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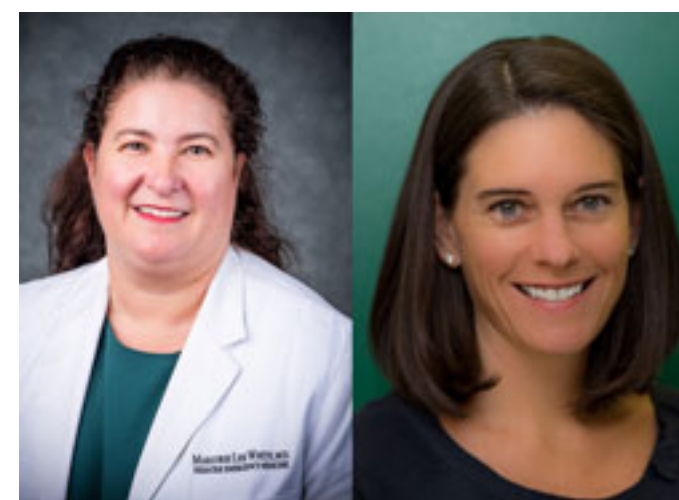
Building the right credentials for today's hybrid workforce 💡

New graduate certificates in academic advising and diversity, equity, inclusion and advocacy are the latest in a series of practitioner-oriented programs at UAB. Find out why students and faculty are excited, and how the ALASSET initiative offers opportunities statewide.



Get ready to celebrate working at UAB

End the year on a high note at the Employee Appreciation Event 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Dec. 3 at Bartow Arena. Grab free refreshments, a UAB lanyard and an America's Best Employer T-shirt or tote bag while supplies last. Parking will be available at the 12th Street Parking Deck; sign up to volunteer online.



As simulation efforts expand at UAB, a new structure focuses on growth

One of the largest simulation groups in the country will become two separate teams as of July 2022 to meet current and future growth: UAB Clinical Simulation for the Health System and the Office of Interprofessional Simulation for the academic campus.



How can you cope with grief during the holidays?

Discover tips and strategies for mourning during the holiday season with Robert Smith, a CAS alum and executive director of the Amelia Center, which provides counseling for children and parents experiencing loss, 7 p.m. Dec. 9 on Zoom.

Things to know



Don't forget: Nominate a Diversity Champion

The President's Diversity Champion Awards recognizes achievements of faculty, staff, students and student organizations working to develop a more culturally diverse and inclusive university community. Read the guidelines and complete the nomination online by Dec. 1.

Researchers, this forum is for you 📄

Get updates on hot topics and new processes and tools to help research teams succeed during the virtual Research Administration Forum 3 p.m. Dec. 1; [register](#) and [review an agenda](#) online.

Become a certified personal trainer at URec

Take the National Academy of Sports Medicine personal trainer prep course, valued at \$1,500, at URec at a steep discount — just \$750 for UAB affiliates and \$650 for UAB students. Register before Jan. 14 at the Member Services desk in the Campus Recreation Center, online at uab.edu/urec or in the UAB Campus Recreation app.

More news online

Get campus news at uab.edu/reporter and COVID-19 updates at uab.edu/uabunited. If you have news you want to share with UAB faculty and staff, use the [Request Publicity](#) form online.

Research & learning



Are you ready to take charge of your career?

Learn to apply professional skills during interviews and how to develop a personal brand noon Dec. 1 on Zoom during the third installment of the "Taking Charge of Your Career" series from the Staff Council and UAB Organizational Learning and Development.



How do sex and genotype affect the results of exercise?

Nicole Riddle, Ph.D., associate professor of biology, will explain how her team's research suggests optimizing exercise treatments can better help people achieve desired results 11:45 a.m. Dec. 3 during the first Haddin Forum; see a list of future lectures from CAS researchers [online](#).

3 tips for maintaining healthy skin all year long 🧖‍♀️

Lauren Kole, M.D., assistant professor and residency program director in the Department of Dermatology, shares three recommendations for ensuring skin health.

Get funding for research aimed at promoting health in people with disabilities

Researchers who study how to improve well-being in adults and children with disabilities can get up to \$35,000 in pilot funding from the UAB Center for Engagement in Disability Health and Rehabilitation Sciences; applications are due Dec. 21.

Check the campus calendar for more events

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