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 Stephen Gilman, M.D.
 Samantha Gnanasegaram, M.D.
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 Samantha Saltz, M.D.
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2020 International Distinguished Fellows

International distinguished fellows are internationally recognized for their demonstrated skill in administrative, educational and clinical settings. They are also noted for volunteering in mental health and medical activities of social significance and involvement in community activities. Excellence, not mere competence, is the hallmark of an APA international distinguished fellow.

Mahdi Abumadani, M.B.B.S., D.P.M.
Ganesan Gopalakrishnan, M.D.
Georgios Pagkalos, M.D.

2020 International Fellows

International fellows have maintained membership for at least three years in the American Psychiatric Association or in the national or local psychiatric organization of their home country and are certified in psychiatry by a national board equivalent to the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology Inc., if certification exists in their home country.

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David Gutnisky, M.D.
Nididi Ihezue, M.B.B.S.
Orville Jess Pandes, M.D.
Octavio Saliba, M.D.

Khalid Shehatto, M.B.B.S.
Mala Singh, M.D., M.B.B.S.
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Meshal Sultan, M.B.B.S.
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Rahul Tadke, M.D.
Mian Ul Haq, M.B.B.S.
Johannes Van Den Bos, M.D.

Special Presidential Commendation

Carol L. Alter, M.D., is the Director of Behavioral Health at Baylor Scott and White Health and has over 25 years experience as a consult-liaison psychiatrist and expert in integrating behavioral and physical health and value based care delivery. Dr. Alter is the chair of the APA Committee on Quality and Performance Measurement, which oversees APA's participation in the development of quality measures. Dr. Alter attended George Washington University School and received psychiatric training at the Mayo Clinic, Cornell University Medical College, and Memorial Sloan Kettering. ■



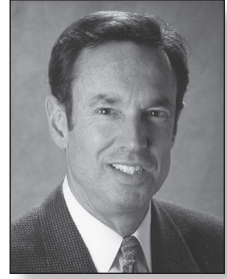
Carol L. Alter, M.D.

Mary Jeanne Kreek, M.D., is Professor and Head of the Laboratory of the Biology of Addictive Diseases at The Rockefeller University. In 1964, while a medical resident, she joined Professor Vincent P. Dole, also joined by psychiatrist, Marie Nyswander and performed the initial studies of the potential use of the long-acting mu opioid receptor agonist, methadone, in chronic management of heroin addiction. Dr. Kreek is author of over 400 original scientific research papers and 150 related articles. By molecular, neurobiological, behavioral and human genetics studies, she has documented the role of the endogenous opioid system in opioid, cocaine, and alcohol addictions. ■



Mary Jeanne Kreek, M.D.

Malcolm Lazin, J.D., is the executive director of Equality Forum and the founder of LGBT History Month. Previously a federal prosecutor, he received the U.S. Attorney General's Distinguished Service Award and subsequently served as the chair of the Pennsylvania Crime Commission. Lazin is credited with the lighting of the Benjamin Franklin Bridge, which connects Philadelphia with Camden, New Jersey. He also successfully led a nearly two-decades-long campaign to make Washington Square (in Philadelphia), the largest Revolutionary War burial site, part of Independence National Historical Park. Lazin is the recipient of numerous local, state, and national community service and civil rights awards. ■



Malcolm Lazin, J.D.

In honor of the late Dr. Carl Bell

Carl C. Bell, M.D., was a Staff Psychiatrist at Jackson Park Hospital's Inpatient Consultation Liaison Service. He was Professor Emeritus - Department of Psychiatry, School of Medicine at the UIC. He published 600+ articles & chapters. Author of *The Sanity of Survival & Fetal Alcohol Exposure in the African-American Community* & had an international NIMH R-01. He was co-editor of *Pequegnat W & Bell CC (eds). Family and HIV/AIDS* and *Jeste D & Bell CC (eds). Psychiatric Clinics of North America*. He received numerous awards from NMA, BPA, Meharry, APA, ACPsych, NCCHC, AAPA, AACP, AASP, & NCCHC. ■



Carl C. Bell, M.D.

Distinguished Service Award

Established by the APA Board of Trustees in 1964 to honor individuals and/or organizations who have contributed exceptional meritorious service to the field of psychiatry and/or the American Psychiatric Association. These awards are selected by the Board of Trustees based on the recommendation of the Distinguished Service Awards Work Group.

Ellen M. Berman M.D., is a Clinical Professor of Psychiatry, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania. She is President of the Association of Family Psychiatrists, former chair of the Family Committee of GAP, and former Board member of organizations and journals including GAP, American Family Therapy Association, and Family Process. She has worked to bring a family oriented and systemic approach to treating patients and families, and to promote family psychiatry. She is the co-author of *Marital and Family Therapy*, 4th edition, and articles and chapters on adult development, couple and family therapy, and the needs of families of psychiatric patients, and is co-author of the ADDPRT model curriculum on family systems for residents. She has received numerous awards including the Lifetime Achievement Award from AFTA and the Exemplary Psychiatrist award from NAMI. ■



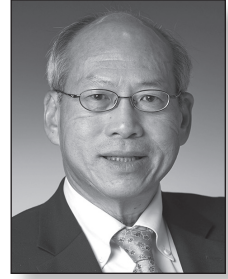
Ellen M. Berman M.D.

Miriam B. Rosenthal, M.D., is Emeritus faculty in Psychiatry and Reproductive Biology at Case Western Reserve University, in Cleveland, Ohio. She previously served as President of the American Society of Psychosomatic Obstetrics and Gynecology. A pioneer in the field of maternal mental health, decades ago Dr Rosenthal recognized the importance of embedding psychiatric services in obstetrics, including inpatient obstetrics, clinics, and for mothers in the NICU. A graduate of Mount Holyoke College and George Washington University medical school, Mim was one of four women in her class. She has been a beloved mentor for generations of psychiatrists at Case Western. ■



Miriam B. Rosenthal, M.D.

Francis G. Lu, M.D., is the Luke & Grace Kim Professor in Cultural Psychiatry, Emeritus, at the University of California, Davis. Dr. Lu has contributed to the areas of cultural psychiatry including the interface with religion/spirituality, psychiatric education, and psychiatry/film. He has presented at every Annual Meeting since 1984. From 2002 to 2019, he served on the Council on Minority Mental Health and Health Disparities. In 2008, the American Psychiatric Foundation awarded him an Advancing Minority Mental Health Award, and the Association for Academic Psychiatry awarded him its Lifetime Achievement in Education Award. ■



Francis G. Lu, M.D.

Organizational Distinguished Service Award

The New York State Office of Mental Health (OMH) oversees a large, multifaceted behavioral healthcare system that serves more than 800,000 individuals each year. OMH's focus is on prevention, early intervention, and successful recovery for individuals living with and at-risk for mental illness. OMH has established prevention and early intervention services in primary care practices and in schools, expanded First-Episode Psychosis Teams throughout the state, and implemented innovative and effective community services for those living with serious mental illness. Its 23 state-operated psychiatric centers, state-operated forensic services, two state research facilities, and more than 4,500 certified community programs provide treatment, hope, and recovery for those living with mental illness in communities throughout New York State. ■



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Award Lectures

Administrative Psychiatry Award

Established in 1983 to honor an APA member who is a nationally-recognized clinician executive, whose effectiveness as an administrator of major mental health programs has expanded the body of knowledge of management in the mental health services delivery system and whose effectiveness has made it possible to function as a role model for other psychiatrists.

Ann Marie Sullivan, M.D., is currently Commissioner of the New York State Office of Mental Health. She has focused on early prevention, integration of mental and physical health, reducing disparities and providing access to care for all, and preventing the criminalization of the mentally ill. She held senior leadership roles in the NY City public hospital system, published and presented on critical issues in community psychiatry and is Clinical Professor, Mt Sinai School of Medicine. She has served on the APA Board of Trustees and as Assembly Speaker and is a Fellow of the NY Academy of Medicine. ■



Ann Marie Sullivan, M.D.

Award for Research in Psychiatry

Established in recognition of a single distinguished contribution, a body of work or a lifetime contribution that has had a major impact on the field and/or altered the practice of psychiatry.

Maurizio Fava, M.D., is Psychiatrist-in-Chief of the Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH), Director, Division of Clinical Research of the MGH Research Institute, and Executive Director of the MGH Clinical Trials Network and Institute (CTNI), and associate dean for clinical and translational research and Slater Family Professor of Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School. Dr. Fava is a world leader in the field of depression. He has edited eight books and authored or co-authored more than 800 original articles cited more than 70,000 times in the literature, with an h index of over 130. ■

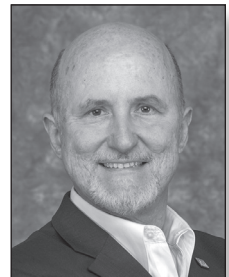


Maurizio Fava, M.D.

Simon Bolivar Award

Established in 1975 to honor a prominent advocate for Hispanics and is designed to sensitize the APA membership to the mental health problems and goals of Hispanics. This award is supported by Eli Lilly and Company and Pfizer Inc., and is selected by the APA Council on Minority Mental Health and Health Disparities.

Daniel Castellanos, M.D., has spent his career in academic medicine dedicated to the education and training of students, residents, and fellows in Psychiatry. He is Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics and Founding Chair of the Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Health at the Florida International University (FIU) Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine. Since 2015, Dr Castellanos has also served as the College of Medicine's Assistant Dean for Graduate Medicate Education. Dr Castellanos is the Associate Program Director for the Citrus Health Network-FIU Child & Adolescent Psychiatry Fellowship Training Program. ■



Daniel Castellanos, M.D.

Manfred S. Guttmacher

Established in 1975 to honor outstanding contributions to the literature of forensic psychiatry, in the form of a book, monograph, paper or other work presented at any professional meeting or published in the previous year. This award is co-sponsored by the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law.

Susan H. Friedman, M.D., serves as the inaugural Phillip J. Resnick Professor of Forensic Psychiatry at Case Western Reserve University, where she is also a professor of Reproductive Biology, Pediatrics, and adjunct professor of Law. Prior to this, for seven years, she and her family worked overseas in New Zealand. Dr. Friedman has served as vice-President of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law (AAPL), and as Chair of the Law and Psychiatry committee at the Group for Advancement of Psychiatry (GAP). She served as editor of the recent GAP book entitled *Family Murder: Pathologies of Love and Hate*.



Susan H. Friedman, M.D.

Founded in 1946, the Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry (GAP)'s mission includes to "offer an objective, critical perspective on current issues facing psychiatry". Each of the chapter authors was a member of GAP's Committee on Law and Psychiatry at the time of writing *Family Murder: Pathologies of Love and Hate*, including: Susan Hatters Friedman, MD (Chair); Jacob Appel, MD, JD, MPH; Peter Ash, MD; Alec Buchanan, PhD, MD; Richard Frierson, MD; Deborah Giorgi-Guarnieri, MD, JD; Jacqueline Landess, MD, JD; Richard Martinez, MD, MH; Debra A. Pinals, MD; and Phillip Resnick, MD. ■

Health Services Senior Scholar

Established in 1998 to reward sustained contributions to the field of psychiatric health services research by APA members.

Christina V. Mangurian, M.D., is Professor and Vice Chair for Diversity and Health Equity in the UCSF Department of Psychiatry and Weill Institute for Neurosciences. Her NIH-funded research focuses on reducing healthcare disparities among racially diverse populations with severe mental illness, and furthering the advancement of women and minorities within medicine. Dr. Mangurian has been published extensively, including in the *New England Journal of Medicine*, *JAMA*, and the *American Journal of Psychiatry*. She also has been widely recognized, receiving UCSF's 2017 Chancellor's Award for the Advancement of Women and the 2018 UCSF Distinction in Mentoring Award. ■



Christina V. Mangurian, M.D.

Health Services Early Career

Established in 1998 in recognition of the best paper published in the past year by an early career psychiatrist.

Samuel T. Wilkinson, M.D., graduated from medical school at John Hopkins University and completed his psychiatric residency training at Yale University. He is now Assistant Professor at Yale University and is the Assistant Director of the Yale Depression Research Program. His research interests focus on developing ways to improve the quality of care in the community for psychiatric patients and developing treatments (clinical trials). He has a special interest in improving access to and dissemination of preventive measures and evidence-based therapies for treatment-resistant depression. These include electroconvulsive therapy (ECT) and ketamine/esketamine. ■



Samuel T. Wilkinson, M.D.

Adolf Meyer Award

The Adolf Meyer Award, established in 1957, honors an individual for lifetime achievement in psychiatric research. The accompanying Adolf Meyer Award Lecture serves to advance psychiatric research by enabling psychiatrists and other conference attendees to hear and interact with an outstanding research scientist.

Kimberly Yonkers, M.D., is a Professor in the Department of Psychiatry (Primary), Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences, and the School of Epidemiology and Public Health at the Yale School of Medicine. She is Director of the Center for the Wellbeing of Women and Mothers, and Division Director for the Psychological Medicine Service. She has conducted numerous NIMH/NIDA/NICHD studies exploring optimal ways to identify, engage and treat mood disorders and substance use disorders in pregnant and postpartum women. ■

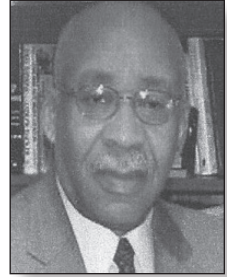


Kimberly Yonkers, M.D.

John Fryer Award

The John Fryer Award, established in 2005, honors an individual who has contributed to improving the mental health of sexual minorities. The award is named for Dr. John Fryer, a gay psychiatrist who played a crucial role in prompting APA to review the scientific data and to remove homosexuality from its diagnostic list of mental disorders in 1973.

Billy Jones, M.D., M.S., is a senior psychiatrist who has served as President/CEO, NYC Health and Hospitals Corporation, and as Commissioner, NYC Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Alcoholism Services. Previously, he was Medical Director, Lincoln Hospital, and Senior Associate Dean and Professor of Psychiatry, NYMC. Dr. Jones is the author/editor of numerous publications on African American mental health and LGBTQ issues including the recently published, “BLACK MENTAL HEALTH, Patients, Providers, and Systems” and previously “Mental Health Issues in Lesbian, Gay, Bisex ■

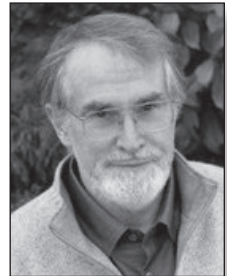


Billy Jones, M.D., M.S.

Patient Advocacy Award

The Patient Advocacy Award, established in 1987, recognizes a public figure who champions the rights and needs of persons with mental illness and substance use disorders.

E. Fuller Torrey, M.D., M.A., is a research psychiatrist specializing in schizophrenia and bipolar disorder (also known as manic-depressive illness). He is founder of the Treatment Advocacy Center and associate director for Research of the Stanley Medical Research Institute, which supports research on schizophrenia and bipolar disorder. He is also a professor of psychiatry at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences. ■



E. Fuller Torrey, M.D., M.A.

Judd Marmor Award

Established in 1999, in memory of past APA president, Judd Marmor, to honor an individual who has made a substantial contribution to advancing the biopsychosocial model of psychiatry.

Milton L. Wainberg, M.D., is a Professor of Clinical Psychiatry at Columbia University and the Founding Chair of the Caucus of Global Mental Health and Psychiatry of the American Psychiatric Association. Through federally-funded sources, Dr. Wainberg has expanded the reach of his innovative implementation science efforts bringing research to practice within public mental health systems of care in resource-poor areas of the US and numerous low- and middle-income countries in Asia, Latin America and sub-Saharan Africa. He is training the next generation of mental health clinicians and researchers. ■



Milton L. Wainberg, M.D.

David A. Mrazek, M.D., Memorial Award

Established in 2015 to honor David A. Mrazek, M.D., FRCPsych, and to recognize his contributions as a pioneer in the field of psychiatric pharmacogenomics. Selected by the Mrazek Award Committee, this award is given to honor an individual for recent work in psychiatric pharmacogenomics and his/her ability to translate research findings to a clinical audience.

John F. Greden, M.D., is the Rachel Upjohn Professor of Psychiatry and Clinical Neurosciences, Founder and Executive Director of the University of Michigan Depression Center, Founding Chair, National Network of Depression Centers (NNDC), and Research Professor in the Molecular and Behavioral Neuroscience Institute at the University of Michigan. He served as Chair of Psychiatry at Michigan from 1985 until 2007. Dr. Greden's academic priorities have been the search for biomarkers of Major Depressive Disorders (MDD) and bipolar illnesses, and developing precision health approaches for depressions. ■



John F. Greden, M.D.

Oskar Pfister Award

Established in 1983 in memory of Oskar Pfister, an ordained minister who studied and used psychoanalytic principles in his work, to honor outstanding contributions in the fields of psychiatry and religion. This award is supported by the Association of Professional Chaplains and the Harding Foundation.

John Peteet, M.D., completed medical school at Columbia University, residency at the Massachusetts Mental Health Center, and a fellowship at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital. For 42 years he has been a psychiatrist at Brigham and Women's Hospital and Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, where he is an Associate Professor of Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School. A Distinguished Life Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association, he has received teaching awards and published in psychosocial oncology, addiction, and the interface between spirituality/religion and psychiatry. He has authored or co-edited 8 books, and recently served as president of the APA's Caucus on Religion, Spirituality and Psychiatry. ■



John Peteet, M.D.

Isaac Ray Award

Established in 1951 to honor one of the original founders and fourth President of the Association, Isaac Ray, M.D., to honor a person who has made outstanding contributions to forensic psychiatry or to the psychiatric aspects of jurisprudence. This award is co-sponsored by the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law.

Jeffrey Swanson, Ph.D., M.Phil., is Professor in Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at Duke University School of Medicine. He earned a Ph.D. in sociology from Yale University. Dr. Swanson is the author or coauthor of over 200 publications and is currently Co-Director of the NIMH-funded UNC-Chapel Hill/Duke Postdoctoral Training Program in Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services and Systems Research. He is principal investigator of a multi-state study on firearms laws, mental illness and prevention of violence, and is a key consultant and member of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Program on Public Health Law Research Program's Methods Core. ■



Jeffrey Swanson, Ph.D.,
M.Phil.

Benjamin Rush Award

Established in 1967 to honor an academic or independent scholar whose body of research and publications is recognized as making a major contribution to the history of psychiatry.

Jonathan M. Metzl, M.D., Ph.D., is the Frederick B. Rentschler II Professor of Sociology and the Director of the Center for Medicine, Health, and Society, at Vanderbilt University. A 2008 Guggenheim fellow, Professor Metzl has written extensively for medical, psychiatric, and popular publications. He is author of the recent best-selling book, *Dying of Whiteness: How the Politics of Racial Resentment is Killing America's Heartland*. Dr. Metzl's other books include *The Protest Psychosis*, *Prozac on the Couch*, and *Against Health: How Health Became the New Morality*. ■



Jonathan M. Metzl, M.D.,
Ph.D.

Kun-Po Soo Award

Established in 1987 to recognize significant contributions toward understanding the impact and import of Asian cultural heritage in areas relevant to psychiatry. The award also seeks to encourage scholarship and research in culture-specific mental health issues and treatment needs of Asian populations and to stimulate scientific exchange on transcultural issues. This award is funded by a grant from the late Kun-Po Soo, M.D., Ph.D.

Xiaoduo Fan, M.D., M.P.H., is an Associate Professor of Psychiatry at University of Massachusetts Medical School. He is Director of the China Mental Health Program and Director of the Psychotic Disorders Clinical and Research Program at UMass. Prior to joining UMass, Dr. Fan was a staff psychiatrist at Massachusetts General Hospital and a member of the faculty at Harvard Medical School for seven years. Dr. Fan received his medical degree from Peking University in China and MPH degree from Harvard University. In addition, Dr. Fan obtained a Master's degree in Clinical Psychology at Rosalind Franklin University. ■



Xiaoduo Fan, M.D., M.P.H.

Alexandra Symonds Award

Established in 1997 in memory of APA Fellow and co-founder of the Association of Women Psychiatrists, Alexandra Symonds, M.D., to recognize and honor women psychiatrists' outstanding contributions and leadership in promoting women's health and advancement of women.

Nanette Gartrell, M.D., is Visiting Distinguished Scholar, Williams Institute, UCLA School of Law, and Guest Appointee, University of Amsterdam. A graduate of Stanford University and the University of California, she completed a psychiatry residency and fellowship at Harvard Medical School and served on the faculties of Harvard Medical School and UCSF. In the 1980s-90s, she led a series of investigations into sexual misconduct by physicians. She is the principal investigator of the ongoing U.S. National Longitudinal Lesbian Family Study, now in its 34th year with a 92% retention rate to date. ■

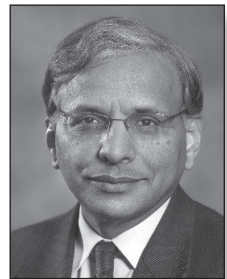


Nanette Gartrell, M.D.

George Tarjan Award

Established in 1992, in memory of George Tarjan, M.D., to recognize an individual who has made significant contributions to the enhancement of the integration of International Medical Graduates into American psychiatry.

Ananda K. Pandurangi, M.D., M.B.B.S., is Professor of Psychiatry & Adjunct Professor of Radiology @ Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA. He graduated from JIPMER, Pondicherry, India (MBBS) and did psychiatry residency (MD) at NIMHANS, Bangalore, India. He then completed another psychiatry residency at SUNY, Upstate Medical Center, Syracuse, NY, and fellowship in schizophrenia research at the New York State Psychiatric Institute & Columbia University, NY. Dr Pandurangi has trained >350 psychiatry residents and has 200+ publications. His areas of experience include schizophrenia, refractory MDD, brain stimulation, inpatient psychiatry, Yoga, and mental health advocacy. ■



Ananda K. Pandurangi,
M.D., M.B.B.S.

Vestermark Psychiatry Educator Award

Established in 1969 in memory of Seymour D. Vestermark, M.D., muchrevered director of the Training Branch of the National Institute of Mental Health for many years before his death in 1959. This award recognizes an educator who has made outstanding contributions to undergraduate, graduate, or postgraduate education and career development in psychiatry. The award lecture will be given at the 2021 Annual Meeting.

Jeffrey M. Lyness, M.D., Professor of Psychiatry & Neurology, is Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs at the University of Rochester School of Medicine & Dentistry. A Psychiatry Director for the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, he is Chair of the Steering Committee for the AAMC's Group on Faculty Affairs. A Past President of the American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry, his leadership roles have included service as Director of Curriculum and as Medical Director for Continuing Medical Education for UR, and as Associate Chair for Education in Psychiatry. Among his awards, he was named an Apple Distinguished Educator in 2013. ■

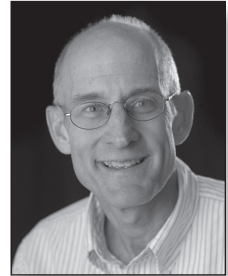


Jeffrey M. Lyness, M.D.

Frank J. Menolascino Award

Established in 1997 in memory of Frank J. Menolascino, M.D., an authority on mental illness in persons with intellectual developmental disorders and/or developmental disabilities. The award recognizes an APA member who has made significant contributions to psychiatric services for persons with intellectual development disorders and developmental disabilities through direct clinical services and/or dissemination of knowledge in this field through teaching or research.

Edwin H. Cook, Jr., M.D., is the Director of the Program for Neurodevelopmental Disorders and Director of Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry at University of Illinois. He has been engaged in clinical service, teaching, and research in autism for over three decades. Dr. Cook is one of the early autism genetics researchers. Co-authors reflect many of the clinicians and researchers he trained and mentored. Throughout his career, he has cared for numerous children, adults, and families affected by autism and intellectual disability and has inspired clinicians to advocate for this underserved population. ■



Edwin H. Cook, Jr., M.D.

Other Awards

(Not Presented at Convocation)

Solomon Carter Fuller Award

Established in 1969 to honor a Black citizen who has pioneered in an area which has significantly benefited the quality of life of Black people. This award is selected by the APA Council on Minority Health and Health Disparities.

Stephen McLeod-Bryant, M.D., received his BA and MD at the University of Rochester, and completed his residency in psychiatry at the Tufts-New England Medical Center in 1988. He has served on the faculty of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences of the Medical University of South Carolina, Meharry Medical College, and now at the University of Miami.

He has been a Life Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association (APA), President of the South Carolina Psychiatric Association, and served as the APA Caucus of Black Psychiatrists' Representative to the APA's Assembly for 13 years. ■



Stephen McLeod-Bryant,
M.D.

Blanche F. Ittleson Award for Research in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

Established in 1976 in memory of APA honorary fellow and noted philanthropic friend of psychiatry, Blanche F. Ittleson, to honor a child psychiatrist or group of investigators for published results of research pertaining to the mental health of children. This award is supported by the Ittleson Foundation, Inc. and selected by the APA Blanche Ittleson Research Award Committee.

Vilma Gabbay, M.D., is a renowned researcher focusing on neurobiological and immunological mechanisms contributing to the development and persistence of mood disorders in youth. Her research uses clinical trials, immunological measures, proton MR spectroscopy, and functional MRI. She is associate professor at the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Science, Albert Einstein College of Medicine. She is Co-Director of Research at the Psychiatry Research Institute at Montefiore Einstein and a research scientist at the Nathan S. Kline Institute for Psychiatric Research. She received her medical degree from Tel Aviv University and completed residencies at Montefiore Medical Center and New York University. ■



Vilma Gabbay, M.D.

Jacob K. Javits Public Service Award

Established in 1986 in memory of Senator Jacob K. Javits (R-NY). It is conferred annually to a public servant who has made a significant contribution to the cause of the mentally ill.

Senator Gayle Harrell has over 30 years of experience in healthcare, which made her a leader in setting healthcare policy for the State of Florida as a member of the Florida House of Representatives until 2018, when she was elected to the Florida Senate. Sen. Harrell currently serves as Chair of the Health Policy Committee and as Vice-Chair of the Appropriations HHS Subcommittee. In its nomination of Sen. Harrell for this award, the Florida Psychiatric Society expressed appreciation for Sen. Harrell's efforts to modernize the Florida Mental Health Act and secure mental health treatment for children in Florida's foster system. ■



Senator Gayle Harrell

Jeanne Spurlock, M.D. Minority Fellowship Achievement Award

Established in 1999 to recognize the outstanding achievements of former fellows and encourages continued involvement in the fellowship program. This award is funded by the APAF/SAMSHA Minority Fellowship Program.

Sarah Y. Vinson, M.D., is a triple boarded child and adolescent, adult, and forensic psychiatrist. A proud graduate of Florida A & M University, she completed medical school at the University of Florida and post-graduate training at Cambridge Health Alliance/Harvard Medical School and Emory School of Medicine. She is an Associate Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics and the Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Fellowship Director at Morehouse School of Medicine, where she was instrumental in the program's creation and initial accreditation by ACGME. She is also the Founder of the Lorio Psych Group, and Founder and Principal Consultant of Lorio Forensics. ■



Sarah Y. Vinson, M.D.

Chester M. Pierce Human Rights Award

Established in 1990 to raise awareness of human rights abuses, the award was renamed in 2017 to honor Chester M. Pierce, M.D. (1927-2016) and recognize his dedication as an innovative researcher on humans in extreme environments, as an advocate against disparities, stigma, and discrimination, and as a pioneer and visionary in global mental health.

Global Press Institute is creating a more just and informed world by employing local female journalists to produce ethical, accurate news coverage from the world's least-covered places. At Global Press, we believe journalism is an essential development tool that increases access to information and ignites social change. By training local women to become world-class journalists, we are reframing global narratives, revitalizing communities and repairing the lack of gender and racial diversity in newsrooms. Our industry-leading Duty of Care program is revolutionizing security and wellness for local journalists across the world. ■



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Jack Weinberg Memorial Award for Geriatric Psychiatry

Established in memory of Jack Weinberg, M.D., to honor a psychiatrist who has demonstrated special leadership or who has done outstanding work in clinical practice, training or research in geriatric psychiatry. Candidates for the award must be a psychiatrist nominated by an APA member. This award is selected and confirmed by the APA Council on Psychosomatic Medicine and Geriatric Psychiatry.

Helen Lavretsky, M.D., M.S., is a Professor-in-Residence in the Department of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences at the University of California, Los Angeles, a geriatric integrative psychiatrist with a federally-funded research program in geriatric and integrative mental health. She directs the Late-life mood, stress and wellness research program at UCLA. She is a recipient of the career development awards from the NIMH and the NCCIH, and other prestigious research awards. She is a Distinguished Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association and serves on the Program Committee of the APA; and on the editorial board of the *Psychiatric Times*. ■



Helen Lavretsky, M.D., M.S.

Psychiatric Services Achievement Awards

Since 1949, the Psychiatric Services Achievement Awards program has recognized creative models of service delivery and innovative programs for persons with mental illness or disabilities. Each year APA bestows a Gold, Silver, and Bronze Award.

Gold Award: Warrior Care Network

Based in Jacksonville, Florida, the Warrior Care Network is a collaboration of the Wounded Warrior Project and four academic medical centers throughout the United States: Emory Healthcare, Massachusetts General Hospital, Rush University Medical Center, and UCLA Health. The program operates in cooperation with the Department of Veterans Affairs to enhance access to clinical and family-centered treatment for veterans experiencing PTSD, traumatic brain injury (TBI), and related conditions. Care is offered through standard outpatient treatment and an innovative intensive outpatient program.



Presenter: Michael Richardson

Michael is responsible for WWP's mental and brain health programs including the Warrior Care Network which provides innovative treatment for the invisible wounds. Michael works tirelessly to bring awareness to the challenges of mental health. He testified before Congress multiple times, appeared on the Dr. Phil and The Doctors shows, and was part of President Bush's inaugural Veterans Leadership Program. During Michael's 30-year Army career he deployed to Iraq, Kuwait, Kosovo and Bosnia. His awards include two Legions of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal, and others. His wife Beth is also a retired Army officer. ■



Michael Richardson

Silver Award: Baylor College of Medicine Anti-Human Trafficking Program

SUNY Upstate Medical University is located in a rural area where there is a serious shortage of psychiatrists. To help mitigate this problem, the school's residency program has partnered with rural hospitals to support additional residency positions that will provide care in the community. The hospitals contract with the school with the understanding that the residents assigned to them, besides receiving standard residency training, will spend two months of the first two years of residency, and one day a week during the second two years at the hospital site. The residents are committed to spending the 5 years after training at the rural site. The first graduate has now started full-time work, and 12 current residents are providing care to rural communities where people in need would otherwise have great difficulty accessing psychiatric care.

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Rural Psychiatry Program

Presenter: Mollie Gordon, M.D.

Mollie Gordon, M.D., is an Associate Professor in the Menninger Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Baylor College of Medicine. She helped develop the first fellowship in the mental health impacts of human trafficking at an academic medical center and co-chairs AMWA-PATH where she leads trainer workshops nationally. She has consulted for the Office of Trafficking in Persons, and lectures at mental health and human trafficking. She co-founded the BCM Division of Global Mental Health to treat survivors of torture, trafficking and mass violence. She has published papers and edited a book in the space, and won numerous awards. ■



Mollie Gordon, M.D.

Bronze Award: SUNY Upstate Medical University

Baylor College of Medicine Anti-Human Trafficking Program

In this collaboration with the City of Houston's Mayor's Office and the Office of the Governor of Texas, Baylor Department of Psychiatry faculty members supervise two psychology postdoctoral fellows and a clinical social worker/case manager to address the problems related to human trafficking through a medical and public health lens. Through the program, healthcare professionals and community providers are trained in the identification and treatment of victims of human trafficking. By maintaining a working relationship with community-based case managers, the program enables victims to be referred for the mental health treatment they need. An interdisciplinary approach enables the appropriate response to patients' individual needs and provides a better chance for recovery and healing from this trauma.



Presenter: Viral Goradia, M.D.

Viral Goradia, M.D., is a graduate of the Upstate Medical University Psychiatry Residency Program and is board certified in Psychiatry, Addiction Psychiatry & Forensic Psychiatry. He currently works the Medical Director of the Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program (CPEP) in Binghamton, NY and as the Associate Residency Program Director at Upstate Medical University in Syracuse, NY. ■



Viral Goradia, M.D.

Kempf Fund Award for Research Development in Psychobiological Psychiatry

Established in 1988 in memory of Dorothy C. Kempf, to honor research excellence in the psychobiological, psychological, and/or sociological causes and treatment for the mental disorder known as schizophrenia. This award is bequest from the Estate of Dorothy C. Kempf.

Brandon McKinney, M.D., Ph.D., is an assistant professor of psychiatry at the University of Pittsburgh, where he studies relationships among DNA methylation, gene transcription, and synaptic alterations in the brains of individuals with schizophrenia. He uses postmortem brain tissue, neuronal cultures, molecular biology, and cutting-edge statistical approaches to epigenomic data to identify drug targets and novel treatment approaches. After earning his MD and PhD in Neuroscience at the University of Michigan, he completed his residency at UPMC Western Psychiatric Hospital and his postdoctoral training in the University of Pittsburgh Department of Psychiatry. He is funded by a NIMH K23 career development award. ■



Brandon McKinney, M.D.,
Ph.D.

Robert A. Sweet, M.D., is UPMC Endowed Professor of Psychiatric Neuroscience, Professor of Neurology at the University of Pittsburgh, and Clinical Core Director of the University of Pittsburgh Alzheimer Disease Research Center. He directs an NIMH-funded postdoctoral training program emphasizing translational neuroscience research. Honors include Brain & Behavior Research Foundation's NARSAD Distinguished Investigator Grant; American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry's Distinguished Scientist Award; and the American College of Psychiatrists' Geriatric Research Award. He uses genomic, human brain tissue, genetic animal model, and in vitro studies to investigate mechanisms leading to joint liability to cognitive and psychotic symptoms in Alzheimer disease and schizophrenia. ■



Robert A. Sweet, M.D.

Research Mentorship Award

Established to honor an academic psychiatrist who has significantly fostered the pursuit of student research within his/her university department through direct mentorship of individual students or by the promotion of novel research-oriented training activities. This award is co-sponsored by the American Association of Chairs of Departments of Psychiatry.

Melissa R. Arbuckle, M.D., Ph.D., is Professor of Psychiatry at Columbia University Irving Medical Center, where she is the Director of Residency Training and Vice Chair for Education. She is a multiple-PI of two NIMH-funded training grants, including a research track program for psychiatry residents (Priming the Pump: Training Physician-Scientists for Translational Psychiatry) and a post-doctoral research fellowship in implementation science (Global Mental Health Research Fellowship: Interventions That Make a Difference). Additionally, she is co-founder and co-chair of the National Neuroscience Curriculum Initiative (NNCI), a program that is transforming the way we train psychiatrists and other mental health professionals in neuroscience. ■



Melissa R. Arbuckle, M.D.,
Ph.D.

Agnes Purcell McGavin Award for a Distinguished Career in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

Established in 2000 in memory of APA Fellow Agnes Purcell McGavin, M.D., to honor a psychiatrist who have made significant contributions in teaching, research and care of children and adolescents. This award is selected by the APA Agnes Purcell McGavin Selection Committee.

Louis J. Kraus, M.D., D.F.A.P.A., is the Woman's Board Professor and chief of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, and Director of Forensic Psychiatry at Rush University Medical Center. Dr. Kraus is also the founding director of the Autism Assessment, Research, Treatment and Services (AARTS) Center at Rush. Dr. Kraus is board certified in child and adolescent, forensic and general psychiatry. His residency training was at Northwestern University and he completed his Child and Adolescent Psychiatry training fellowship at the University of Chicago. ■



Louis J. Kraus, M.D.,
D.F.A.P.A.

Agnes Purcell McGavin Award for Prevention

Aradhana Bela Sood, M.D., works in reform in child mental health delivery systems and integration of mental health into pediatric settings. Investigation of the VA Tech massacre; received VCU's University Distinguished Service Award, the America Indian Foundation 2017 awardee for work in Public mental health, VA American Academy of Pediatrics Advocate of 2018 and Gubernatorial appointee to trauma informed work group and PANDAS advisory council for Virginia.



Aradhana Bela Sood, M.D.

Prevention efforts focus on Infant mental health, mother child bonding, improved education in early childhood and infancy for caregivers interacting with children and violence prevention efforts in urban environments. ■

Hartford-Jeste Award for Future Leaders in Geriatric Psychiatry

Established to honor noteworthy contributions enhancing the field of geriatric psychiatry through excellence in research, teaching, clinical practice and community service.

Kristina Zdanys, M.D., completed her undergraduate and medical studies at Yale, residency in adult psychiatry at New York University, and geriatric psychiatry fellowship at Yale. During residency she was awarded the American Psychiatric Leadership Fellowship. She has served on the faculty of the University of Connecticut School of Medicine since 2013 where she is program director of the UConn-Hartford Hospital Geriatric Psychiatry Fellowship and co-director of the UConn Health Memory Disorders Program. She is vice-chair of the American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry Scholars Program and co-editor of the next edition of the American Psychiatric Publishing Textbook of Geriatric Psychiatry. ■



Kristina Zdanys, M.D.

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