



JUNE Update

MEZCOPH New Grant awards

- **Uma Nair:** Co-PI (R21): Testing the Feasibility of a Novel Smoking Cessation Intervention by Timing Quit Dates to Menstrual Phase in a Quitline Setting. Congratulations
- **Kristen Pogreba Brown:** Co-PI (UA Start for Success project): "Establishing a Rat Model to Simulate Post-Infectious Irritable Bowel Syndrome. Congratulations

CEP Transition

- Dr. Derksen is stepping down on June 30, 2018 to focus his efforts on the Center for Rural Health
- Dr. Kelly Reynolds will be the new Chair effective July 1st 2018
- Please join me in thanking Dan for his leadership and welcoming Kelly in her new role

Dean's council update

- We discussed the update and plan for the meetings with potential global partners and the new UCAP documents and request for feedback
- As a reminder: The dean's council meets the 3rd Wednesday of every month and the chairs of the faculty, APs, staff and student assemblies are welcome to submit an agenda item to Lorraine 10 days before the meeting to be 1) either discussed by the dean's council or 2) the chair or his/her representative can attend in person to present the issue to the council and be part of the discussion

UCAP: The University Career Architecture Project

- The University Career Architecture Project (UCAP) is fast-approaching the project's mapping phase, where supervisors will map University of Arizona employees who are in scope, to a job in the UCAP architecture, based on their responsibilities.
- Supervisors will be responsible for mapping employees who are in scope, to jobs within the career architecture using UAccess.

Global Micro-Campus: MEZCOPH Update

- Gulf Medical University (GMU)
 - On June 21, The UA President signed a "Global Location" agreement (micro-campus) with Gulf Medical university (GMU), UAE.
 - UA / MEZCOPH signed an agreement for dual MPH degree (Public Health Practice)
 - GMU Chancellor met with UA and MEZCOPH leadership and discussed several opportunities in relation to EOH, HAS, short courses, joint research among others
- Shenyang Medical University
 - The president of Shenyang Medical University visited MEZCOPH on June 18, 2018 and met with the MEZCOPH/ GHI leadership team to discuss potential opportunities for collaboration especially in the area of EOH undergraduate degree.

Training Reminder: Required from ALL MEZCOPH employee

- As members of the University community, we share in the responsibility of creating and supporting an environment free of harassment and discrimination. In support of our commitment to this goal, the University offers a harassment prevention program to its employees, including student employees, in the form of online training. Through a series of engaging scenarios and activities, you will learn important principles and develop skills to enhance your working and educational relationships. The program will conclude with a comprehensive quiz.
- Please click on the following link: <http://equity.arizona.edu/online-training> and choose the appropriate trainings including **“Preventing Sexual Misconduct”**.
- You will need your NetID to access the training module. Once you have completed the training, be sure to print the Certificate of Completion for your records and provide your Department Chair or unit director or supervisor with a copy. The training is valid for 2 years
- I ask **you to complete both training by August 2018** (before the start of the new academic year)