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EDITORIAL INTRODUCTION

The March 2013 issue of China Health Review includes an interview with Professor BA Denian, an article by Professor Baogang Guo, and a special interview with Professor Richard Rothenberg, in addition to our usual sections.

In an *Interview* with Dr. Yi Pan, **Professor BA Denian**, an elected member of the Chinese Academy of Engineering and the U.S. Institute of Medicine, recounted his educational experience and career path, outlined his vision of medical education in China, and shared his thoughts on the development of health policy and public health in China.

In the *Perspective* section, **Professor Baogang Guo** reviewed the history of China's healthcare reform, offered his perspectives on the unintended consequences of the (earlier) reform and on the future direction of the reform.

We started a *Special Interview* series in this issue. The purpose of the series is to facilitate a dialogue between health policy and systems sciences (HPSS) researchers in China and editors of international journals with HPSS-related focuses and scopes. **Dr. Richard Rothenberg**, Editor-in-Chief of *Annals of Epidemiology*, described the history and scopes of the Annals, offered his comments and suggestions to HPSS researchers from China (certainly many others would find his comments useful as well!) on research topic selection, use of methodology, etc. He concluded with a message to Chinese authors – "[W]e welcome articles from China on all fronts that are of global interest".

Research Twitter provides summaries of eight recent publications, covering topics such as reducing HIV-related stigma, full coverage of hypertension drugs in rural China, cost-effectiveness of a hypertension control intervention in community health centers, family planning and sex ratio, labor supply of healthcare professionals, disparities in healthcare utilization in China, behavioral and molecular of risky sexual contacts in a sample of Chinese HIV-infected men who have sex with men, and the effect of the New Rural Cooperative Medical Scheme on utilization of medical care among adults over 45.

Policy Practice and Updates includes seven updates concerning topics including healthcare reform, public hospital reform, drug administration, China's five-year plan for health sector, basic medicine, and pharmaceutical market.

In *About CHPAMS*, we introduce to you **Dr. Yinan Peng**, a research fellow for the Task Force on Community Preventive Services. You will also find recent career and professional updates for **Professor Peixuan Guo**.

News and Announcements section features job opportunities with Harvard University and Sun Yat-Sen University. Please also find a call-for-questions for our special interviews with journal editors, and a call for submissions for the CHPAMS Best Papers Award (deadline: April 30, 2013).

Enjoy Reading!

导读:

2013年3月期《中国卫生评论》包括巴德年教授的访谈、郭保刚教授的文章,以及对 Richard Rothenberg 教授的专访。

在*访谈*部分,中国工程院院士、美国医学科学院院士**巴德年教授**在接受潘羿博士的采访时,回顾了他的求学经历和职业生涯,描述了他对中国医学教育的看法,并分享了他对中国卫生政策和公共卫生事业发展的见解。

在*观点*部分,**郭保刚教授**回顾了中国医疗卫生改革的历史进程,并就改革(早期)出现的预期之外的不良影响和改革的未来发展方向提出了自己的观点。

我们在本期开辟了专访系列栏目。本栏目旨在促进中国卫生政策和体系科学(HPSS)的研究人员与关注 HPSS 研究领域的国际期刊主编之间的对话交流。Richard Rothenberg 博士是《流行病学年报》的总编,他讲述了《流行病学年报》的发展历史和期刊的关注范围,并就研究课题的选择、研究方法的使用等方面提出了对中国卫生政策和体系科学研究人员的评论和建议(当然,其他领域的研究者也会从中受益匪浅!)。他在结束时告诉中国研究者——"我们欢迎来自中国的相关全球卫生的文章"。

研究动态栏目提供了对 8 篇近期学术文章的总结,涉及领域包括:减少艾滋病毒感染者的耻辱感研究、中国农村降血压药物全面覆盖、社区卫生中心高血压控制干预的成本效益分析、计划生育和性别比例研究、医疗领域的专业人才来源、中国医疗资源利用不公平、中国男男同性恋艾滋病毒携带者危险性行为的行为学和分子学研究、以及新农合对 45 岁以上人群对医疗服务利用的影响。

政策与新闻栏目提供了包括医疗卫生改革、医院改革、药品监督管理、中国医疗领域的五年计划、基础医疗、 以及医药市场等7个方面的最新消息。

在 CHPAM 之声栏目,我们向您介绍来自美国预防医学工作小组的项目研究员彭屹楠博士。您还可以看到 Guo Peixuan 教授的近期工作和学术活动信息。

快訊栏目提供了哈佛大学和中山大学的就业机会信息。另外,请关注期刊编辑对专访栏目的问题征集公告,以及 CHPAMS 最佳论文奖的提交通知(截止日期:2013年4月30日)。

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