CALENDAR

October 24  Brown bag meeting will be held from 11:30 – 1:00 in B5 JH

October 24  Kohn Colloquium at 3:30 pm in 221 JH

Speaker:  Paul Greenough, Professor, Department of History, The University of Iowa

Title:  Suitors for the Hand of Global Health: biomedicine, burden of disease, social determinants of health, right to health

Refreshments will be provided by the Geography department at 3:00 pm in the foyer

October 27  Undergraduate Geography Association open house will be held from 1:00 – 2:30 pm in the foyer (third floor Jessup Hall)

ABSTRACT

There is and always has been a profusion of meanings about the domain global/international health. To say that “Global health is public health on a global scale” is true but simplistic. In this talk the speaker tries to give (a) a longitudinal (historical) overview of the aims and methods of global/international health since the 1850s and (b) to set out four current approaches that offer powerful but competing definitions, concerns and methods.

MISCELLANEOUS

Come to the UGA open house on Monday, October 27th, meet your fellow students, and learn more about how you can become involved with the department! Pizza and soda will be provided by the department.

Reminder:  Please email any recently received awards, notable presentations or exciting news to angela-bellew@uiowa.edu by Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. to be included in the weekly newsletter.