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MAGNETIC DEVELOPMENT

Last month, the 9.4-Tesla magnet, the world's most powerful magnet for imaging the human body arrived at the University of Illinois Medical Center. The 800-mile journey from New York to Chicago took 80 hours because the truck had to travel at 10 miles per hour to comply with road restrictions and avoid damaging the magnet. UIC is already a pioneer in magnetic resonance scanning with a 3.0-Tesla magnet used for functional imaging -- viewing the human brain as it thinks. The new machine will allow explorations into the biochemical basis of function not only in the brain but also in the beating heart and other working organs.

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### ICHP LUNCH

On Saturday, September 13, Dean Rosalie Sagraves will host a lunch during ICHP's annual meeting at Drury Lane Theater in Oakbrook Terrace. Please join us if you are attending this conference.

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IPhA ALUMNI RECEPTION

On Saturday, September 13, the College will host a reception from 7 to 8 p.m. for alumni and friends prior to the awards ceremony during the IPhA annual conference at the Indian Lakes Resort in Bloomingdale. Please join us if you are attending this conference

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## MEMORABILIA COLLECTION TRIPLES

Due to the recent generosity of Dr. and Mrs. William Fitzpatrick and Dr. and Mrs. George Ruiz, the College's pharmacy memorabilia collection has tripled over the summer. The Fitzpatrick and Ruiz collections consist mostly of apothecary jars, but also include patent medicines and medical instruments. The Ruiz collection is on display in the second floor student laboratory, and the Fitzpatrick collection is on display in the second floor conference room. Stop by to visit the new acquisitions!

Many alumni remember the College's long blank hallways. The College now seeks to warm the atmosphere with the addition of artwork. Please consider donating framed pharmacy memorabilia, Chicago-theme prints, college photographs, etc. As always, donations are tax deductible. Contact Amy Schuppert Smith in the Pharmacy Alumni Office at (312) 996-3376 or [pharmacy@uic.edu](mailto:pharmacy@uic.edu) for more information.

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SEEKING CLASS PHOTOS

Help! Our archives are incomplete. We're missing class photographs for the following years: 1945, 1947, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1964, 1966 and 1970-79. If you have a class photo, please consider lending it Amy Schuppert Smith in the Pharmacy Alumni Office at (312) 996-3376 or pharmacy@uic.edu so that she may copy and return it. Class photos are on display in at the College. Thank you in advance!

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## NETWORKING EVENT

The University of Illinois Alumni Association is hosting a Health Industry Alumni Networking Reception on Thursday, October 9th. Whether you are a marketing executive, a clinical pharmacist, or a researcher -- if you're working in, or want to work in, the healthcare industry, in any capacity, this event is for you. UIAA in cooperation with the Alumni Career Center will bring together fellow alumni to strengthen their business relationships and networks. HR professionals will be present for tips and advice. For more information, visit: <http://www.uiiaa.org/chicago/p2p.html>

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SAVVY SPEAKING SKILLS

The University of Illinois Career Center is hosting a free presentation entitled "Savvy Speaking Skills for Professional Success" on Wednesday, October 15 at 6 p.m. at 200 S. Wacker Drive (at the base of the Sears Tower). The presentation will cover small talk,

working a room and presenting information clearly. Space is limited. RSVP to (312) 575-7830 or careers@uillinois.edu.

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OLE, OLE, OLE, OLE

Major League Soccer and the Chicago Fire make their anticipated return to renovated Soldier Field on Friday, October 10th. Join the University of Illinois Alumni Association and receive a special discount on tickets. Pay only \$20 for a reserved seat (regularly a \$25 ticket) to watch the Chicago Fire battle the Columbus Crew. To purchase tickets, contact Steve Dilenardi at (312) 705 7231 or [sdilenardi@mlsnet.com](mailto:sdilenardi@mlsnet.com). The deadline is October 3, 2003.

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COLLECTING CLASS NOTES

Please send your news (employment changes, family events, volunteer activities, new degrees and other items) to the Pharmacy Alumni Office at the address below, or fax to (312) 996-3272 or e-mail at pharmacy@uic.edu. Or use the online form at www.uic.edu/pharmacy/alumni

Your news will be published as a class note in the UIC Pharmacist (as appropriate).

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