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# A New Vision For East End Medicine: Celebrating Stony Brook Southampton Hospital



Celebrating Stony Brook Southampton Hospital

Celebrating a new vision for East End medicine, more than 100 gathered on Aug. 21 to commemorate Stony Brook Southampton Hospital joining the Stony Brook Medicine healthcare system.

"Today signifies a bold step forward in realizing a new vision for bringing advanced medical care closer to home for residents of the East End of Long

Island," said Stony Brook University President Samuel L. Stanley Jr., MD. "We have raised a new flag and unveiled a new sign over the hospital entrance to symbolically signify the start of a new era for what is now called Stony Brook Southampton Hospital."

Stony Brook and Southampton bring together the specialists, clinical trials and advanced technology of an academic medical center with the convenience and personalized care of a community hospital. Stony Brook Southampton Hospital now provides care under Stony Brook University Hospital's New York State operating license.

Among the distinguished attendees and pictured in the photo above left to right include: Cary F. Staller, Esq., SUNY Board of Trustees and Stony Brook Foundation Board of Trustees; Ambassador Carl Spielvogel, SUNY Board of Trustees; L. Reuven Pasternak, MD, Chief Executive Officer, Stony Brook University Hospital, and Vice President for Health Systems, Stony Brook Medicine; Kenneth Kaushansky, MD, Senior Vice President, Health Sciences, and Dean, Stony Brook University School of Medicine; Robert S. Chaloner, Chief Administrative Officer, Stony Brook Southampton Hospital; Samuel L. Stanley Jr., MD, President, Stony Brook University; Kenneth P. LaValle, New York State Senator; Kenneth B. Wright, Chair, Southampton Hospital Association Board; Kathy Hochul, New York State Lieutenant Governor; Fred W. Thiele Jr., New York State Assemblyman; Fred Weinbaum, MD, Chief Medical Officer and Chief Operating Officer, Stony Brook Southampton Hospital; and Marc Cohen, SUNY Board of Trustees.

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# **Up in Albany**

# Stony Brook University Wins \$75M for Engineering and Medical Institute



The new I-DIME center will be built adjacent to Stony Brook's Center of Excellence in Wireless & Information Technology pictured above.

Stony Brook is at the forefront of next-generation multidisciplinary engineering and medicine. The Empire State Development Corporation recently approved a \$75 million grant to develop the Institute for Discovery and Innovation in Medicine & Engineering (I-DIME) at the Stony Brook Research and Development Park. The 70,000 square-foot building is expected to open in 2021. I-DIME will be a driver of innovation and discovery for New York State.

I-DIME "will provide a place where cutting edge academic research and data analytic support come together with private-sector ingenuity to solve some of the most challenging problems," Stony Brook President Dr. Samuel L. Stanley said after the board meeting.

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### Ruchi Shah '16 Joins Governor's Council on Women and Girls

Ruchi Shah '16 has been named to Gov. Cuomo's New York State Council on Women and Girls. The Council provides a coordinated State response to issues that particularly impact the lives of women and girls, focusing on nine areas of impact: Education, Economic Opportunity, Workforce Equity, Leadership, Health Care, Child Care, Safety, STEM, and Intersectionality.



Ruchi Shah '16

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Jason Trelewicz Earns DOE Early Career Award to Advance Alternative Energy Solutions



Jason Trelewicz, an assistant professor in the Department of Materials Science and Chemical Engineering in the College of Engineering and Applied Sciences (CEAS) and director of the Engineered Metallic Nanostructures Laboratory, received the prestigious Early Career Research award from the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Science. He will receive \$750K over five years to develop his project, "Enhancing the Performance of Plasma-facing Materials Through Solute-stabilized Nanostructured Tungsten Alloys."

"The DOE Early Career award is among the most distinguished honors a faculty scientist can achieve," said Stony Brook University President Samuel L. Stanley Jr. "Professor Trelewicz's work expands our research portfolio in clean energy technologies and advances Stony Brook's contributions for the emergence of fusion as an abundant source of carbon-free energy and embodies the big ideas that we apply to the STEM fields here at Stony Brook."

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# **Education For All: President Stanley Speaks at G7 University Conference**

With a background in biomedical research, Stony Brook University President Samuel L. Stanley Jr. is keen on evidence-based practices. So naturally, when he learned of an opportunity to attend the G7 University conference in June, sharing discoveries with six other nations, he was intrigued.

The event was a follow-up to the 43rd G7 summit, held in May, in which leaders of the seven G7 nations (Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the United Kingdom and the United States) gathered to discuss world affairs.

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President Stanley with Jennifer DeLeon, a Stony Brook doctoral student in molecular and cellular biology, at the G7 University conference.

# In Our Community

# WUSB 90.1 FM Radio Celebrates 40 Years on Air

Stony Brook University's own radio station, WUSB 90.1FM, celebrated 40 consecutive years on the air last month, looking back on a rich history of entertainment, news and public service. WUSB has been staffed by over 2,000 volunteers since its first sign-on, remaining a voice in the campus community while playing acclaimed artists and inviting newsmakers, public figures figures and educators to participate in live broadcasts.



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# Aaron Kuang '18 Does Hands-On Research on Spinal Cord Injury



For biology major Aaron Kuang '18, undergraduate research is a "completely different beast than taking classes. What I've gained is definitely something that I would never have accomplished or learned if I stayed with lectures and introductory biology labs only," Kuang said. Kuang has spent many hours over the last year doing research in the spinal cord injury translational lab of Dr. Prithvi Shah.

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# School of Dental Medicine Pilots "Digital Dentistry" Curriculum

As the practice of dentistry goes high-tech, Stony Brook University means to stay on the cutting edge. The University's <u>School of Dental Medicine</u> has been selected as one of five schools nationally to pilot a Digital Dentistry Curriculum developed by the American College of Prosthodontists (ACP).

# **Stony Brook Hosts TechPREP Summer Program**



During the summer, Stony Brook's campus is busy with camps and academic



programs for learners of all ages, offering opportunities for community residents to get involved with the University. One of those programs is <a href="TechPREP">TechPREP</a>. Launched in 2008, TechPREP is a multi-track program aimed at engaging 6th, 7th, and 8th grade young women from high-needs school districts with technology demonstrations, classroom

instruction, and experimental participation. The middle school students were involved in a multitude of events including printing key chains, an egg drop activity, and a build a bridge activity.

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# **Upcoming Events**

#### Sunday, September 10, 2017

The Robert D. Cess Concorso d'Eleganza XII: Celebration of Italian Automotive Excellence

## Tuesday, September 12, 2017

Art in Focus Lecture: Conserving Jackson Pollock's Alchemy Stony Brook Southampton

### Sunday, September 17, 2017

Vinyasa Yoga Flow with "OM" chant

#### Wednesday, September 20, 2017

Zuccaire Gallery Art Salon with Artist & SBU Alum Jeremy Davis

#### Saturday, September 23, 2017

CommUniversity Day

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