This year, 16 students from the Wichita campus matched to family medicine residency programs.

THE MATCH RESULTS FOR WICHITA STUDENTS ENTERING FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCIES ARE:

Jonathan Baalman, Caitlin Chiles, Stephanie Shields, Christina Tippy, Whitney Weixelman - Wesley
Brett Siegle - Indiana University Health Ball Memorial Hospital, Muncie, Indiana
Faith Ighoyivwi - Loyola University/Cook County, Chicago, Illinois
Ryan Vonderhorst - Martin Army Community Hospital, Fort Benning, Georgia
Garrett Barton and Kinzie Kiser-Barton - McLeod Regional Medical Center, Florence, South Carolina
Daniel Nwachokor - Memorial Herman Hospital, Sugarland, Texas
Anna Hanson - Research Medical Center, Kansas City, Missouri
Jacob Hostetler - University of Oklahoma, Tulsa Medical College, Tulsa, Oklahoma

Congratulations to all the students on their matches.
The Family Medicine Interest Group (FMIG) held its Celebration of the Match April 14 at Larkspur Restaurant. Whitney Weixelman was announced as the KUSM-Wichita recipient of the KAFP-F Hostetter Award which honors a fourth-year medical student who has promoted the values of family medicine during their medical school tenure. Rick Kellerman, M.D., was the guest speaker.

Outgoing officers were honored - president: Whitney Weixelman; co-vice presidents: Stephanie Shields and Katie Tran; secretary: Ali Rueschhoff; KAFP representative: Daniel Nwachokor; Tar Wars coordinators: Natalie Hagman and Jordan Meyer; 2nd-year representatives: Alex Johnson, Kurtis Klecan, Ruth Wiens, and Dyllan Landry; 3rd-year representative: Jimmie Stewart; 4th-year representatives: Jonathan Baaalman, Anna Hanson, and Trang Pham.

Officers for 2015-2016 were announced: co-presidents: Natalie Hagman and Ali Rueschhoff; co-vice presidents: Letisha Ferris and Alex Johnson; secretary: Ruth Wiens; KAFP representative: Kurtis Klecan; Tar Wars coordinators: Michelle Baaalman and Autumn Smith; 4th-year representatives: Nate Davis and Chris Stanley; 3rd-year representatives: Cheryl Dobson, Karissa Gilchrist, Kristin Kirkland, Jordan Meyer, and Kyle Renner; 2nd-year representatives: Codi Ehrlich, Alex Holm-McDowell, Sydnee Nelson, and Ryan Woodruff.

Scott Moser, M.D., announced he would be stepping down as FMIG advisor. His replacements are Kari Clouse, M.D., and Laura Mayans, M.D.

Daniel Nwachokor, MS4, is the recipient of the AAFP Foundation’s James G. Jones, M.D., Student Scholarship award to attend the upcoming Family Medicine Congressional Congress in Washington, D.C., in May.

Scott Stringfield, M.D., Via Christi, received the Thor Jager Award from the KUSM-W class of 2015 at the senior banquet March 28. John Dorsch, M.D., received a Spirit Award as the outstanding family medicine attending and John-Michael Watson, M.D., Wesley, received a Student Voice Award as the outstanding family medicine resident.

Smoky Hill, Via Christi, and Wesley Family Medicine Residency Programs have received notification from the ACGME of re-accreditation. All three programs were commended by the ACGME for compliance with accreditation requirements.

Andrew Wong, M.D., Via Christi FM, was inducted into the Kansas Chapter of the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society on March 30.

Roger Klein, M.D.; Danielle McDonald, D.O.; Aaron Sinclair, M.D.; and Carl Turner, M.D., appeared in commercials promoting screening for colorectal cancer which aired on KSN Channel 3 News March 2015.
ATTENTION STUDENTS AND RESIDENTS

Register now for the AAFP National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students. Go to http://www.aafp.org/events/national-conference.html. Join hundreds of your peers, July 30-Aug. 1, for this energizing educational conference. The Department of Family and Community Medicine and KAFP will pay the program registration fee, travel, and hotel costs. Contact Mary Hursey at 293-2607.

The KUSM-W Office of Research will provide funds for resident travel to present research at a professional conference. Up to $2,000 may be requested with an equal match of funds required from the residency program. For more information, contact KU School of Medicine-Wichita Office of Research, 316-293-3812, or trichmeier@kumc.edu.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS


STFM Annual Conference on Medical Student Education, Jan. 28-31, 2016, Phoenix, Arizona. Submission deadline is June 15. For more information, go to http://www.stfm.org/Conferences/ConferenceonMedicalStudentEducation/CallforPresentations.

PUBLICATIONS:


HAPPENINGS Continued.

Gretchen Dickson, M.D., Danielle Hogg, M.D., and Daniella Wurtz, D.O., participated in Wesley Medical Center’s live KSN call-in show to help promote the Baby Your Baby Fair. Participants answered questions about pregnancy, children’s health, and Wesley Medical Center services, March 25.

Nancy Davis, Ph.D., Scott Moser, M.D., Laura Mayans, M.D., John Dorsch, M.D., and Trisha Melhado, MPH, received a KU Medical Alumni Innovative Teaching Fund award for their project, “Improving Precision of Preceptors’ Grading of Students in Clerkships.”

Laura Mayans, M.D., and Ruth Weber, M.D., Wesley, have been appointed to the editorial board of the Kansas Journal of Medicine.

Debbie Bennett, department administrator for the Department of Family and Community Medicine for 17½ years, will retire at the end of April. Lori Bearley has been hired as new department administrator.

Mark Stovak, M.D., was elected secretary/treasurer on the American Medical Society for Sports Medicine Board of Directors.

Congratulations to

Amanda Steventon, M.D., Wesley Family Medicine Residency, and her husband, Aaron, on the birth of their son, Thaddeus, March 30.

Gabrielle Guhl, M.D., Via Christi Family Medicine Residency, and her husband, Brian, on the birth of their daughter, Naomi, April 10.

Michael Kalkhoff, M.D., and his wife, Heather, on the birth of their son, Jacob, April 14.

ATTENDANCES:
PRESENTATIONS


Kellerman R. The History and Future of Rural Graduate Medical Education. Conference on the History of Rural Medicine Conference, April 7, Leawood, Kansas.

Moser S. ADHD in Female Patients. Maine Academy of Family Physicians Annual Meeting, April 9, Bar Harbor, Maine.


FAMILY MEDICINE SPRING SYMPOSIUM: PHARMACOLOGY IN PRIMARY CARE:

Stewart C. Diabetes Case

Kostoff M. What’s New in Diabetes Medications?

Walstrom W. Transitioning a Patient to and from a New Oral Anticoagulant

Shin T. The New Oral Anticoagulants

Dieckmann T. A Case for Controlled Substance Testing

Mayans L. Delos V. Smith Jr., M.D., Lectureship: Parkinson’s Disease Medications

Miller K. A Case of Renal Dysfunction

Hoffecker B. Interprofessional Outpatient Clinic Polypharmacy Management

Jennifer Roehrs J. What’s in Your Backpack? Wilderness Medications

Crowl A. Weight Loss Medications

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT CALENDAR

May

7 Advanced Endoscopy for Primary Care Physicians, “Helicobacter Pylori: Endoscopic and Laboratory Testing Strategies,” Chad Johanning, M.D., Chaney Conference Room (3011), KUSM-W, 7:30-8:30 a.m.

13 Tips for Abstract Writing for Presentations & Posters, Jennifer Wipperman, M.D., MPH, Chaney Conference Room (3011), KUSM-W, noon-1:15 p.m.

June

5 Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) & Milestones, visiting professor, Robert Englander, M.D., MPH, AAMC, Roberts Amphitheater, noon-1:15 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May

16 Hooding and Awards Ceremony – Memorial Hall, Kansas City, Kansas

17 Commencement Ceremony – Memorial Stadium, Lawrence

26 Family Medicine Introphase Luncheon, KUSM-Wichita

June

11-13 KAFP Annual Meeting and Scientific Session, Wichita

20 Via Christi FM Residency Graduation, Hyatt Regency, Wichita

26 Wesley FM Residency Graduation, Hotel at Old Town, Wichita

26 Smoky Hill FM Residency Graduation, Rolling Hills Conference Center, Salina

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