Dean's Monthly Global Health Night

Featuring

Dr. Patricia Conrad, D.V.M., Ph.D. and Michael Wilkes, M.D., M.P.H., Ph.D.

Tues., Sept. 1, 6:30 p.m.

Education Building, Lecture Hall 1204

4610 X Street, Sacramento

GLOBAL HEALTH, PUBLIC HEALTH, ONE HEALTH, PLANETARY HEALTH:

What's the Difference for You and UC Davis?

Dr. Conrad and Dr. Wilkes are uniquely positioned to lend insight and guide a conversation on the intersecting and overlapping topics of Global Health, Public Health, One Health, and Planetary Health. They will co-host this interactive session aimed at all levels and disciplines, from undergraduate agriculture students to practicing subspecialist human surgeons. The goal is of the talk will be to first conduct a short review of the field of global and public health. Followed by a discussion of the meaning and contributions to this field to be made by the One Health/Planetary Health programs. This will be a very interactive session as this review will be an exercise involving small group work and discussion as the principles of One Health are applied to 3 global health cases.

The goal of the talk is to define each of the four broad areas and to enable each participant to formulate his or her own approach utilizing the tools from each area, to best address some of the health issues we face today.

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

Dr. Patricia Conrad D.V.M, PhD is the Associate Dean for Global Programs at the School of Veterinary Medicine, University of California, Davis and Co-Director of the One Health Center of Expertise: Water, Animals, Food and Society in the system wide (10 campus) UC Global Health Institute. Dr. Conrad is a veterinarian and professor of parasitology whose research is focused on the transmission of protozoal parasites between wildlife, humans and domestic animals.

Dr. Michael Wilkes is widely known for his efforts to introduce medical students to the humanistic side of being a physician, and for working tirelessly to include the public health and social sciences as part of training physicians. During his tenure as Vice Dean of the Medical School he has lead the way toward enormous changes in medical education at UC Davis including the rural prime program, the college system of mentoring, and a dramatic shift away from lectures toward small group and interactive learning. Wilkes introduced UC Davis' "Doctoring" curriculum.

Office of the Dean for the School of Medicine is providing a light dinner with the talk. If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Amanda Simpson at: aasimpson@ucdavis.edu

Global Health Night is a monthly occurrence, and we welcome your attendance! Meeting are held the first Tuesday of every month, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., in the Education Building, Room 1204.

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Next meeting: October 6, 2015

