Georgia Chapter
American College of Physicians

Award Ceremony

October 22, 2016

Leading Internal Medicine, Improving Lives
American College of Physicians
Georgia Chapter 2016

Leadership Award Presenter

Jacqueline Fincher, MD, MACP
Member, Board of Regents
American College of Physicians
Immediate Past Governor Georgia Chapter
Honors key leaders whose contributions embody the core principles of the ACP to enhance quality health care, public policy and/or medical education

S. William Clark III, MD
Past President
Medical Association of Georgia
Founder, Georgia Physician Leadership Academy
Laureate Award

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Clyde Watkins, MD, FACP
Meharry Medical College
School of Medicine
Capstone Medical Group
American College of Physicians
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Mark Silverman Award

Excellence in bedside skills and teaching and has served as an inspiration for younger physicians

N. Wilson Holland, MD, FACP, AGSF
Emory University
Atlanta VA Medical Center
American College of Physicians
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J. Willis Hurst Bedside Teaching Award

Honored for his or her outstanding teaching activities especially related to medical students and house staff

Edward (Ted) Chin, MD, FACP
Medical College of Georgia
Charlie Norwood VA Medical Center
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Outstanding Medicine Resident Community Service Volunteerism and Advocacy Award

Deep Shah, MD, M.Sc.
Emory University Medicine Residency
Masters in Social Policy Oxford University
Primary Care Physician
Gwinnett Clinic
American College of Physicians
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Outstanding Medicine Resident Community Service Volunteerism and Advocacy Award

Lavanya Viswanathan, MD, MS
Immediate Past Chair of the Resident Fellow Committee to the ACP Board of Governors
Ex-officio member of the ACP Board of Regents
Medical College of Georgia
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Outstanding Medical Student Community Service Volunteerism and Advocacy Award

Anna Sulimirski (MD to be)
Medical College of Georgia
Selection for Mastership
American College of Physicians

Selected because of “integrity, positions of honor, eminence in practice or in medical research, or other attainments in science or the art of medicine”

Edwin W. Grimsley, MD, FACP (MACP)
Mercer University
School of Medicine
American College of Physicians
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National ACP
W. Lester Henry Award for
Diversity and Access to Care

Outstanding accomplishments in achieving
diversity in clinical medicine or research, and/or
access to care in relation to diverse populations

William S. Salazar, MD, FACP
Medical College of Georgia
Laurel Award for National Leadership

“The exemplary individuals we honor with Laurels are the definition of leaders in cancer prevention and early detection,” said Carolyn Aldigé, president and founder of the Prevent Cancer Foundation. “We are grateful for their contributions and look forward to working with them as they continue effect change in the health and well-being of our communities.”

Dr. Jim Hotz, MD, MACP
Albany Georgia

Presented in Baltimore Maryland April 2016
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Selection for Chair-elect for National Council of Early Career Physicians
American College of Physicians

Danny Newman MD, FACP
Augusta, Georgia
Neumann and Newman
American College of Physicians
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2015 Chapter Excellence Award

Accepted by
Ms. Mary Daniels

Georgia Chapter Executive Director
American College of Physicians
Georgia Chapter
Georgia Physician Leadership Academy

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f6qel-FpQNW
GPLA Academy Graduates
Physician Jedi’s

Physicians becoming Jedi Knights in the fight to preserve physician autonomy in practice, to preserve the doctor-patient relationship, and for physician academy graduates to become leaders in medicine.
The Jedi Order mostly consists of polymaths: teachers, philosophers, scientists, engineers, physicians, diplomats and warriors, who value knowledge and wisdom above nationality. By serving others, the Jedi give of themselves through acts of charity, citizenship, and volunteerism.
Jedi Master Clark and Jedi Knights
Light sabers

Their traditional weapon is the lightsaber, a device which generates a blade-like plasma controlled by a crystal. The fictional organization has inspired a real-world new religious movement, Jediism. [1]
Jedi Night Hood Induction Ceremony
for
Mrs. S. William Clark

By
Jedi Knight Master
Dr. S. William Clark III
Jedi Knight
Dr. Jacqueline Fincher
Mrs. Clark please come forward for the ceremony

Jedi Knight Clark

May the Force be with you!
Very Special Thanks

• Dr. Brian Ribeiro - educational program chair

• Dr. Jason White - faculty poster program

• Dr. Shane King - resident poster and podium program

• Dr. Lisa Bernstein - medical student program

• Dr. Waldon Garriss - medical jeopardy for medical students and residents
Thank you all for coming to the dinner and attending the meeting.