Message from the Dean

This issue of the FSU College of Medicine Orlando Regional Campus newsletter covers accolades received by our most recently graduated class, and also those of current students. The scholastic and clinical successes of our graduates continue at a high level. We knew our model of distributed, community-based education that emphasizes one-on-one teaching by faculty in practice settings would be successful, but I think we have been pleasantly surprised at just how well it is working. Did you know that the entire FSU College of Medicine Class of 2012, all students on all regional campuses, had a 100% first-try pass rate for both the clinical knowledge and clinical skills portion of the Clinical United States Medical Licensing Examinations? Better still, the average score on the clinical skills component was 235, which is significantly higher than the national average. In addition, the Class of 2013 has a current average of 240.

In other developments, our Clinical Research Network (CRN) is well underway, now with three ongoing studies involving 29 practice sites in 5 cities across Florida. We are also expanding our already successful collaboration with the University of Florida’s Clinical Translational Science Institute that I reported in a presentation to the national Practice-based Research Networks Meeting in Bethesda. We also had two research abstracts presented at the same meeting. The FSU CRN will be expanding to all regional campuses as the number of studies and their scopes increase.

We are so fortunate to have outstanding and committed community faculty for the education of our students and now they are committing to academic pursuit by being involved with research in their practices.

Michael J. Muszynski, MD

Congratulations to the Orlando Campus Class of 2012!
Class of Graduation 2012 Awards

Congratulations to the Orlando Campus Class of 2012 students who were recognized by the College of Medicine at this year's graduation ceremony.

Dr. Jessica Malmad was presented the "Access to Care Award," which is given to a graduate who shows a strong interest in "providing access to health care for underserved populations and who has volunteered at clinics or on international medical missions for the underserved."

Dr. Coley Sheriff received the "American Medical Women's Association Glasgow-Rubin Achievement Citation," which is awarded to women graduates in the top ten percent of their graduating class.

Dr. Francoise Marvel received the "Regional Campus Dean's Award," given to the most outstanding student at each regional campus.

Dr. Colby Redfield was given the "Medical Student Professionalism and Service Award." The American College of Emergency Physicians presents this award to "a medical student who has demonstrated outstanding patient care and involvement in medical organizations and the community."

Dr. Coley Sheriff and Dr. Michael Silverstein were among the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society inductees.

Dr. Natasha Demehri and Dr. Michael Silverstein were inducted into the Gold Humanism Honor Society, for "demonstrated excellence in clinical care, leadership, compassion, and dedication to service."

Congratulations to all of the outstanding graduates from the Orlando Campus!

For a full list of Class of 2012 awards, please click here.

Gold Humanism Honor Society Class of 2013

Orlando Regional Campus Year-Four students Zachary Hale, Shawn Shah, Heather Staples, and Sarah Weaver (all pictured) are the most recent inductees included among the Class of 2013 Gold Humanism Honor Society (GHHS) members.

"The GHHS comprises individuals who have been recognized for practicing patient-centered medical care by modeling the qualities of integrity, excellence, compassion, altruism, respect and empathy. Members may be selected as 3rd and 4th year medical students. Residents, faculty and administrators may also be recognized for humanistic practice at various stages in their careers."

For more information about the GHHS, please click here. Congratulations to these Orlando Campus students for exemplifying the FSU College of Medicine mission and for their nomination to the Gold Humanism Honor Society.
The Orlando Campus Class of 2014

Guimy Alexis
Pompano Beach, FL
FAU-Boca Raton

Thomas Beardsley
New Haven, CT
FSU

Mariana Borges
Boynton Beach, FL
FAU-Boca Raton

Quynh-An Chau
Oviedo, FL
UF

Joshua Claunch
Panama City, FL
Huntingdon

Camilo Fernandez-Salvador
Quito, Ecuador
FAU-Boca Raton

Nathalie Gutierrez
Naples, FL
UF

Angela Guzman
Jacksonville, FL
FSU

Muhammed Hussain
Jacksonville, FL
UNF

Darren Klawinski
Clermont, FL
USF

Holly Klopfenstein
Oviedo, FL
UF

Li Li
Gainesville, FL
UF

Joseph Limback
Warrensburg, MO
UCF

Christopher Martin
Lake Worth, FL
FSU

Christopher McDonald
Tallahassee, FL
UF

Nicole Meier
Cincinnati, OH
UF

Stephanie Morales
Orlando, FL
UCF

Amanda Morden
Tallahassee, FL
UF

Hima Pius
Windermere, FL
UF

Huma Razzaq
Orlando, FL
UF

Taylor Smith
Winter Park, FL
FSU

Jessica Specht
Atlanta, GA
Colgate University

Matthew Welsh
Cocoa, FL
UCF

Zachary Williamson
Fort Meyers, FL
U. Penn

Welcome to Our New Students!
All Faculty Meeting 2012

The 2012 Orlando Regional Campus All Faculty Meeting and Reception was held on August 14th at the Highland Manor in Apopka. The All Faculty Meeting is an annual event hosted by the Orlando campus which allows all of the clerkship faculty a chance to not only socialize, but also to hear about upcoming events, and Regional Campus and College-wide news. Speakers at the meeting included Dr. John Fogarty, Dean of the College of Medicine, and Dr. Michael Muszynski, Orlando Regional Campus Dean.

Each year, Clerkship Directors nominate faculty members to receive a Teaching Award and a Mission award. This year, Dr. Carlos Dumois (left), Clinical Assistant Professor for Family Medicine, was presented with the Outstanding Community Faculty Educator Award. Recipients of this award are Florida State University College of Medicine clinical faculty members who consistently demonstrate dedication to principles of the curriculum, to identifying and meeting educational needs of students, and enthusiasm for teaching, participation in faculty development, and willingness to work collaboratively to deliver the clinical curriculum effectively. Dr. Dumois has been an FSU College of Medicine faculty member since 2006. He is currently with the Florida Hospital Family Medicine Residency Program.

Dr. Edward Magee and Dr. Kristy Magee (below), Clinical Assistant Professors for Family Medicine, were presented with the College’s Mission Award. This award honors the clinical faculty member who has distinguished him/herself by participating in activities that model the mission of the college to educate and develop exemplary physicians who practice patient-centered health care, discover and advance knowledge, and are responsive to community needs, especially through service to elder, rural, minority, and underserved populations. The Drs. Magee were first affiliated with the FSU College of Medicine through the Program in Medical Sciences (PIMS), in which students completed their first year of their medical education at FSU and completed their studies at the University of Florida. They are currently with Lake Mary Physicians and have been FSU College of Medicine faculty members since 2006.
Alpha Omega Alpha (AΩA) is the national medical honor society which is “dedicated to the belief that in the profession of medicine we will improve care for all by recognizing high educational achievement, honoring gifted teaching, encouraging the development of leaders in academia and the community, supporting the ideals of humanism, and promoting service to others” (for more information about AΩA, please click [here](#)). The Orlando Regional campus is proud to announce the Class of 2013 students inducted into AΩA this year.

2012 Orlando Regional Campus Merit Scholarship Winners

This year, at the Orlando campus All Faculty Meeting, four students were awarded the Orlando Regional Campus Merit Scholarship. This $5,000 scholarship is given to one or more fourth year students in good academic standing who have demonstrated meritorious academic, service, or clinical performance while assigned to the Orlando Regional Campus, and who have a demonstrated financial need.

Congratulations to Jasmeet Kataria, Heather Staples, Shawn Shah, and Sarah Weaver (pictured left to right) for their exemplary performance.

The Merit Scholarships were made possible by generous donations to the Orlando RMSC Scholarship Fund. For information about how you can donate, please see below.

Donate to the Orlando Regional Campus

You, too, can support the students of the Orlando Campus by a donation toward scholarships. Please consider making a gift to the Orlando RMSC Scholarship Fund.

Also, ask us about naming opportunities to honor your gift:
Contact Campus Administrator, Leeann Parker, at [Leeann.parker@med.fsu.edu](mailto:Leeann.parker@med.fsu.edu).

If you would like to make an unnamed gift online, please click [here](#) and designate your gift for the Orlando Regional Campus.
Faculty Development

Do you teach a required course? Remember, you need to earn a minimum of two faculty development credits each year!

These photos were taken at an Orlando Regional Campus LIVE faculty development session, “Effective Clinical Teaching: Views from Our Learners.” This workshop featured a panel of third and fourth year students (above) who helped lead a lively topic discussion. If you would like to attend one of our live sessions, please see the schedule below!

Upcoming Sessions

10/18/2012: Introduction to the Maguire e-Library and PDA Resources
11/7/2012: Downloading Programs to your Mobile Device
11/14/2012: Teacher-Student Relationships in Medical Education: Boundary Considerations
1/15/2013: Point of Care Decision Support Resources
2/5/2013: Using Knowledge of Personality Types to Enhance Teaching
2/28/2013: Downloading Programs to your Mobile Device
4/10/2013: Effective Clinical Teaching: Views from Our Learners
5/1/2013: Using Medical Images and Videos

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