

2006 GPP RETREAT SCHEDULE

Thursday, September 7, 2006

Noon – 2:00 pm	Leave NIH for The Woods
2:00 – 4:30 pm	Check-in at The Woods
5:00 – 5:15 pm	Welcome and opening remarks
5:15 – 6:00 pm	Student Networking Event
6:00 – 7:00 pm	Dinner – Poolside Barbecue
7:00 – 8:00 pm	Student Research Poster Session I
8:00 pm	Reception I

Friday, September 8, 2006

8:00 – 9:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 – 10:00 am	Keynote Speakers – “The Infamous ‘Postdoc Position’ – Myth and Reality” Panel of Recent PhD Graduates – their experiences searching for a Postdoc
10:00 – 10:15 am	Break
10:15 – 11:00 am	Career Development Session I – “A Primer on Seeking and Winning NIH Extramural Grants” – Rick McGee, Ph.D.
11:00 – noon	Graduate Student Research Poster Session II
Noon – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Graduate Student Research Presentations
2:00 – 2:15 pm	Retreat Group Photograph
2:15 – 6:00 pm	Graduate Student Networking/Free Time – options include: swimming (indoor and outdoor), softball, volleyball, golf, tennis, basketball, hiking, hanging-out
6:00 – 7:00 pm	Dinner
7:00 – 8:30 pm	Town Hall Meeting – Set the course for GPP for 2006/2007 and Beyond
8:45 pm	Reception II

Saturday, September 9, 2006

9:00 – 10:00 am	Breakfast and Check Out (check out by 11:00 am!)
10:00 – 11:00 am	Career Development Session II – Mock Grant Review Panel – try your hand at grant review, followed by what REALLY happens!
11:00 – 12:00 pm	Graduate Student Research Presentations
12:00 – 12:10 pm	Retreat Feedback and Closing
12:10 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm	Departure