



ACR REF Past Award Recipients

Preceptorships

Abbott Health Professional Graduate Student Research Preceptorship

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Kristin J. Ness

Preceptor: Craig T. Morita, MD, PhD
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Preceptor: Joanne M. Jordan, MD, MPH
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Preceptor: K. Douglas Gross, MPT, MSc, ScD
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Steffany Haaz, MFA

Preceptor: Susan J. Bartlett, PhD
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Preceptor: Michael Rapoff, PhD
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Preceptor: Katherine T. Rudolph, PhD
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Preceptor: Yuqing Zhang, DSc, MPH
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Preceptor: Betty P. Tsao, PhD
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Preceptor: H. Ralph Schumacher, MD
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Preceptor: Yuqing Zhang, DSc
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Fei Wang

Preceptor: Eric Sobel, MD, PhD
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Shana Traina, MA

Preceptor: Catherine McLean, MD, PhD
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Preceptor: Harris R. Perlman, PhD
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Preceptor: Eliza Chakravarty, MD
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Preceptor: David Collier, MD
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Janae K. Heath

Preceptor: Thomas Harrington, MD
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Preceptor: Kevin McKown, MD
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Preceptor: Gary Gilkeson, MD
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Daniel E. Smith

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University of Cincinnati

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Preceptor: Prashant Kaushik, MD, FACP, FACR
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Preceptor: Seetha Monrad, MD
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Preceptor: Hilary M. Haftel, MD, MHPE
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Preceptor: Marcy Bolster, MD
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Preceptor: David H. Collier, MD
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Preceptor: Thomas M. Harrington, MD
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Preceptor: Joan M. Bathon, MD
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Preceptor: Hom Neupane, MD
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Michelle Catton

Preceptor: Nicole G.H. LeRiche, MD
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Preceptor: Marilyn Punaro, MD
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Medical Center at Dallas

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Preceptor: Thomas M. Harrington, MD
Jefferson Medical College

Solaide George

Preceptor: Arthur Weinstein, MD
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Preceptor: Robert A. Roubey, MD
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Heidi J. Kamrath

Preceptor: Evren Akin, MD
University of Minnesota, Gillette Children's Specialty
Health Care

Andrew Maier

Preceptor: Sharon L. Kolasinski, MD
University of Pennsylvania

Kathryn Martin

Preceptor: Janet E. Pope, MD, MPH, FRCPC
University of Western Ontario SJHC

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Preceptor: Robert W. Janson, MD
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Andrea M. Reed

Preceptor: Katherine K. Temprano, MD
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Preceptor: Belinda K. Birnbaum, MD
Temple University

Katherine C. Silver

Preceptor: Mary B. Bolster, MD
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Preceptor: Sharon Kolasinski, MD
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Preceptor: John B. Harley, MD, PhD
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Shelby K. Addison

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Preceptor: Harris R. Perlman, PhD
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Preceptor: James N. Jarvis, MD
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Preceptor: Thomas A. Medsger, Jr., MD
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Preceptor: Joan M. Von Feldt, MD
University of Pennsylvania

Thomas M. Penoyar

Preceptor: Peter A. Simkin, MD
University of Washington School of Medicine

Balvinder Rehal

Preceptor: Nancy E. Lane, MD
University of California, Davis

Robert Lee Salazar

Preceptor: Barry L. Myones, MD
College of Medicine – Baylor

Xueyuan Shelly Wang

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Preceptor: Leonard L. Dragone, MD, PhD
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Sophie L. Woolston

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Daniel C. Windels

Preceptor: Susan A. Boackle, MD
University of Colorado Health Services Center

Jeremy J. Zimmerman

Preceptor: Calvin B. Williams, MD
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Preceptor: Lauren Pachman, MD
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Kate B. Douglas

Preceptor: Susan A. Boackle, MD
University of Colorado, Denver Health Sciences Center

Heidi M. Hermes

Preceptor: Anne M. Stevens, MD
Children's Hospital & Regional Medical Center

Kristen E. Johnson

Preceptor: Michelle Petri, MD
Johns Hopkins School of Medicine

Melissa H. Lee

Preceptor: Joseph M. Ahearn, MD
University of Pittsburgh, Lupus Center of Excellence

Ryan McKee

Preceptor: James N. Jarvis, MD
University of Oklahoma College of Medicine

Hsiang-chi Meng

Preceptor: Percio Gulko, MD
The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research

Tam M. Nguyen

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Preceptor: Chaim Putterman, MD
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Renata M. Villela

Preceptor: Janet E. Pope, MD, MPH, FRCPC
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University of Oklahoma

Brandon Johnson

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University of Pennsylvania

Wiktoria Bielska

Preceptor: Susan Manzi, MD
University of Pittsburgh

Kelly M. Smith

Preceptor: Lauren Pachman, MD
University of Pennsylvania

Nidhi Mehta

Preceptor: Joseph Ahearn, MD
University of Pittsburgh

David Caretto

Preceptor: Arthur Weiss, MD
University of California, San Francisco

Anna Minta

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Stanford School of Medicine

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Preceptor: Mariana J. Kaplan, MD
University of Pennsylvania



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Preceptor: Stanley J. Naides, MD
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Lance D. Wood

Preceptor: Stanley J. Naides, MD
Pennsylvania State University

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University of Pennsylvania

Franziska G. Matzkies, MD

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Preceptor: Ted R. Mikuls, MD
University of Nebraska

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Preceptor: John D. Reveille, MD
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FY 2006 Award Recipient

Elizabeth Perkins, MD

Preceptor: George Moxley, MD
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Education and Training Awards

Amgen/Wyeth Rheumatology Fellowship Training Award

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Children's Hospital Foundation

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Richard A. Furie, MD
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Allen C. Gelber, MD, MPH, PhD
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Samina Q. Hayat, MD
Louisiana State University

Simon Helfgott, MD
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Raphael Hirsch, MD
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University of Kentucky Research Foundation

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Dallas

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New York University Hospital for Joint Diseases

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Scripps Clinic/Scripps Green Hospital

Richard M. Pope, MD
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Laura E. Schanberg, MD
Duke University

David D. Sherry, MD
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Emily Von Scheven, MD
University of California, San Francisco

Avis Ware, MD
University Internal Medicine Associates

Arthur Weinstein, MD
Washington Hospital Center

Sterling West, MD
University of Colorado Denver

Robert Terkeltaub, MD
University of California, San Diego

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Northwestern University

Suzanne L. Bowyer, MD
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Ernest Brahn, MD
UCLA School of Medicine

Richard Brasington, MD
Washington University School of Medicine

Doyt L. Conn, MD
Emory University School of Medicine

Mary E. Cronin, MD
Medical College of Wisconsin

Helen M. Emery, MD
Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center

Allan C. Gelber, MD
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

Samina Q. Hayat, MD
Louisiana State University

Lisa Imundo, MD
Columbia University

Beth L. Jonas, MD
University of North Carolina–Chapel Hill

Insoo Kang, MD
Yale University School of Medicine

Salahuddin Kazi, MBBS
Washington University–St. Louis

Carlos J. Lozada, MD
University of Miami Miller School of Medicine

W. Neal Roberts, Jr., MD
Virginia Commonwealth University

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Stanford Medical Center

Laura Schanberg, MD
Duke University Medical Center

Nora G. Singer, MD
Rainbow Babies & Children's Hospital

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Virginia D. Steen, MD
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University of California–San Diego

Arthur Weinstein, MD
Washington Hospital Center



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Indiana University

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Carol Ziminski, MD
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Lawren H. Daltroy Fellowship in Patient-Clinician Communication

FY 2009 Award Recipient

M. Cameron Hay-Rollins, PhD
Miami University

Innovative Teaching Grant

FY 2008 Award Recipient

Daniel Lovell, MD
Children's Hospital Medical Center

Resident Recruitment Dinner

FY 2009 Award Recipients

Elena Weinstein, MD
Albert Einstein College of Medicine

Ernest Brahn, MD
University of California, Los Angeles

Amgen Pediatric Rheumatology Visiting Professorship Program

FY 2009 Award Recipients

Barry Myones, MD
Baylor College of Medicine

Sampath Prahalad, MD
Emory University

Research Awards

ASP Junior Career Development in Geriatric Medicine Award

FY 2009 Award Recipients

Kim M. Huffman, MD, PhD
Duke University

Carla Rose Scanzello, MD, PhD
Rush University Medical Center

FY 2008 Award Recipient

Tuhina Neogi, MD, FRCPC
Boston University School of Medicine

FY 2007 Award Recipient

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Academic Re-entry Award

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Kristine Phillips, MD, PhD
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Physician Scientist Development Award

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Jennifer L. Barton, MD
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Ornella J. Rullo, MD
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Brigham and Women's Hospital

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Tufts Medical Center

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University of British Columbia

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Hebrew Rehabilitation Center

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Annual Meeting Awards

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University of Toronto

Daniel Windels

University of Colorado Health and Science Center

Katherine B. Douglas

University of Colorado, Denver

DeAnna A. Baker, BS

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Pui Y. Lee, BS

University of Florida

Rachel A. Mikolaitis, BS

Rush University Medical Center

Brendan Antiochos, MD

Dartmouth Medical School

Keith Hamel

Rush University Medical Center

Kelly T. McNallan, BS

Mayo Clinic College of Medicine

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University of Alabama at Birmingham

Diane Teresa George, MBBS

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University of Florida

John C. Scatizzi

St. Louis University

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St. Louis University

Jason M. Low, MS

St. Louis University

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Dartmouth College

Puneet Tung

University of Pennsylvania



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