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# Have You Herd?

# Congratulations Class of 2013



### DID YOU KNOW?

The Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS) opens on July 1, 2013 for rising fourth years to begin their residency applications. Check out https://www.aamc.org/students/medstudents/eras/ to see Resource Updates for 2013. Tokens provided end of June

### NEW STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE

Effective August 1, 2013, we will have a new student health insurance program. Health insurance will continue to be required, unless you can waive out with another group plan. Premiums for student only will be \$2100 and the deductible will be lower. Forms, which will hopefully be online, will be available soon.

## SEEKING RISING SECOND YEAR STUDENTS TO SERVE AS PEER ADVISORS IN 2013-2014

The Peer Advising Committee, whose role it is to create and implement our new peer advising program or first year students in August 2013, is seeking students who are willing to serve as first year advisors. Volunteers will be matched to first year students and play the essential role of assisting in the transition to medical school. Watch your email for updates.



Amy Smith for earning her 2013 Master's degree in Medical Education from the University of Cincinnati!! We are proud of you Amy!!

#### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

June 17, 2013 Interviewing Seminar

Required for MS-3

BCC, 5 PM

June 23-25, 2013 LCME Site Visit

July 8, 2013 Clinical Orientation

Third Year Students

August 12, 2013 First day of class

MS-1 and MS-2



### HAVE A GREAT SUMMER



#### NEW RULES FOR STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Beginning in academic year 2013-2014, all student organizations (including interest groups) will be required to register with the Office of Student Affairs. This will improve organizational support and accountability. In addition, efforts will be made to streamline Career Conversations by asking organizations to host a speaker. If appropriate paperwork has been submitted, students may elect to attend an organizational Career Conversation as part of their requirement in the first and second year. Organization leaders should contact Dr. Veitia for additional information.

ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS: Be sure and complete your advising requirement for Spring 2013 and don't forget to go to <a href="https://musom.marshall.edu/students/advising/request">https://musom.marshall.edu/students/advising/request</a> to request a change or indicate that you would like to remain with your current academic advisor. Your deadline is JUNE 7, 2013.

Please evaluate your advisor experience, please go to the very brief survey monkey at  $\underline{\text{http://}}$  www.surveymonkey.com/s/S597X32.