



Wednesday, September 30, 2009

Dear Members of the Emeritus College and Friends,

I hope this email finds you well. I am including information you may find useful below. Please let me know if you have any questions or would like more information.

One of our Emeriti, **David Goldsmith**, was recently honored at a reception in the Miller-Ward Alumni House with the 200 Emory College of Arts and Sciences Distinguished Emeritus Faculty Award. An article from the *EmoryWire* can be found at http://www.alumni.emory.edu/news/emorywirearticles/archives/october2009/mainlist_article2.html. I hope you join me in wishing Dr. Goldsmith a hearty congratulations!

Emeritus College Announcements:

The next **Breakfast Discussion** will be held on the second Monday, **October 5th**. Join us at 9:00 a.m. in the MARIAL Conference Room for a discussion led by Fred Menger on the topic of the “*Evolution of Intelligence*.” Dr. Menger will lead a discussion based on the question of how natural selection can explain the fact that “we are smarter than demanded by our evolutionary experience as hunter gatherers”? (*Flier attached*)

The next **Lunch Discussion** will be held on **October 19th**. Join us at 11:30 a.m. in the MARIAL Conference Room here in Building A of Briarcliff Campus (room 415E) for a discussion led by one of this year's Distinguished Emeriti, Andre Nahmias. His talk is entitled “*Happy Birthday, Charlie – The Wondrous Evolution of Medicine and Modern Life*.”

Other Programs Potentially of Interest:

Benefits changes: Retirees will be the only group to receive printed material this year due to Emory's Green Initiative. The last information session will be held **tomorrow, October 1st, at 2:00 p.m. in the Miller-Ward Alumni House** on Houston Mill Road. For more information, or if you did not receive your mailing, please contact the Benefits Department at 404.727.7613 (<http://www.hr.emory.edu/mybenefits/>).

Atlanta Celebrates Photography Exhibit: The Emory Visual Arts Gallery will host an exhibition of the series “In the Garden” by Joel Leivick as part of “The Lucid Eye: A Year of Photography at Emory, 2009-2010.” There will be a reception on **October 1st** from 5-7 p.m., with an artist talk at 7:00 p.m.

Reminder/Psychology Department's Boyd McCandless Memorial Lecture: Dr. Susan Goldin-Meadow, University of Chicago "How our hands help us think," Monday, **October 5th**, Psychology 290, 4:00 pm. Reception to follow in Psych 280.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month! Winship Cancer Institute will be hosting a breast health screening with free exams on **October 6th**. To register, call 404.778.7777.

Reminder/U.S. Foreign Policy in Iraq and Afghanistan: Discussion with Ann Wright, retired United States Army colonel and retired State Department official. Lunch served. Book signing to follow. Center for Ethics, **October 7th** 12 - 1 p.m. For more information, email roslyn.sledge@emory.edu.

All of our upcoming events are listed on our website, www.emory.edu/emeritus. Please visit us there!

All the best,

Charity :)