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Portrait of former Dean Julio Frenk unveiled
Earlier this week, Dean Michelle A. Williams welcomed back Julio Frenk, former Dean and University of Miami President, for the unveiling of his portrait, which will now hang in the Roseneau Atrium. Watch the portrait unveiling ceremony.

Flaminia Catteruccia selected as Faculty Scholar
Infectious disease researcher Flaminia Catteruccia has been named a Faculty Scholar by three of the nation’s largest philanthropies for her work to unravel the biology of malaria-carrying mosquitoes. Read more about Catteruccia’s work.

Postdocs thanked at annual appreciation day
Postdoctoral researchers, research associates, and their faculty mentors celebrated together at “Postdoc Appreciation Day” on September 22 in the Kresge Cafeteria.

What happens when a pharmacy chain drops

Event Highlights
Forum: Zika in the U.S., Puerto Rico, and Beyond
Live webcast September 29 1:00-2:00 PM

Documentation of Attacks on Medical Infrastructure and Personnel in Syria: Opportunities and Challenges
September 29 4:00-5:30 PM FXB Building, Room 710

German Health Care Reforms for Quality Improvements and Cost Control
October 3 12:30-1:30 PM Kresge G3

Voices in Leadership: Ann Compton
Live webcast October 3 12:30-1:00 PM

Listen: Refugees, electronic waste, the ‘five-second rule’
In our latest podcast: The United
tobacco sales?
In 2014, CVS Pharmacy stopped selling tobacco products at its stores nationwide. Reginald Tucker-Seeley recently analyzed the health impact of that decision.

Around the School

Disaster lessons
In the wake of the deadly 2015 earthquake in Nepal, a huge influx of relief workers actually complicated efforts in the small South Asian nation. That issue and other lessons learned from the Nepal earthquake were the focus of a day-long symposium.

Junior faculty merit award presented to Giovanni Parmigiani
On Tuesday, September 27, the 2016 Junior Faculty Mentoring Achievement Award was presented to Giovanni Parmigiani, professor of biostatistics. Parmigiani received the award in recognition of his support of young scholars in their intellectual and professional development. Presenting the award were Lorelei Mucci, associate professor of epidemiology, Guocheng Yuan, associate professor of computational biology and bioinformatics, and Lorenzo Trippa, assistant professor of biostatistics.

Alumni return to campus for annual weekend
Harvard Chan School alumni returned to the School on September 23–24 to reconnect with former classmates, learn more about current research in public health, and meet new Dean Michelle A. Williams, SM ‘88, ScD ’91.

Register for Forum on Population Health Equity
This year’s Forum will feature keynote talks by Jeffrey Brenner, Kathryn Edin, and Nancy Krieger; panel discussions on “Social Network Interventions to Address Health Equity” and “Housing, Neighborhoods, and Social Mobility”; and a series of nano courses on population health equity.

In the news

Grandjean, Weisskopf honored for contributions to environmental epidemiology

Many births in Africa taking place at low-quality health facilities

Study suggests antibodies may offer protection against tuberculosis

Nations focuses on the plight of 65 million refugees and migrants, plus a closer look at what happens to all the electronics we throw away, and scientists weigh in on the “five-second rule.”
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