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Dickerson, Figg, McLeod, and Ragucci to Receive ACCP Honors

Roland Dickerson, W. Douglas Figg, Howard McLeod, and Kelly Ragucci have been selected by the College's Awards Committee to receive the association's prestigious 2015 Clinical Practice, Therapeutic Frontiers Lecture, Russell R. Miller, and Education awards, respectively. The awards will be presented in San Francisco, California, on Sunday morning, October 18, during the opening session of the College's 2015 Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy.



Roland N. Dickerson

The ACCP Clinical Practice Award is given to a College member who has made substantial and outstanding contributions to clinical pharmacy practice. The criteria considered in identifying potential candidates include exceptional leadership in developing innovative clinical pharmacy services and sustained excellence in providing them. Roland N. Dickerson, Pharm.D., FCCP, FACN, FASHP, FCCM, BCNSP, is a professor of clinical pharmacy practice at the University of Tennessee Health Sciences Center College of Pharmacy. Dr. Dickerson, an established expert in nutrition and metabolic support of the critically ill population, has provided leadership and coordination to the nutrition support service at Regional One Health (formerly, the Regional Medical Center of Memphis) for more than 20 years. The nutrition support service predominantly provides care for critically ill patients, including those on the trauma, transplant, and other medical/surgical intensive care services. In his letter of nomination, Robert MacLaren, a critical care clinician and professor at the University of Colorado Denver School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, highlighted Dr. Dickerson's clinical practice in his letter of nomination:

Dr. Dickerson guides a team of dietitians, nurses, pharmacists, and physicians in the management of enteral and parenteral nutrition, fluids and electrolytes/minerals, and various nutrition-related complications.

The primary teams have come to rely on the Nutrition Support Service to direct these therapies and Dr. Dickerson is the leader of the Nutrition Support Service. I cannot think of another example in pharmacy practice where the pharmacist is the director of a service so revered for its impact on patient care.... His commitment to the institution has also resulted in the development of many practice protocols or guidelines that benefit all healthcare professionals and the patients he serves.... What is so impressive about this practice model is that it has trained numerous pharmacists to become nutrition specialists ... he has precepted countless residents and students from a variety of disciplines, including those in many medicine subspecialties, pharmacy, nursing, and dietetics. Dr. Dickerson has been invited to present internationally on the role of pharmacists in nutrition support therapy ... he is often the only pharmacist on many committees of multiprofessional organizations like the Society of Critical Care Medicine and the American Society of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition.... Dr. Dickerson was and continues to be instrumental in developing and leading the Nutrition Support Service at Regional One Health.

At the time of his nomination, Dr. Dickerson had published more than 150 peer-reviewed papers and several book chapters and had presented his research at leading national and international professional and scientific meetings. In 2012, he was the first pharmacist to receive the prestigious Rhoads Lecture Award from the Society of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition, which recognizes an individual "who is recognized internationally for major contributions to the field of nutrition and metabolic support, and who has demonstrated a career-long commitment to the improvement of the nutritional status of patients." Dr. Dickerson serves as an editor for five journals, including the *Journal of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition*, and has provided manuscript reviews for more than 30 journals. He has served as a member of ACCP committees and on many of the College's research award selection panels. Dr. Dickerson was recognized as an ACCP Fellow in 2003 and as a fellow of the Society of Critical Care Medicine in 2013.



William Douglas Figg

The ACCP Therapeutic Frontiers Lecture Award recognizes an individual, including ACCP member and non-member nominees, who has made outstanding contributions to pharmacotherapeutics in his or her field. Among the criteria for this award is the broad acknowledgment that the recipient is currently considered at the leading edge of research in the field. William Douglas Figg, Pharm.D., MBA, is senior investigator, section head, and deputy branch chief of the Molecular Pharmacology section within the Genitourinary Malignancies Branch and head of the Clinical Pharmacology Program at the Center for Cancer Research in the National Institute of Health's National Cancer Institute (NCI). He has distinguished himself as a nationally and internationally recognized clinical pharmacologist in the field of anticancer drug development. Dr. Cindy Chau, a research scientist at the NCI, noted the significance of Dr. Figg's work in her letter of support:

Dr. Figg is recognized for his work in anticancer drug development with emphasis on anti-angiogenic compounds. Angiogenesis is essential for the growth, invasion, and metastasis of solid tumors. Inhibition of this process represents a promising new therapeutic strategy and is currently recognized as the fourth modality of cancer treatment. Dr. Figg has and continues to play an influential role in further validating the concept of angiogenesis inhibition with his research focused on understanding the nature of angiogenesis in solid tumors (specifically prostate cancer) and in translating basic science discoveries into clinical applications by consistently moving new agents into the clinic.... Using *in vitro* and *in vivo* models developed and optimized in his laboratory, he has been involved in the screening of novel angiogenesis inhibitors, selecting lead compounds for further development and continues to design new agents to hit key targets in the angiogenic pathway.... Dr. Figg has also devoted enormous efforts to understanding the biology of prostate cancer and developing treatments for metastatic CRPC. Much of these efforts are focused on understanding the genetics of prostate cancer and identifying those at risk for developing this disease.

At the time of his nomination, Dr. Figg had published more than 500 peer-reviewed manuscripts. He also is coeditor of *Angiogenesis—An Integrative Approach from Science to Medicine*, widely recognized as the authoritative text in the angiogenesis field. He has served as an editorial board member for numerous journals, including *Pharmacotherapy*, and as a manuscript reviewer for many publications, including the *New England*

Journal of Medicine. Dr. Figg has been elected as a fellow of the American College of Clinical Pharmacology and as an ACCP Fellow. He has received numerous national and international awards for his work, including the 2008 ACCP Russell R. Miller Award. Dr. Figg's Therapeutic Frontiers Lecture, titled "The National Cancer Institute's Revolving Door of Science: Bench to Bedside and Back to the Bench," will be delivered at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, October 18, in San Francisco.

Russell R. Miller was the founding editor of the College's journal, *Pharmacotherapy*. The Russell R. Miller Award is presented in recognition of substantial contributions to the literature of clinical pharmacy, thereby advancing both clinical pharmacy practice and rational pharmacotherapy. Howard L. McLeod, Pharm.D., FCCP, is medical director, DeBartolo Family Personalized Medicine Institute, at the Moffitt Cancer Center in Tampa, Florida. At the time of his nomination, Dr. McLeod had published almost 500 peer-reviewed manuscripts, 26 book chapters, and more than 300 abstracts. Dr. Vicki Ellingrod, the John Gideon Searle Professor of Clinical and Translational Pharmacy at the University of Michigan, commented on Dr. McLeod's important contributions to the literature in her letter of nomination:



Howard L. McLeod

Not only has Dr. McLeod been a leader in oncology pharmacy but he has also been at the forefront of the field of pharmacogenomics. He has been described as the "father" of oncology pharmacogenomics. Five of his manuscripts have been cited over 400 times each with his most highly cited manuscript receiving more than 139 citations/year with a total of 1531. This type of influence on the field is incredible and very few clinical pharmacists achieve research accomplishments that are so pervasive within the field. The foundational work he led on racial differences seen with the multi-drug resistance gene (MDR1) has also been highly cited ... these data were instrumental in the field as we have grown to understand the impact of these variants on different medication treatments.

In his letter of support, Dr. Samuel Johnson, clinical pharmacy specialist in applied pharmacogenomics at Kaiser Permanente Colorado, wrote:

Dr. McLeod has authored or co-authored ... papers in widely read, peer-reviewed medical journals, including the *New England Journal of Medicine*, *Annals of Neurology*, *Journal of Clinical Oncology*, *Lancet*, *Pharmacogenomics Journal*, *Journal of the American Medical Association*, *Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics*, and *Blood*. The majority of these

publications review the clinical and economic impact of pharmacogenomics applications in oncology, cardiology, and other specialties or subspecialties.... As the Medical Director for the DeBartolo Family Personalized Medicine Institute at Moffitt Cancer Center, he has developed a Personalized Medicine Consult Service and Clinical Genomic Action Committee. The latter functions as Moffitt Cancer Center's Molecular Tumor Board but contains the word "Action" to emphasize the need to translate these genetic findings into treatment recommendations for patients.... He is one of a small group of ACCP members to receive substantial NIH funding as both a principal and co-investigator, garnering more than \$100 million in research funding since 2001. Largely through his tutelage, several of his former mentees and trainees have gone on to demonstrate unprecedented success in clinical research, pharmacogenomics implementation, and publication of impactful results in peer-reviewed medical journals.

Dr. McLeod serves as an editorial board member for *Biomarkers in Medicine*, *Personalized Medicine*, *Pharmacogenetics and Genomics*, and *Pharmacogenomics*; and as a reviewer for several prestigious journals, including *Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics*, *Journal of the American Medical Association*, *Lancet*, *Nature Genetics*, *Nature Medicine*, *New England Journal of Medicine*, and *Science*. He has previously received several other ACCP honors: the New Investigator Award in 2000, ACCP Fellow recognition in 2004, and the ACCP Therapeutic Frontiers Lecture Award in 2008.



Kelly R. Ragucci

The Education Award recognizes an ACCP member who has made substantial and outstanding contributions to clinical pharmacy education at either the undergraduate or the postgraduate level. Kelly R. Ragucci, Pharm.D., FCCP, BCPS, CDE, is professor and chair, Department of Clinical Pharmacy and Outcomes Science, at the South Carolina College of Pharmacy's Medical University of South Carolina campus. Dr. Nicole Culhane, associate professor and director of experiential programs at the Notre Dame of Maryland University School of Pharmacy, wrote in her letter of support:

I had the pleasure of getting to know Kelly when she started her academic position at Wilkes University.... Kelly was a faculty member that was always excited about her work. It was evident that she was passionate about her position and dedicated to promoting the pharmacy profession. Her outgoing, friendly personality and love for pharmacy was contagious and she easily connected with students.... Students emulated

her and looked up to her as a role model. Throughout her career, Kelly has dedicated her professional life to teaching and mentoring over 100 student pharmacists and residents and advocating for their best interests. She has been nominated for and has been the recipient of many teaching awards, most notably Professor of the Year eight times since 2003 and Preceptor of the Year in 2006. Knowing some of Kelly's colleagues and the high caliber of scholarship and teaching on the MUSC campus, this is quite an accomplishment.... Not only has Kelly educated students in the classroom but she has published articles and book chapters on Hormone Therapy, Contraception, Osteoporosis, Diabetes, and Female Sexual Dysfunction. She is also making significant contributions to the College in the area of Interprofessional Education (IPE).... Kelly has received and is the co-investigator for a large IPE grant from the Josiah Macy Foundation to study virtual interprofessional learning. She and her MUSC colleagues have been invited to present their IPE model at national conferences and are quickly earning national recognition for their contributions to IPE.

At the time of her nomination, Dr. Ragucci had served as an investigator on 27 research grants, published more than 50 papers in peer-reviewed journals, presented extensively at professional and scientific meetings (including ACCP meetings), and served as secretary and chair of ACCP's Ambulatory Care PRN and as a member or chair of numerous ACCP committees. She was elected as an ACCP Fellow in 2005.

There Is Still Time to Register for the 2015 Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy

Online Registration Closes October 2

Register now for the 2015 Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy, to be held October 17–21 in San Francisco, California. The 2015 Global Conference offers engaging educational programming on cutting-edge clinical and professional issues; specialty recertification sessions in ambulatory care, pharmacotherapy, and oncology; highly specialized practice and research network focus sessions; and unmatched networking opportunities. The meeting schedule of events will also include the exciting quarterfinal, semifinal, and final rounds of the ACCP Clinical Pharmacy Challenge, which draws talented student teams from the nation's top pharmacy schools; the increasingly popular Residency and Fellowship Forum; the highly anticipated scientific paper and



poster presentations; the ACCP Business and Town Hall Meeting; and much more!

Extensive Premeeting Symposia

ACCP will offer seven premeeting symposia on Saturday, October 17, the day before the Global Conference officially gets under way. The premeeting symposia are designed to give you a highly interactive, hands-on experience in a small classroom setting, led by a group of highly qualified faculty. Registrants may choose to attend any of the following premeeting symposia:

ACCP Academy Programming:

- Leadership Primer, I
- Research Primer
- Teaching and Learning Primer

BPS-Approved Educational Activities for Specialty Recertification:

- 2015 From Theory to Bedside: Clinical Reasoning Series—Heart Failure: Current and Emerging Management Strategies (*BPS-Approved Educational Activities for Specialty Recertification*)
- 2015 From Theory to Practice: Clinical Reasoning Series in Ambulatory Care Pharmacy—Novel Agents and Management Strategies in Endocrinology (*BPS-Approved Educational Activities for Specialty Recertification*)

Resident Programming:

- *Chart the Course of Your Professional Future* will provide residents with invaluable career development skills and a foundation for navigating their professional future.

Student Programming:

- *Emerge from the Crowd: How to Become a Standout Residency Candidate*

The ACCP Academy premeeting symposia are required components of their respective certificate programs; however, interested attendees do not have to be enrolled in the ACCP Academy to participate in these activities. A separate registration is required for the ACCP Academy and Clinical Reasoning programs.

Experience the Best San Francisco Has to Offer

San Francisco is the ideal meeting destination to bring your family, or gather with friends, as you experience the city's unique charm, cultural diversity, exotic cuisine, and dramatic coastal panorama offered by this captivating destination. Attendees can spend their evenings

indulging in the city's wide choice of dining options, exploring eclectic neighborhoods like the Castro District or Chinatown, or experiencing its world-renowned contemporary and modern art museums, theaters, and popular tourist attractions, including the San Francisco Museum of Art, Fisherman's Wharf, Alcatraz Island, and Golden Gate Park. This is a meeting you can't afford to miss.

To view the complete schedule of educational activities and to register for the 2015 Global Conference of Clinical Pharmacy, visit www.accp.com/gc. Online registrations will be open until October 2, 2015.

Preparing for a New Leadership Position? Enroll Now in the ACCP Academy Leadership and Management Certificate Program



The ACCP Academy's Leadership and Management Certificate Program helps prepare and motivate clinical pharmacists to meet the demands of virtually any leadership position. Established by ACCP in 2007, the program is designed to help participants better lead their personal and professional lives and to guide and inspire their colleagues in the workplace. Participation in this program has enabled leaders in clinical pharmacy to make the changes necessary to advance their respective missions within a variety of health care environments. A certificate of completion is awarded to participants who complete 26.0 contact hours of coursework, which consist of 18.0 hours of required modules and 8.0 hours of electives. The program's required modules are as follows:

- Leadership Primer (6.0 hours)
- Module 1: Personal Leadership Development (4.0 hours)
- Module 2: Interpersonal Leadership Development (4.0 hours)
- Module 3: The Attributes of a Leader (4.0 hours)

Elective modules, each consisting of 2.0 contact hours of instruction, are designed to meet the select needs of program participants, focusing on specific areas of leadership and management not covered in depth by the required modules.

Past enrollees in the ACCP Academy's Leadership and Management Certificate Program have found themselves well positioned to assume new leadership positions. Visit the ACCP Academy today at www.accp.com/academy to enroll and learn more about the Leadership and Management Certificate Program.

To view the complete schedule of Leadership and Management programming offered at this Global Conference, visit www.accp.com/gc.

ACCP RI Presents: “ACCP Game Night”

The ACCP Research Institute (RI) invites you to join us for our FUNd and FRIEND raiser event: an evening of “Hollywood Game Night”-style competitive team games to be held in conjunction with the ACCP Opening Reception during the Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy on Sunday, October 18, 6 p.m. – 9 p.m. One hundred percent of all donations made to the RI during this event will go to support the RI’s research initiatives

Special Premeeting Symposium for Residents at Global Conference



ACCP is pleased to continue its resident-specific programming in addition to the extensive lineup of

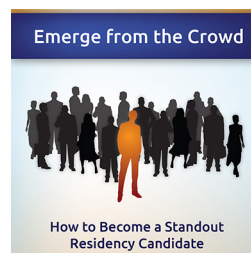
Global Conference presymposia. Designed exclusively for residents, *Chart the Course of Your Professional Future* will provide residents with invaluable career development skills and a foundation for navigating their professional future. Led by nationally recognized faculty, this premeeting symposium will include topics such as:

- Facilitating professional development,
- Setting up a new clinical practice,
- Implementing a scholarly approach to clinical practice,
- Developing a personal strategic plan, and
- Managing conflict.

Chart the Course of Your Professional Future will be held on Saturday, October 17, 2015, from 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Hilton San Francisco Union Square. Participants can earn 5.50 hours of continuing pharmacy education. No additional registration fees are associated with this activity. However, preregistration is required and is included in a full-meeting registration. To add *Chart the Course of Your Professional Future* to an existing Global Conference registration, please call ACCP customer service at (913) 492-3311.

If you have not yet registered for this session, do not miss the opportunity to grab the reins of your future—preregister today. Additional Global Conference highlights for residents and fellows can be found on the ACCP website.

Get a Head Start on This Year’s Residency and Resident Search: ACCP’s Residency and Fellowship Forum Connects Programs with Potential Candidates



ACCP’s Residency and Fellowship Forum is designed to connect preceptors and program directors with prospective candidates seeking 2016–2017 residency and fellowship positions. The Residency and Fellowship Forum will be held on Sunday, October

18, during the 2015 Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy in San Francisco, California. The following three 90-minute sessions will be offered:

- Residency and Fellowship Forum, I: 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
- Residency and Fellowship Forum, II: 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
- Residency, Fellowship, and Recruitment Forum: 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

The Residency and Fellowship Forum provides preceptors and program directors with an effective way to promote their programs and interview candidates who are looking to take the next step in their training. ACCP’s online database of applicants will give registered preceptors and program directors the ability to view candidate resumes and contact potential applicants before the 2015 Global Conference. Preceptors and program directors interested in participating must [secure a table](#) in any of the available time slots and register to attend the Global Conference. Program participants have until October 2 to reserve a table in the forum.

Applicants are encouraged to get a head start on identifying their next position by taking advantage of this early opportunity to meet face-to-face with the preceptors and directors of the programs they wish to attend. Registered applicants will receive access to online program listings before the conference, including available PGY1/PGY2 residency positions, graduate and fellowship positions, and the newly added faculty and clinical practitioner positions. Applicants interested in participating must post their applicant profile online by October 2 and register for the 2015 Global Conference.

2015 Forum Offers a Limited-Time Recruitment Opportunity

New this year, ACCP will provide recruiting hospitals and academic institutions the opportunity to connect with job-seeking faculty and practitioners during the

Residency, Fellowship, and Career Recruitment Forum on October 18 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Employers interested in this opportunity may visit <http://www.accp.com/meetings/gc15/rffopl.aspx> to secure a table.

Visit www.accp.com/forum15 for more information about this year's ACCP Residency and Fellowship Forum. Contact [Zangi Miti](#) for questions.



Research Institute & Pharmacotherapy Open House

**Tuesday, October 20
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**

Learn how to get more involved with the ACCP Research Institute (RI) or *Pharmacotherapy*, the official journal of ACCP. This open house event will provide you the opportunity to speak directly with board members from both the RI and *Pharmacotherapy*, specifically about:

Special Issues and Manuscripts of Interest – Lindsay DeVane and Vicki Ellingrod

Serving as a *Pharmacotherapy* Reviewer – James Tisdale

Information for International Authors and Reviewers – Bill Miller and Terry Schwinghammer

Becoming a *Pharmacotherapy* Editorial Board Member – Edith Nutescu and Stuart Haines

Researcher Development: Focused Investigator Training (FIT), Mentored Research Investigator Training (MeRIT), & ACCP Academy Research and Scholarship Certificate – Program Faculty/Mentors and Mentees

Research funding available through the RI Student/Resident and Junior Investigator Futures Grants – RI Trustees

Engaging in the ACCP Practice-Based Research Network (PBRN) as a clinician or researcher – PBRN Community Advisory Panel (CAP)

PRN/PBRN/RI collaborations and research development experiences and discussion of future opportunities – CAP, PRN/PBRN collaborators, and PBRN interim director

President's Column



Judith Jacobi, Pharm.D., FCCP, MCCM, BCPS

Committee Volunteers Are at the Core of ACCP's Productivity

It's amazing to think that my year of service as your president is winding down and will conclude in just a few weeks. It has been an exciting year for ACCP, with milestones such as the announcement of a major research grant to assess the impact and implementation of comprehensive medication management (CMM) by clinical pharmacists in primary care settings; meetings with a record number of attendees and posters; continued work on our Medicare Benefit Initiative to recognize qualified clinical pharmacists working in collaborative care teams with our partner, the College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists; BPS approval of ACCP's new recertification programs in critical care and pediatrics; and the expansion of our international programming, which will culminate with the Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy in San Francisco, October 17–21.

I have been privileged to work with the outstanding group of clinical pharmacists who serve on the Board of Regents. Each meeting has brought thoughtful discussion on how ACCP can better serve its members and achieve its strategic priorities to *develop, advance, and position* clinical pharmacists to benefit patients and society. Important topics of discussion have included increasing the training opportunities for clinical pharmacists, overseeing the expenditure for the CMM research grant, and giving constant attention to the progress of initiatives within the Strategic Plan.

Although their work may often occur behind the scenes, I must recognize the excellent work done by the many committees and task force members who provide many of the College's important work products. The members of ACCP are generous in their volunteerism—the record number of committee volunteers last year was broken again this year. President-Elect Terry Seaton has worked hard to assign as many volunteers as possible, but it's just not possible to accommodate everyone who wants to participate in committee service! The projects and issues that are the focus of our committees originate from the ACCP Strategic Plan, the many comments provided by the membership in our annual "issues survey," and the College's ongoing initiatives.

Our 2015 committees are completing their charges in important areas like implementation of the Clinical

Pharmacist Standards of Practice and identification of the challenges being faced by acute care practitioners resulting from the shift to primary care and outpatient services. This year's committee members have also been involved in helping to design a new research training program, preceptor development program, and tools for assessment of teaching certificate programs. They have also approved hundreds of new members and a new class of ACCP Fellows, nominated an outstanding slate of candidates and award winners, assessed research fellowship programs through peer review, and designed an inpatient clinical pharmacist survival guide. One of this year's task forces described important issues around the provision of CMM through telehealth or other novel technologies. Some of these activities are for internal use, but others will be published or released in the form of new ACCP products or services. My personal thanks go to the committee chairs and their members for their effort, creativity, and generous contribution of time.

I also want to recognize the Student and Resident committees for accomplishing a large amount of great work this year. The research skills competition exclusively for first- and second-year pharmacy students was designed by the National Student Network Advisory Committee and will be implemented this year with their assistance. The Resident Advisory Committee has developed tools to assist new student chapters and has prepared a variety of videos using ClinPharmEd.

ACCP has continued to grow and now numbers more than 16,000 members. This is a challenge for the ACCP staff, but this dedicated group of association

professionals works as hard as you do to address the needs of individual members, add new programs and services, and facilitate the activities of the board and committees. Although we have added a few new staff members this year, existing staff have continued to work efficiently to meet rising member demands. Please thank the staff in person when you have the opportunity.

I look forward to seeing a record number of participants at our meeting in October—a Global Conference with attendees from more than 39 countries, a large number of posters, and a modified schedule that has moved the keynote address, “Measuring Quality in Patient-Centered Care—Challenges and Opportunities” by Michael S. Barr, M.D., MBA, FACP, to Monday morning. The Sunday morning program will still include recognition of our major award winners and new Fellows and the Therapeutic Frontiers Award lecture by William Douglas Figg Sr titled “The National Cancer Institute’s Revolving Door of Science: Bench to Bedside and Back to the Bench.” Highlights such as the Clinical Pharmacy Challenge and the Great Eight best paper presentations continue, together with the addition of a new closing ceremony that will feature recognition of the meeting’s scientific paper award winners.

Look for opportunities to interact with other members, the ACCP leadership, and our guests from around the world at the Opening Reception, the Research Institute Game Night, the *Pharmacotherapy* and Research Institute Open House, and the many PRN business and networking sessions. Be prepared to expand your knowledge, have some fun, and get reenergized for another exciting year—I know that I will!

Call for Nominations

All nomination materials, including letters, curricula vitae or resumes, and other supporting documents, can be submitted online to ACCP. The online nominations portal specifies the nominating materials required for each award, honor, and elective office. This portal is available at <http://www.accp.com/membership/nominations.aspx>.

PLEASE NOTE:

Due November 30, 2015 – Nominations for fall 2016 awards (Clinical Practice, Education, Russell Miller, and Elenbaas Service Awards), the 2017 Therapeutic Frontiers Lecture, and the 2017 elected offices.

Due February 15, 2016 – Nominations for the 2016 “New” Awards (New Clinical Practitioner, New Educator, and New Investigator), 2016 Parker Medal, and 2016 ACCP Fellows (FCCPs).

2016 ACCP Fellows: Fellowship is awarded in recognition of continued excellence in clinical pharmacy practice or research. Nominees must have been Full Members of ACCP for at least 5 years, must have been in practice for at least 10 years since receipt of their highest professional pharmacy degree, and must have made a sustained contribution to ACCP through activities such as presentation at College meetings; service to ACCP committees, PRNs, chapters, or publications; or election as an officer. Candidates must be nominated by any two Full Members other than the nominee, by any Fellow, or by any member of the Board of Regents. Current members of the Board of Regents, Research Institute Board of Trustees, *Pharmacotherapy* Board of Directors, or Credentials: FCCP Committee are ineligible for consideration.
Nomination deadline: February 15, 2016.

2017 Officers and Regents: President-Elect, Regents, Secretary, and Research Institute Trustees. Nominees must be Full Members of ACCP and should have (1) achieved excellence in clinical pharmacy practice, research, or education; (2) demonstrated leadership capabilities; and (3) made prior contributions to ACCP. Current members of the Nominations Committee are ineligible. Please note that any qualifying Full Member may nominate himself or herself for office. **Nomination deadline: November 30, 2015.**

2016 Clinical Practice Award: Recognizes an ACCP member who has developed an innovative clinical pharmacy service, provided innovative documentation of the impact of clinical pharmacy services, provided leadership in the development of cost-effective clinical pharmacy services, or shown sustained excellence in providing clinical pharmacy services. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of support from a minimum of two ACCP members that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the required letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included, including letters from non-ACCP members. Self nominations are not permitted. Current members of the Board of Regents, Research Institute Board of Trustees, *Pharmacotherapy* Board of Directors, Awards Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: November 30, 2015.**

2016 Education Award: Recognizes an ACCP member who has shown excellence in the classroom and/or clinical training site, conducted innovative research in clinical pharmacy education, demonstrated exceptional dedication to continuous professional development, or shown leadership in the development of clinical pharmacy education programs. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of support from a minimum of two ACCP members that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the required letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. At least one of the letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included, including letters from non-ACCP

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2016 Russell R. Miller Award: Recognizes an ACCP member who has made substantial contributions to the literature of clinical pharmacy, either in the form of a single, especially noteworthy contribution or sustained contributions over time. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of support from a minimum of two ACCP members that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included, including letters from non-ACCP members. Self nominations are not permitted. Current members of the Board of Regents, Research Institute Board of Trustees, *Pharmacotherapy* Board of Directors, Awards Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: November 30, 2015.**

2017 Therapeutic Frontiers Lecture: Honors an internationally recognized scientist whose research is actively advancing the frontiers of pharmacotherapy. Recipients need not be ACCP members. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of support from a minimum of two ACCP members that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the required letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included. Current members of the Board of Regents, Research Institute Board of Trustees, *Pharmacotherapy* Board of Directors, Awards Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: November 30, 2015.**

Robert M. Elenbaas Service Award: Given only when a particularly noteworthy candidate is identified in recognition of outstanding contributions to the vitality of ACCP or to the advancement of its goals that are well above the usual devotion of time, energy, or material goods. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of

support from a minimum of two ACCP members that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the required letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included. Current members of the Board of Regents, Research Institute Board of Trustees, *Pharmacotherapy* Board of Directors, Awards Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: November 30, 2015.**

2016 Paul F. Parker Medal for Distinguished Service to the Profession of Pharmacy: Recognizes an individual who has made outstanding and sustained contributions to improving or expanding the profession of pharmacy in an area of professional service—including, but not limited to, patient care, leadership, administration, finance, technology, information processing, service delivery, models of care, and advocacy. The award is not limited to pharmacists or ACCP members. All nominations must consist of a letter detailing the nominee's qualifications for this award and his or her contributions to the profession of pharmacy; the nominee's curriculum vitae, resume, or biographical sketch as available; and a minimum of three letters of recommendation. At least one of these letters must be from an individual outside the nominee's current practice locale. Current members of the Board of Regents, Research Institute Board of Trustees, *Pharmacotherapy* Board of Directors, the Parker Medal Selection Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: February 15, 2016.**

2016 New Clinical Practitioner Award: This award recognizes a new clinical practitioner who has made outstanding contributions to the health of patients and/or the practice of clinical pharmacy. Nominees must have been Full Members of ACCP at the time of nomination and members at any level for a minimum of 3 years. In addition, nominees must have completed their terminal pharmacy training or degree (whichever is most recent) within the past 6 years. Fellows of ACCP (i.e., "FCCPs") are ineligible. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of support (also from ACCP members) that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included, including letters from non-ACCP members. Self nominations are

not permitted. Current members of the Board of Regents, Awards Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: February 15, 2016.**

2016 New Educator Award: This award recognizes and honors a new educator for outstanding contributions to the discipline of teaching and to the education of health care practitioners. Nominees must have been Full Members of ACCP at the time of nomination and members at any level for a minimum of 3 years. In addition, nominees must have completed their terminal pharmacy training or degree (whichever is most recent) within the past 6 years. Fellows of ACCP (i.e., "FCCPs") are ineligible. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of support (also from ACCP members) that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included, including letters from non-ACCP members. Self nominations are not permitted. Current members of the Board of Regents, Awards Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: February 15, 2016.**

2016 New Investigator Award: The purpose of this award is to highlight the research program of an ACCP member who has made a major impact on an aspect of clinical pharmaceutical science. Nominees must have been at the time of nomination members of ACCP for more than 3 years; they must have a research program with a significant publication record having a programmatic theme or an especially noteworthy single publication; and it must have been less than 6 years since completion of their terminal training or degree, whichever is most recent. Fellows of ACCP (i.e., "FCCPs") are ineligible. All nominations must include a letter of nomination from an ACCP member detailing the nominee's qualifications for the award, the nominee's curriculum vitae, and two letters of support (also from ACCP members) that describe the individual's accomplishments relative to the award criteria. At least one of the letters of support must be from an individual outside the nominee's current place of employment. Additional letters of support also may be included, including letters from non-ACCP members. Self nominations are not permitted. Current members of the Board of Regents, Awards Committee, or ACCP staff are ineligible. **Nomination deadline: February 15, 2016.**

ACCP Clinical Pharmacy Challenge Competition Underway



The online rounds of the Clinical Pharmacy Challenge, ACCP's novel, national team competition, began September 10. Now in its sixth year, the competition continues to grow, drawing participation from 108 institutions across the country.

The online competition, which concludes September 17, gives eligible teams the opportunity to compete in up to four rounds of competition in which they answer items in each of the competition's distinct segments:

- Trivia/Lightning
- Clinical Case
- Jeopardy-style

The item content used in each segment was developed and reviewed by an expert panel of clinical pharmacy practitioners and educators. The 2015 ACCP Clinical Pharmacy Challenge Item-Author panel was led this year by its chair, Sandra Benavides Cabellero, Pharm.D., FCCP, FPPAG.

From the initial field of 108 teams, eight schools will advance to compete live at the Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy in San Francisco, California, on [October 17–19](#). Each team member advancing to the quarterfinal rounds receives a complimentary student full-meeting registration, an ACCP gift certificate for \$125, and a certificate of recognition. Quarterfinalist teams will be vying for a spot in the final round for a chance to win up to \$1500 and the title of Clinical Pharmacy Challenge Champion.

Past winners of the Clinical Pharmacy Challenge are as follows:

- 2010 – University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy
- 2011 – Campbell University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
- 2012 – Northeastern University Bouvé College of Health Sciences School of Pharmacy
- 2013 – East Tennessee State University Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy
- 2014 – Purdue University College of Pharmacy

Who will be crowned the 2015 Clinical Pharmacy Challenge Champion? Join us in San Francisco to find out.

To obtain more information on the Challenge and to view a listing of the teams participating and advancing through each of the four online rounds, please visit our website at <http://www.accp.com/stunet/index.aspx>.

ACCP Clinical Pharmacy Challenge: Recognizing the Item-Author and Item-Review Committees

Please join ACCP in recognizing the service of the following members of the 2015 ACCP Clinical Pharmacy Challenge Item-Author and Item-Review committees. We thank these members for sharing their expertise in developing the items used in this year's national pharmacy student team competition.

2015 ACCP Clinical Pharmacy Challenge Item-Author Committee

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Erin Behnen, Pharm.D., BCPS	Lauren McCluggage, Pharm.D., BCPS
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Now Is the Opportune Time to Enroll in the ACCP Academy



The ACCP Academy will offer the first half of its 1-year certificate programs in Teaching and Learning, Research and Scholarship, and Leadership and Management at the 2015 Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy. Each program will offer required and elective programming, beginning with

the prerequisite “primers,” as part of the ACCP Global Conference premeeting symposia on Saturday, October 17.

The ACCP Academy provides three unique professional development programs leading to certificates of completion in Leadership and Management, Research and Scholarship, and Teaching and Learning. The following programming will be offered at the upcoming Global Conference:

ACCP Global Conference Academy Schedule

Academy	Courses	Schedule
Leadership and Management	Leadership Primer I*	October 17
	Leadership Primer II	October 19
	Leadership Skills to Advance Practice and Improve Community Health (Elective)	October 20
	Managing Conflict: Conversations for Effective Communication & Negotiation (Elective)	October 20
	Personal Leadership Development (Module 1)	October 21
Research and Scholarship	Research Primer* (Prerequisite)	October 17
	Medication Safety: National and International Perspectives (Elective)	October 19
	Issues in U.S.-Based International Research (Elective)	October 20
	Basics of Clinical Research (Module 1)	October 20
Teaching and Learning	Teaching and Learning Primer* (Prerequisite)	October 17
	Planning for Effective Teaching (Module 1)	October 19
	Integration of CAPE 2013 with ABE (Elective)	October 20
	Education and Training PRN Focus Session—Maximizing Learner Assessment: Focus on Developing Metacognitive Skills (Elective)	October 20

**Part of the Global Conference Premeeting Symposia. Premeeting registration is required.*

Enroll now in an ACCP Academy certificate program. To learn more about the ACCP Academy, visit www.accp.com/academy.

Programs on Management of Heart Failure and Type 2 Diabetes Provide the Most Up-to-date Evidence and Clinical Pearls for the Advanced Practitioner

Clinical Reasoning Series



Two all-new Clinical Reasoning Series programs tackle topical issues of importance to clinical practitioners and incorporate active strategies to advance clinical judgment. Each program offers dual recertification credit for Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialists (BCPSs) and Board Certified Ambulatory Care Pharmacists (BCACPs).

“Novel Agents and Management Strategies in Endocrinology” will provide a critical review of the clinical evidence on various agents approved for the management of type 2 diabetes and obesity and will discuss implications on pharmacist patient care services.

“Heart Failure: Current and Emerging Management Strategies” will focus on contemporary strategies for the optimal treatment of patients with chronic and acute decompensated heart failure. Sessions will detail and apply evidence that helps inform individual patient care and advances pharmacist services.

The two programs will be held on Saturday, October 17, in conjunction with ACCP’s 2015 Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy. Each program will offer 6.0 hours of continuing pharmacy education and pharmacy specialty recertification credits. To obtain more information and to register, visit <http://www.accp.com/meetings/gc15/>.

ACCP Student Chapters: New Awards Announced

Because of the growing interest in clinical pharmacy, the ACCP Board of Regents (BOR) has approved the development of ACCP student chapters. To date, almost 70 institutions have formed student chapters. The BOR recently approved two new awards for Student Chapter members: Outstanding Student Chapter and Outstanding Student Chapter Member.

Outstanding Student Chapter Award

The purpose of this award is to recognize the ACCP student chapter that has exemplified strength in leadership, dedication in patient care, and passion for professional development through its activities and membership.

The activities of the chapter should address ACCP’s core values of extending the frontiers of clinical pharmacy and promoting dedication to excellence in patient care, research, and education. A key component of all the core values is the clinical pharmacist’s ability to work collaboratively within the health care environment. Each chapter must demonstrate its ability to work with other health disciplines.

An announcement of the winning chapter will be featured on the ACCP website, and an article highlighting the winning chapter’s accomplishments will be published in *StuNews* and the *ACCP Report*. A commemorative plaque and \$1000 cash will be awarded to the winning chapter. The faculty liaison/adviser and one appointed student liaison from the winning chapter will receive complimentary full ACCP Global Conference/

Annual Meeting registrations, and each will receive a \$250 travel stipend to attend.

Student chapters that wish to apply for the award will complete an application form as part of their end-of-the-year report, which is due June 30. As part of the application process, each chapter is required to submit a rationale statement (250 words or less) outlining the plan for using the \$1000 award funds, should said chapter be selected as the winner.

Outstanding Student Chapter Member

The purpose of this award is to recognize one student from each student chapter who has enhanced student involvement from his or her chapter in ACCP at the local, state, or national level and who has expanded the presence of ACCP through community engagement, education promotion, research opportunities, and/or professional stewardship. The activities of the selected student should address ACCP’s core values of extending the frontiers of clinical pharmacy and promoting dedication to excellence in patient care, research, and education.

Each chapter award recipient will receive a certificate suitable for framing and recognition in an *ACCP Report* article, a *StuNews* article, and the *Global Conference News*. In addition, student award winners in attendance at the award year ACCP Global Conference/Annual Meeting will be recognized during the Clinical Pharmacy Challenge semifinal round of competition.

Each recognized student chapter will select its recipient for Outstanding Student Chapter Member annually and submit the winner’s name to the ACCP national office as part of its year-end report.

2015–2016 National Student Network Advisory Committee (SNAC) Appointed

Earlier this year, ACCP issued a call for applications to student members interested in serving on the SNAC. The College received applications from students across the country. After reviewing their applications, ACCP President-Elect Terry Seaton selected student members for appointment. The committee will convene at the upcoming 2015 Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy. ACCP is pleased to announce the appointment of the following student members to the 2015–2016 ACCP SNAC.

Chair: Tyler Vest, University of Cincinnati James L. Winkle College of Pharmacy

Vice Chair: Brian Kurish, University of North Carolina Eshelman School of Pharmacy

Secretary: Mary-Haston Leary, University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy

Members-at-Large:

- Amanda Gibson, Thomas Jefferson University Jefferson College of Pharmacy
- Jordan Long, Cedarville University School of Pharmacy
- Mel Nelson, University of Arizona College of Pharmacy
- Deeter Neumann, University of Arizona College of Pharmacy
- Shivam Patel, Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy
- Kassie Pfluger, University of North Texas System College of Pharmacy
- Jasmine Reber, Touro University - California College of Pharmacy
- Elizabeth Wood, Auburn University Harrison School of Pharmacy

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Accepting Applications for Health-Policy Fellowship

The Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (ODPHP) is seeking candidates for a health-policy fellowship aimed at coordinating departmental efforts to improve patient safety, including prevention of adverse drug events and health care–associated infections.

The position is based in Rockville, Maryland, in the ODPHP’s Division of Health Care Quality, which is within the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH), Office of the Secretary (OS), at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

The OASH provides leadership to the nation on public health and science matters and communicates on these subjects to the American people. The OASH is a staff division in HHS that performs both policy and program roles and is led by the Assistant Secretary for Health (ASH), whose chief mission is promoting, protecting, and improving the nation’s health. For additional information, please visit <http://www.hhs.gov/ash/>.

The ODPHP has been leading the alignment of disease prevention and health promotion activities across the department for more than 30 years. Within the ODPHP, the Health Care Quality Division coordinates departmental efforts to reduce preventable adverse health care–associated conditions, most notably health care–associated infections (HAIs) and adverse drug events (ADEs). Recently, the division has undertaken research aimed at reducing racial, ethnic, and other disparities (e.g., geographical, health literacy, primary language, socioeconomic status) in preventable adverse health care–associated outcomes, including HAIs, ADEs, and 30-day readmissions. Visit <http://health.gov/hcq/> to learn more about key projects and initiatives supported by the Division of Health Care Quality.

Click here to obtain more information about the fellowship and how to apply.

ACCP PBRN Welcomes Three New Members of the Community Advisory Panel



The ACCP PBRN is pleased to announce that three new members will join the Community Advisory Panel (CAP). Beginning on October

18, 2015, Maya Campara, Brandon Patterson, and Diana Sobieraj will join current CAP members Margie Snyder (2014–2015 chair), Collin Hovinga (2015–2016 chair), Bill Baker, Varsha Bhatt-Mehta, Wesley Byerly, Jeffrey Cies, Robert DiDomenico, Kelly Rudd, Gregory Smallwood, and Orly Vardeny.

The CAP is a standing committee to the ACCP PBRN with the mission of representing the breadth and depth of PBRN members. Furthermore, the CAP is used as a mechanism for readily available feedback regarding the feasibility and practicality of proposed research projects. You may read more about CAP members by visiting www.accpri.org/cap/index.aspx.

Series Editors Announced for 2016–2018 Self-Assessment Programs

In 2016, ACCP will launch new editions of the Pharmacotherapy Self-Assessment Program (PSAP) and the Ambulatory Care Self-Assessment Program (ACSAP), as well as two new self-assessment programs for critical care and pediatric board specialty recertification.

Each self-assessment program will have a new book released in January, May, and September of each year. The Board of Pharmacy Specialties (BPS) has approved ACCP self-assessment programs as part of a professional development program for the recertification of pharmacists who are board certified in the respective specialty.

Continuing as series editors of PSAP are John E. Murphy, Pharm.D., FCCP, FASHP; and Mary Wun-Len Lee, Pharm.D., FCCP, BCPS.

Cardiology, the first book in the 2016–2018 PSAP series, will be released in January 2016. The other releases are *GI/Fluids and Nutrition*, *Women's and Men's Health*, *Endocrinology/Nephrology*, *Pulmonary and Emergency Medicine*, *Pediatrics/Geriatrics*, *Infectious Diseases*, *Hematology/Immunology/Oncology*, and *Neurology/Psychiatry*.



John E. Murphy



Mary Wun-Len Lee

Continuing as series editors of ACSAP are Betty J. Dong, Pharm.D., FCCP, FASHP, AAHVP; and David P. Elliott, Pharm.D., FCCP, FASCP, CGP, AGSF.

Endocrinologic/Rheumatologic Care, the first book in the 2016–2018 ACSAP series, will be released in January 2016. The other releases are *Dermatologic Care*, *Infection Primary Care*, *Oncologic/Hematologic Care*, *Neurologic/Psychiatric Care*, *Fluids and Nutrition/GI Care*, *Cardiologic Care*, *Women's and Men's Care*, and *Nephrologic/Geriatric Care*.



Betty J. Dong



David P. Elliott

Series editors for the new Critical Care Self-Assessment Program (CCSAP) are Bradley A. Boucher, Pharm.D., FCCP, BCPS, and Curtis E. Haas, Pharm.D., FCCP, BCPS.

Infection Critical Care, the first book in the 2016–2018 CCSAP series, will be released in January 2016. The other releases are *Medication Administration/Critical Care Research*, *Pain and Sedation/Support and Prevention*, *Cardiology Critical Care*, *Renal/Pulmonary Critical Care*, *Neurocritical Care/ICU Technology*, *Medical Issues in the ICU*, *Toxicology/Practice Issues*, and *Fluids and Electrolytes/Hepatic Care/GI Care*.



Bradley A. Boucher



Curtis E. Haas

Series editors for the new Pediatric Self-Assessment Program (PedSAP) are Marcia L. Buck, Pharm.D., FCCP; and Kalen B. Manasco, Pharm.D., BCPS.

Immunology, the first book in the 2016–2018 PedSAP series, will be released in May 2016. The other releases are *Pediatric Emergencies*, *Research Ethics/Study Design*, *Pediatric Critical Care*, *Sedation and Analgesia*, *Pediatric Oncology*, *Fluids/Electrolytes/Nutrition*, and *Neonatal and Pediatric Sepsis*.



Marcia L. Buck



Kalen B. Manasco

Single-release and series sales of the ACCP self-assessment programs will start in October. For more information and series updates as they become available, visit www.accp.com/bookstore.

ACCP Member Spotlight: Tamara Malm



Tamara Malm

Tamara Malm, Pharm.D., MPH, BCPS, is an assistant professor of pharmacy practice and administration at the University of Saint Joseph in Hartford, Connecticut. She serves as a preceptor for the ambulatory care rotation for pharmacy students in the adult primary care clinic at Yale-New Haven Hospital. This clinic provides many services,

including hypertension, addiction, diabetes, anticoagulation, and urgent care, but most of her time is focused in the transitional care clinic. Developing clinical pharmacy services in the transitional care clinic was the focus of her PGY2 research project, which has turned into an extremely rewarding position. The primary goal of the clinic is to provide continuity of care for patients between the hospital and home. Important issues such as medication accessibility, affordability, and education are addressed at follow-up appointments with a multidisciplinary team consisting of an attending and resident physician, licensed practical nurse, social worker, pharmacist, and pharmacy student. Malm aims to expand this service during the next year by adding home and virtual visits by pharmacists, pharmacy students, and residents to reach even more patients during critical transitions. Malm believes that educating patients on their medications and making interventions on medication discrepancies keeps her focused on the significance of her position, while educating pharmacy students and asking meaningful research questions helps expand her breadth of knowledge.

Malm's journey to pharmacy began when she packed up her horse, cat, and personal belongings to move to Lexington, Kentucky, for undergraduate training at the University of Kentucky. She fell in love with the Bluegrass state and decided to stay and complete both her Pharm.D. and MPH degrees in 2013. The clinical challenge of her neurocritical care experiential rotation drove her to pursue postgraduate training. She completed a PGY1 residency program at Vidant Medical Center in Greenville, North Carolina. With determination, persistence, and leadership, she successfully completed her research project, "Ensuring Safety and Accuracy of Admission Medication Histories in a Technician-Run Service." Her mentors Kathey Rumley, Pharm.D., Leigh Gurley, Pharm.D., and Carol Labadie, Pharm.D., taught her how to manage others, develop and redesign a clinical service, track and trend medication errors, provide constructive feedback, and relay important results to key stakeholders. Malm believes the PGY1 residency program was one of her most rewarding

experiences thus far, and over the course of that year, she recognized her strengths in leadership, management, and medication safety. Malm completed a PGY2 residency in health-system pharmacy administration at Yale-New Haven Hospital in New Haven, Connecticut, and then achieved credentialing as a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist (BCPS). She is extremely thankful to all of her mentors during both her PGY1 and PGY2 residencies, who helped develop her clinical management acumen and provided her with challenging opportunities at every turn.

As a student, Malm recognized during her first ACCP Annual Meeting that ACCP is a unique and special professional pharmacy organization. Malm believes that there is so much to be gained at each ACCP meeting, including opportunities for organizational involvement, networking, idea sharing, and expanding therapeutics knowledge. She attends a wide variety of programming sessions at each ACCP meeting, but her favorite sessions include recent updates in drug therapy, new and innovative practice models, and the best paper presentations. She is inspired by the range of experience among the pharmacist attendees at the sessions, and this motivates her to push the boundaries of pharmacy practice. Malm has been very active in ACCP since joining several years ago. She recently completed her term as the vice chair of the ACCP Resident Advisory Committee (RAC), where she helped develop informational videos about ACCP and the RAC. Furthermore, she is actively involved in increasing both student and resident involvement in the Clinical Administration PRN, career roundtables, and premeeting symposium at the ACCP Annual Meeting. Malm is still a new practitioner, but "ACCP has already established a permanent place in [my] professional life and [I look] forward to contributing to the College even more in the future."

Malm believes that the most underserved patients in the United States are those with a language barrier. Through her work with underserved populations in Connecticut, she has been inspired to learn Spanish to help patients understand their own health and medications. She hopes to combine her love of traveling and clinical pharmacy to help patients outside the United States.

Malm realized that she was meant for clinical pharmacy and that she truly loved her job when she was told "I don't know what we would have done without a pharmacist here." This statement provides her with enough fuel to get through all of the tough days and continue learning and growing as a practitioner. Malm advises new practitioners to always say yes at the beginning of their career. She feels passionately that because there are so many different career paths in pharmacy, you owe it to yourself to try everything. She understands

that taking on many different projects may stretch you a little thin but believes that you should push yourself to your limits to see what you can handle.

Attention Students and Postgraduate Trainees: Take Advantage of ACCP's On-Demand CV Review Service

A well-written curriculum vitae (CV) creates a positive image to future selection committees or employers and distinguishes you from the rest of the crowd. As questions arise in preparing your CV, and once finished, wouldn't it be helpful to have a seasoned professional review it?

You can now submit your CV online as a PDF document and have it assigned to an ACCP member volunteer reviewer. The reviewer will provide suggestions, and you will receive an e-mail containing feedback from the reviewer within 14 business days.

The CV Review Service is open year-round so that you can upload your CV for review anytime you choose. You can also receive input on your CV from a second reviewer, if you wish. This option automatically appears when you sign in to your ACCP account after receiving feedback from your initial reviewer. Also, when preparing your CV for review, be sure to take advantage of ACCP's other [web-based resources](#). Learn the basics of CV formatting, view example CVs, and access valuable CV pearls that provide practical insights into developing a CV.

For more information regarding the On-Demand CV Review Service or to submit your CV, [click here](#).

Call for Publishing Proposals



If you have ever thought to yourself, "Someone should write a book on that topic," you may have the next idea for an ACCP publication. ACCP encourages the submission of publication proposals that are consistent with its mission to provide leadership, education, advocacy, and resources that enable clinical pharmacists to achieve excellence in practice and research. Whether you have a rough draft of a chapter or a brainstorming thought or two, ACCP would love to hear from you.

Initially, the publishing process may seem intimidating and complicated, but at ACCP, every step is carefully thought out and supervised so that you will never have to sacrifice your vocation for a publication. Dave Shaw, publications project manager, is dedicated to making the development and production of high-quality books as straightforward as possible; Medical Editor Kimma Sheldon brings

a wealth of knowledge and care to every publication; and Graphic Designer Mary Ann Kuchta creates beautiful covers and layouts. ACCP will provide expert support from the first draft to the publication date and beyond.

To submit a proposal, please visit our website at <https://www.accp.com/docs/bookstore/proposal.pdf>. For guidance on your proposal, or to discuss an idea for a book, please e-mail Dave Shaw at dshaw@accp.com. Join ACCP in its proud commitment to publishing high-quality books for the scientific community.

Emergency Contraception Guide for Pharmacies

In the past several years, there have been numerous new emergency contraception (EC) products and changes in regulations, such as restricting access based on age or checking identification. As a result, pharmacies are often unable to keep up with the latest products and changes. This has led to misinformation and refusals by community pharmacists, most commonly related to the window for use after unprotected intercourse and age or gender restrictions.

A new concise and comprehensive guide on EC product availability and access has been developed to serve as an easy reference to stay current on access issues and available products. The guide, *Emergency Contraception: A Guide for Pharmacies and Retailers*, is intended for use as a reference for pharmacists as well as for pharmacy or store management and staff.

The guide is updated when needed and can be found on the American Society for Emergency Contraception (ASEC) website: http://americansocietyforec.org/uploads/3/2/7/0/3270267/pharmacy_ec_access_overview.pdf. The guide is also available in Spanish: http://americansocietyforec.org/uploads/3/2/7/0/3270267/pharmacy_ec_access_overview_spanish.pdf.

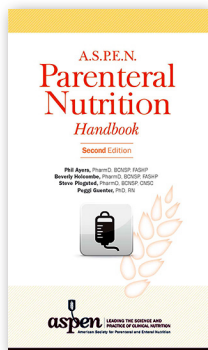
Pharmacies are encouraged to stock EC products and make them available on over-the-counter shelves to minimize barriers to access. Pharmacists can help provide evidence-based counseling on medications and make referrals for more effective methods of contraception and sexually transmitted infection screening and treatment. Please see specific state laws regarding refusals for personal objections (overview by Guttmacher Institute): http://www.guttmacher.org/statecenter/spibs/spib_EC.pdf.

The guide was developed by ASEC in collaboration with the ACCP Women's Health PRN and the Reproductive Health Technologies Project. For more information, contact Sally Rafie, Pharm.D., BCPS (srafie@ucsd.edu).

New Titles in the ACCP Bookstore

The ACCP Bookstore has recently added new titles featuring discounted prices for members. Check out these publications and more at www.accp.com/bookstore. If you know of a publication that you would like to see in the ACCP Bookstore, contact us at accp@accp.com.

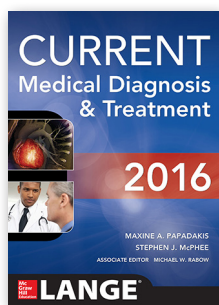
[A.S.P.E.N. Parenteral Nutrition Handbook, Second Edition](#)



The *A.S.P.E.N. Parenteral Nutrition Handbook, Second Edition*, is an interdisciplinary go-to quick reference on parenteral nutrition. Fully revised, this edition features 10 fully revised chapters in line with the A.S.P.E.N. Parenteral Nutrition Safety Consensus Recommendations (JPEN, March 2014) and the A.S.P.E.N. Clinical Guidelines: Parenteral Nutrition Ordering,

Order Review, Compounding, Labeling, and Dispensing (JPEN, March 2014) and new sections on order review, compounding, and drug shortage management. There's something for everyone involved in caring for patients receiving parenteral therapy, from the novice to the advanced practitioner.

[CURRENT Medical Diagnosis & Treatment 2016, 55th Edition](#)



Written by top clinicians, *CURRENT Medical Diagnosis & Treatment* spans the fields of internal medicine, reviewing symptoms, signs, epidemiology, diagnosis, prevention, and treatment for more than 1000 diseases and disorders. Turn to any page and you'll find concise, evidence-based answers to key questions concerning both in-hospital and ambulatory patient problems. In addition, sections feature a streamlined format that puts the latest diagnostic protocols, prevention strategies, and treatment options right at your fingertips.

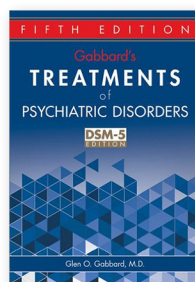
[LANGE Smart Charts: Pharmacology, Second Edition](#)

This is a pharmacology review that simulates the way students think and learn. Composed entirely of tables and diagrams, this innovative text delivers a complete review of pharmacology. The unique tabular

presentation facilitates comparisons and clarifies relationships among drugs within all classes. Each chapter begins with an outline of the drug class discussed, followed by a list of key terms. Coverage of each drug includes terms of actions, pharmacokinetics, uses, drug interactions, and side effects. Mnemonics and other learning aids are included throughout the book to facilitate learning. *Smart Charts: Pharmacology* covers every essential topic in pharmacology.



[Gabbard's Treatments of Psychiatric Disorders, Fifth Edition](#)



The definitive treatment textbook in psychiatry, this fifth edition of *Gabbard's Treatments of Psychiatric Disorders* is both comprehensive and concise, meeting the needs of clinicians who prefer a single user-friendly volume. The book focuses on treatment over diagnostic considerations and addresses both empirically validated treatments and accumulated clinical wisdom where research is lacking.

2016 ACCP Committee and Task Force Selection Now Complete

After receiving responses to this summer's committee charge/volunteer services survey from more than 800 ACCP member volunteers, President-Elect Terry Seaton has completed the process of impaneling committees and task forces for the upcoming year. Each committee and task force will hold its first face-to-face meeting next month during the 2015 ACCP Global Conference on Clinical Pharmacy in San Francisco, California. At press time, ACCP was still seeking to confirm a handful of committee and task force appointments. However, if a member who expressed interest in committee service through this summer's survey was not selected, please note that ACCP will be offering additional opportunities for members to volunteer for other College-related activities during the year (e.g., CV review, meeting abstract review, Clinical Pharmacy Challenge item writing) according to the member responses received in this summer's survey. Look for e-mails from ACCP if you volunteered to provide non-committee service this year in addition to open calls for selected new volunteer activities in future issues of the *ACCP Report*.

New Members

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