



International Cyber University for Health (ICUH)

Asia-Pacific Academic Consortium for Public Health (APACPH)

Dear APACPH members and colleagues,

Warm greetings from Korea!

After running for four years, ICUH has moved into a new era of online education in the field of public health. A total of 800 students from APACPH member institutions have registered for online courses offered by ICUH. In the 2009 fall semester, 83 students from various countries registered for five courses: (1) Epidemiology (2) Physical Activity and Public Health (3) Injury Prevention (4) Health Informatics (5) Health Insurance Systems in the Selected Countries.

The following is the list of courses that will be offered in the spring semester which starts March 1 2010. The beginning date of the semester may vary according to the academic year of the participating schools. All lectures will be given in English.

- **Research Methods in Health** - Prof. Young Moon Chae (Yonsei Univ., Korea), Prof. Colin Binns (Curtin Univ., Australia): lecture materials are also available in Mongolian
- **Health Promotion** – Prof. Colin Binns (Curtin Univ.), Prof. Hyun Kyung Park (Yonsei Univ.)
- **Introduction to Oral Health** – Prof. Wen-Chen Wang (Kaohsiung Medical University)
- **Applied Biostatistics** - Prof. Yi-Hua Chen (Taiwan Medical University)
- **Human resource management in nursing** – Prof. Insook Kim: lecture materials are also available in Chinese.

Students can take these courses for either credit or non-credit. Credit students are required to take exams and do assignments. The credits received from ICUH may be recognized by the schools which signed the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for credit exchange with ICUH. In order to take these courses, students should fill out the registration form (available at the APACPH website: www.apacph.org) and send it to ICUH (icuh@yuhs.ac) during the registration period (February 16 – 22). There is no fee for these courses in order to provide more learning opportunities to students specializing public health. Please visit the ICUH website (<http://icuh.yonsei.ac.kr>) for more information on courses and registration.

I hope that many students take these courses from ICUH.

Sincerely yours,

Prof. Heechoul Ohrr, M.D., Ph.D.
Dean, International Cyber University for Health

Course Descriptions

Research Methods in Health
Prof. Young Moon Chae, Prof. Colin Binns
Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to: understand the scientific method and its place in the health sciences, apply basic analytical techniques in the interpretation of the previous study designs, have the basic knowledge to design a research proposal and thesis.
Health Promotion
Prof. Colin Binns, Prof. Hyun Kyung Park
This course covers the concepts and the methodologies for health promotion planning and program evaluation design. Examples of health promotion program will be provided to help students apply the methodologies to practice.
Introduction to Oral Health
Prof. Wen-Chen Wang
Upon successful completion of the course, the students should be able to define oral diseases in terms of caries, and to recognize contemporary concept of oral public health and put into practice. In addition, students should be able to define what 3-dimension oral micro-acupuncture system is about and able to list 5 major acupuncture points for treatment of head and dental pain and put into practice.
Applied Biostatistics
Prof. Yi-Hua Chen
With the thorough exploration on the concepts, principles and indices, this course systematically presents statistical methods including ways of data collection, sampling, as well as statistical analysis and inferences. It is hoped that students may be able to apply what they learn in their specialty and to apply biostatistics in the research
Human Resource Management in Nursing
Prof. Insook Kim
Upon successful completion of the course, students will be able to understand the concept of human resource management and to apply the concepts and the management methodologies to nursing practice. Specifically, students will be able to understand the relationship between management strategy and human resource management, to understand performance measurement, and to have the knowledge to develop nursing resource plan.

REGISTRATION FORM

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____
Age: _____ Gender: Male () Female ()
Address: _____

(Country)
Phone: _____ Mobile Phone: _____
Email: _____

Educational Background

Undergraduate school Graduate School
Name: Name:
Major: Major:
Degree: Degree:

Work Experience (if any)

Type of Registration

Credit Student () Non-Credit Student ()

Program in 2009 spring semester (March 1 – June 19)

Research methods in health	Prof. Young Moon Chae Prof. Colin Binns	
Systems analysis and design in health	Prof. Young Moon Chae Prof. Byung Hwa Lee	

Those who are interested in taking course should sign-up through online registration at the ICUH website (<http://icuh.yonsei.ac.kr>) or send the registration form to the teaching assistant Mr. Seok Kim (icuh@yuhs.ac).

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