

DR. THOMAS BELIN is co-chair of the 2005 International Conference on Health Policy Research, the sixth biennial conference sponsored by the American Statistical Association's Health Policy Statistics Section, which will be held October 28-30.

DR. LESTER BRESLOW received the first Lifetime Achievement in Public Health award from the New York Academy of Medicine.

DR. SUSAN COCHRAN was awarded the American Psychological Association's 2004 Outstanding Achievement Award for significant contributions to the mission of the Committee on Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Concerns.

DR. GAIL HARRISON has been serving on an Institute of Medicine committee charged with making recommendations for revisions to the food packages for the federal WIC program.

DR. GANG LI served on the scientific committee for the International Conference on Statistics, held in Hong Kong in June 2005.

DR. MICHAEL LU was awarded the 2004 American Public Health Association maternal and Child Health Section Young Professional Award, and selected to the Institute of Medicine Committee on Understanding Premature Birth and Assuring Healthy Outcomes and the National Commission on Infant Mortality at the Joint Center for Political and Economic Studies.

DR. JØRN OLSEN is president-elect of the International Epidemiological Association.

DR. LINWOOD PENDLETON and his research collaborators at the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution in Massachusetts received the National Oceanographic Partnerships Award from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration for their work on the regional economic benefits of coastal ocean observing systems.

DR. SHANE QUE HEE received the American Industrial Hygiene Association's "2004 Critic's Choice" award for editing *Biological Monitoring: A Practical Field Manual*.

DR. LINDA ROSENSTOCK is president-elect of the Society of Medical Administrators. She was the 2004 recipient of the Rutherford P. Johnstone Award from the Western Occupational and Environmental Medical Association for outstanding service in the field of occupational medicine.

DR. ANTRONETTE YANCEY received the California Public Health Associations' first joint 2005 Health Promotion Award for her work in raising public awareness of the roles of physical activity and nutrition in chronic disease prevention.

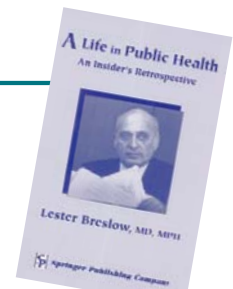
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...recent books by UCLA School of Public Health authors

A Life in Public Health: An Insider's Retrospective,

by **Lester Breslow**. Springer Publishing Company.

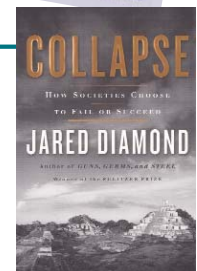
Highlights of Breslow's life, from his early years to his military experience and his career as a pioneer in the field of public health. Breslow offers insights into the early days of a developing field, analysis of current trends, and recommendations for future directions.



Collapse: How Societies Choose to Fail or Succeed,

by **Jared Diamond**. Viking Press.

From the author of "Guns, Germs, and Steel," this book looks at what causes some societies to collapse, and others to persevere, in the face of environmental, political, social, and geographical pressures, and what choices we can make now to avoid such a collapse.



Health Policy and High-Tech Industrial Development,

edited by **Marco R. Di Tommaso** and **Stuart O. Schweitzer**. Edward Elgar Publishing.

The authors illustrate that the development of a country's health industry not only improves the country's health status, but also promotes an industry with relatively stable, high-wage employment, creates the potential for exporting goods and services, and produces scientific spillovers that will favorably affect other high-technology industries.



La Nueva California: Latinos in the Golden State,

by **David E. Hayes-Bautista**. University of California Press.

Traces demographic shifts in the Latino population of California since 1940, and looks at future trends. Provides a socioeconomic analysis of how these shifts have and will continue to affect Latinos' views of themselves and their roles as Californians and Americans.



Textbook of Clinical Occupational and Environmental Medicine, Second Edition

edited by **Linda Rosenstock**, Mark R. Cullen, Carl A. Brodtkin and Carrie A. Redlich. Elsevier Saunders

Textbook designed to aid in the detection, diagnosis and treatment of problems caused by occupational and environmental factors. Provides expert advice on clinical problems as well as the legal and regulatory issues faced by occupational and environmental medicine today.

