



## Plant promising for cancer research

To the casual observer, the wild tomatillo is just your everyday, run-of-the-mill weed. But to KU scientists Barbara Timmermann, Kelly Kindscher and Mark Cohen, this common North American plant might be the key to a new line of cancer-fighting treatments based on molecules present in nature. They have discovered 14 new compounds in the wild tomatillo that are showing significant anti-cancer properties in preclinical testing.

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#### Reducing college debt

KU will host a symposium March 29-30 to discuss ways of establishing assets early in students' lives as a way to avoid devastating student debt and help more young people reach college.

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#### KUMC students learn their fate

Fourth-year students at the KU School of Medicine were among nearly 16,000 medical students around the nation who gathered March 16 to learn where they'd spend the next three or more years of their residency training.

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### CAMPUS NEWS



#### Oread Neighborhood Path dedication

The city of Lawrence, along with representatives from KU and KU Student Senate, will dedicate the newly completed Oread Neighborhood Path at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, March 29.

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#### LECTURE

["The Arab Uprisings at the Intersection of the National and Transnational"](#)

Monday, March 26, 2012

7:30 p.m.

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