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Governor's Message

Greetings,

The last few months have been busy for the Michigan Chapter of the ACP!

We have hosted two sessions for residents and medical students. The first included tips on creating a clinical vignette and was held during the abstract submission period for Resident and Medical Student Day. The second was a wonderful session on how to engage in advocacy efforts during residency and medical school. Last month, our Early Career Physicians hosted a session on financial health and defining financial priorities. In December, Dr. Andrew Jameson, FACP presented a session supported by the ACP COVID-19 Management Program - "COVID-19 Update: Past, Present, and Future", which was also an opportunity to earn CME/MOC. These sessions were all recorded and are available on the MI-ACP [website](#). Our next webinar will be hosted by the MI-ACP Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee on April 3rd by Dr. Lynn Todman of Corewell Health

on structural racism. Registration is open and more information can be found below.

I am excited to announce that our Fellow, Resident and Medical Student Committee Mentorship Program is underway! We are proud to be including 58 medical student mentees and 93 resident mentors in this program! This mentorship program provides an invaluable opportunity for medical students to receive guidance, support, and wisdom from residents. Through one-on-one interactions, this program will foster personal and professional growth, helping mentees navigate challenges, develop skills, and achieve their goals. Thanks to all who are participating.

As you know, our organization thrives on the engagement of our members. We are seeking involvement from our members to serve as onsite judges for the upcoming MI-ACP and SHM-MI Resident and Medical Student Day in Troy, Michigan on May 3rd. Our residents and medical students put in an incredible amount of work on their abstracts, posters and oral presentations, and it is an amazing experience to hear about their cases and research. If you are interested in serving as a judge, please reach out to info@acpmichigan.org.

You have all recently received an email seeking nominations for our next Governor. If you or someone you know may be interested in this role please send their name to our Chair of the Local Nominations Committee, Dr. Sandy Shoichet, sandor.shoichet@corewellhealth.org. The Governor term is 4 years and will begin with the National ACP Internal Medicine meeting in 2026. If you have any questions about this role, I am always happy to chat as well.

Lastly, it is vital to recognize and celebrate the outstanding contributions of our colleagues. Each day, we witness incredible dedication, innovation, and teamwork that elevate our collective success. I encourage you to shine a spotlight on those individuals whose exceptional efforts truly stand out. We encourage you to take a moment to reflect on the remarkable work of your colleagues and nominate them for one of our 2024 awards. More information can be found below.

Thank you for the work that you do every day to advocate for patients. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions: sarahhartleyacp@gmail.com.

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Sarah Hartley, MD, MHPE, FACP
Governor, Michigan Chapter of the American College of
Physicians

Chapter Involvement Opportunities!

Get involved in shaping the future of MI-ACP by joining a committee! Your unique perspective and expertise can make a meaningful difference in our internal medicine community. See below for information about MI-ACP committees, along with a link to submit your interest.

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion: The Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee advises the Council and other committees on effective strategies to assure integration of diversity and inclusion across the chapter's leadership, membership and programming that is responsive to the changing environment and demographics. The committee works to enhance professional development, foster diversity and involvement in

MI-ACP activities, and increase the value of membership for diverse physician members.

Early Career Physicians: The Early Career Physicians Committee works to develop programming and initiatives to enhance professional development for early career physicians, foster their involvement in College activities and increase the value of ACP membership for early career physicians. ACP defines Early Career Physicians as individuals who are within 16 years of medical school graduation and have completed their residency training.

Health and Public Policy (HPPC): The Health and Public Policy Committee shall keep abreast of technological and public policy developments in the areas of medical practice, health care and the organization and delivery of health services and make such recommendations to the Governor's Council as it deems appropriate. They actively help the Chapter in writing and editing resolutions and advocacy both at the state and national levels.

Medical Student Program: The Medical Student Program Committee works on initiatives directly related to medical student programming and abstract competition details at the annual meeting, at resident and medical student day, and in the development of additional webinars/in-person events throughout the year that are of interest to medical student members.

Membership: The Membership Committee works on recruitment and retention efforts guided by ACP National and MI-ACP staff. The committee identifies members who might qualify for Fellowship (FACP) and encourage them to apply for

quality, retention, and advancement, or the respective pathway.

Fellow, Resident and Medical Student Committee (open to Fellows, Residents and Medical Students only): The Fellow, Resident and Medical Student Committee is a group of medical students, residents and fellows who provide community for one another and input to the chapter on ways that we can support the needs of medical student, resident and fellow members within MI-ACP.

If you are interested in joining one of these committees, please click [here](#).

Solicitation for Potential Governor Candidates

In September 2024, an election will be held to determine the next MI-ACP Governor. This individual will spend about 18 months learning about the Governor role before beginning their 4 year term in April 2026. The Michigan Chapter's Local Nominations Committee (LNC) is responsible for identifying those willing and able to serve.

Qualifications for the role include someone who is a dynamic leader, who exhibits integrity, shows commitment to the College, and demonstrates dedication to both the Chapter and the medical community. This individual must be an FACP or MACP of the College.

Please send names of nominees, and their e-mail addresses and/or telephone numbers, to the Chair of the LNC (CLNC) listed below.

Sandor H. Shoichet, MD, FACP

sandor.shoichet@corewellhealth.org

Candidate information must be submitted by March 5, 2024.

2024 Resident and Medical Student Day

The Michigan Chapter of the American College of Physicians and Society of Hospital Medicine Michigan Chapter, in a combined effort with the Corewell Health West/Michigan State University College of Human Medicine Internal Medicine Residency Program, invite you to the Annual Resident and Medical Student Day on Friday, May 3rd at the Detroit Marriott Troy in Troy, MI. The Michigan Chapter of the Society of Hospital Medicine partners with us in hosting this comprehensive program for our residents and medical students. There will be the preliminary competition for Doctor's Dilemma®, oral and poster abstract presentations, medical student programming, an advocacy session and a keynote lecture focused on Artificial Intelligence. Registration will open soon - stay tuned!

As you know, the success of our abstract competition relies on volunteer reviewers and onsite judges. We need your help identifying onsite judges! Each judge will be responsible for judging approximately 10 posters (dependent on number of judges and number of posters accepted). Please note, all judges must register for the meeting and pay the \$75 registration fee (likely reimbursable by your institution's CME). If you, or any of your colleagues, are able to judge onsite, please contact info@acpmichigan.org.

Nominate Your Colleagues for an MI-ACP Award!

The Michigan Chapter ACP believes that it is important to recognize and honor distinguished internal medicine physicians

recognize and honor distinguished internal medicine physicians and colleagues for their teaching, research, service and leadership accomplishments through our 2024 Michigan Chapter ACP Awards. We need your help with nominations.

Nominations are due by Friday, March 1, 2024. Winners will be notified in July and invited to attend the Awards Luncheon at the 2024 MI-ACP and SHM-MI Annual Scientific Meeting at the Radisson Plaza Hotel at Kalamazoo Center in Kalamazoo, MI.

For more information about the different awards, and the nomination form, please [click here](#).

MI-ACP Advancing Health Equity: Structural Determinants, Structural Competency, and Structural Transformation Webinar

Join MI-ACP on **Wednesday, April 3 at 6:00PM** for the **Advancing Health Equity: Structural Determinants, Structural Competency, and Structural Transformation Webinar** hosted by the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee. This webinar will be presented by Lynn Todman, Ph.D, Vice President of Health Equity and Community Partnerships for Corewell Health in Michigan, where she leads strategic efforts to advance health equity activities across the integrated health care system.

Achieving health equity requires structural competency and structural transformation aimed at changing the underlying and often hidden, but impactful, structural determinants of health and health inequities. In this session, structural determinants of health and structural competency are defined. Examples are provided of how these concepts are operationalized in practice, i.e., structural transformation.

This webinar is complimentary for all MI-ACP members. *CME*

credits and MOC points have been applied for.

[Save Your Seat!](#)

2023-2024 I Raise the Rates (IRtR) Newsletters - November through January

I Raise the Rates (IRtR) Newsletters provide a variety of new resources from several public health partners, educational opportunities, and a selection of media articles related to immunization. Click below to view recent issues:

[November 2023](#)

[December 2023](#)

[January 2024](#)

Access MI-ACP Webinar Recordings

Unlock the potential of your professional growth by exploring our new library of webinar recordings! Each session was crafted to offer additional education to our members throughout the year - outside of our Annual Scientific Meeting. Don't miss out on this opportunity to expand your knowledge!

[Crafting a Winning \(or Losing\) Clinical Vignette: Significance, Structure, Style & Storytelling Webinar](#)

[Triaging Financial Priorities for Early Career Docs: How to Get Your Financial House in Order](#)

[COVID-19 Update: Present, Past, and Future](#)

[I Raise the Rates Webinar - Vaccinations, A 2023 Update](#)

2024 Resolutions

2024 Resolutions - Call for Feedback

Spring 2024 BOG Resolutions - Call for Feedback

We would like to request your feedback regarding resolutions that will be considered at the Spring 2024 Board of Governors Meeting. The resolutions have been posted on [ACP Online](#) for your review and cover an array of topics such as continued coverage for colon cancer screening, vaccine incentives, and state-level prescription drug affordability boards.

After considering the intent of each resolution and how it fits with the [College's Mission and Goals](#), please provide your feedback on each resolution and indicate your support or opposition by completing the electronic response form by midnight ET March 13th. Your input will be used as part of testimony on behalf of the chapter

[Read/Comment on Spring 2024 BOG Resolutions](#)

Call for Fall 2024 BOG Resolutions

Are you concerned about a practice or clinical issue or have an idea you would like to suggest? If so, you might consider submitting a resolution. Once the resolution has been drafted, members must submit resolutions to Dr. Sarah Hartley, MHPE, FACP, MI-ACP Chapter Governor at sarahhartleyacp@gmail.com. Chapter council approval is required to move resolutions forward to ACP national. The [ACP Board of Governors Resolutions Guide](#) for ACP Members is available to download and can help in the drafting process.

The deadline for submitting new resolutions to be heard at the Fall 2024 Board of Governors Meeting is **March 29, 2024**.

Congratulations New Fellows!

Congratulations to the MI-ACP members listed below who have

been elected to ACP Fellowship!

New Fellows from November 2023 – February 2024

Natasha Bagdasarian, MD, FACP

Pritha Chitagi, MD, MBBS, FACP

Joshua D. Collins, MD, FACP

Amanda M. Cox, MD, FACP

Robert A. Davis, MD, FACP

David A. DeGuzman, MD, FACP

Megan Dekker, MD, FACP

Asaf Harris, MD, FACP

Philip R. Kaseska, MD, FACP

Matthew E. Kelly, MD, FACP

Jordan Maxey, MD, FACP

Philip J. McDonald, MD, FACP

Zachary D. Miller, MD, FACP

Neveen E. Mostafa, MD, FACP

Dhwani Nikhil Pandya, MD, FACP

Kartik H. Patel, MD, FACP

Rimma Polevoy, MD, FACP

Kala K. Ramasamy, MD, FACP

Manmeet M. Singh, MBBS, FACP

ACP I.M. a Resident: Ariel Jordan, MD

"I chose internal medicine because it allows me the space to be intellectually curious. Given the vastness of the field, there is always new knowledge to acquire, granting me the opportunity to be a devoted lifelong learner. I also love the long-term relationships I build with my patients and the ability to care for them in a variety of settings, further enhancing that trust between patient and provider."

MI-ACP Member and University of Michigan Resident, Dr. Ariel Jordan is ACP's current spotlighted I.M. Resident. To read more about Dr. Jordan, her ACP experience and internal medicine residency story, [visit here!](#)



Upcoming Events

ACP 2024 Internal Medicine Meeting - [Register Here!](#)

Join ACP and your colleagues in Boston, MA, April 18-20, 2024, at the annual marquee educational event for internal medicine physicians and subspecialists around the globe. Together we will share in three days of unparalleled professional revitalization and make invaluable connections with our internal medicine community.

- Refresh your clinical skills with unmatched hands-on learning opportunities
- Make inspiring, lifelong connections at receptions and networking events
- Earn CME credits and MOC points

The Michigan, Wisconsin and Massachusetts Chapters of ACP will be hosting a reception for all chapter members on the evening of Friday, April 19th. More information will be released in the coming weeks, but we hope to see any individuals who are attending the IM Meeting!

MI-ACP 2024 Resident and Medical Student Day - For updates, please click [here](#).

May 3, 2024

Detroit Marriot Troy

Troy, MI

MI-ACP and SHM-MI 2024 Annual Scientific Meeting - Stay Tuned!

October 24-27, 2024

Radisson Plaza Hotel at Kalamazoo Center

Kalamazoo, MI

ACP 2024 Leadership Day on Capitol Hill - More info [here](#).

This event provides an opportunity for ACP and our members to increase our presence in Washington and bring visibility to issues of common concern. Participants receive a comprehensive orientation and briefing on ACP's top legislative priorities and then have an opportunity to meet with legislators and the staff on Capitol Hill.

May 14-15, 2024

The Westin Washington, DC Downtown Hotel

Washington D.C.



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