeannette Bensen, PhD, research associate professor, EPIID

Jacqueline Gibson, PhD, associate professor, ESE

Todd Schwartz, DrPH, research associate professor, BIOS

Jennifer Smith, PhD, associate professor, EPID
Promotions

Melanie Studer, MHA, clinical assistant professor, HPM

Miroslav Styblo, PhD, professor, NUTR

Jason West, PhD, associate professor, ESE

Karl Umble, PhD, clinical assistant professor, ESE
Retirements

Charles Ayres, MS, database administrator, IIS

Douglas Wait, research specialist, ESE

Myra Carpenter, senior investigator, BIOS

Climmon Walker, research assistant, BIOS

Helen Nulty, systems analyst, IIS

Barbara Wallace, MPH, Interim director, Global Gateway
Welcome New Faculty and Staff!

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New Faculty - BIOS

Robert Agans, PhD,
clinical associate professor
New Faculty - EPID

Allison Aiello, PhD, professor

Hazel Nichols, PhD, assistant professor
Vivian Go, PhD,
associate professor
New Faculty - HPM

Paula Song, PhD, associate professor
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Thank you for your service to North Carolina!!
5 Years

Burgard, Sheila
Calhoun-Smith, Dorothea
Leonard, Patricia
Shen, Ping
Trani, Elyssa

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15 Years

Binkowski, Lewis  IIS
Campbell, Stephen  BIOS
Orton, Stephen  NCIPH
Sieler, Kim  HPM
## 20 Years

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## 25 Years

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30 Years
Matthews, Ravi
BIOS

35 Years
Wait, Douglas
ESE
Awards and Recognition
Public Service

2014 Ned Brooks Award

William Gentry, MPA, lecturer and director, certificate programs, HPM
Teaching Excellence

Chancellor’s Award for Teaching

Karl Umble, PhD, distance learning specialist, HPM and adjunct assistant professor, HB
2014 Graduate School Impact Awards Winners

Kari Debbink, doctoral student, microbiology (in Ralph Baric’s lab); Lindsey Haynes-Maslow, doctoral student, HPM 2014; Paul Gilbert, PhD, HB 2013; Jennifer Poti, doctoral student, NUTR; Cynthia Lin, doctoral student, EPID 2013
EPA’s 2013 Blue Ribbon Paper Award

Outstanding efforts to improve the characterization of organic aerosols

Ying-Hsuan Lin, PhD, ESE 2013
HPM team takes first prize at case competition...again!

UAB Health Administration case competition

Jennifer Moore, Christopher Coughlin and Callan Blough
BIOS students win national paper and poster awards

6 BIOS students received awards for their research

International Biometric Society’s Eastern North American Region (ENAR)

Standing: Dr. Jianwen Cai, Thomas Stewart, Dr. Eric Bair, Ai (Andy) Ni, Dr. Amy Herring. In front: Qian Liu, Jing Zhou and Fang-Shu Ou
Recent SPH-Sponsored Conferences and Workshops
Global Aging and Technology Summit 2/10/2014

Peggye Dilworth-Anderson, PhD, professor, HPM (right) and Barbara Entwisle, PhD, UNC’s Kenan Distinguished Professor and vice chancellor of research.

Leslie Lytle, PhD, chair, HB (left) and Carol Brayne, MD, director, University of Cambridge Institute of Public Health (U.K.).

Mike Kafrissen, MD, and Joseph Coughlin, PhD, MIT AgeLab with Patricia Sprigg, MS, president, Carol Woods Retirement Community.

- 1,350+ total attendees
- 450+ in-person attendees
- 43 states represented
- 9 countries represented
GillingsX: Why Not Now?
3/20/2014

- Linking Public Health to Public
- Coordinating Aid at the Front
- A Different Look at Obesity
- Music as an Agent for Social Change in India
- Homegrown Energy Bar for Behavior Change

Amy Bryson, Dilshad Othman, Amy Roberts, Shriya Soora, Alberto Vargas
Nexus 2014 attracts 300 attendees from 33 countries worldwide.

Water Microbiology Conference slated for May 5-7.
Celebrating 75 Years

Atlanta, GA
Baltimore, MD
Boston, MA
Charlotte, NC
Chicago, IL
Nashville, TN
San Diego, CA
Washington, DC & more
Her Excellency Tebelelo Seretse (Nee) Mazile spoke to students and faculty members about Botswana’s history and its quarter-century experience with HIV/AIDS.
UNC Board of Governors mingle with UNC leaders and SPH faculty. The visit was aimed at introducing new board members to University researchers.
UNC Board of Visitors mingle with SPH faculty, staff, students, alumni and guests during reception where student projects were presented on posters.