Student Selected for Diversity Award

P-2, Monica Evans, was selected to receive a 2010 Chancellor's Diversity Recognition Award for Student Leadership. The award is to honor her extraordinary leadership and commitment to diversity efforts on the UCD-Anschutz Medical Campus and will be presented Friday, April 23. Monica is president of the Student National Pharmacists Association.

Phi Delta Chi Helps with Screenings

Members of the Phi Delta Chi fraternity organized and participated in a church service event at St. Pius X in Aurora on April 11. They provided blood pressure and glucose screenings and offered a brown bag consulting session to parishioners. The service event was staffed by Charlyn Wong, Anh Tu Than, Tyler Smith, Jennifer Christensen, Amanda Cantin, Joe Bitto and Amy Ogawa, and was precepted by faculty advisor Sarah Anderson. Phi Delta Chi hopes to offer another church service event in the fall semester.

Faculty Make Top 10 List of Most Viewed Papers

DOCP faculty Drs. Doug Fish, Ty Kiser and Rob MacLaren hit a home run with their paper titled "Treatment of Hepatorenal Syndrome", which was published in Pharmacotherapy's online journal. The journal recently revealed that the article was ranked fifth (with 1,766 views) in most-viewed papers during the last 12 months. The number of times an individual article is viewed is an unofficial index of the clinical utility and importance of that article. Last year, there were 315,274 views of articles on Pharmacotherapy's online journal.

DOPS faculty Dr. John Carpenter's commentary "Overlooking Subvisible Particles in Therapeutic Protein Products: Gaps that May Compromise Product Quality" was one of the top 10 most frequently downloaded articles from the Journal of Pharmaceutical Sciences in 2009. With more than 1,000 hits, the piece was one of the website’s most highly downloaded articles for the entire year.

Alumnus Receives Literature Award

Brian Crandell, PharmD, BCOP, and graduate of the Oncology Pharmacy Practice Residency (2003-2004), recently received the 2010 Oncology Pharmacy Practice Literature Award from HOPA, Hematology/Oncology Pharmacy Association. Crandell received the award for his article entitled "Community pharmacists' knowledge of and attitudes toward oral chemotherapy." This award recognizes an article, other than scientific research, that contributes significantly to the betterment of the hematology/oncology pharmacy profession and describes innovations in community, hospital, or healthcare system hematology/oncology pharmacy practices that are applicable beyond the practice site where they were developed and/or evaluated. Dr. Crandell began working on the article while a resident under the guidance of Dr. Cindy O'Bryant.

'09 Graduate Accepts PGY2 Residency

Lam Nguyen (PharmD '09) will be moving to Portland, OR in July to complete a PGY2 in Administration at Oregon Health Sciences University.

Residency Match

Jill Kennedy received notification from Saint Joseph Medical Center in Reading, PA of a residency match, bringing to 23 the total number of student residencies to date.

Musical Chairs

You know you’re getting close to finishing a building when staff and faculty start playing musical chairs! Assistant to the dean, Isabella Muturi Sauve pictured on the right was one of 16 who tested out new task and side chairs. Sources inform us that the "big reveal" - disclosing which chairs received the thumbs up - will occur closer to the grand opening of the new building.