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**Dean's Excellence in
Teaching Awards
and
Faculty Promotions Reception**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2016
6:00 PM**

The Warren Alpert Medical School
222 Richmond Street
Providence, Rhode Island

*The Dean's Excellence in Teaching
Awards and Faculty Promotions
Reception is held today to recognize and
especially thank the dedicated faculty
and residents from Biology and Clinical
Departments, who effectively teach and
mentor our medical students.*

*We wish to honor the excellence of
all of our promoted faculty and the
unique contributions they all make to
the continued academic excellence of the
Warren Alpert Medical School at
Brown University.*



Welcome

Allan R. Tunkel, MD, PhD, MACP
Associate Dean for Medical Education

Opening Remarks

Jack A. Elias, MD
Dean of Medicine and Biological Sciences

Student Reflections

Anshul Parulkar, MD' 18
Chair, Medical Student Senate

Sanchita Singal, MD' 17
Medical Education Concentrator

Introduction of Excellence in Teaching Award Recipients

Allan R. Tunkel, MD, PhD, MACP
Associate Dean for Medical Education

Introduction of Promoted Faculty

Edward Hawrot, PhD
Associate Dean of Biology

Michele G. Cyr, MD, MACP
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

2015-2016 Excellence in Teaching Awards

Clinical Faculty Advisory Committee (CFAC) Recipients

These honors are given to clinical faculty who over the years have exhibited the outstanding characteristics to which we all strive as educators.

Nominations for these awards come through department chairs and division directors. The clinical faculty are the lifeblood of our medical school and are deserving of this recognition.

Michael Bharier, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Dermatology*

Karen Blackmer, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Family Medicine*

E. Terrence Cahill, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor
of Obstetrics and Gynecology*

Jonathan Cahill, MD

*Assistant Professor of
Neurology (Clinical)*

Rabin Chandran, MD

*Associate Professor of Family
Medicine (Clinical)*

Erika Constantine, MD

*Assistant Professor of Emergency
Medicine (Clinical)
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
(Clinical)*

Elizabeth Didie, PhD

*Clinical Associate Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior*

Kristina Duarte, MD

*Assistant Professor of Family
Medicine (Clinical)*

Christine Duffy, MD, MPH

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Deirdre Fearon, MD

*Associate Professor of Emergency
Medicine (Clinical)
Associate Professor of Pediatrics
(Clinical)*

David Fortunato, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor
of Medicine*

Thomas Guttmacher, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

Thomas Haronian, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor of
Emergency Medicine*

Emily Harrison, MD, MPH

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

Jamie Hollenbeck, PsyD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior*

Achyut Kamat, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor of
Emergency Medicine*

Emily Katz, MD

*Assistant Professor of Psychiatry
and Human Behavior (Clinical)
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
(Clinical)*

Pervez Khatib, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Family Medicine*

Brian Kimble, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor
of Medicine*

Joseph Lauro, MD

*Assistant Professor of Emergency
Medicine (Clinical)*

Jeffrey Manning, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

Ginger Manzo, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior*

Christopher Matkovic, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior*

Peter Mazzaglia, MD

*Associate Professor of Surgery
(Clinical)*

Karen Ng, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

Heidi Peterson, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

David Portelli, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor
of Emergency Medicine*

Mark Ringiewicz, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Family Medicine*

G. Dean Roye, MD

*Associate Professor of Surgery
(Clinical)*

Afreen Siddiqui, MD

Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery

John Solomon, DO

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

Francis Sullivan, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor
of Emergency Medicine*

Elizabeth Toll, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor
of Pediatrics
Clinical Associate Professor
of Medicine*

Sivamainthan Vithiananthan, MD

*Associate Professor of
Surgery (Clinical)*

Gary Wharton, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Obstetrics and Gynecology*

2015-2016 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 and clinical electives. These faculty members are recognized for their exceptional teaching and mentoring as lecturers, small-group leaders, and hospital-based and office-based preceptors.

Tanya Ali, MD

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Brian Alverson, MD

*Associate Professor of Pediatrics
Associate Professor of Medical Science*

David Anthony, MD

Associate Professor of Family Medicine

Mohammad Banki, MD, DMD

Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery

Scott Benzuly, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery
(Anesthesiology)*

Arnaldo Berges, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior*

Reena Bhatt, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery
(Plastic Surgery)*

Shara Bialo, MD

*Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
(Clinical)*

Douglas Burt, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Medicine*

Cassandra Carberry, MD

*Assistant Professor of Obstetrics
and Gynecology (Clinical)*

Stephen Carr, MD

Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Dana Chofay, MD

Clinical Instructor in Medicine

Antony Chu, MD

Assistant Professor of Medicine

Mark Clark, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

Cheston Cunha, MD

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Sara Delaporta, MD

Clinical Instructor in Family Medicine

Ronald DeLellis, MD

*Adjunct Professor of Pathology and
Laboratory Medicine*

Bradley Denardo, MD

Assistant Professor of Pediatrics

Curtis Doberstein, MD

Professor of Neurosurgery (Clinical)

John Donahue, MD

*Associate Professor of Pathology
and Laboratory Medicine*

Associate Professor of Neurology

Gregory Dubel, MD

*Associate Professor of Diagnostic
Imaging (Clinical)*

Luba Dumenco, MD

Assistant Dean of Medical Education

*Assistant Professor of Pathology
and Laboratory Medicine (Clinical)*

*Assistant Professor of Medical Science
(Clinical)*

Charles Eaton, MD

*Professor of Family Medicine, Director
of Primary Care and Prevention,
Professor of Epidemiology*

Daniel Evans, PhD

Clinical Psychology Fellow

Corey Fehnel, MD, MPH

*Assistant Professor of Neurology,
Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery*

John Finigan, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Pediatrics*

Keith Fragoza, MD

Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery

Jennifer Gass, MD

*Associate Professor of Surgery
Associate Professor of Obstetrics
and Gynecology*

Paul George, MD

*Assistant Dean of Medical Education
Associate Professor of Family Medicine
Associate Professor of Medical Science*

Amy Goldberg, MD

*Associate Professor of Pediatrics
(Clinical)*

Carmen Goojha, MD

Clinical Instructor in Family Medicine

Fusun Gundogan, MD

*Associate Professor of Pathology and
Laboratory Medicine*

Nhu Hang, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Family Medicine*

L. Corey Hanley, MD

*Assistant Professor of Pathology and
Laboratory Medicine (Clinical)*

Karen Harnett, PhD

*Adjunct Assistant Professor of
Molecular Pharmacology, Physiology
and Biotechnology*

David Harrington, MD

Professor of Surgery

Horacio Hojman, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior*

Sarah Hyder, MD

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Sadia Iftikhar, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Medicine*

Hafiz Imran, MD

Instructor in Medicine (Clinical)

Matthew Jankowich, MD

Assistant Professor of Medicine

Susan Kelly, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior*

Stefan Kostadinov, MD

*Assistant Professor of Pathology and
Laboratory Medicine (Clinical)*

Anne Kuritzky, MD

Clinical Instructor in Surgery

Lesley Landau, PhD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Medical Science*

Robert Legare, MD

*Associate Professor of Obstetrics
and Gynecology (Clinical)
Associate Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Mark LeGolvan, DO

*Assistant Professor of Pathology
and Laboratory Medicine*

Andrew Levinson, MD, MPH

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Elizabeth Lowenhaupt, MD

*Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and
Human Behavior (Clinical), Assistant
Professor of Medical Science (Clinical)*

Courtney Mackuen, MD

*House Staff Officer in Emergency
Medicine*

Beth Marcaccio, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Obstetrics and Gynecology*

Thais Mather, PhD

*Associate Director, Preclinical
Curriculum Year 1
Assistant Professor of Medical Science
Assistant Professor of Molecular,
Microbiology and Immunology*

Cara Mathews, MD

*Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and
Gynecology*

Peter Mazzaglia, MD

*Associate Professor of
Surgery (Clinical)*

James McIlwain, MD

*Sidney A. and Dorothea Doctors Fox
Professor Emeritus of Ophthalmology
and Visual Science
Professor Emeritus of Neuroscience
Professor Emeritus of Surgery*

Megan McMahan, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Obstetrics and Gynecology*

Dino Messina, MD, PhD

*Assistant Professor of
Medicine (Clinical)*

Ian Michelow, MD

Assistant Professor of Pediatrics

Srilakshmi Mitta, MD

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Carmen Monzon, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Psychiatry and Human Behavior,
Clinical Assistant Professor of
Medicine*

Sandra Musial, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Pediatrics*

Nicholas Musisca, MD

*Adjunct Assistant Professor
of Emergency Medicine*

Ahmed Nadeem, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Medicine*

John O’Bell, MD

*Assistant Professor of
Medicine (Clinical)*

Joyce Ou, MD, PhD

*Assistant Professor of Pathology
and Laboratory Medicine*

Cherie Paquette, MD

*Assistant Professor of Pathology
and Laboratory Medicine*

Herbert Rakatansky, MD

*Clinical Professor Emeritus
of Medicine*

Louis Rice, MD

*Chair of Medicine Joukowsky Family
Professor of Medicine
Professor of Medicine
Professor of Molecular Microbiology
and Immunology*

Katherine Richman, MD

Assistant Professor of Medicine

Leslie Robinson-Bostom, MD

Professor of Dermatology

Randy Rockney, MD

*Professor of Pediatrics
Professor of Medical Science
Professor of Family Medicine*

Julie Roth, MD

*Assistant Professor of Neurology
Assistant Professor of Medical Science*

Beth Ryder, MD

*Assistant Professor of Surgery,
Assistant Professor of Medical Science*

Sajid Saraf, MD

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)
Assistant Professor of Medical Science
(Clinical)*

Fred Schiffman, MD

*Sigal Family Professor of
Humanistic Medicine
Professor of Medicine*

Justin Schleifer, MD

*Associate Professor of Psychiatry
and Human Behavior (Clinical)*

Jennifer Schwab, MS

Teaching Associate in Pediatrics

Stuart Schwartz, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor of
Medicine*

Meera Simoes, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor of
Obstetrics and Gynecology*

Kamaljeet Singh, MD

*Assistant Professor of Pathology
and Laboratory Medicine*

Mindy Sobota, MD, MPhil

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Kara Stavros, MD

*Assistant Professor of Neurology
(Clinical)*

Andrew Stephen, MD

*Assistant Professor of Surgery
(Trauma)*

Elizabeth Sutton, MD

*Assistant Professor of Emergency
Medicine (Clinical)
Assistant Professor of Medical
Science (Clinical)*

Christopher Tessier, MD

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
(Clinical)*

Elizabeth Toll, MD

*Clinical Associate Professor
of Pediatrics
Clinical Associate Professor
of Medicine*

Beth Toolan, MD

*Clinical Assistant Professor
of Pediatrics*

Molly Tracy, MD

*Assistant Professor of Neurology
(Clinical)*

Allan Tunkel, MD, PhD, MACP

*Associate Dean of Medical Education
Chief of Medical Education
Professor of Medicine, Professor of
Medical Science*

Marguerite Vigliani, MD

*Clinical Professor of Obstetrics
and Gynecology*

Sivamainthan Vithiananthan, MD

*Associate Professor of Surgery
(Clinical)*

Roxanne Vrees, MD

*Assistant Professor of Obstetrics
and Gynecology*

Hedy Wald, PhD

*Clinical Associate Professor of
Family Medicine*

Nicholas Ward, MD

Associate Professor of Medicine

Sarita Warriar, MD

*Assistant Professor of Medicine
Assistant Professor of Medical Science*

Linda Wendell, MD

*Assistant Professor of Neurology,
Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery,
Assistant Professor of Medical Science*

Jordan White, MD, MPH

*Assistant Professor of Family Medicine
Assistant Professor of Medical Science*

Hilary Whitlatch, MD

Assistant Professor of Medicine

Kyle Wohlrab, MD

*Assistant Professor of Obstetrics
and Gynecology (Clinical)*

Don Yoo, MD

*Associate Professor of Diagnostic
Imaging (Clinical)*

Anatoly Zhitkovich, PhD

Professor of Medical Science

2015-2016 Excellence in Teaching Awards

RESIDENTS and FELLOWS

The Dean's Excellence in Teaching Award is the highest honor bestowed by The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University. The following exemplary residents and fellows have demonstrated a dedication to teaching. Medical students have consistently rated them as excellent or superior teachers.

Paul Baker, MD

*House Staff Officer in Psychiatry
and Human Behavior*

Susan Boisvert, MD

House Staff Officer in Family Medicine

Andrew Bouley, MD

House Staff Officer in Neurology

Jonathan Brower, MD

House Staff Officer in Surgery

Michael Chen-Illamos, MD

House Staff Officer in Family Medicine

Jay Ferguson, MD

Teaching Fellow in Medicine

Elizabeth Fox, MD

House Staff Officer in Surgery

Mary (Alex) Friedman, MD

*House Staff Officer in Obstetrics
and Gynecology*

Jonathan Kole, MD

*House Staff Officer in Psychiatry
and Human Behavior*

Brian Lee, MD

*House Staff Officer in Medicine
and Pediatrics*

Nadav Lelkes, MD

House Staff Officer in Pediatrics

Courtney MacKuen, MD

*House Staff Officer in Emergency
Medicine*

Mark O'Connor, MD

Teaching Fellow in Medicine

Anais Ovalle, MD

House Staff Officer in Medicine

Christine Pham, MD

House Staff Officer in Pediatrics

Jennifer Villavicencio, MD

*House Staff Officer in Obstetrics
and Gynecology*

2015-2016 Promoted Faculty in Biology Departments

Senior Lecturers

Neuroscience

Monica Linden, PhD

Associate Professors

Neuroscience

Scott Cruikshank, PhD

Stephanie Jones, PhD

Professors

Molecular, Microbiology and Immunology

Andrew Campbell, PhD

Neuroscience

Christopher Moore, PhD

2015-2016 Promoted Faculty in Medical Science

Associate Professors

Medical Science

Elizabeth Chen, PhD, MPhil, MA

Indra Neil Sarkar, PhD, MLIS, FACMI

2015-2016 Promoted Faculty in Clinical Departments

Associate Professors

Diagnostic Imaging

Sun Ho Ahn, MD

Ana Lourenco, MD

Emergency Medicine

Siraj Amanullah, MD, MPH

David Bouslough, MD, MPH

Linda Brown, MD

David Bullard, MD

Jeffrey Feden, MD

Sarah Gaines, MD

Mark Greve, MD

Elizabeth Jacobs, MD

Adam Levine, MD, MPH

David Lindquist, MD

Megan Ranney, MD, MPH

Neha Raukar, MD

Robert Tubbs, MD

Mark Zonfrillo, MD

Medicine

George Bayliss, MD

Christine Duffy, MD, MPH

Rebekah Gardner, MD

Edward Keating, MD

Jerome Larkin, MD

Niharika Mehta, MD

John O'Bell, MD

Anthony Reginato, MD, PhD

Katherine Sharkey, MD, PhD

Neurology

Uzma Sharif, MD

Charlene Tate, MD

Neurosurgery

Carl Saab, PhD

Albert Telfeian, MD, PhD

Obstetrics and Gynecology

Rebecca Allen, MD, MPH

Elisabeth Howard, PhD, CNM

Orthopaedics

John Froehlich, MD

Julia Katarincic, MD

Wentian Yang, PhD

Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

Michele Lomme, MD

Pediatrics

G Jesse Bender, MD

Psychiatry and Human Behavior

John Boekamp, PhD

Abbe Garcia, PhD

Karyn Horowitz, MD

Robert Johnston, MD, MPH

Susan Kelly, MD

Nicole Nugent, PhD

Lucille Rathier, PhD

James Sullivan, MD, PhD

J Graham Thomas, PhD

Jody Underwood, MD

Surgery

Steven Brown, DMD

Afshin Ehsan, MD

Joseph Renzulli, MD

Professors

Emergency Medicine

Jason Hack, MD

Medicine

James Arrighi, MD

Neurology

Andrew Blum, MD, PhD

Joel Kaufman, MD

Brian Silver, MD

Neurosurgery

Curtis Doberstein, MD

Petra Klinge, MD, PhD

Orthopaedics

Mark Palumbo, MD

Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

Glenn Palomaki, PhD

Psychiatry and Human Behavior

Valerie Knopik, PhD

Paul Lieberman, MD

Teri Pearlstein, MD

Michelle Rickerby, MD

Jennifer Tidey, PhD

Surgery

Arlet Kurkchubasche, MD



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