



From the Executive Dean

My first order of business is to thank each and every one of you for your service and participation in the ACPE site visit earlier this week. I am grateful for your commitment to excellence and your hard work and effort in preparation for our application to Candidate Status. We will meet with the ACPE team on June 21st and should hear their decision by the end of June. I do expect that we will be asked to provide further information prior to their June meeting.

We continue to expand our growth in faculty and programmatic areas. Several faculty will be joining us in the next few months. On the MUSC campus the following faculty will join the Department of Pharmacy and Clinical Sciences: Drs. Amy Thompson, James Sterrett, and Patricia Schuler. Dr. Schuler will replace Dr. Jean Nappi as the Adult Cardiology specialist; Dr. Sterrett will serve as the primary coordinator of the SCCP Community Practice laboratories on the MUSC campus and will collaborate with his counterpart on the USC campus, as well as with contemporary practitioners. Finally, Dr. Thompson will fill a vacant position in Ambulatory Care.

On the USC campus Drs. Patricia Powell and April Miller will join the Department of Pharmacy and Clinical Outcomes. Dr. Powell is completing a community pharmacy residency at UGA and will establish a community practice in partnership with Walgreens. Dr. Miller is completing a residency in Kentucky and will work in neurology at Palmetto Health Richland.

This year we will have more Pharm.D. students accepted into residency programs across the country than ever before. A total of 28 students will pursue residency programs from Vanderbilt and Kentucky, to Wake Forest, Temple University, and Tacoma, Washington. Below is the list of those accomplished students pursuing residencies:

MUSC Campus:

Amy Goodwin:	Intermountain Healthcare in Salt Lake City, UT
John Perpich:	Intermountain Healthcare in Salt Lake City, UT
Jason Haney:	MUSC
Laura Haney:	MUSC
Julie Leal:	Medical College of Georgia in Augusta, GA
Josh Mount:	University of Tennessee Medical Center - Knoxville
Mackenzie Turner:	University of Tennessee Medical Center - Knoxville
Teresa Stanley:	Univ. of Montana/St. Patrick's Hospital in Missoula, MT

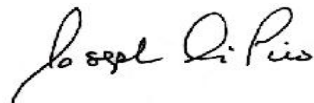
Jessica Wellman: CHS VA (emphasis in primary care) in Charleston, SC
Karen Spry: Memorial Health in Savannah, GA
Tracy Clapp: Regional Medical Center in Memphis, TN
Callie Lane: Multicare in Tacoma, WA
Julie Long: MUSC Pharmacotherapy
Keisha Green: CHS VA in Charleston, SC
Becky Hooten: Greenville Memorial in Greenville, SC
Lindsay Ford: Univ of TN Community Pharm Residency in Manchester, TN

USC Campus:

Ann Wiesner University of Kentucky
Alyson Gibson Vanderbilt
Ashley Dean St. Joseph's Candler
Christie Coggins Dorn VA
Erin Brewer Palmetto Richland
Jessica Odom Greenville
Laura Redmond Philadelphia VA Hospital
Linsey Hocker Wake Forest
Ruchi Patel Temple University
Sarah Sjogren HealthPartners (MN)
Vivian Carlson University of Tennessee Medical Center - Knoxville
Nicki Desai Winchester Medical Center

This is very exciting progress and we congratulate the 16 MUSC and 12 USC graduates on this accomplishment.

Finally, my congratulations and thanks to our faculty and staff on the graduation of another fine class of students from MUSC and USC this May.



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