The ATSU Committee on Aging will host its fourth annual Lecture on Aging on April 4 to enhance healthcare providers’ understanding of the challenges and opportunities in treating and caring for older patients. Keynote speaker Sue Levkoff, MSW, SM, Sc.D., will lecture on “Integration of Mental Health Services for Older Adults in Primary Care.” Dr. Levkoff is associate professor of psychiatry at Brigham & Womens Hospital and Harvard Medical School and associate professor of the Department of Social Medicine at Harvard Medical School.

The lecture will broadcast at noon, Friday, April 4, in the Saguaro A & B classrooms on the Arizona Campus and at 2 p.m., live, in the McCreight & Couts classrooms on the Missouri Campus. The lecture is open to students, and the public is invited to attend this free event. For more information, contact Amanda Sparacino, geriatric administrative coordinator, at 660.626.2432 or asparacino@atsu.edu, or visit www.atsu.edu/events.

ATSU recently broke ground on its fourth building in the Arizona Health & Technology Park. The building will accommodate an ATSU orthodontics residency program and leased office space to health service professionals who work collaboratively with the University. Discussions are under way for including centers for outpatient surgery, diagnostic imaging, and urgent care.

“We are excited about the continuing expansion of our Campus,” said Provost Craig Phelps, D.O., ’84. “ATSU’s contributions to Arizona’s health professions have been significant for many years, and through our collaborative partnerships in the Arizona Health & Technology Park we further an environment for success. This is not only a milestone for ATSU, but for the East Valley community as well.”

The 130-acre Health and Technology Park in Mesa is home to ASDOH, ASHS, and SOMA, as well as office and work space for public and private physicians and medical facilities. The park’s diversity provides a centralized location for advanced education for health professionals, healthcare, medical education, and health technologies research.

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Employee Excellence Awards

Lauren Schuermann received the Employee Excellence Award for the fourth quarter of 2007. Schuermann works in Admissions as a counselor, and has been an ATSU employee since August 2005. Those who work with Schuermann describe her as articulate, professional, courteous, and conscientious. “She definitely goes out of her way to make sure all applicants are taken care of,” Schuermann’s coworkers said.

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3rd place: Nathan Nielsen (Class of 2010)

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