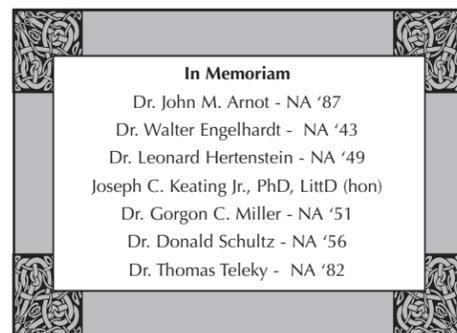


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Postgraduate Courses for October - December

October 20-21	November 10-11	December 1-2	December 8-9, 2007
Clinical Orthopedics: Lumbar Spine 4: Lumbo-Pelvic Rehab & Active Care Integration <i>Braintree Hospital Boston, Mass.</i>	Electrodiagnosis EDX-10: Brainstem Auditory Evoked Responses (BAER) & Visual Evoked Potentials (VEP) <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Acupuncture 100-4: Auriculotherapy and Instrumentation <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Clinical Orthopedics: Lumbar Spine 6: Entrapments, Neuropathies, EDX, PVD <i>Braintree Hospital Boston, Mass.</i>
Functional Rehabilitation 200-1: Gait & Lower Quarter Kinetic Chain Rehab <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Functional Rehabilitation 200-2: Rehab of the Upper Quarter <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Acupuncture 200-8: Arthritis & Pain Control / Final Exam <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Functional Rehabilitation 200-3: Clinical Case Management <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>
November 3-4	November 17-18	Clinical Orthopedics: Lumbar Spine 3: The Post-Surgical Spine <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	
Acupuncture 200-7 (Condition Based): Accessory Acupuncture Techniques <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Acupuncture 100-3: Meridians II <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	For location and registration information, contact:	
Clinical Orthopedics: Lumbar Spine 2: IDV / Stenosis / Post Element Disease <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Clinical Orthopedics: Lumbar Spine 5: Trauma /Arthritides and Other Clinical Maladies <i>Braintree Hospital Boston, Mass.</i>	Dr. Jonathan Soltys Postgraduate Dean 200 E. Roosevelt Road Lombard, IL 60148-4583 630-889-6622 or 630-889-6620 Fax: 630-889-6482 jsoltys@nuhs.edu	
Kinesio Taping® Certification: Session I <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Evidence Based Practice <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Electrodiagnosis EDX-11: Repetitive Stimulation Studies, Clinical Applications & Review <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	
Reality Rehab: Lower Body, Pelvis & Lower Extremities <i>Philadelphia, Pa.</i>	X-ray & MRI Anatomy: Systematic Approach to Understanding A Patient's Studies <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	Kinesio Taping® Certification: Session II Prerequisite: Session I <i>NUHS Campus / Lombard, Ill.</i>	
		Reality Rehab: Neck & Upper Extremities <i>Philadelphia, Pa.</i>	

Philanthropy and National University

James F. Winterstein, DC
 NUHS President



"If we look at the derivation of the word, we can see that it comes from "love of" and "mankind" or "humankind." A philanthropist is one who wants to promote the welfare of others and usually does so through the donation of personal resources for a good cause.

Recently Mrs. Tracy McHugh and I, who are responsible for fund raising here at National University, have had some notable success in our efforts thanks to the consideration of several alumni of the university, two of whom have given me the authority to use their names in the hope that others will follow their lead and assist us in furthering our philanthropic efforts.

Dr. Jerome Siskin from New York is especially interested in and supportive of the naturopathic medicine program at National and in our discussions with him, he indicated that he wished to begin some special kind of long-term donation program that would remain long after his passing. In his instance, he has chosen to initiate a mutual fund of which NUHS is the sole beneficiary and he continues to contribute to this fund, which, upon his demise becomes the property of National University. We communicate frequently with Dr. Siskin and are deeply gratified to have him as a member of the John Fitz Alan Howard Heritage Society — a society of all who have placed National in their wills or have included National in their estates. Dr. Siskin we thank and salute you!

President Winterstein Selected 'Academic of the Year' by ACA

President James Winterstein, DC, was recently honored by the American Chiropractic Association (ACA) with its Academic of the Year Award at the 2007 House of Delegates meeting in September.

Dr. Winterstein received the award in recognition of his efforts in advancing the chiropractic profession through academic and educational excellence.

"James has offered innumerable contributions to every facet of the profession's academic sector," said ACA President Glenn Manceaux, DC. "It is clear that he has excelled in his efforts to enhance the profession through academic distinction, and the future of chiropractic will surely be molded by his work."

The president has been honored with several awards in recent years including National University's Distinguished Service Award in 2002 and induction into the National University Hall of Honor in 2006.

In addition to his work at the university, he has been published in dozens of peer-reviewed journals, and has held several prominent leadership positions in countless academic organizations such as the Council on Chiropractic Education and the Association of Chiropractic Colleges.

"This singular honor was a great surprise," said President Winterstein. "My thanks goes to the ACA and all those who work so hard in behalf of the chiropractic profession."

August Graduates REAP Benefit of Speaker Caplan's Philosophy

National University of Health Sciences' August 2007 graduating class had the distinct opportunity of hearing from the individual who initially inspired National's president and board of trustees to develop the institution into the university format it undertook some seven years ago.

In his introduction to commencement speaker Ronald Lee Caplan, PhD, President James Winterstein recalled reading Dr. Caplan's chapter about the chiropractic profession in J. Warren Salmon's *Alternative Medicines: Popular Policy and Perspectives*, a volume examining various issues in the field of holistic health.

The chapter, Dr. Winterstein recalled, noted that chiropractic is the biggest, most well organized, most legislatively adept of the

all of the CAM professions and should take the lead in developing complementary and alternative medicine and bringing all other members of the field under its umbrella. "If you do that you will have the strength and authority to take CAM therapies where they should be," he quoted.



Ronald Caplan, PhD

"As a result, our board decided we are going to become a university. We are going to bring other members of the CAM community to our table. We are going to learn together. We are going to become colleagues instead of competitors. This is National's effort at doing what

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More recently, we have had the opportunity to communicate with Dr. E. P. Lockwood of Michigan. Dr. Lockwood explained that he has a patient who wishes to see that his estate goes to a good cause when he passes on. Dr. Lockwood called Tracy and she and I contacted his patient.

Upon speaking with him, we discovered that he had thought about donating to a local cause but they did not seem to be particularly interested. As we talked to him and told him about National and its background, he became very interested in benefiting this institution, which is the alma mater of his chiropractic physician who has provided him with so much assistance through the years.

This patient, who wishes to remain anonymous, will donate over a million dollars to National by putting the university on his IRA accounts as the sole beneficiary – something he has already done and for which he has submitted evidence. He is a true philanthropist. As he stated to me when we talked, “I just want my money to go to a good cause, and I believe this is it!”

Philanthropy is defined as the “desire to promote the welfare of others, expressed especially by the generous donation of money to good causes.”

The real key in this generous donation is Dr. Lockwood, whom I publicly recognize and thank through this editorial. Dr. Lockwood is a quiet and unassuming man who simply wants to help National, too, and he took the time and made the initial contact so that we could follow up with his patient, which we were, of course more than pleased to do.

This brings me to the next point. Grateful patients are potentially the best source of financial support we can ever expect to find. In a meeting some time ago, some individuals were saying to me, “Why don't you get money from the big corporations or foundations?”

That is a common concept, but it is not as simple as one might think. If the company is one that supports the profession, for example, it often wants to have strings attached to any “donation.” Foundations and other corporations outside the chiropractic realm simply do not have us on their radar screen. This may change as National becomes more involved in a broader aspect of complementary and alternative care, but up to now, on the basis of chiropractic alone, we just don't register.

This is not true, however for patients. Recall for a moment the last time you were in a hospital and saw a sign that said “The Robert and Janice Smith (fictitious names) Department of Pediatrics.” We have the same potential with our patients, but in my experience, chiropractic physicians often do not think in these terms — but we should.

Wealthy patients will put their estates in someone's hands and many of them truly do wish to assure themselves that their money “goes to a good cause,” but simply do not think of the institution from which their beloved chiropractic physician graduated.

You have opportunities in this regard and all I am asking for is the contact. From there we can follow up. So if you have one or more grateful patients who might fall into this category, please contact Mrs. Tracy McHugh at tmchugh@nuhs.edu or me at jwinterstein@nuhs.edu and we will make the necessary arrangements to include various kinds of tax beneficial programs for your patients, if that is what they wish to have.

You are the key. May we count on you?



Donor's Amphitheater Plaque

Graduation Highlights

For the first time at National University of Health Sciences, the August 16 commencement ceremonies included presentation of a Master of Science Degree in Diagnostic Imaging from the **Lincoln College of Postprofessional, Graduate and Continuing Education**.

Joseph Stiefel, DC, earned the MS degree after completing requirements for the residency certificate in diagnostic imaging. Dr. Stiefel also teaches physics to students in the undergraduate program.

Twenty-one students earned their doctor of chiropractic degrees from the **College of Professional Studies** at the service. The valedictorian of the August 2007 class was Scott Thomas Sheriff and the salutatorian was Brian Matthew Hartman.

At the **College of Allied Health Sciences** commencement ceremony on August 16, a Bachelor of Science degree was awarded to Priti Panchigar.

Twenty-three students received their certificates in massage therapy including two students who also completed the Chiropractic Assistant Program. The valedictorians for the August 2007 class were Sarah Blasing and Kristi Kobleur.

A special guest at the College of Allied Health Sciences graduation was Illinois Secretary of State of Jesse White, a friend of National and one of the graduates.

MT Grads Ace Boards

Once again, National's massage therapy students performed exceptionally well on their national board exams, according to a report from the National Certification Board for Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork (NCBTMB).

From January 2007 through June 2007, NUHS' school pass rate for first-time testers on the NCETMB was 95.65%. (This pass rate is based on 23 NUHS candidates who took the exam during this period.) The overall pass rate for Illinois was 66.46% and the overall U.S. pass rate was 68.87% for the same time period.

On the NCETM, for the same six-month period, NUHS' school pass rate for first-time testers was an unprecedented 100%! (This pass rate is based on 10 NUHS students who took the NCETM from January 2007 through June 2007). This is compared to the overall Illinois pass rate of 58.08% and the U.S. national pass rate of 66.22% for the same time period.

National University has made several administrative changes in recent months. The interim positions of **Dr. Vincent DeBono**, vice president for academic services, and **Dr. David Parish**, dean of clinics, were made permanent in September. In addition, the interim appointments of **Dr. William Bogar**, chief of diagnostic imaging and residency, and **Dr. Evelyn Laptook**, assistant chief of diagnostic imaging and residency, were made official this fall.

Dr. Joseph Stiefel, who recently earned his master of science degree from National in diagnostic imaging, has been added to the administrative team as assistant to the vice presidents.



Joseph Stiefel, DC

National has recently revamped its administrative format to allow for more effective cross-programmatic functioning of the colleges and various academic departments. There are now three academic departments with the appropriate disciplines functioning under each. The following faculty members have been appointed chair of their departments: Basic Sciences, **Dr. Robert Appleyard**; Clinical Sciences, **Dr. Terry Elder**; and Clinical Practice, **Dr. Theodore Johnson**. In addition, the

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following assistant deans have been named: **Dr. Vincent DeBono**, acting assistant dean for chiropractic medicine; **Dr. Fraser Smith**, naturopathic medicine; **Dr. Yihyun Kwon**, acupuncture and oriental medicine; and **Dr. Daniel Richardson**, Allied Health and Undergraduate Studies.

National welcomes **Nicholas Trongale, EdD**, dean of the College of Professional Studies. Dr. Trongale was born in Chicago, grew up in Villa Park, and attended Montini High School in Lombard. A retired Navy captain, he was the director of Strategic Programs at the University of San Diego and president of the College of Oceanering in Los Angeles.



Nicholas Trongale, EdD



Shellee Handley, DC

Dr. Shellee Handley, a 1988 graduate of National and most recently a clinician at the Lombard clinic, has been appointed Interim Dean for Institutional Analysis and Assessment. Dr. Handley was previously engaged in

private practice and as a faculty member at Palmer College of Chiropractic. Dr. Handley replaces **Dr. Christena Nicholson**, who left National at the end of August. Dr. Nicholson held several positions at NUHS including vice president for academic services and Dean for Institutional Analysis.

Joining the Lombard clinic as a new clinician is **Kelly Baltazar, ND, DC**. Dr. Baltazar earned her BS from the University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point, her ND from Bastyr University and her DC from National in 2006. Prior to her faculty appointment, she had been filling in for various NUHS clinicians and instructors.



Kelly Baltazar, ND, DC

Dr. Nick Chancellor, NA '04, is the new clinician at National's Aurora Health Care Clinic. Dr. Chancellor also maintains a chiropractic clinic in La Grange, Ill.

Dr. Simone Joseph, anatomy lecturer, recently received her diplomate from the Academy of Chiropractic Orthopedists following three years of postprofessional study and an extensive examination.

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Dr. Caplan suggested should be done," Dr. Winterstein remarked.

Dr. Caplan, a health economist and passionate advocate for health care reform, spoke of the current move in health care away from vertical thinking (single causality) about disease to horizontal thinking (multi-causality), and viewing the human organism as part of a larger system with important biological, social, emotional, and spiritual dimensions.

"Thinking across various healing modalities and not just narrowly within one will help integrate complementary and alternative healing practices into the mainstream of American health care," he said.

Holistic practitioners, Dr. Caplan said, can help in this effort following the REAP strategy that he outlined more 20 years ago and that National chose to implement. "I must tell you, it's very exciting and

extremely gratifying to see these ideas come to life on your campus."

The components of REAP are as follows:

Research: "Your college has been actively supporting research across the holistic paradigm especially in chiropractic, naturopathy, Chinese medicine, and massage. This type of paradigm building research should be supported by all members of the holistic community and all of you should be very proud that your university is leading the way."

Education: "National has been helping to educate chiropractors, naturopaths, practitioners of Chinese medicine, and massage therapists in a collaborative and mutually respectful academic environment. The resulting cross-disciplinary cooperation will benefit practitioners and patients alike."

Alliances: "Since chiropractors are the largest group of CAM practitioners, they should reach out to other like-minded

healing professionals and join together in common support of holistic or integrative health care. That's exactly what National did. By learning along side each other in your classrooms and your clinics, you are building lifelong alliances, signaling the end of competition and turf warfare and ushering in an era of cooperation and mutual respect."

Politics: "Holistic practitioners and their supporters need to join together to politically promote and protect their approach to health and health care. You, your colleagues and friends should join your respective national associations and urge these organizations to unite. Mainstream medicine and its allies are united. The holistic community should be also. Individually, each finger on your hand is weak, but together they can form a mighty fist."

Following Dr. Caplan's address, he was presented with the honorary doctor of laws degree, LLD.