

Toward Healing: Literature & Medicine® Dinner & Discussion Series

The Stanford Committee for Professional Satisfaction and Support (SCPSS) invites you to participate in the first annual Toward Healing: Literature & Medicine ® Dinner and Discussion Series. This program is one of several new offerings designed to support our physicians' professional fulfillment.

Our first annual program will involve three groups of approximately 20 physicians each, in once a month sessions over a six-month period (*January to June 2015*). The Dinner and Discussion series will be held in the Bing Dining Hall from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. and dinner will be served.

Jacqueline Genovese, Assistant Director of the Medical Humanities and the Arts Program, will facilitate discussions of stories, poems, plays, and personal narratives. These sessions will be conducted with compassion, collegiality and confidentiality. **All materials and food will be provided free of charge.**

In the program's inaugural year we plan to study the effectiveness of two different configurations: one departmental group, one group across multiple departments. The schedule for the different groups is listed below.

If you are interested please **register by no later than December 5th** with Jacqueline Genovese mailto:jmgeno@stanford.edu.Please include your **name**, title and department. After the registration deadline you will be notified regarding next steps.

Literature and Medicine ® Dinner and Discussion Series SCHEDULE

Internal Medicine (20 participants)

Second Wednesday of the Month: January 7th, February 11th, March 11th, April 8th, May 13th, June 10th

All departments (20 participants)

Third Wednesday of the Month: January 14th, February 18th, March 18th, April 15th, May 20th, June 17th

All departments (20 participants)

Fourth Wednesday of the Month: January 21st, February 25th, March 25th, April 22nd, May 27th, June 24th

We are pleased to bring this program to Stanford and look forward to your participation. Warmest regards,

Mark Welton Chief of Staff Stanford HealthCare

Michael Champeau President of the Medical Staff, Lucile Packard Children's Hospital

Bryan Bohman, MD Chair of the SCPSS Committee