Physical Therapy As Your Future: From Application to Practice

Friday, January 12, 2018

Informational conference sponsored by the University of Iowa Department of Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Science open to anyone interested in physical therapy as a career. High school students, college students, college advisors, and college graduates make up the intended audience. Learn about the entry-level Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) Program at the University of Iowa, how to prepare your application, the roles and responsibilities of professional physical therapists, and take a tour of the Doctor of Physical Therapy Program.

SCHEDULE

9:15  Registration
9:30  Welcome
9:45  Physical Therapy Today – The Status of our Profession

10:00  Selected Practice Areas of Physical Therapy
- Lauren Plum, DPT, OCS—21st Century Rehab, Wayne County Hospital, Corydon, IA
- Jeff Fleming, DPT, OSC, ATC, CSCS—UIHC Rehabilitation Therapies, Iowa City, IA
- Stephanie Evans, DPT—UIHC Rehabilitation Therapies, Coralville, IA
- Tara Rudolph, C/NDT—Genesis Pediatric Therapy, Coralville, IA
- Derek Richards, DPT—UnityPoint St. Luke’s Hospital, Cedar Rapids, IA

11:30  Tours of the University of Iowa Medical Campus led by DPT Students
11:30  Optional Advisor Panel for High School and College Advisors
- Kelly Sass, PT, PhD & Marcie Becker, DPT, GCS

12:00  Lunch with Faculty & Current DPT Students
1:00  Iowa DPT Curriculum Overview—Preparing Students for Clinical Practice
- Laura Frey Law, PT, PhD

1:30  Admissions Process Overview
- Kelly J. Sass, PT, PhD

2:15  Admissions Break-Out Q&A Sessions
2:45  DPT Student Panel: Life As A PT Student
3:45  Final Remarks
4:00  Depart
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Registration:

Seating is limited, so attendees must pre-register by January 8 on a first-come, first-served basis. Academic advisors and counselors will not be charged a registration fee but must pre-register. Directions to the conference site will be emailed to participants along with confirmation of registration.

Register and pay online at www.signmeup.com/122981 or mail registration form below and payment.

Name_______________________________________________________________________________________
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School Attending______________________________________________________________________________
Academic Major (college students only)____________________________________________________________

I AM A (Check the appropriate choice) *
Student: □ High School  □ College
Year: □ Freshman  □ Sophomore  □ Junior □ Senior □ Graduate
Advisor: □ High School □ College

Registration fee is $20 per person and includes lunch. Refunds will not be made.

Payment:
□ Register and Pay Online: www.signmeup.com/122981
□ Enclosed is my check payable to Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation Science
□ Enclosed is cash

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