

TAKE NOTE

New Faces and Spaces

PRAVANA NaturCeuticals Founder and CEO Steve Goddard announced that **Karen Johnson** has been appointed Vice President of Education. During her tenure at PRAVANA, she has worked diligently, with increasing levels of responsibility as an educator at the distributor and salon levels. As PRAVANA's Vice President of Education, Johnson will be charged with directing the education programs for stylists and professional store managers.

One&Only Le Saint Géran is delighted to announce the recent appointment of **Dr. Chase Webber** as its new resident Wellness Specialist. Dr. Webber will provide guests of the One&Only Spa with wellbeing consultations and personalized holistic planning sessions.



Dr. Chase Webber

DermTech, a biotechnology company developing molecular diagnostics for the early detection of melanoma and other diseases, recently announced that **Allan C. Halpern, MD**, has joined DermTech's Melanoma Advisory Board. Dr. Halpern is Chief of Dermatology at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center and widely recognized as an expert in the early detection and management of melanoma in high-risk individuals.

The Women's Dermatologic Society (WDS) is pleased to announce the 2008-2009 presidency of **Suzanne M. Connolly, MD**, who took office at the recent WDS luncheon during the American Academy of Dermatology Annual Meeting in San Antonio, Texas.

SignatureB Communications has launched a web site to help spa owners create personalized e-mail newsletters, birthday wishes, and other custom greetings. The company's hallmark newsletters feature skin care articles in stylish designs. It also manages e-mail lists and provides response tracking.



Martha Rodriguez Hoffman

Waka Stone, a cosmetologist with more than 40 years of experience in the beauty industry, has been promoted to Administrative Director for the **International Academy, College of Hair and Aesthetics**. Stone is in charge of organizing the curriculum for both the aesthetics and cosmetology students, as well as supervising staff. **Martha Rodriguez Hoffman**, an instructor of Aesthetics at the International Academy, College of Hair and Aesthetics, has been promoted to Director of Education. Her duties include teaching Theory to all students from the

Intermediate to the Clinic sections, as well as overseeing instructors, booking guest speakers, and performing administrative duties as needed.

The College of International Esthetics (CIE), Inc. has moved to a beautiful new 8,000 square foot facility in Arvada, Colo. **Dr. Lawrence Janowski** will be the Medical Director and will be instructing with two other physicians and the CIE Director of Education, **Christine Paynter MPH**. **Arlene Malay**, owner has been in the aesthetics field for over 27 years and is passionate about her students receiving "Beyond the Basics" education.

Awards and Celebrations

The Women's Dermatologic Society (WDS) proudly announces that **Janet G. Hickman, MD** was honored with the prestigious Rose Hirschler award during its annual luncheon at the American Academy of Dermatology meeting held recently in San Antonio, Texas.

MenScience is awarding a 'Dad that Shines the Brightest Award'. The winner will receive the entire MenScience Father's Day gift set, complete with the TiO2 Sunblock SPF 30, Advanced Lip Protection, Anti-Aging Formula, and Pigmentation Repair Formula. Do you know a stellar father who shines above the rest by spending time outdoors with his kids? Explain why and he just might win the award. For consideration, entries may be emailed to news@menscience.com, with the subject line 'Dad that Shines the Brightest Award'!



Eminence's 50th Birthday Celebration

Eminence celebrates 50 years of beauty in 2008! Starting with a pre-party in Cancun, Mexico last year to mark the occasion of 50 years in business, the festivities continued to the head office in Vancouver where Eminence staff marked the occasion with a delicious birthday cake and well wishes from the Eminence owners **Boldijarre and Attila Koronczay**. Happy Birthday Eminence - you look marvelous!

Parisian Peel® and microdermabrasion celebrate 10th anniversary. Prior to microdermabrasion, mechanical exfoliation treatments were expensive, carried the risk of pain or infection, and sometimes involved recovery periods of up to two weeks. Since its introduction into the U.S. 10 years ago, medical microdermabrasion has become synonymous with the Parisian Peel® brand.

CND announces the fourth annual Mary Nordstrom Memorial Award winner: **Juan Gutierrez**. The award is presented to