

CAIPE e-Bulletin

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Welcome to the September issue of the CAIPE e Bulletin, a monthly electronic Newsletter providing concise information and links to more in depth information, predominately on the CAIPE website www.caipe.org.uk

NEWS

- **CAIPE is seeking a new Chair**-Elizabeth Howkins, the present chair of CAIPE has announced that she will be standing down at the next AGM June 20th 2013. She will have completed a 4 year term of office. CAIPE would like to elect a new Chair before Christmas 2012 to allow a smooth transition for this very important role. CAIPE warmly welcomes expressions of interest in this role from CAIPE members. Please find details about the role, responsibilities and person specification at <http://www.caipe.org.uk/news/caipe-seeks-a-new-chair/> Application should be made to admin@caipe.org.uk Each potential candidate should supply: a 500 word profile to demonstrate what they can bring to the role of CAIPE Chair, a brief CV and a personal time commitment. Closing date: October 29th 2012
- **IPE receives a \$4 million boost in the USA.** In the United States, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) of the federal government has announced the selection of the University of Minnesota Academic Health Center to lead a new coordinating center to provide national leadership in the field of interprofessional education and collaborative practice among health professionals. For the full article see <http://www.caipe.org.uk/news/ipe-receives-a-4-million-boost-in-the-usa/>
- **Recognising teaching excellence change programme launched.** The HEA has recently launched its Recognising teaching excellence (ReTE) change programme, designed to enhance the recognition for quality teaching across the sector. This change programme will help institutions in enhancing and refining strategies and infrastructure that support teaching excellence. The programme will include theories of change and build on the HEA's work with institutions following the implementation of the revised UK Professional Standards Framework in November 2011. Calls for expressions of interest are invited from teams from both UK and international higher education providers. The closing date is 29 October 2012 and the programme will run from December 2012 to December 2013. For further information on the change programme and how to submit expressions of interest see http://www.heacademy.ac.uk/news/detail/2012/launch_of_ReTE_change_programme
- **Interprofessional Education Expert Seeks to Improve Health Care.** UCSF's Scott Reeves Receives Moore Foundation Grant, Leads IOM Workshop to Explore Team-Based Care. Scott Reeves, PhD, director of UCSF's Centre for Innovation in Interprofessional Education, will take the national spotlight in Washington, DC, this week as co-chair of an Institute of Medicine (IOM) workshop that aims to improve health care.

Reeves, professor of Social and Behavioural Sciences and editor-in-chief of the Journal of Interprofessional Care, co-led a two-day public workshop, "Improving Health by Linking Education Practice Using Interprofessional Education" at the Keck Centre of the National Academies. He was part of the IOM planning committee for this workshop, which was a part of the Global Forum on Innovation in Health Professional Education founded by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. See <http://www.ucsf.edu/news/2012/08/12626/interprofessional-education-expert-seeks-improve-health-care> for the full article.

- **Join in the conversation on how to strengthen the NHS Constitution** On a recently launched new blog, members of the NHS Future Forum will explain what the NHS Constitution means to them and discuss ways of strengthening it. The NHS Constitution sets out in one place what patients, staff and the public can expect from the NHS in England. The Government asked the NHS Future Forum working group on the NHS Constitution to advise it on whether there is scope for strengthening the Constitution earlier this year. A formal public consultation will be held later this year, giving everyone a chance to have their say about the proposed changes. For full details go to <http://www.dh.gov.uk/health/2012/09/constitution-blog/>

EVENTS

- **CAIPE Corporate Forum Friday 19th October 2012 10.30-16.00** at Edinburgh Napier University, Sighthill Campus, Sighthill Court, Edinburgh EH11 4BN. Jointly hosted by Edinburgh Napier University, Glasgow Caledonian University and Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen. The theme for the day: IPE in Five Scottish HEIs. Come and spend the weekend in Scotland with family or friends. Accommodation can be arranged via: www.visitscotland.com (please note that Sighthill Campus is in the West End of Edinburgh). Corporate members who wish to attend should contact admin@caipe.org.uk
- **'Collaborative Practice: Meeting the challenges of today together' 2nd National CAIPE Student Conference on 9th November 2012 in Birmingham.** Explore collaborative practice in health and social care with other UK students, discuss the challenges of collaborative practice with a panel with leading experts in the field, and consider the transition from student to practitioner in health and social care. Create or extend your own network of contacts with health and social care students across the UK and boost your CV, with all attendees receiving a Certificate of Attendance. This is free to student members and will be an exciting and stimulating occasion. Refreshments and lunch will be provided & CAIPE will pay up to 50% of travel expenses (maximum £50 each). We hope to see many of you there. For more information and booking form go to http://www.caipe.org.uk/events/?event_id=123
- **Chair's Event 23rd November 2012.** The theme for the day is 'Pathways to Practice: the transitions'. – This annual event is designed primarily for CAIPE's individual members. Planning is still in progress and details will follow in the next issue of the Bulletin and on the website.

RESOURCES

- **Social Media** Facebook and Twitter pages are up and running. Please use the 'Like' button for <https://www.facebook.com/CaipeUK> and 'Follow us' at <https://twitter.com/>.
- **Current trends in interprofessional education of health sciences students: A literature review**
This study explores current IPE models to identify emerging trends in strategies reported in published studies. It reports key characteristics of 83 studies that report IPE activities between 2005 and 2010, including those utilizing qualitative, quantitative and mixed method research approaches.
<http://informahealthcare.com/doi/abs/10.3109/13561820.2012.715604>
- **Bedside Manners** is a remarkable teaching tool. It's a play that helps staff reenact healthcare scenarios. In the process, everyone gains insight into the dynamics of their team communication. Why do individuals behave as they do? How can individual healthcare members learn to constructively collaborate?
<http://bedsidemannerstheplay.com/index.html>

OPPORTUNITIES

- **Call for Posters for CAIPE's 2nd National Student Conference on the 9th November 2012.** Posters are invited on the theme of: **Experiences of interprofessional education or collaborative practice.** Individual or group posters if selected be prepared to speak informally about your poster for 3-5 minute. To take part please email your name(s), poster title and a 300 word abstract of the topic to: admin@caipe.org.uk Deadline: 26th October 2012. For further details <http://www.caipe.org.uk/news/call-for-posters-for-caipes-2nd-national-student-conference-on-the-9th-november-2012/>
- **Chair's Event for Individual members.** Put November 23rd in your diary. This is an opportunity for individual members to take part in this annual event planned especially for you. Planning is still in progress and details will follow shortly on the CAIPE website and in the next issue of the Bulletin.
- **An opportunity to support CAIPE by fundraising whilst shopping online**
<http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/caipe> can help to raise funds for CAIPE by our supporters registering with them. It works in a similar way to nectar, but instead of earning points when you shop online, you raise a donation for CAIPE instead. You can also raise an extra 25% with gift aid. It's as simple as that! And it won't cost you a penny.

We are always interested in your views on the CAIPE E Bulletin. Please send your comments and website content to Debbie Holmes webmanager@caipe.org.uk