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Outstanding Resident in Quality and Patient Safety Award  
Edward Jelks Outstanding Resident Clinician Award  
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**RECEPTION TO FOLLOW IN ATRIUM**

\*non-standard training program

^^UF Health Program

# GRADUATES OF THE COLLEGE OF MEDICINE - JACKSONVILLE

## ANESTHESIOLOGY

### **Giuseppe Giuratrabocchetta, M.D.**

Medical School: University Cattolica del Sacro Cuore Facolty di Medicina e Chirurgia 'Agostino Gemelli'

### **Keya Aisha Locke, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine  
Preliminary Residency: General Surgery, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

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Medical School: Universidad de Ciencias Medicas de Camaguey  
Preliminary Residency: General Surgery, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

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Medical School: Saba University School of Medicine  
Preliminary Residency: Union Memorial Hospital

### **Song Hyon Pak, M.D.**

Medical School: American University of the Caribbean School of Medicine  
Preliminary Residency: General Surgery, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

### **Rita Sunita Patel, M.D.**

Medical School: St. George's University School of Medicine  
Preliminary Residency: General Surgery, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

## ANESTHESIOLOGY SUBSPECIALTY Regional and Acute Care Pain Management\*

### **Geetha Kannan, M.D.**

Medical School: Kasturba Medical College Manipal  
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## EMERGENCY MEDICINE

### **Kevin Gysling, M.D.**

Medical School: Creighton University School of Medicine

### **Adam Miles Hilton, D.O.**

Medical School: Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Bradenton

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Medical School: Arizona College of Osteopathic Medicine of Midwestern University

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Medical School: University of Central Florida College of Medicine

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Medical School: University of Texas Medical School at Houston

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Medical School: Touro University Nevada College of Osteopathic Medicine

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Medical School: Mercer University School of Medicine

Internship: Internal Medicine, Memorial Health-University Medical Center

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Medical School: Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine, Virginia Campus

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Medical School: University of South Florida College of Medicine

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Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

**Yarelies Malave Simmonds, M.D.**

Medical School: University of South Florida College of Medicine

**David G. Sterka, Jr., M.D., Ph.D.**

Medical School: Eastern Virginia Medical School of the Medical College of Hampton Roads

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Medical School: Emory University School of Medicine

**Amanda Kathryn Young, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences College of Medicine

**Christopher B. Zernial, M.D., M.A.**

Medical School: University of Texas Medical School at San Antonio

**EMERGENCY MEDICINE SUBSPECIALTY**  
**Pediatric Emergency Medicine**

**Mubarak Abdur-Rahman, M.D.**

Medical School: St. Matthew's University School of Medicine (Grand Cayman)

Residency: Pediatrics, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

**EMERGENCY MEDICINE DIVISIONS**  
**Clinical Toxicology**

**Jami Johnson, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Oklahoma

**INTERNAL MEDICINE**

**Robert Amjad Ali, M.D.**

Medical School: University of the West Indies Faculty of Medicine St. Augustine, Trinidad

**Farah Al-Saffar, M.D., M.P.H.**

Medical School: Al-Nahrain University College of Medicine

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Medical School: University of the West Indies Faculty of Medicine St. Augustine, Trinidad

**Martin Alejandro Cerda, D.O.**

Medical School: Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine

**Sana Sajid Chaudhry, M.D.**

Medical School: Ross University School of Medicine

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Medical School: Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine

**Ena Gupta, M.D., M.P.H.**

Medical School: Lady Hardinge Medical College

**Abdulwahab Hritani, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Aleppo Faculty of Medicine

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Medical School: St. George's University School of Medicine

**Nimeh Najjar, M.D.**

Medical School: Ross University School of Medicine

**Rahman Nakshabendi, M.D.**

Medical School: Hamdard College of Medicine & Dentistry

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Medical School: Ross University School of Medicine

**Joshua John Samuel, M.D.**

Medical School: St. George's University School of Medicine

**Daisy Torres-Miranda, M.D.**

Medical School: Ponce School of Medicine and Health Sciences

## **Internal Medicine Administrative Chief Residents\***

### **Kaitlin Rose McCurdy, M.D.**

Medical School: Ross University School of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

### **Tracy Thompson Ashby, D.O.**

Medical School: Lincoln Memorial University DeBusk College of Osteopathic Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

## **MEDICINE SUBSPECIALTIES**

### **Cardiovascular Disease**

### **Khyati Haresh Baxi, M.D.**

Medical School: University of South Carolina School of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine

### **Valeria Edit Duarte, M.D.**

Medical School: Universidad Favaloro

Residency: Internal Medicine, Cleveland Clinic Foundation

### **Gabriel Todd Faz, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Texas Medical School at Houston

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Texas Medical Branch-Galveston

### **Phuong Thuy Ngo, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Oklahoma College of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Oklahoma College of Medicine

### **Asuka Ozaki, D.O.**

Medical School: University of North Texas Health Science Center Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, Cleveland Clinic Foundation

Fellowship: Cardiovascular Disease-Vascular Medicine

### **Estela Thano, D.O.**

Medical School: Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Bradenton

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

## **Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism**

### **Ayham Chamseddin, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Damascus Faculty of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York University

Chief Residency: Jersey City Medical Center, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York University

**Monica Yvette Plazarte, D.O.**

Medical School: Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, Carilion Clinic-Virginia Tech Carilion School of Medicine

**Gastroenterology**

**Nicholas John Agresti, M.D.**

Medical School: American University of the Caribbean School of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, Norwalk Hospital

Fellowship: Hepatology, Jackson Memorial Hospital/University of Miami

**Juan Pablo Blum-Guzman, M.D.**

Medical School: Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil Facultad de Ciencias Médicas

Residency: Internal Medicine, Jackson Memorial Hospital, University of Miami

Fellowship: Hepatology, Florida Hospital-Orlando

**Infectious Disease**

**Danisha G. Figueroa Vega, M.D.**

Medical School: New York Medical College

Residency: Internal Medicine, Hospital de la Concepcion

**Interventional Cardiology**

**Nephertiti Efeovbokhan, M.D.**

Medical School: Obafemi Awolowo University College of Health Sciences

Residency: Internal Medicine, Michigan State University College of Human Medicine

Fellowship: Cardiovascular Disease, University of Tennessee College of Medicine

**Rahul Sharma, M.D.**

Medical School: St. George's University School of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, Penn State University Medical Center

Chief Residency: Internal Medicine, Penn State University Medical Center

Fellowship: Cardiovascular Disease, Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center

**Medical Oncology**

**Jason D. Hew, M.D.**

Medical School: University of the West Indies Faculty of Medical Sciences, Jamaica

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

**Ke Ning, M.D.**

Medical School: Ross University School of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

## Nephrology

**Rabie Ibrahim Adam-Eldien, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Khartoum Faculty of Medicine

Residency: Internal Medicine, St. Vincent Hospital, Worcester Medical Center

## Pulmonary Disease and Critical Care Medicine

**Muhammad Faisal, M.D.**

Medical School: Dow Medical College

Residency: Internal Medicine, St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center

**Furqan Shoaib Siddiqi, M.D.**

Medical School: Sindh Medical University

Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Kansas School of Medicine (Wichita)

## NEUROLOGY

**Constance Vasiliki Katsafanas, D.O.**

Medical School: Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine

Preliminary Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

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Medical School: University of South Florida College of Medicine

Preliminary Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Arizona Affiliated Hospitals

**Robert Kindy Mannel, M.D.**

Medical School: Sint Eustatius School of Medicine

Preliminary Residency: Internal Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

**Raid George Ossi, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Baghdad College of Medicine

Preliminary Residency: Transitional Year, St. Mary Mercy Hospital

## NEUROLOGY SUBSPECIALTIES

### Vascular Neurology

**Ryan K. Crooks, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Toledo College of Medicine

Residency: Neurology, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

**Adil Mohammad Zia, M.D.**

Medical School: American University of the Caribbean School of Medicine

Residency: Neurology, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville



## OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY

**Isidore Daniel Benrubi, M.D., M.P.H.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

**Christine Meliani Djapri, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Miami Miller School of Medicine

**Charlene Louise Hylton, M.D.**

Medical School: Florida State University College of Medicine

**Layla Sanura Jaffree, M.D.**

Medical School: Emory University School of Medicine

**Anesha Ann-marie Maxwell, M.D.**

Medical School: Medical University of South Carolina

**Tiffannie Santisha Walker, M.D.**

Medical School: Florida State University College of Medicine

## OPHTHALMOLOGY

**Kevin Michael Cronin, M.D.**

Medical School: Wake Forest University School of Medicine

Preliminary Residency: Internal Medicine, Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center

**Omar Razzaque Shakir, M.D., M.B.A.**

Medical School: Albany Medical College

Preliminary Residency: Internal Medicine, John Hopkins University School of Medicine

## OPHTHALMOLOGY SUBSPECIALTIES

### **Glaucoma/Anterior Segment\***

**Omar Gayasaddin, D.O.**

Medical School: Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine

Residency: Ophthalmology, Valley Hospital Medical Center

### **Vitreo-Retinal Diseases and Surgery\***

**Zimei Zhou, M.D., Ph.D.**

Medical School: Shanghai Medical University

Residency: Ophthalmology, Bronx-Lebanon Hospital Center

## ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY

**Anthony M. Bunnell, M.D., D.M.D.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

**Carlo Guevara, M.D., D.D.S.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

**Mark Allen Miller, M.D., D.M.D.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

**Armando Retana, M.D., D.D.S.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

## ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY SUBSPECIALTIES Head and Neck Oncologic Surgery and Microvascular Reconstruction

**Michael R. Markiewicz, M.D., D.D.S., M.P.H.**

Medical School: Oregon Health and Science University School of Medicine

Residency: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Oregon Health and Sciences University

Fellowship: Pediatric Craniofacial Surgery, Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children

### Pediatric Craniofacial Surgery\*

**Ashley E. Manlove, M.D., D.M.D.**

Medical School: Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine

Residency: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Case Western Reserve University

## ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY

**Anna Marie Acosta, M.D.**

Medical School: Loyola University Chicago, Stritch School of Medicine

**Mark Randall Elliott, M.D.**

Medical School: Florida State University College of Medicine

**Kyle Edward Fleck, M.D.**

Medical School: Mercer University School of Medicine

**William Peyton Toole, M.D.**

Medical School: University of South Carolina School of Medicine

## ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY DIVISION Podiatry^^

**Chad Mitchell Cooper, D.P.M.**

Podiatry School: Kent State University College of Podiatric Medicine

**Robert Marroquin, Jr., D.P.M.**

Podiatry School: Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine

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## **ANATOMIC AND CLINICAL PATHOLOGY**

**Claudia Ormenisan Gherasim, M.D.**

Medical School: Universitatea de Medicina si Farmacie Targu-Mures

**Yi Zhuang, M.D.**

Medical School: Xi'an Medical University

## **PATHOLOGY SUBSPECIALTIES**

### **Cytopathology**

**Atousa Ordobazari, M.D.**

Medical School: Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences

Residency: Anatomic & Clinical Pathology, Medical College of Wisconsin Affiliated Hospitals, Inc.

**Meenu Sharma, M.D.**

Medical School: G.S.V.M. Medical College

Residency: Anatomic & Clinical Pathology, Wayne State University, Detroit Medical Center Corporation

Fellowship: Surgical Pathology, Mayo Clinic College of Medicine-Jacksonville

### **Breast Pathology\***

**Jaime Morel Ruiz, M.D.**

Medical School: Pontificia Universidad Católica Madre y Maestra (PUCMM) Facultad de Ciencias de la Salud

Residency: Anatomic and Clinical Pathology, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

Fellowship: Surgical Pathology, Emory University School of Medicine

## **PEDIATRICS**

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Medical School: American University of Antigua College of Medicine

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Medical School: Albany Medical College

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Medical School: University of Nebraska College of Medicine

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Medical School: Morehouse School of Medicine

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Medical School: Mercer University School of Medicine

**Christopher Sosa, M.D.**

Medical School: University of South Florida College of Medicine

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Medical School: St. George's University School of Medicine

**Pediatric Administrative Chief Resident\***

**Youness Tolaymat, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Jordan Faculty of Medicine

Residency: Pediatrics, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

**PEDIATRICS SUBSPECIALTIES**

**Hospice and Palliative Medicine-Interdisciplinary**

**Philip Barigbi Augustine, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Jos Faculty of Medical Sciences

Residency: Internal Medicine, Meharry Medical College School of Medicine

**Liza Carolina Sanchez-Plazas, M.D.**

Medical School: San Juan Bautista Escuela de Medicina

Residency: Pediatrics, University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine

## **Pediatric Infectious Diseases**

### **Fernando Jose Bula-Rudas, M.D.**

Medical School: Universidad del Norte Programa de Medicina

Residency: Pediatrics, Mount Sinai School of Medicine

## **Community and Societal Pediatrics\***

### **Sherry Fahmi Shenoda, M.D.**

Medical School: Morehouse School of Medicine

Residency: Pediatrics, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center

## **DIAGNOSTIC RADIOLOGY**

### **Nathan Adam Daley, M.D., M.P.H.**

Medical School: University of Oklahoma College of Medicine

Preliminary Residency: Transitional Year, Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville

Residency: Diagnostic Radiology, Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville

Residency: Preventative Medicine, University of California Medical Center, San Diego

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Medical School: Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Erie

Preliminary Residency: Family Medicine, Naval Hospital, Jacksonville

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Medical School: Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California

Preliminary Residency: General Surgery, Huntington Memorial Hospital

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Preliminary Residency: General Surgery, Grand Rapids Medical Education Partners,

Michigan State University

### **Daniel Roura, M.D.**

Medical School: University of South Florida College of Medicine

Preliminary Residency: Internal Medicine, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine

## **RADIOLOGY SUBSPECIALTIES**

### **Vascular and Interventional Radiology**

### **Damian Caci, M.D.**

Medical School: New York Medical College

Residency: Diagnostic Radiology, Nassau University Medical Center

### **Adam David Rogers, M.D.**

Medical School: Mercer University School of Medicine

Residency: Diagnostic Radiology, Medical University of South Carolina College of Medicine

## **Breast Imaging and Intervention\***

### **Sara Maria Fernandez, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

Residency: Diagnostic Radiology, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

## **Musculoskeletal Imaging\***

### **Edgardo A. Agrait-Bertran, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine

Residency: Diagnostic Radiology, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

## **GENERAL SURGERY**

### **Chetan Narasanna Gowda, M.D.**

Medical School: Sri Siddhartha Medical College and Research Center

Fellowship: Surgical Critical Care Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

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### **Yauhen Tarbunou, M.D.**

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## **SURGERY SUBSPECIALTIES**

### **Surgical Critical Care Medicine**

### **Timothy Shane Hester, D.O.**

Medical School: Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Bradenton

Residency: General Surgery, University of Florida College of Medicine-Jacksonville

### **Syed F. Saquib, M.D.**

Medical School: The Ohio State University College of Medicine

Residency: General Surgery, State University of New York, (SUNY) Buffalo

Fellowship: Burn Surgery, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

## **Advanced GI/Minimally Invasive Surgery\***

### **Abubaker Ahmed Ali, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Khartoum Faculty of Medicine

Residency: General Surgery, Wayne State University

## **PRELIMINARY PROGRAMS**

### **Preliminary Medicine**

**Kaihan Jonathan Fakhar, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Florida College of Medicine

**Amie Rafaela Leon, D.O.**

Medical School: Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Erie

**Ryan Moorhouse, D.O., M.S.**

Medical School: Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine

### **Preliminary Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery**

**Sepideh Sabooree, D.M.D.**

Dental School: Tufts University School of Dental Medicine

### **Preliminary Pediatrics**

**Jessica Christine Win, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Cincinnati College of Medicine

### **Preliminary Surgery**

**Ayman Almousa, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Aleppo Faculty of Medicine

Previous Training: Cardiothoracic Surgery, Cleveland Clinic Foundation

**Michael Shoukry S. Ibrahim, M.D.**

Medical School: Saba University School of Medicine

**Viachaslau Koushyk, M.D.**

Medical School: Belarusian State Medical University

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Medical School: University of Central Florida College of Medicine

**Luis Pagiel Ozuna, D.O.**

Medical School: University of North Texas Health Science Center Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine

**Krishna Rao Surapaneni, M.D.**

Medical School: University of Texas Medical School at San Antonio

**Scott Andrew Sylvester, M.D.**

Medical School: St. George's University School of Medicine

**Jonah G. Zisquit, M.D.**

Medical School: Sackler School of Medicine

# UF HEALTH JACKSONVILLE - DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACY

## PGY 1-PHARMACY

**Lanh Dang, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Rhode Island

**Brittany Johnson, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Florida

**James Morales, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Florida

**Nirali Naik, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Georgia

**Randi Searcy, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Florida

**Melanie Smith, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

## PGY 2-AMBULATORY CARE

**Abbey Johnston, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Florida

PGY1 Residency: UF Health Jacksonville

## PGY 2-CRITICAL CARE

**Jennifer Hanify, Pharm.D.**

Pharmacy School: University of Cincinnati

PGY1 Residency: University of Cincinnati Health, West Chester Hospital

## PGY 2-DRUG INFORMATION

**Petra Estep, Pharm.D., BCPS**

Pharmacy School: University of Florida

PGY1 Residency: UF Health Jacksonville

## PGY 2-EMERGENCY MEDICINE

**Kellie Rodriguez, Pharm.D., BCPS**

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PGY1 Residency: Lakeland Regional Health



## EXEMPLARY TEACHER AWARD RECIPIENTS

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Deborah J. Williams, M.D., M.S.–EM  
James D. Cury, M.D.–MED  
Nilmarie Guzman, M.D.–MED  
Jeffrey G. House, D.O.–MED  
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Brent E. Seibel, M.D.–OB/GYN  
Kristy Ward, M.D., M.A.S.–OB/GYN  
Tirbod Fattahi, M.D., D.D.S.–OMFS  
Phillip Pirgousis, M.B.B.S., B.D.S.–OMFS  
Howard J. Schare, D.M.D.–OMFS  
Agnes E. Aysola, M.D.–PATH  
Arun Gopinath, M.B.B.S.–PATH  
Raafat F. Makary, M.B.B.S., Ph.D.–PATH  
Shahla Masood, M.D.–PATH  
Yvette S. McCarter, Ph.D.–PATH  
Jinou Sareman, M.D.–PATH  
Zhiqiang B. Wang, M.D., Ph.D.–PATH  
Rana Alissa, M.D.–PEDS  
Kuo Y. Chen, M.D.–PEDS  
David O. Childers, M.D.–PEDS  
Frank J. Genuardi, M.D., M.P.H.–PEDS  
Jennifer A. Hipp, D.O., M.P.H.–PEDS  
Nedda S. Maltby, M.D.–PEDS  
Thomas J. Moon, M.D.–PEDS  
Mobeen H. Rathore, M.B.B.S.–PEDS  
Asad Tolaymat, M.D.–PEDS  
Steven P. Cuffe, M.D.–PSYCH  
Diana L. Edgar, M.D.–RAD  
Derek J. Hamlin, M.D.–RAD  
Barry M. McCook, M.D.–RAD  
Savas Ozdemir, M.D.–RAD  
Martha C. Wasserman, M.D.–RAD  
James W. Dennis, M.D.–SURG  
Andrew J. Kerwin, M.D.–SURG  
Stephen E. Mandia, M.D.–SURG  
Michael S. Nussbaum, M.D.–SURG  
Jin H. Ra, M.D.–SURG  
Laila Samiian, M.D.–SURG

### CHAPMAN CHAPTER OF THE GOLD HUMANISM HONOR SOCIETY

The mission of the Gold Humanism Honor Society (GHHS) is to recognize individuals who are exemplars of humanistic patient care and who can serve as role models, mentors, and leaders in medicine. The power of the Society lies in bringing together like-minded individuals to sustain their own humanism and to inspire and nurture humanism in others. GHHS honors medical students, residents, fellows, role-model physician teachers and others who demonstrate excellence in humanistic clinical care, leadership, compassion and dedication to service. Membership in GHHS goes beyond selection and induction into an honor society; its members have a responsibility to model, support, and advocate for compassionate, patient-centered care throughout their careers.

#### Resident

Constance Vasiliki Katsafanas, D.O. — Neurology

## **PRESENTATION OF AWARDS**

### **APPLE AWARD WINNER RECIPIENT**

The University of Florida College of Medicine Class of 2016 presented the Golden Apple Award in the Clinical Sciences to the Department of Pediatrics. This award is presented by each senior class to the department they believe provided the best educational experience during their core clinical rotation in Gainesville and Jacksonville.

### **COLLEGE OF MEDICINE EXCELLENCE IN STUDENT EDUCATION**

The Resident Award consists of a plaque and a check for \$500.00. The Faculty Award consists of a plaque and a PEA account for \$500.00. The resident and faculty will also have his/her name engraved on the plaque located in the Learning Resource Center.

#### **NOMINEES**

##### **Residents**

Martins Chima Matthew, M.D. – Pediatrics  
Constance Vasiliki Katsafanas, D.O. – Neurology  
Caleb Fenton Powell, D.O. – Emergency Medicine

##### **Faculty**

Jeffrey G. House, D.O. – Medicine  
Nader M. Antonios, M.B.Ch.B. (M.D.), M.P.H., T.M. – Neurology  
Andrew J. Kerwin, M.D. – Surgery

### **OUTSTANDING RESIDENT IN QUALITY AND PATIENT SAFETY AWARD**

The Outstanding Resident in Quality and Patient Safety Award is presented annually to the resident who has made the most outstanding contribution to improve quality and patient safety through effort, innovation, and collaboration with both fellow residents and other members of the healthcare team at UF Health-Jacksonville.

The Award consists of a plaque and a check for \$500.00. The resident will also have his/her name engraved on the plaque located in the Learning Resource Center.

#### **NOMINEES**

Astrid Marie Botty Van Den Bruele, M.D. – General Surgery  
Gabriel Todd Faz, M.D. – Cardiology  
Jennifer Leigh Rammel, M.D., M.P.H. – Pediatrics  
Jared Todd Roeckner, M.D. – Obstetrics and Gynecology  
Priya Sharma, M.D. – General Surgery



**EDWARD JELKS  
OUTSTANDING RESIDENT CLINICIAN AWARD**

The Edward Jelks Outstanding Resident Clinician Award is presented annually to the resident who, through dedication, diligence and compassion, or through innovation in patient care, is considered to have contributed the most to the improvement of patient care at UF Health-Jacksonville.

The Award consists of a plaque and a check for \$500.00. The resident will also have his/her name engraved on the plaque located in the Learning Resource Center.

**NOMINEES**

Todd Davis Husty, M.D. – General Surgery  
Robert Kindy Mannel, M.D. – Neurology  
Joel David Mendez, M.D. – Emergency Medicine  
Jennifer Leigh Rammel, M.D., M.P.H. – Pediatrics



**ROSILIE O. SAFFOS  
OUTSTANDING RESIDENT TEACHER AWARD**

The Rosilie O. Saffos Outstanding Resident Teacher Award is presented annually to a resident to honor the memory of Dr. Rosilie O. Saffos, a true physician educator who possessed those qualities that we, as physicians, would like to see in ourselves, including compassion, intellectual curiosity, and a genuine dedication to education.

The Award consists of a plaque and a check for \$1000.00. The resident will also have his/her name engraved on the plaque located in the Learning Resource Center.

**NOMINEES**

Robert Amjad Ali, M.D. – Internal Medicine  
Yauhen Tarbunou, M.D. – General Surgery  
Christina Stockwell Wiczorek, M.D. – Emergency Medicine



**ANN HARWOOD-NUSS  
RESIDENT ADVOCATE AWARD**

The Ann Harwood-Nuss Resident Advocate Award is presented annually to the resident who has contributed the most to improving the educational and working environment of his/her fellow residents.

The Award consists of a plaque and check for \$500.00. The resident will also have his/her name engraved on the plaque located in the Learning Resource Center.

**NOMINEES**

Farah Al-Saffar, M.D. – Internal Medicine  
William Taylor Palfrey, Jr., M.D. – Internal Medicine  
Irving J. Zamora, M.D. – General Surgery



### **LOUIS S. RUSSO, JR., AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONALISM IN MEDICINE**

The Louis S. Russo Award for Outstanding Professionalism in Medicine is presented annually to the faculty member and resident with the highest standards of medical professionalism, substantiated by a commitment to personal behavior that reflects the core values of the consummate physician:

- Altruism: placing the best interests of patients above self, with unconditional caring and dedication to the patient, regardless of ability to pay or station in life
- Excellence: embracing a conscientious effort to exceed ordinary expectations and to make a commitment to high competence and life-long learning
- Ethics: demonstrating a code of honor and integrity, with consistent regard for the highest standards of behavior
- Respect for others: possessing the essence of humanism that is central to professionalism and fundamental to the enhancement of collegiality among physicians

The Resident Award consists of a plaque and a check for \$1000.00. The Faculty Award consists of a plaque and a PEA account for \$3000.00. The resident and faculty will also have his/her name engraved on the plaque located in the Learning Resource Center.

## **NOMINEES**

### **Resident**

Valeria Edit Duarte, M.D. – Cardiovascular Disease  
Caleb Fenton Powell, D.O. – Emergency Medicine  
William Taylor Palfrey, Jr., M.D. – Internal Medicine  
Isidore Daniel Benrubi, M.D., M.P.H. – Obstetrics and Gynecology  
Martin G. Rosenthal, M.D. – General Surgery

### **Faculty**

Charles W. Heilig, M.D. – Nephrology and Hypertension  
Erin H. Burnett, M.D. – Obstetrics and Gynecology  
Brent E. Seibel, M.D. – Obstetrics and Gynecology  
Shahla Masood, M.D. – Pathology  
Bestoun Ahmed, M.B.Ch.B. (M.D.) – Advanced Minimally Invasive Surgery  
Christopher R. Williams, M.D. – Robotic Surgery