**CUNY Adjunct Faculty Members Bring Home the Gold at EMS Today Conference**

During the EMS Today Conference and Exhibition held in Baltimore, MD, Feb 25 – Mar 1, 2015, FDNY Paramedics and CUNY EMT and Paramedic adjunct faculty members Randy Li, David Cadogan, and Kevin Ramdayal, along with teammate Joe Hudak won the annual JEMS Games Competition bringing the gold medal back home to NYC. They topped twenty three other participating teams from around the US and the world with teams from Boca Raton, Fl and Cumberland County, NC, placing second and third respectively. More information can be found here: [http://m.jems.com/article/news/fdny-ems-wins-jems-games-2015](http://m.jems.com/article/news/fdny-ems-wins-jems-games-2015)

**Don’t Miss Dr. Dena Goffman, MD, FACOG—NYSIM Frank and Sarah Olson Visiting Professor on March 31, 2015**

NYSIM is pleased to announce that Dr. Dena Goffman will be leading a workshop entitled “Collaborative Teams: Optimizing Patient Care and Outcomes” as well as a grand rounds entitled “Fostering Obstetric Simulation & Safety Initiatives Through Collaboration” on Tuesday March 31, 2015 at NYSIM. Dena Goffman, MD, FACOG, is currently an Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology & Women’s Health at Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Director of Maternal Safety & Simulation at Montefiore Medical Center. She has a strong interest in improving patient safety and quality in obstetrics. Much of her work focuses on the use of simulation, team training and implementation of evidence based guidelines to achieve this goal. Although her clinical background is in Obstetrics & Gynecology, Dr. Goffman’s workshop and grand rounds will be widely applicable to other disciplines as she has participants think critically about implementation of new team training initiatives or augmentation of existing programs as well the role of simulation to help achieve common patient safety goals and objectives.

If you are interested in attending one or both workshops kindly RSVP at NYSIM@nyumc.org.

**NYSIM Associate Nursing Director Presented at the National Network for Associate Degree in Respiratory Care (NN2RC) Conference**

Grace Ng, Associate Nursing Director at NYSIM was an invited speaker at the annual NN2RC conference in Louisville, KY in March. She presented her talk, titled: Strengthening Programs Through Simulation: Myths and Reality, to approximately 30 respiratory care faculty and program leaders from around the country.

**NYSIM IT Announcement**

We are excited to announce that SimulationiQ has been upgraded to the latest release-Jupiter! Please feel free to contact nysimIT@nyumc.org if you have any questions regarding the latest release.
Upcoming Events at NYSIM

Comments, suggestions and questions to NYSIM@nyumc.org are always welcome to create a better learning and teaching environment for our faculty and learners.

**NYSIM Instructor Course 2015 & 2016**
The 3-day NYSIM Instructor Course focuses on debriefing skills and simulation design. Sessions include Objective Oriented Debriefing, Advanced Debriefing Topics and Simulation Scenario Design. Breakfast & lunch are provided. Please email Pedro.Sulzona@nyumc.org with questions.
To registration click the following link: [http://www.nysimcenter.org/learn/register-courses](http://www.nysimcenter.org/learn/register-courses)

- **Jul 27—29, 2015 (M/T/W)** - Wait List Only
- **Aug 25—27, 2015 (T/W/TH)** - Wait List Only
- **Nov 16—18, 2015 (M/T/W)** - Registration Open
- **Dec 15—17, 2015 (T/W/TH)** - Registration Open
- **Jan 26—28, 2016 (T/W/TH)** - Registration Open
- **Feb 1—3, 2016 (M/T/W)** - Registration Open

**The Frank and Sarah Olson Visiting Professors and Grand Rounds Series in Simulation and Education**
Visiting Professors Workshop: **2:00pm—4:00pm**, NYSIM Classroom C
Grand Rounds: **5:00pm—6:00pm**, NYSIM Classroom C. Dinner will be served
If you are interested in speaking or would like to suggest a topic, please contact Demian.Szyld@nyumc.org

**2014—2015 ACADEMIC YEAR GRAND ROUND DATES***
- March 31, 2015—Dena Goffman, MD, FACOG, Dir. of Maternal Safety & Simulation
- June 1, 2015—Peter S. Kahn, PhD, Associate Provost for Academic Affairs
- July 20, 2015—Adam Cheng, MD, FRCP, FAAP, Dir. Research & Development

**First Annual Symposium for Fellows in Healthcare Simulation**
This one day symposium on May 4, 2015 is for simulation fellows and fellowship directors to network, share research/capstone projects and learn about career development in simulation education. Space is limited.
To register, please visit nysimcenter.org

**Save the Date—Third Annual Hot Topics in Simulation Education—October 14, 2015**
NYSIM organized world-class conferences and symposia on simulation and education with a focus on cutting edge topics such as Interprofessional Education, Faculty Development, Research and Assessment.

**Plenary Speakers:**
- William Dunn, MD, FCCP, FCCM, Associate Prof of Med, Consultant, Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine
- Daniel Raemer, PhD, Associate Professor of Anesthesia, Director of Clinical Programs
- Pamela Jeffries, PhD, RN, FAAN, ANEF, Prof School of Nursing, Vice Provost of Digital Initiatives

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