



BROWN
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**Dean's Award
and
Teaching Appreciation Reception**

June 16, 2009
Hope Club

The third annual Dean's Award and Teaching Appreciation Reception is held today to recognize and thank the dedicated campus-based faculty, hospital based instructors and office-based teachers who effectively teach and mentor our medical students and residents.

Welcome

Philip A. Gruppuso, M.D.
Associate Dean of Medicine (Education)

Opening Remarks

Edward J. Wing, M.D.
Dean of Medicine and Biological Sciences

Student Reflections

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2008-2009 Emeriti Awards

Through the Emeriti Awards, the Medical School recognizes the valuable contributions to academic medicine and to the Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University in particular, made by its distinguished emeriti faculty members. Without these pioneers, the Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University would not be the revered institution that it is today.

George Cooper Jr., M.D.
*Clinical Associate Professor Emeritus
of Surgery*

Robert M. Dowben, Ph.D.
*Adjunct Professor Emeritus of
Physiology*

Allan Erickson M.D.
*Associate Professor Emeritus of
Medicine*

Leon Goldstein, Ph.D.
Professor Emeritus of Medical Science

Anthony Lynn Mansell, M.D.
Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics

Hon Fong Louie Mark, Ph.D.
Clinical Professor Emerita of Pediatrics

Herbert Rakatansky, M.D.
Clinical Professor Emeritus of Medicine

Reza Shah-Hosseini, M.D.
*Clinical Associate Professor Emeritus of
Obstetrics & Gynecology*

2008-2009 Teaching Recognition Awards

Through the Teaching Recognition Awards, The Warren Alpert of Brown University recognizes clinical track faculty who consistently receive the highest ratings in teaching evaluations by students, residents and fellows. This award honors their commitment and dedication to teaching excellence of medical students in hospital and outpatient settings.

Tanya Ali, M.D.
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

Karen E. Aspry, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Douglas L. Blecker, M.D.
Clinical Instructor in Medicine

Jeffrey M. Brody M.D.,
*Associate Professor of Diagnostic
Imaging (Clinical)*

Robert J. Dobrzynski Jr., M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Medicine*

Elisabeth K. Farnum M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Family Medicine*

Deirdre M. Fearon M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Emergency
Medicine and Pediatrics (Clinical)*

Steven Frank, D.O.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Paul C. Gordon, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Ilse M. Jenouri, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Emergency Medicine*

Achyut Kamat, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Emergency Medicine*

Michael D. Klein, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Family Medicine*

Matthew A. Kopp, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Emergency Medicine*

Donna M. Lafontaine, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology*

Jerome M. Larkin, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

David G. Lindquist, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Emergency Medicine*

Donnah Mathews, M.D.
Clinical Instructor in Medicine

Cristina L. Mitchell, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Linda Nici, M.D.
Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine

Richard B. Noto, M.D.
*Associate Professor of Diagnostic
Imaging (Clinical)*

Wendy A. Plante, Ph.D.
*Clinical Assistant
Professor of Psychiatry & Human
Behavior*

David C. Portelli, M.D.
*Clinical Associate
Professor of Emergency Medicine*

John J. Solomon Jr., D.O.
Clinical Instructor in Family Medicine

Margaret A. Sun, M.D.
Clinical Assistant
Professor of Family Medicine

Elizabeth M. Sutton, M.D.
Clinical Assistant
Professor of Emergency Medicine

Elisabeth B. Taylor, M.D.
Clinical Assistant
Professor of Psychiatry & Human
Behavior

Louis Vito Jr., M.D.
Clinical Assistant
Professor of Surgery

Margaret S. Wool Ph.D., MSW
Clinical Associate Professor of Family
Medicine and Psychiatry & Human
Behavior

Carolyn Te Young, M.D.
Clinical Assistant
Professor of Pathology & Laboratory
Medicine

2008-2009 Excellence in Teaching Awards

CLINICAL CURRICULUM

The Excellence in Teaching Award is the highest honor bestowed by The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University for teaching in the clinical tracks. The following exemplary faculty members have demonstrated a dedication to teaching for over seven continuous years. Many of these faculty members have been honored with departmental teaching awards. Medical students and residents have consistently rated them as excellent or superior teachers.

M. David Beitle, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Obstetrics & Gynecology*

Rabin F. Chandran, M.D.
*Associate Professor of Family Medicine
(Clinical)*

Francine A. D'Elia, Ph.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry & Human Behavior*

Sarah J. Fessler, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Margaret M. Koehm, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Daniel J. Levine, M.D.
*Clinical Associate Professor of
Medicine*

Gregory R. Lockhart, M.D.
*Associate Professor of Emergency
Medicine (Clinical)*

Louis J. Marino, M.D.
*Clinical Associate Professor of
Psychiatry & Human Behavior*

Michelle L. Rickerby, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry & Human Behavior*

Jack L. Schwartzwald, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Edward Stulik, M.D.
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

Gwenn M. Vittimberga, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Dermatology*

2008-2009 Excellence in Teaching Awards

PRECLINICAL COURSES, CLERKSHIPS & ELECTIVES

The Dean's Excellence in Teaching Awards are presented to clinical and basic science faculty for their exemplary teaching in preclinical courses, core clerkships or electives. These faculty members are recognized for their exceptional teaching and mentoring as lecturers, small-group leaders, and hospital-based and office-based preceptors.

Adam Abodeely, M.D.
House Staff Officer in Surgery

Jason M. Aliotta, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Medicine

Brian K. Alverson, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics

David C. Anthony, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Family Medicine

Charlotte M. Boney, M.D.
Associate Professor of Pediatrics

Jeffrey M. Burock, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry
& Human Behavior*

Douglas M. Burt, M.D.
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

Gerardo P. Carino, M.D., Ph.D.
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Stephen R. Carr, M.D.
*Associate Professor of Obstetrics and
Gynecology*

James R. Carlsten, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Pathology
(Clinical)*

Thomas Cataldo, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Kevin P. Charpentier, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Benjamin Christian, M.D.
House Staff Officer in Surgery

William Cioffi, Jr, M.D.
Professor of Medical Science

Andrew Cohen, M.D.
Professor of Medicine

Dominic F. Corrigan, M.D.
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

Hugh Cowdin Jr., M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery
(Anesthesiology)*

Manuel F. DaSilva, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Orthopaedics*

Carolynn M. Debenedictis, M.D.
*House Staff Officer in Diagnostic
Radiology*

John P. Donoghue, Ph.D., M.S.
Professor of Neuroscience

Luba L. Dumenco, M.D.
*Lecturer in Pathology & Laboratory
Medicine*

Kevin M. Dushay, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Medicine

Lloyd R. Feit, M.D.
Associate Professor of Pediatrics

Fred Ferri, M.D.
Clinical Professor of Community Health

Jennifer F. Friedman, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics

Stephen M. Gatsey, Ph.D.
Associate Professor of Biology

Bethany Gentilesco, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Paul George, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Jonathan Gershon, Ph.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry & Human Behavior*

Daniel M. Golding, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Diagnostic
Imaging (Clinical)*

Paari Gopalakrishnan, M.D.
Internal Medicine

Norman M. Gordon, M.D.
*Clinical Associate Professor of Clinical
Neuroscience (Neurology)*

Robert T. Griffith, Jr., M.D.
*Clinical Associate Professor of
Pediatrics*

Tracey Guthrie, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry & Human Behavior*

Fadallah G. Habr, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Medicine

Katrine Hansen, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Pathology

Zeev Harel, M.D.
Associate Professor of Pediatrics

Karen M. Harnett, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor of Medicine

David Harrington, M.D.
Associate Professor of Surgery

Daithi J. Heffernan, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Surgery

R. Jeffrey Hofmann, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery
(Ophthalmology)*

Susie Lee Hu, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Medicine

Husam Issa, M.D.
Clinical Assistant Professor in Medicine

Neeta Jain, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry & Human Behavior*

Nathaniel J. Jellinek, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Dermatology

Agnes B. Kane, M.D., Ph.D.
Professor of Medical Science

Louise S. Kiessling, M.D.
*Professor Emerita of Family Medicine
and Pediatrics*

Donna A. Kucharski, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery
(Anesthesiology)*

Jonathan D. Kurtis, M.D.
*Associate Professor of Pathology &
Laboratory Medicine*

Jason A. LaChance, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Obstetrics &
Gynecology*

Robert Lambe, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Marc J. Laufgraben, M.D.
Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine

John R. Lonks, M.D.
Associate Professor of Medicine

Kelly Ann McGarry, M.D.
Associate Professor of Medicine

George R. McKendall, M.D.
Associate Professor of Medicine

Nilton D. Medina, M.D.
Assistant Instructor in Surgery

William A. Mehan Jr., M.D.
*House Staff Officer in Diagnostic
Radiology*

Janice S. Miller, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Cristina L. Mitchell, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine*

Paul E. Morrissey, M.D.
Associate Professor of Surgery

Ahmed Nadeem, M.D.
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

Chaitan K. Narsule, M.D.
House Staff Officer in Surgery

Joshua Nathan, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry*

Thomas Ng, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Surgery
(Thoracic)*

Calvin E. Oyer, M.D.
*Clinical Associate Professor of
Pathology & Laboratory Medicine*

Gyan Pareek, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Maureen G. Phipps, M.D.
*Associate Professor of Obstetrics &
Gynecology and Community Health*

Martha A. Pizzarello, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Obstetrics & Gynecology*

Murray B. Resnick, M.D., Ph.D.
*Professor of Pathology & Laboratory
Medicine*

Kay Rhee, M.D., M.Sc.
*Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
(Clinical)*

Harlan G. Rich, M.D.
Associate Professor of Medicine

Dale A. Ritter, Ph.D.
Morphology Lab Manager

Leslie Robinson-Bostom, M.D.
Associate Professor of Dermatology

Albert M. Ross IV, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Pediatrics*

G. Dean Roye, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Beth A. Ryder, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Thais Salazar-Mather, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor of Medical Science

Benjamin Sapers, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Jack L. Schwartzwald, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Russell Settipane, M.D.
Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine

Natasha Shur, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics

Scott J. Stevens, M.D.
*House Staff Officer in Clinical
Neurosciences (Neurology)*

Philip Stockwell, M.D.
*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Edward Stulik, M.D.
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

C. James Sung, M.D.
*Professor of Pathology & Laboratory
Medicine*

Elizabeth Sutton, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of Emergency
Medicine*

Dominick Tammaro, M.D.
Associate Professor of Medicine

Joao Moreno Tavares, M.D.
Internal Medicine, Infectious Disease

Marjorie Thompson, Ph.D.
*Associate Dean of Biological Sciences
(Undergraduate Ed)*

Christine A. Tompkins, M.D.
Clinical Instructor in Pediatrics

Glenn A. Tung, M.D.
Professor of Diagnostic Imaging

Meera Varma, M.D.
*Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics &
Gynecology*

Bryan Vopat, M.D.
House Staff Officer in Orthopaedics

Edward A. Wheeler, Jr., M.D.
Director, Student Health Services

Kenneth Williams, M.D.
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Edward G. Wittels, M.D.
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Gwenn M. Vittimberga, M.D.
*Clinical Assistant Professor of
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Medicine*

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