

# CHANCELLOR'S Notes

July 17, 2009



## Rodriguez to be honored

Fred H. Rodriguez, Jr., MD, Professor of Pathology, has been chosen to receive the 2009 Israel Davidsohn Award for Distinguished Service by the



American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP). This award was established in 1989 and is presented annually to an

exemplary ASCP member for significant contributions to the Society's continuing medical education activities. The award will be presented to Dr. Rodriguez on October 31, 2009 during the ASCP Annual Meeting in Chicago.

## Andrieu one of 10 Top Female Achievers

Dr. Sandra Andrieu, Associate Dean in the Dental School, has been named one of 10 Top Female Achievers for 2009 by New Orleans Magazine.



Dr. Andrieu's accomplishments will be celebrated at a luncheon next week, honoring these 10 outstanding women.

Congratulations to both Dr. Rodriguez and Dr. Andrieu.

## Library Commons opens to much acclaim

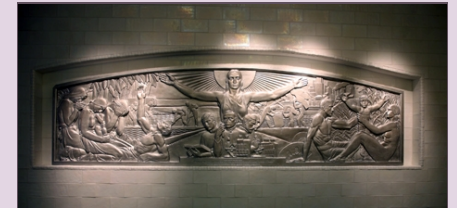
The new Library Commons, located on the third floor of the Resource Center, opened at 7:00 a.m. on Wednesday. The Commons houses a coffee bar serving Starbucks which will have coffee, drinks, yogurt, pre-made salads, sandwiches and pastries. The coffee bar will operate from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.



The presentation rooms with wide screen flat monitors, into which students can plug their laptops, are designed for group projects.



A highlight of the space is the newly restored Enrique Alferez frieze, *The Conquest of Yellow Fever*.



The frieze, which weighs about 2 tons, was the only indoor piece of sculpture that Alferez did for our Medical School. It was completed in the early 1930s.



The Commons will be open 24/7 for LSUHSC faculty, students and staff.

## Nursing partners in NOMA Art of Caring exhibit

The School of Nursing has been named a Community Partner in the *Art of Caring: A Look at Life through Photography* exhibit at the New Orleans Museum of Art.



The Nursing School will be featured on July 25 – the day devoted to the Caregiving and Healing theme of the exhibit. Faculty and students will be at the museum from 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. to take adult blood pressures; distribute new toothbrushes to children; offer coloring books about

car seat safety and distribute literature regarding our many nursing education programs.

Faculty also plan to use the exhibit, which runs through October 11, to teach students the affective art of caring in nursing. Faculty believe in the power of the visual arts to confront difficult life issues and to promote the art of healing through nursing.

