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School of Medicine
Department of Pediatrics

LSU Pediatrics Tuesday Tidbits

Welcome to the Department of Pediatrics' weekly email blast designed to deliver important department information straight to your inbox.

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LSU Pediatrics Announcements

New Academic Year Promotions



Congratulations to Daniella Miller of Child Neurology on her promotion effective July 1, 2024:

Daniella Miller, MD
Neurology
Associate Professor - Clinical

Congratulations, Graduates!

Congratulations to our Department Residency and Fellowship graduates who took home their diplomas throughout several ceremonies last week.

The graduation ceremony for our Pediatrics, Medicine/Pediatrics, and Pediatric/Emergency Medicine residency graduating classes was held this past Saturday at the Audubon Tea Room.

Pediatric Graduates:

Amanda Barkemeyer
Karleigh Barkemeyer
Peyton Bennett
Anna Simon
Jantzen Collette

Will Fernandez
Amanda Granier
Mariah Humphrey
Riley Jay
Taylor Jones
Hannah Nguyen
Adam Prevot
Karlie Ragas
Judston Robinson
Corinna Victor

Medicine/Pediatric Graduates:

Meaghan Bank
Emily Riley
Lauren deLeon
DeLane Hise
Nataliya Khimitch
Ashley Misky
Cassie Shaw

Pediatric/Emergency Medicine Graduate:

Mayra Ramirez

Pediatric Completion Certificate for Child Neurology:

Andrew Harold





The graduation ceremony for our Pediatric Subspecialty Fellowship programs was held on Friday in Worley Hall. Graduates included:

Sarah Leo
Devyn Rohlf
Allergy/Immunology

Kanya Singhapakdi
Wesam Sourour
Cardiology

Holly Breeden
Gastroenterology

Christian Nieves Rivera
Hematology/Oncology

Tracy Omoegbele
Hospital Medicine

Jeremy Lawson
Kelly Ordemann
Neonatal - Perinatal





On Friday, the department joined the graduating residency class for an awards ceremony in Worley Hall hosted by Program Director Dr. Chelsey Sandlin. Congratulations to all award winners:

Amanda Barkemeyer, MD

Penny Scurto, MD Outstanding Pediatric Resident Award

DeLane Hise, DO

Outstanding Medicine/Pediatric Resident Award

Ricardo Gomez, MD

Nicholas Gagliano, MD Outstanding Faculty Award

Given annually by the LSU Pediatrics Residents for excellence in teaching, and for sharing, through knowledge and example, the facts and feelings that prepare us for a lifetime of service to children

Amanda Messer, MD

Suskind Outstanding Pediatric Faculty Award

Presented annually to the faculty member who has made an outstanding academic contribution to the education, research, clinical service and advocacy missions of the LSU Department of Pediatrics

Anna Simon, MD

Gretchen Life, MD Award

Awarded to the graduating resident who embodies Gretchen's zeal for life and love for patients

Anna Simon, MD

Outstanding Cardiology Resident

Selected by Cardiology Faculty to recognize a resident with outstanding clinical and professional performance on the rotation

Kelly Ordemann, MD

Outstanding Fellowship Teaching Award

Awarded annually by the residents in recognition of outstanding teaching and mentoring skills

Peyton Bennett, DO, Hope Retif, MD, Morgan Viviano, MD

Alfonso Vargas, MD Research Award

For the Residents Who Have Demonstrated Outstanding Performance in Pediatric Research

Sarah Stobbs, MD and Zaria Williams, MD

Intern of the Year Award

Given annually by Pediatrics PGY 1, 2 and 3 acknowledging an intern who exemplifies the values of our residency: dedication to the care of patients, advocacy for their patients, professionalism, interdisciplinary collaboration, and collegiality among residents

Caroline Lawless, MD

Pediatric Alumni Award

Congratulations to our stellar class of graduates! We will miss you all!

Special thanks to our Residency and Fellowship Program Directors, Associate Program Directors, Chief Residents, and Program Coordinators as we wrap up another academic year and the concluding ceremonies that go along with it.

Department Hosts Stanford's Dr. Hayley Gans as Visiting Professor

Dr. Hayley Gans, Professor of Pediatrics at Stanford University, served as Visiting Professor in the department last week, sharing her expertise as Director of Fellowships with us. Dr. Gans met with several groups including department educational leaders, Fellowship Program Directors, and our subspecialty fellows. Her Grand Rounds presentation titled "The State of Pediatric Subspecialties and the Academic Mission" was reached by nearly 200 people. Thank you to Dr. Amy Creel and Dr. Amanda Messer for organizing Dr. Gans' visit.



The State of Pediatric Subspecialties and the Academic Mission

Children's Hospital of New Orleans
Hayley Gans
Stanford University Medical Center
6/12/24

Stanford
Children's Health | Lucile Packard
Children's Hospital
Stanford





Louisiana Center for Advancing Underrepresented Scientists' Careers in
Health, Nutrition, Obesity, and Disparities Research

LAUNCHED Presents...

Pilot and Feasibility Competition Information Session

The LAUNCHED program will dedicate up to \$930,000 to fund up to 19 pilot and feasibility grants.

Friday
June 28, 2024
12:00 PM CDT

There will be an opportunity to
ask questions.
Letters of intent accepted
from July 1, 2024 to
December 19, 2025.

→ Meet us on Zoom on 6/28/2024 ←
<https://pbrc-edu.zoom.us/j/99507989724>

For full RFA visit <http://launchedfunding.pbrc.edu/>
Letters of intent accepted through December 19, 2025



FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

New video monthly

June Video: "What is Difficult about Feedback?"

Feedback is crucial for our learners. This video (6 minutes) from the University of Michigan directly addresses challenges to Giving Feedback - time, feeling it's subjective, worries about rapport, negative reviews from learners - and provides some concrete ways to overcome these barriers.

<https://www.coursera.org/lecture/clinical-skills/01-03-what-is-difficult-about-feedback-Q32ML>

Please send any suggestions or areas of faculty development need to acree1@lsuhsc.edu.

If you are interested in other forms of Faculty Development, visit these websites:

- [LSU Pediatrics Faculty Development Page](#)
 - [LSUHSC GME Medical Education Development Site](#)
 - [LSUHSC Faculty Development and Evaluation Committee's Tiger Bites Series](#)
 - [ACGME LEARN](#)
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For questions or comments regarding Faculty Development, please contact [Amy Creel](#).

CHNOLA Announcements

Grand Rounds

Hybrid Pediatric Grand Rounds



Children's Hospital
New Orleans
LCMC Health

Tulane University Department of Pediatrics presents the Ralph V. Platou Memorial Grand Rounds

"Systems-Based Practice: What I learned about a physician's role in strengthening the health system as a disease detective and public health specialist"

Wednesday, June 19, 2024

Hospital Large Conference Rooms, Noon

You may join Pediatric Grand Rounds from your computer, tablet, or smartphone:

To receive CME or CEU Credit in person or online, you **MUST** register.

Register here: <https://forms.gle/KHcZ4J5vkEDrDEu48>

Zoom link: <https://tulhsc.zoom.us/j/92060541657>

Meeting ID: 920 6054 1657



Sarah Labuda, MD, MPH, CTropMed, is the medical director of immunizations and child health programs at the Arkansas Department of Health and Adjunct Assistant Professor of Pediatrics in the Section of Infectious Diseases at University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences/Arkansas Children's Hospital in Little Rock, Arkansas. She completed medical school at Texas A&M University; Pediatric residency at UAMS/ACH in Little Rock, Arkansas; Master of Public Health at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health in Baltimore, MD; and Pediatric Infectious Diseases Fellowship at the joint Tulane/LSU/Ochsner fellowship program in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Dr. Labuda is the 2024 Ralph V. Platou, MD, Visiting Professor as part of the Tulane University Pediatrics Residency program.

Objectives: At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

1. Describe public health roles and systems at the local, national, and international level
2. Understand the role of the physician in the context of a systems-based practice
3. Give examples of how pediatricians can strengthen health care systems to ensure equitable care for all patients

Intended audience: This activity is specifically directed towards the pediatrician, but it is open to all other interested physicians, residents, medical students, and allied health professionals.

Accreditation Children's Hospital New Orleans is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Designation Children's Hospital New Orleans designates this live activity for a maximum of 1.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

CNE statement: Children's Hospital is approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by Louisiana State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation, Provider #4003155. To receive credit, you must attend the entire program and submit a post program evaluation.

ADA Statement: In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if special accommodations are needed, please notify Denise Graham at 504-896-9431.



Please see the [attached flyer](#) for this week's presentation. A limited number of lunches will be provided for guests in the Large Conference Rooms. Overflow viewing space is available in the small rooms outside the Conference Rooms, or on the 3rd floor in the Physician Lounge.

Register Here: <https://forms.gle/KHcZ4J5vkEDrDEu48>

PLEASE READ: You need to register using the linked form to receive credit for participating. Thank you for your understanding.

The usual note: to receive credit, attendees must register using the provided form, and attendee names as they appear in zoom should clearly identify the attendee.

Department Wellness

CHNOLA's childcare center open for children of providers/staff working at Children's Hospital ([flyer](#))

LSU Pediatrics Wellness Resources ([information](#))

Other Announcements

Latest Edition of The Pulse ([link](#))

Resident Education

- Resident Participation in Research ([information](#)) - complete a shared spreadsheet with a brief description of the project you are looking for collaboration or assistance with.

Department Biostatistician

- Department Biostatistician, Dr. Zhide Fang, is available to provide biostatistical support to faculty, fellows, and residents. Please see below for revised scheduling procedures:
 1. Email Zhide Fang at zfang@lsuhsc.edu
 2. Provide brief explanation of the service you need and, if applicable, times you are able to meet
 3. Dr. Fang may request additional information depending on the nature of your request
 4. Asking simple, direct questions through email is welcome at any time, but appointments are preferred

Administrative Reminders

- Importance of Time Certification ([information](#)) - learn more about why we certify time each month!
- Use of Non-LSUHSC Email ([information](#))
- Download the Department Composites for the 2023-2024 academic year! ([Resident](#), [Fellow](#), [Faculty](#), and [Admin Staff](#)).
- LSU travel policy and procedures ([information](#))

Department Anniversaries

Steffan Sernich, 17 years
Regina Zambrano, 12 years
Elizabeth Alonso, 10 years
Shubho Sarkar, 7 years
Rebecca Calix, 2 years
Kimiyo Harris-Williams, 1 year

Share Your News!

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