

Email news bulletin of The University of Melbourne Health Informatics Network 2006-08-28

NCRIS / NHMRC workshops to scope the national "Population health and clinical data linkage" capability, Sydney Monday 11 September and Perth Friday 15 September: Kathleen Gray will attend the Sydney workshop to observe on behalf of the HI Network. Details

http://www.dest.gov.au/sectors/research_sector/policies_issues_reviews/key_issues/ncris/population_health_clinical_data_linkage.htm

Workshop Friday 15 September, Parkville (venue TBA) 10:30-12. Collaboration to advance clinical informatics education. Guest speaker: Evelyn Hovenga (Professor of Health Informatics and Acting Head of the School of Management & Information Systems at Central Queensland University, HISA Vice Chair and Medinfo 2007 Conference Committee Chair). This workshop will examine prospects for a cross-disciplinary cross-university project to improve clinical informatics education of health sciences students, in partnership with a major international provider of health care information management systems. If you are interested in possible involvement in such a collaboration, in a research / development or implementation / teaching capacity, please come along to find out more/ register your interest with Kathleen Gray kgray@unimelb.edu.au 8344 8936.

CHIRS* Thursday 21 September, University House, 5-6:30pm : HI Network members turned out in strength for our first CHIRS session 17 August to exchange research ideas and plans over drinks, so we'll aim to do it again on the third Thursday in September. Just turn up; if a colleague / student is interested, bring them along. (*Collaborative Health Informatics Research Social; rhymes with "beers")

Nossal Institute Global Health Forum, Parkville, Friday 29 September "Education and low-cost technologies for global health". Details <http://www.aihi.unimelb.edu.au>

Update on proposed graduate diploma in health informatics / e-health. Progress is being made on scoping and feasibility of a course that could be offered in collaboration with Universitas 21 Global. Details: Peter Harris pjharris@unimelb.edu.au or Liz Sonenberg l.sonenberg@unimelb.edu.au

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