

CHANCELLOR'S Notes

October 3, 2008



LSUHSC faculty honored as 2008 Innovators

Two members of our School of Medicine Faculty have been honored as 2008 Innovators of the Year by New Orleans CityBusiness.



Publisher Mark Singletary with Dr. Woltering

Dr. Eugene Woltering, the James D. Rives Professor of Surgery and Neurosciences, was recognized for developing the human angiogenesis assay. This technology can evaluate responses in tumors to all known cancer drugs and therapies and determine the best course of treatment for individual patients based upon their particular tumor responses. The test is in use and has proven to be as valuable as its promise.



Publisher Mark Singletary with Dr. Bazan

Dr. Hernan Bazan was recognized for introducing a new technique to treat peripheral artery disease at Touro Infirmary. CryoPlasty Therapy is a form of angioplasty. The technique involves cooling the vessel wall while dilating it.

Gremillion comes home to lead alma mater

Dr. Henry Gremillion became the sixth dean of our School of Dentistry this week. We recruited him from the University of Florida College of Dentistry where he was the Parker E. Mahan Endowed Professor of Orofacial Pain in the Department of Orthodontics and a member of the Dental Staff of Shands Teaching Hospital. He also served as Director of the Fellowship in Craniomandibular Dysfunction at the UFCD Parker E. Mahan Facial Pain Center, a post he held since 1991. In 2005, he was appointed as Associate Faculty at the Dawson Center for Advanced Dental Education. He has also been a member of the Associate Faculty of the L.D. Pankey Institute for Advanced Dental Education since 1986. Dr. Gremillion serves as a consultant to the Malcolm Randall



Veterans Administration Hospital, the United States Army, Navy, and Air Force on Temporomandibular Disorders and Orofacial Pain, and to the American Dental Association's Council on Dental Practice.

A native of Shreveport, LSU alumnus and 1977 graduate of LSU Health Sciences Center New Orleans School of Dentistry, Dr. Gremillion began his professional career practicing general dentistry in Cottonport, LA from 1977 - 1989.

His many distinctions range from earning Master designation and the 2008 Theodore Weclew Award from the Academy of General Dentistry to being named Cottonport Citizen of the Year in 1989.

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FLU SHOTS

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10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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