Ohio State Service-Learning News

2015 Outreach & Engagement Award Winners Announced

On behalf of The Ohio State University, the offices of Outreach and Engagement, International Affairs, Service-Learning, Student Life, and Undergraduate Education are pleased to announce the 2015 Outreach and Engagement Recognition Award winners. Recipients include the K-12 Engineering Outreach program (Distinguished Community Engagement), the Haiti Empowerment Project (Distinguished International Engagement), and Corrections: An Inside-Out Course (Distinguished Service-Learning). All awardees will be recognized at a ceremony on Wednesday, May 6 prior to the Patterson Lecture.

For more information: osu.edu/2015awards and outreach@osu.edu

Webinar Brown Bag: Getting Service-Learning Research and Community-Engaged Scholarship Published

The Office of Service-Learning will be hosting a viewing brown bag for the International Association for Research on Service-Learning and Community Engagement’s (IARSLCE) Advancing Research Webinar, Getting Service-Learning Research and Community-Engaged Scholarship Published presented by Jeffrey Howard. We will be screening this webinar at 1pm on April 21 in the Hale Center, Hall of Fame/Room 101. The webinar aims to build the capacity of faculty, scholar-practitioners, graduate students, and community partners as co-educators to be successful in publishing their work related to service-learning, community-based research, and other
manifestations of community-engaged scholarship. Jeffrey Howard is the director of faculty development at DePaul University’s Steans Center for Community-based Service Learning.

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**Course Spotlight**

**BUSMHR 5530-0010: Value Creation in the Social Enterprise**

This course focuses on completing a group project or business plan for a local non-profit or social enterprise. Students will understand the theory of social enterprise (how non-profits can amplify their impact using business principles); develop interpersonal, communication, and presentation skills; identify problems and opportunities and creative solutions; and interact directly with individuals in a non-profit organization or social enterprise.

**Autumn 2015 registration is now open! Find more service-learning courses here:** [go.osu.edu/SLAutumn15](go.osu.edu/SLAutumn15)

**Resources and Opportunities**

**Matinees that Matter Series**

The Ohio State University Medical Center’s departments of Community Development, Leadership Academy, and Diversity Council present a purposeful lunch-and-learn series with video and discussion. Matinees that Matter highlights the ethnic, racial, and economic disparities of health care and provides a deeper exploration of the ways in which social conditions affect population health. The series takes place the third Thursday of each month, from noon to 1:30pm in 473 West 12th Avenue, Room 170. The next feature on Thursday, May 21, will be *The Somewhere Between*, profiling Chinese adoptees in contemporary America.
For more information, contact: LeadershipAcademy@osumc.edu

Sincerely,

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