President's Forum on International Health

Scheduled Presenters

August:
20—Daniel Hardy, Ph.D.
   A Trip to the Arctic

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3—Rajkumar Lakshmanaswamy, Ph.D.
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17—Rey Vivo, M.D.
   The Philippines: Sun, Sand, and a Sea of Foreign Healthcare Workers

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1—Mubairz Naqui, M.D.

15—Elizabeth Trejos-Castillo, Ph.D.

November:
5—Gabor Racz, M.D.

19—Myrna Armstrong, Ed.D., RN, FAAN

December:
3—Jean-Michel Brisme, PT, ScD, OCS, FAAOMPT

Speaker: Rey Vivo, M.D.
   Assistant Professor, Department of Internal Medicine

Date: Wednesday, September 17, 2008

Time: 12:00 noon CT (11:00 a.m. MT)

Location: TTUHSC Academic Classroom Building Room 120

Topic: The Philippines: Sun, Sand, and a Sea of Foreign Healthcare Workers

Dr. Rey Vivo is a board-certified internist and an Assistant Professor of Medicine in the Division of General Internal Medicine. He obtained both his Bachelor of Science in Biology and his Doctor of Medicine degrees from the University of the Philippines. He completed his internal medicine residency training at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, McKeesport.

As a clinician and educator, Dr. Vivo supervises residents and medical students in patient care and conducts educational activities including bedside and didactic teaching. As a clinical researcher, he is interested in cardiovascular disease in special populations. Specifically, he is studying the influence of cardiometabolic risk factors on heart failure in Hispanics and the peculiarities of coronary artery disease in elderly patients. Through medical school and residency, Dr. Vivo has been an active member of administrative and academic committees. Currently, he is involved in quality improvement initiatives as a physician champion for the University Medical Center heart failure care measures.

Free lunch to the first 35 attendees
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