RECENT UPSOM MEDICAL EDUCATION AWARDS

The following faculty were recognized at the 2010 Curriculum Colloquium for their outstanding contributions to the education of medical students.

Kenneth E. Schuit Award, Recognizing the Dean’s Master Educators

*This award recognizes basic science and clinical faculty for education-related contributions to the UPSOM Curriculum.*

Peter Ferson, MD, Professor of Surgery
Sidney Morris, PhD, Professor of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics

Sheldon Adler Award for Innovation in Medical Education

*This award recognizes individual achievement in innovation in medical education at UPSOM.*

A. Paula Monaghan-Nichols, PhD, Associate Professor of Neurobiology
Hollis Day, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine

Donald S. Fraley Award for Medical Student Mentoring

*This award recognizes individuals for their outstanding contribution to medical education through their service as mentors to medical students at UPSOM.*

Raquel Buranosky, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine

Award for Excellence in Clinical Precepting

*This award recognizes clinical preceptors who consistently provide outstanding clinical instruction in a community setting for UPSOM medical students.*

Raymond Cho, MD, Assistant Professor of Psychiatry
Deborah Gilboa, MD, Family Medicine, UPMC Squirrel Hill
Stasia Miaskiewicz, MD, Medicine, UPMC McKeasport Internal Medicine
Paul Rowland III, MD, PhD, Pediatrics, Children’s Community Pediatrics
Haney Wahba, MD, Family Medicine, Primary Health Network, Jacksonville Family Medicine
Michael Wusylko, MD, Medicine, Cranberry Internal Medicine Associates

SAVE THE DATE

**Friday, May 21, 2010**
Annual Luncheon for the Graduating Class and Student Awards Presentation

**Monday, May 24, 2010**
Awarding of Diplomas for the 123rd Graduating Class, the Class of 2010
**Clerkship Preceptor of the Year Award**

This award recognizes faculty preceptors who consistently provide outstanding clinical instruction in the clerkship setting for UPSOM medical students.

Aimee Biller, MD, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics  
Amanda Cooper, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine  
Michael Decker, MD, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics  
John Doyle, MD, Associate Professor of Neurology  
Stephen Emery, MD, Assistant Professor of Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Reproductive Sciences  
Suman Golla, MD, Associate Professor of Otolaryngology  
Giselle Hamad, MD, Assistant Professor of Surgery  
Peggy Hasley, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine  
Harish Jasti, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine  
James Krugh, MD, Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology  
Sanjay Lambore, MBBS, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics  
Anthony Pizon, MD, Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine  
Gautami Veeragandham, MD, Assistant Professor of Psychiatry  
Evan Waxman, MD, PhD, Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology

**William I. Cohen Award for Excellence in Clinical Skills Instruction**

This award recognizes faculty who consistently provide outstanding clinical skills instruction for first and second year UPSOM medical students.

Robert Arnold, MD, Professor of Medicine  
Evelyn Reis, MD, Associate Professor of Pediatrics

**Clinical Educator of the Year Award**

This award recognizes faculty who consistently provide outstanding clinical education in a third or fourth year elective course setting for UPSOM medical students.

Susan Dunmire, MD, Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine  
Janine Frank, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine  
Kenneth Lee, MD, Associate Professor of Surgery  
Kevin Patterson, MD, Assistant Professor of Psychiatry  
Paul Rogers, MD, Professor of Critical Care Medicine  
Peter Veldkamp, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine
2009 Excellence in Education Awards
Awarded by the Class of 2011

For valued contributions and dedication to teaching the
organ system block.

Course Director
James Johnston, MD, Professor of Medicine

Lecturer
James Johnston, MD, Professor of Medicine

Small Group Facilitator
Georgia Duker, PhD, Assistant Professor of Cell Biology and
Physiology

2009 Excellence in Education Awards
Awarded by the Class of 2012

For valued contributions and dedication to teaching the
basic science and organ system blocks.

Course Director
Bruce McClane, PhD, Professor of Microbiology and
Molecular Genetics
Peter Veldkamp, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine

Lecturers
Donald DeFranco, PhD, Professor of Pharmacology and
Chemical Biology
Andrew Nowalk, MD, PhD, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
John Schumann, PhD, Associate Professor of Neurobiology

Small Group Facilitators
Georgia Duker, PhD, Assistant Professor of Cell Biology and
Physiology
Cynthia Lance-Jones, PhD, Associate Professor of
Neurobiology
A. Paula Monaghan-Nichols, PhD, Associate Professor of
Neurobiology

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