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INTERNAL MEDICINE RESIDENT GRADUATION BANQUET

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The 2010 Internal Medicine Resident Banquet was held at the Golden Valley Country Club on Friday, June 4, 2010, to recognize and honor our stellar graduating class of G3 residents and our graduating fellows. Once again, we were treated to **Dr. Steven Hillson's** jazz band, "Parallel Text," who played during the social and dinner hours of the evening.

Drs. Anne Pereria and **Scott Davies** gave the opening remarks, and turned the program over to the evening's emcees, **Drs. Andy Hamp** and **Muhammad Ali** followed by the humorous videos provided by the underclass residents. The Award presentations included the following resident awards to:

Dr. Maximilian Mulder, Resident Research Award; **Dr. Manuel Berzosa Corella**, Chief Resident Award; **Dr. Samuel Ives**, Chief Resident Award; and **Dr. Andres Wiernik**, Morris Davidman Resident Teaching Award. Faculty awards went to **Dr. Mark Sprenkle**, Clinical Excellence Award, and **Dr. Meghan Walsh**, Best Staff Teacher. This is Dr. Walsh's unprecedented 4th year in a row to win this award, which is voted on by the residents.

Fellow's Graduation Certificates were presented: Critical Care Medicine, **Drs. Ryan Dailey** and **Ramiro Saavedra Romero**. Geriatric Medicine, **Drs. Mariam Anwar** and **Sowmya Kurtakoti**. Sleep Medicine **Drs. Thomas Gustafson** and **Eric Hernandez**.

Following the presentation of the G3 Graduation Certificates by **Drs. Davies** and **Pereira**, came the presentation of the "Then and Now" faculty video, by **Drs. Meghan Walsh** and **David Hilden**. The evening was capped off with dancing and music provided by DJ Jake, from JMR Productions.

The Medical Education Program would like to sincerely thank the Department of Medicine faculty for their financial support of the residents for this annual event. Without this support we could not continue to recognize our residents in this manner. This year, many faculty supported several residents for this event, covering almost half of the expenses.

Last, but certainly not in the least, the Department of Medicine faculty, staff and residents would all like to thank **Michelle Herbers** and **Joy Christiansen** (the hostesses for the evening) and **Megan Pollard** for her invaluable clerical support. Their work prior to and throughout the evening made for a well-managed and highly enjoyable event.



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CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATING MEDICINE RESIDENTS, CLASS OF 2010



Anne Pereira, Brian Idelkope, Andrew Maresh, Sakina Naqvi, Jeff Johnson, David Newman, Maximillian Mulder, Junaid Syed, John Kriz, Abdirahman Madar, Ariel Centurion, Usman Malik, Karim Ali, Anne Pylkas, Rawad Nasr, Talha Khan, Brooke Baggenstos, Andres Wiernik, Scott Davies. Not pictured: Anjali Dahiya, John Hsieh

Where are they going?

Karim Ali	Infectious Disease Fellowship, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska
Brooke Baggenstos	Gastroenterology Fellowship, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Ariel Centurion	Hospitalist, Twin Cities
Anjali Dahiya	Hospitalist, Rice Memorial Hospital, Willmar, Minnesota
John Hsieh	Primary Care, Fairview Mesaba Clinic, Hibbing, Minnesota
Brian Idelkope	Primary Care, Fairview Southdale Clinic, Edina, Minnesota
Jeff Johnson	Pulmonary/Critical Care Fellowship, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington
Talha Khan	Pulmonary/Critical Care Fellowship, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota
John Kriz	Primary Care, Fairview Ridges Hospital, Burnsville, Minnesota
Abdirahman Madar	Hospitalist, Hennepin County Medical Center
Usman Malik	Hospitalist, Orlando, Florida
Andrew Maresh	Hospitalist, Fairview Southdale Clinic, Edina, Minnesota
Maximillian Mulder	Critical Care Fellowship, Hennepin County Medical Center
Sakina Naqvi	Chief Resident, Hennepin County Medical Center
Rawad Nasr	Chief Resident, Hennepin County Medical Center
David Newman	Endocrinology Fellowship, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Anne Pylkas	General Medicine/Addiction Medicine Fellow, Hennepin County Medical Center
Junaid Syed	Nephrology Fellowship, University of Nebraska, Omaha, Nebraska
Andres Wiernik	Hematology/Oncology Fellowship, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

STAFF UPDATES

Dr. Sarah Kesler, General Medicine, is reducing her FTE to 0.1 on July 1, 2010, and will focus on the Global Health Pathway.

Dr. Paul Johnson assumed the new role of Medical Director of HCMC's Coordinated Care Delivery System (CCDS) on June 1, 2010.

Dr. Martin Stillman was named as Senior Medical Director of Medicine and Medicine Specialties, replacing **Dr. Craig Garrett** who will be reducing his FTE to 0.5 on July 1, 2010, concentrating on clinical care.

Please welcome to the Department of Medicine:

Dr. Hernando Gonzalez, Internal Medicine Resident graduate 1996, and currently Director of International Affairs Department, Universidad de Ciencias Médicas, Costa Rica. He will be joining the Division of Gastroenterology in July 2010.

Two new staff members, **Drs. Abdi Madar** and **Robert Jungman**, will be joining the Hospitalist Service on July 1, 2010. Dr. Madar is well known to us, having just completed his Internal Medicine residency at HCMC. He is a graduate of the medical school at Somali National University in Mogadishu, Somalia. Dr. Jungman is a graduate of Tulane University Medical School. He completed his residency at Boston University Medical Center.

Lauri Appelbaum, MSW, LICSW, will join the Positive Care team providing psychotherapy services for patients in

early July 2010. She has experience working with populations experiencing chronic homelessness, drug and alcohol abuse, violence and trauma, and poverty.

Departures:

Dr. Shawn Mallery left the Gastroenterology Division on June 30, 2010, for a position at Methodist Hospital in the Park Nicollet Healthcare System.

Dr. Katharine Swenson left the Cardiology Division on June 30, 2010, to pursue other opportunities.

Dr. Patty Bugliosi left the Hospitalist Program on June 30, 2010, to move to Michigan where her husband will begin a fellowship.

Dr. Michelle Johnson will be leaving the HFA Internal Medicine Clinic (Suite 206) on July 23, 2010, to relocate to Omaha, Nebraska to be close to family and to continue her practice in Omaha.

Dr. Kapil Gupta will be leaving the Division of Gastroenterology on July 31, 2010, for a position at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles, California.

Sandy Robinson left the Department of Medicine on May 27, 2010, for a promotion as the Program Coordinator of the Regions-HCMC Psychiatry Residency.

Rhoda Chaffe left the Division of General Internal Medicine on June 25, 2010, to take some time off to spend with her ailing mother as well as pursue opportunities in the area of nursing assistant type work with the elderly which is her passion.

IN THE NEWS

Dr. Josy Mathew and **Dr. Natarajan Raman** were interviewed by FOX 9 News on May 4, 2010, for a story entitled, "Stomach cancer rises among young men." This was from a new study published in *JAMA* that finds stomach cancer rates have dropped among all groups, except for white men 25-39 years old. The study looked at 30 years of stomach cancer data among thousands of patients of both genders and different races. Oncologists at the Hennepin County Medical Center say stomach cancer is still a relatively rare disease. Dr. Mathew says he sees about one new patient a month.

The PET-CT, a brand new diagnostic tool to detect cancers, combines both x-ray and gamma radiation to build a composite image of the body that radiologists can use to see cross sections of the body in detail never before available to them. Dr. Raman stated that he can inject a patient with radioactive glucose that is easily absorbed by the cancer cells and then produce a stunning image clearly pinpointing tumors in the body.



Dr. David Hilden was featured in a cover story article in the June 1, 2010 issue of *Minnesota Medicine* entitled, "Going Public, more and more physicians are pursuing schooling in public health," by Jeanne Mettner. He states that he could do more than see patients individually in the office; he could also work to change public policy so people could get the care and medication they needed before they got so sick. Dr. Hilden felt he needed a broader understanding of public health and in 2005 he decided to enroll in the University of Minnesota's Executive Program in Public Health Practice. He expects to receive his Master of Public Health (MPH) this year.

According to the American Association of Public Health Physicians (AAPHP), about 10,000 physicians in the United States have earned an MPH degree.

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE'S RESEARCH DAY

The 12th Annual Robert Hebbel Research Day in the Department of Medicine at the University of Minnesota was held on Monday, May 10, 2010. There were more than 100 abstracts illustrating the best research from our outstanding faculty and trainees throughout the Twin Cities. HCMC was well represented by the following resident, fellow, and faculty posters.

Anwar M. Resident and faculty attitudes and practice regarding screening for caregiver burden.

Bart BA, Mulder M, Scott NL, Dalton T, Smith SW. Left ventricular systolic dysfunction and myocardial stunning in out-of-hospital cardiopulmonary arrest patients.

Berzosa M, Mallery S, Debol SM, Li R, **Gupta K, Davies SF.** EUS-FNA for diagnosis of histoplasmosis.

Berzosa M, Tsukayama D, Davies SF, Debol SM, Li R, **Mallery S.** Endoscopic ultrasound-guided fine-needle aspiration for diagnosis of extrapulmonary tuberculosis.

Berzosa M, Davies SF, Debol SM, Li R, **Gupta K, Mallery S.** Endoscopic ultrasound in the intensive care unit.

Khan MT, Bastianelli A, **Shapiro RS,** Cen Y, **Sprengle M.** The utility of open lung biopsy in management of patients with hypoxemic respiration failure with diffuse pulmonary infiltrates.

Khowaja AA, Semakula CJ. Metastatic non-small-cell lung cancer masquerading adrenal incidentaloma.

Mulder M, Scott NL, Bart BA, Smith SW. Utility of cranial CT in the initial management of adult, atraumatic cardiopulmonary arrest survivors.

Mulder M, Smith SW, **Bart BA.** A comparison of two methods for instituting mild therapeutic hypothermia in comatose out-of-hospital cardiac arrest patients.

Pereira E, Hansen GT, **Williams DN.** Peptostreptococcus causing destructive prosthetic valve endocarditis.

Prekker ME, Scott NL, Luna J, Sprengle MD, Leatherman JW. Ultrasound measurement of inferior vena caval diameter is more accurate than the internal jugular vein aspect ratio to estimate central venous pressure in ICU patients.

Pusalavidyasagar S, Anderson D, Damergis J, Patel S, **Iber C.** Transcutaneous carbon dioxide analysis during polysomnography validation of pre and post study measures.

Scott N, Mulder M, Bart B, Smith S. Correlation of STEMI in resuscitated, non-traumatic out-of-hospital cardiopulmonary arrest patients with initial rhythm and cardiac catheterization findings.

Sharma A, Gilbertson DT, **Herzog CA.** Survival of kidney transplant patients in the U.S. after cardiac valve replacement and association of valve selection.

Tesfaye N, Kumar A, Seaquist ER. Brain glycogen content and metabolism in subjects with hypoglycemia unawareness and type1 diabetes.

Thorsgard M, Bart B, Bachour FA. The use of elective vs. urgent or emergent PCI from a tertiary urban teaching medical center.



INTERNAL MEDICINE CHIEF RESIDENTS



Drs. Sam Ives and Manuel Berzosa-Corella

Our current chief residents, **Drs. Manuel Berzosa-Corella and Sam Ives,** were honored for the great job they did this past academic year with a recent dinner hosted by **Dr. Scott Davies.** Their post-chief resident plans include Dr. Berzosa-Corella spending the next 3 years at Baylor College of Medicine at Houston Texas, doing a Gastroenterology and Hepatology Fellowship. Dr. Ives will be joining the General Medicine Division in August.

The new chief residents for the 2010-2011 academic year will be **Drs. Sakina Naqvi and Rawad Nasr.**



Drs. Rawad Nasr and Sakina Naqvi



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CONGRATULATIONS!

On June 16, 2010, our residents had a great Match Day. As a program, we had 100% success in the Match! In academic year 2011-2012, the following residents will be headed to new places or staying nearby for fellowship training:

Pia Franco: Geriatric Medicine at Hennepin County Medical Center.

Andy Hamp: Geriatric Medicine at Hennepin County Medical Center.

Ramona Kyrillos: Infectious Diseases at the University of Miami, Miami, Florida.

Sakina Naqvi: Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Rawad Nasr: Rheumatology at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Andrea Olson: Cardiology at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin.

Matt Prekker: Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine at the University of Washington, Seattle, Washington.

Alok Sharma: Cardiology at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Dipi Sharma: Infectious Diseases at the State University of New York, Brooklyn, New York.

Recent MMRF Grant Awardees:

Dr. Gavin Bart, Methadone population pharmacokinetics: treatment outcome in Hmong and non-Hmong - Non Competing Continuation. Funding Source: NIH.

Dr. Allan Collins, Outcomes and Costs Associated with Frequency of Physician-Patient Visits on Hemodialysis. Funding Source: U of MN / NIH.

MEETINGS AND PRESENTATIONS

Drs. Ajay Israni and Bert Kasiske attended the American Transplant Congress that was held in San Diego, California, May 1-5, 2010, and presented the following abstracts that can be found with a complete list of authors in the *Am J Transplant*. 2010;10(Supplement 4).

1. Transplant center influence on single nucleotide polymorphism and acute kidney rejection.
2. Single nucleotide polymorphisms and decline in kidney function in renal transplants.
3. Identification of new genetic variants and clinical characteristics influencing tacrolimus concentrations in a 7-center consortium.
4. Genetic determinants of mycophenolate related leukopenia and anemia from a 7-center consortium.
5. Does KDOQI CKD staging predict risk in kidney transplant? Data from patient outcomes in renal transplantation (port) study.
6. A simple tool to predict all-cause graft failure after deceased donor kidney transplantation.
7. Association of single nucleotide polymorphisms with acute rejection.
8. The decline in kidney transplantation in recent years: Exploration of demographic and geographic factors.
9. Kidney transplant center variation in percent of transplants performed that are high risk in the United States.
10. Trends in estimated glomerular filtration rate during years 1 to 5 post-transplant, data from the predicting outcomes in renal transplant (port) international data collaboration.
11. Abbreviated MDRD study equation vs. CKD-EPI equation for GFR estimation post kidney transplant: Does inference differ based on equation?
12. Does the relationship between EGFR 1 year post transplant and kidney allograft outcomes differ between the US and Europe?
13. Prediction equations for graft failure based on 12-month EGFR in the US kidney transplant population: A validation study using the international port database.
14. The association between mortality rates on a transplant center's kidney waiting list and subsequent mortality rates post-kidney transplant in the US.
15. Assessment of graft failure outcomes in kidney transplant centers on a continuous time line: Novel methodology for performance evaluation.

Geriatric Medicine Fellow **Dr. Sowmya Kurtakoti** presented a poster at the March 2010 Annual Meeting of the American Medical Directors Association (AMDA) in Long Beach, California, entitled "Screening for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder in Somali Elders Through Physician Home Visits".

Geriatric Medicine Fellow **Dr. Mariam Anwar** presented a poster at the May 2010 Annual Scientific Session of the American Geriatrics Society (AGS) in Orlando, Florida, entitled "Internal Medicine Resident and Faculty Attitudes and Practice Regarding Screening for Caregiver Burden".

The second Primary Care Research Consortium (PCRC) meeting was held on May 25, 2010. It was a great evening with colleagues from the University of Minnesota, HealthPartners Foundation, and General Internal Medicine faculty including, **Drs. Mark Linzer, Mobin Malik, Peter Weissmann, Steve Hillson, Kevin Larsen, Carmen Divertie, and Haeshik Gorr**. Also in attendance were several medicine residents and **Sara Poplau**. The discussion focused on health disparities with a look at work taking place locally including African Americans and smoking cessation, Somali men's health care practices, and peripheral arterial disease in Latinos and African Americans. The national experts at the table reported on the latest ACCORD data updates and national SGIM disparities task force initiatives. One of the most exciting points of the evening was the unanimous opinion that the PCRC is encouraging participants to share resources and work together, a driving force of the formation of this group. In the future, we hope to be able to offer new opportunities for speakers and collaboration. The next meeting for the PCRC will be in September 2010.

Dr. Barbara Segal participated in the 3rd International Congress on Neuropathic Pain, in Athens, Greece, May 27-30, 2010. Her presentation was titled, "The Relationship of Pain Severity to White Matter Abnormalities in Patients with Primary Sjogren's Syndrome," and will be published in the Conference Proceedings.

Drs. Keith Henry and Jason Baker participated in the Second Annual ID Corridor Symposium, "AIDS Research in Minnesota" at the McGuire Translational Research Facility, Minneapolis Minnesota, on June 1, 2010. Dr. Henry presented, "African Immigrants in Minnesota, and Dr. Baker presented "Non-AIDS Complications of HIV Infection" in an interactive session regarding CFAR workgroups.

KUDOS!

Drs. Thomas and Martin Stillman spoke at this year's University of Minnesota Medical School graduation on May 7, 2010. Dr. Thomas Stillman was asked by the student body to give the faculty address and he spoke on the importance of patient-centered care. Dr. Martin Stillman, as President of the Minnesota Medical Alumni Association, stressed the importance of staying active in the Association as they move on with their careers.





ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Chief Resident, **Dr. Rawad Nasr** and Dr. Samar Malaeb had their wedding celebration in their home country, Lebanon, on Thursday, May 27, 2010. Their wedding reception was in the Bay of Jounieh, Rawad's home town north of Beirut. It was a special event, with parades, fireworks and dancing till dawn. What made it even more special was the presence of fifteen of their medical school and residency friends from HCMC, Tufts University, Italy and the Netherlands.



RECENT GUEST SPEAKERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE

Thursday, May 6, 2010 Medicine Grand Rounds.

Dr. Carl A. Patrow, VP, HealthPartners, Executive Director HealthPartners, Institute for Medical Education, Bloomington, Minnesota. "Are we patient centered? How would patients know?"

Wednesday and Thursday, May 12-13, 2010

Dr. Elianne Riska, Professor of Sociology in the Swedish School of Social Science at the University of Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland, spoke to HCMC/HFA staff. Dr. Riska, an international expert in women in medicine has worked extensively with Dr. Linzer on his work in the US with physician satisfaction and burnout. Dr. Riska spoke at a special HFA Medical Executive Breakfast, HCMC Noon

Conference, and an evening dinner. Educators, clinicians, scholars and residents participated in key discussions on the advance of the science of women in medicine.

Thursday, May 20, 2010 Medicine Grand Rounds.

Cody Wiberg, Pharm.D., Executive Director, Minnesota Board of Pharmacy and Keith Hovland, PMP Coordinator, Minnesota Board of Pharmacy. "Minnesota prescription monitoring program."

Thursday, June 17, 2010 Medicine Grand Rounds.

Dr. Michael Levy, Assistant Professor of Medicine Consultation, Mayo Health Systems, Rochester, Minnesota. "Autoimmune Pancreatitis (AIP)."

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF RECOGNITION

Congratulations to the following Administrative Staff on recognition of their years of service in the Department of Medicine:

Beverly, Deen, 4 years of Administrative Support in the Cardiology Division of the Department of Medicine.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS.....

Tuesday, September 14, 2010, Downtown Health Series. *Join us and give a new meaning to "a healthy meal"!*

Dr. Anne M. Murray, "Caring for Aging Parents," Caring for your family and your aging parents? Dr. Anne Murray, a nationally recognized geriatric researcher and physician will help you understand your changing roles and the impact of memory loss and aging on your loved ones.

Thursday, September 16, 2010, **Alvin L. Schultz Visiting Professor, Dr. Faith Fitzgerald**, Professor of Medicine, Associate Dean of Humanities and Bioethics, UCDHS, Sacramento, California. Dr. Fitzgerald will also be the guest speaker at the Minneapolis, Society of Internal Medicine (MSIM) dinner meeting on Wednesday, September 15, 2010, at the Minikahda Club in Minneapolis, Minnesota

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