2024

JACOBI MEDALLION

Reception & Award Ceremony

Thursday, March 14, 2024
The Plaza Hotel / New York City
As President of the Associated Alumni in 1952, Dr. William M. Hitzig conceived the idea of commemorating the 100th anniversary of the founding of The Mount Sinai Hospital by honoring Mount Sinai physicians for distinguished achievement in the field of medicine or for extraordinary service to the alumni. Dr. Abraham Jacobi, after whom the medallion is named, was one of the early presidents of The Mount Sinai Hospital Medical Board and eventually became President of the AMA. He is credited with founding the specialty of pediatrics and, together with his wife Dr. Mary Putnam Jacobi, established the first pediatric clinic in the United States. A man of broad interests, humanistic philosophy, investigative acumen, and clinical skill, he stands as a model not only for Mount Sinai, but for the entire medical profession.
Message from the Chief Executive Officer and the President and Chief Operating Officer

Welcome to the 2024 Jacobi Medallion Awards Ceremony.

Among the greatest honors we can receive are those bestowed upon us by our colleagues, the people who best understand the persistent and steadfast effort required to achieve excellence in biomedicine. This is the essence of the Jacobi Medallion, Mount Sinai’s highest award.

Based upon nominations from alumni and faculty, Mount Sinai has been awarding the Jacobi Medallion since 1952 to recognize members of the Mount Sinai community who, through years of service, have made exceptional contributions to clinical medicine, biomedical research, and medical education.

The Medallion’s namesake, Abraham Jacobi, MD, was affiliated with Mount Sinai for 59 years. In 1878, he established the nation’s first inpatient department of pediatrics at The Mount Sinai Hospital, and today he is known as “the father of pediatrics” for his pioneering work in pediatric medicine.

Following in Dr. Jacobi’s tradition, Mount Sinai recognizes the following individuals this year for distinguished achievement in medicine and extraordinary service to the Mount Sinai Health System and the Icahn School of Medicine: Stuart A. Aaronson, MD; Jeremy H. Boal, MD, MSH ’96; Kirk N. Campbell, MD; Marla C. Dubinsky, MD; Helen M. Fernandez, MD, MPH, MSH ’01; Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD; Stephen Harvey, CPA, MBA, Mark Kostegan, FAHP; Roxana Mehran, MD, MSH ’95; and Peak Woo, MD.

Congratulations to the 2024 Jacobi Medallion recipients.

Thank you for joining us in honoring this year’s awardees, and helping the Alumni Association celebrate Mount Sinai’s commitment to academic and medical excellence.

Sincerely,

Brendan G. Carr, MD, MA, MS
Chief Executive Officer
Mount Sinai Health System

Margaret A. Pastuszko, MBA
President and Chief Operating Officer
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Message from the Anne and Joel Ehrenkranz Dean

The Jacobi Medallion Ceremony is an evening of inspiration, an opportunity to honor some of the most accomplished members of the Mount Sinai family for their service to the Health System and the Alumni Association. In the tradition of Abraham Jacobi, MD, founding father of pediatrics and President of The Mount Sinai Hospital Medical Board for 35 years, tonight’s honorees have shown exceptional dedication and demonstrated consistent excellence in their work. They are great scientific investigators, innovative clinicians, passionate educators, insightful leaders, and skilled executives who have enabled Mount Sinai’s growth and success. They have helped to transform science and health care, improved the quality of life for countless patients, and mentored the next generation of great scientists and clinicians.

Please join me in congratulating the 2024 Jacobi Medallion recipients: Stuart A. Aaronson, MD; Jeremy H. Boal, MD, MSH ’96; Kirk N. Campbell, MD; Marla C. Dubinsky, MD; Helen M. Fernandez, MD, MPH, MSH ’01; Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD; Stephen Harvey, CPA, MBA, Mark Kostegan, FAHP; Roxana Mehran, MD, MSH ’95; and Peak Woo, MD.

It is exceptional individuals like this year’s Jacobi Medallion honorees, who make the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, and the entire Mount Sinai Health System, preeminent institutions of healing, scholarship, and scientific innovation.

Thank you for joining us in celebrating the achievements of this year’s Jacobi Medallion recipients and partnering with the Mount Sinai Alumni Association to support one of the world’s great academic medical centers.

Sincerely,

Dennis S. Charney, MD
Anne and Joel Ehrenkranz Dean
Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai
President for Academic Affairs
Mount Sinai Health System
Message from the President of the Mount Sinai Alumni Association

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the 72nd annual Jacobi Medallion Reception and Awards Ceremony. I am honored to be the President of the Mount Sinai Alumni Association and I would like to thank the members of the Mount Sinai Alumni Association, especially Dr. Sandra Masur, Chair of the Jacobi Medallion Award Selection Committee, for ensuring the success of tonight’s event.

The Jacobi Medallion was established in 1952 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of The Mount Sinai Hospital. It honors extraordinary service to The Mount Sinai Hospital, the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, and the alumni community. This year, the Alumni Association is proud to present this honor to ten of Mount Sinai’s most outstanding and deserving recipients. Each of these awardees has had an immeasurable and profound impact on clinical care, research, and education within and outside our Health System.

This year’s Jacobi Medallion recipients are: Stuart A. Aaronson, MD; Jeremy H. Boal, MD, MSH ’96; Kirk N. Campbell, MD; Marla C. Dubinsky, MD; Helen M. Fernandez, MD, MPH, MSH ’01; Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD; Stephen Harvey, CPA, MBA; Mark Kostegan, FAHP; Roxana Mehran, MD, MSH ’95; and Peak Woo, MD.

The founding mission of the Mount Sinai Alumni Association was to support lifelong education and mentorship among former house staff and the attending physicians of The Mount Sinai Hospital. With the establishment of the Mount Sinai School of Medicine, the Alumni Association expanded to welcome members of its first graduating class. We continue to strive to diversify our honorees in all ways. We now also welcome members of the growing health care system and the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences.

We thank you all for being a part of Mount Sinai and the School of Medicine’s legacy and future. Congratulations to all recipients and enjoy tonight’s program.

Sincerely,
Leo M. Keegan, MD, MSSM ’86, MSH, ’94
President, the Mount Sinai Alumni Association
Assistant Clinical Professor, Department of Surgery (Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery)
Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

Message from the 2024 Jacobi Medallion Selection Committee Chair

We celebrate the 2024 Jacobi Medallion Award recipients tonight. They exemplify the highest ideals of our community. The range and quality of their contributions have enriched our knowledge, our workplace, our patients, our students and trainees, and beyond. We celebrate them all: Stuart A. Aaronson, Jeremy H. Boal, Kirk N. Campbell, Marla C. Dubinsky, Helen M. Fernandez, Emilia Gutman-Yassky, Stephen Harvey, Mark Kostegan, Roxana Mehran, and Peak Woo, and we look forward to the continued impact of their contributions to Mount Sinai and to the larger biomedicine community.

The Jacobi award was established in 1952 on the 100th anniversary of the founding of The Mount Sinai Hospital. The award is equally meaningful 56 years after the founding of our medical school in 1968. In the earlier years, the Jacobi Medallion honored physicians who were so outstanding that they were known as physicians’ physicians, many of whom made seminal clinical observations that defined syndromes and diseases. And today we continue to honor these outstanding physician colleagues as well as outstanding clinician educators, scientists, and administrative leaders who make up our Mount Sinai community.

It is my honor to chair the Jacobi Medallion Selection Committee again. The number of truly excellent nominations we receive is ever more impressive. Each nominee is notable for their contributions to biomedicine or their extraordinary service especially to The Mount Sinai Hospital, Mount Sinai Health System, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, or the Alumni Association. The quality of these candidates humbled the committee members, and made us feel very proud; it also made our task very challenging. The nominees’ depth and breadth indicated the extraordinary wealth of talent connected with our institution.

Thank you for joining us to honor this year’s Jacobi Medallion Award recipients who exemplify contributions to our diverse community. We look forward to celebrating many more of our extraordinary colleagues in the future.

Sincerely,
Sandra K. Masur, PhD, FASCB
Chair, Jacobi Medallion Selection Committee
Professor, Ophthalmology and Pharmacological Sciences
Chair, Committee on Special Awards
Director, Office for Women’s Careers
Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai
Message from the Senior Associate Dean for Alumni Affairs

On behalf of the Mount Sinai Office of Alumni Relations, I would like to offer my sincere congratulations to the recipients of the 2024 Jacobi Medallion!

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Peak Woo, MD

It is members of the Mount Sinai community, such as yourself, that make this institution the remarkable place that it is. Special recognition to Dr. Sandra Masur for heading the Jacobi Medallion 2024 Selection Committee, as well as the members of the Mount Sinai Alumni Association for their efforts in making this evening a success.

I would also like to recognize with gratitude the many alumni who have left us over the past year. Mount Sinai will honor their legacies for generations to come.

Congratulations again on this incredible honor! I am grateful to work with physicians and scientists who are so dedicated to their institution, its patients, and the community it serves.

Sincerely,

Alexis Colvin, MD, MSSM ’02  
Senior Associate Dean for Alumni Affairs  
Professor, Leni & Peter W. May Department of Orthopedic Surgery  
Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

Mount Sinai Alumni

The Office of Alumni Relations would like to thank members of our diverse alumni constituencies for their dedication, support, and service to the Mount Sinai Community.

THE MOUNT SINAI ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The Mount Sinai Alumni Association was founded in 1896 to support lifelong educational and social relationships among former house staff and attending physicians of The Mount Sinai Hospital. The Alumni Association expanded to welcome members of the School of Medicine with the graduation of its first class in 1970. As the school grew, so did the association. The alumni community now consists of graduates of the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, including the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, current and former house staff of The Mount Sinai Hospital and current and former faculty members. The Alumni Association focuses its philanthropic goals and priorities on those which advance the education and training of our physicians and scientists, and the school at large.
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The Samuel Bronfman Department of Medicine congratulates Kirk N. Campbell, MD; Roxana Mehran, MD; and all the 2024 Jacobi Medallion recipients on this well-deserved honor

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Randall P. Griepp, MD
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Hugh A. Sampson, MD
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Sanford K. Masar, MD
John Morrison, PhD
Maria Padilla, MD
Lasaro Sancho, PhD
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Mark Chazan, MD
Angela Diaz-Diaz, MD, MPH
Steven Izkowitz, MD
Samim Shamsa, MD
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Jeffrey T. Latham, PhD
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| 1988 | Eugene W. Friedman, MD  
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Leonard Bernstein, MD  
Edwin A. Weinstein, MD |
| 1987 | Robert M. Berlin, MD  
Ephraim Donnoso, MD  
Bernard C. Meyer, MD  
Malan D. Yah, MD |
| 1986 | Yun Pong Huang, MD  
Paul A. Kirschner, MD  
Gene H. Stollerman, MD  
Alvin S. Teirstein, MD |
| 1985 | Yun Peng Huang, MD  
Paul A. Kirschner, MD  
Gene H. Stollerman, MD  
Alvin S. Teirstein, MD |
| 1984 | David R. Codrington, MD  
Samuel K. Elster, MD  
Charlotte Friend, PhD  
Jaqueline D. Wyse, MD |
| 1983 | Mordimer E. and Richard A. Blador, MDs  
John D. Hoff, MD  
Leonard I. Mais, MD  
Lotte Strauss, MD |
| 1982 | Ellen Fuller-Zweifach, RN  
Eliza M. Greenspan, MD  
Hans L. Hodes, MD  
Barry Stimmel, MD |
| 1981 | Lester Buehn, MD  
Thomas C. Chalmers, MD  
Samuel H. Klein, MD  
Ralph H. Moloshok, MD |
| 1980 | Jack and Jane Aran  
Lester R. Cahn, DDS  
Jacob Chung, MD  
Arthur R. Sohal, MD |
| 1979 | Arthur H. Autran, Jr., MD  
Simon Flat, MD  
Ahmad F. Fischman, MD  
Peter Vogel, MD |
| 1978 | David A. Deering, MD  
Arthur H. Fishberg, MD  
Bernard E. Simon, MD  
Rosalyn S. Yalow, PhD |
| 1977 | Sidney W. Gross, MD  
Ahmed L. Rosin  
Bernard S. Wolf, MD  
Tsai-Fan Yu, MD |
| 1976 | Irving J. Saikoff, MD  
Robert S. Sillifer, MD  
Louise Stitziel, MD  
Ahmed R. Stern |
| 1975 | Sheldon R. Coons  
Harry Dorger, MD  
Jean PARKER, MD  
Robert Turrell, MD |
| 1974 | Henry D. Janowitz, MD  
Lawrence P. White, MD  
Ludwig Wasserstein, MD |
| 1973 | Jack and Jane Aran  
Lester R. Cahn, DDS  
Jacob Chung, MD  
Arthur R. Sohal, MD |
| 1972 | George L. Engel, MD  
Richard L. Marshall, MD  
James F. Holland, MD  
Joseph A. Ganes, MD  
Max L. Som, MD |
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Joseph A. Ganes, MD  
Max L. Som, MD  
Alan H. Brandt, MD  
Claire Hochkind |
| 1970 | Saul Jacobo, MD  
Joseph Horkavy, MD  
Gordon D. Oppenheimer, MD |
| 1969 | Isidore Snapper, MD  
Martin R. Steinberg, MD  
Irving B. Goldman, MD  
Alan F. Guttmacher, MD  
Samuel M. Peck, MD |
| 1968 | Dr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Autran, Sr.  
Percy Klingenstein, MD  
George Lee |
| 1967 | Eugene Braukman, MD  
Arthur L. Cornell, MD  
Joseph L. Goldman, MD  
Lester R. Tuchman, MD |
| 1966 | Gustave L. Levy  
Milton Mindel, MD  
Robert A. Nebbia, MD  
Milton A. Goldberger, MD  
M. Ralph Kaufman, MD |
| 1965 | Max Ellenberg, MD  
Leon Griswold, MD |
| 1963 | Morris B. Bender, MD  
Joseph Klingenstein, MD  
Cotman B. Rubin, MD  
Murry H. Bass, MD  
Eugene Metzger  
Harold Neufeld, MD |
| 1962 | Solomon Silver, MD  
Moses Swick, MD  
Bernard H. Elaisberg, MD  
Sidney C. Rubin, MD |
| 1961 | Paul Klopfer, MD  
Israel S. Wechter, MD  
David Weiner, MD |
| 1960 | George Baehr, MD  
Samuel Koretz, MD  
Kaufman Schivek, MD |
| 1959 | Harry Weiss, MD  
Jonas Salk, MD  
Kaufman Schwicker, MD  
Hans Weiss, MD |
| 1958 | Paul Klopfer, MD  
Israel S. Wechter, MD  
David Weiner, MD |
| 1957 | George Baehr, MD  
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| 1956 | Ralph Colp, MD  
Reuben Ortenberg, MD  
Jonas Salk, MD  
Kaufman Schwicker, MD |
| 1955 | Harry Weiss, MD  
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Hans Weiss, MD |
| 1954 | David Back, MD  
Richard Lawensohn, MD  
Bernard S. Oppenheimer, MD  
Bela Schade, MD |
| 1953 | William M. Hiltz, MD  
Harry Rosenwasser, MD  
Gregory Shekizman, MD  
Israel Strauss, MD |
| 1952 | Leo Edelman, MD  
Elmer S. Gaik, MD  
Joseph H. Globus, MD  
Abraham Hyman, MD  
Arthur M. Metz, MD |
| 1951 | Mount Sinai Hospital  
(in honor of its 100th Anniversary) |
Stuart A. Aaronson, MD

Stuart A. Aaronson, MD, is Founding Chair Emeritus of the Department of Oncological Sciences at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, a role he held for two decades. He established Mount Sinai’s first graduate training program in Cancer Biology, its first formal multidisciplinary postdoctoral training program in Cancer Biology, and chaired the Steering Committee of the Graduate Program for several years. He currently serves as Jane B. and Jack R. Aron Professor of Neoplastic Diseases at Icahn Mount Sinai and Associate Director for Basic and Translational Research at The Tisch Cancer Institute’s NCI-designated Cancer Center.

Dr. Aaronson has worked in the field of cancer research since 1967, where his investigations focused on oncogenes and growth-factor signaling pathways have resulted in FDA-approved therapies and precision medicine-based diagnostics for the erbB2/HER2 breast cancer subtype, as well as erbB3, PDGF alpha receptor, and KGF/KGFR activated tumors. A growth factor he discovered and cloned, KGF(FGF7), is now a drug for treatment of the debilitating side effects of certain cancer therapies. His current research focuses on mechanisms of Hippo pathway oncogenic activation in tumors, and the role of the tumor microenvironment in inflammatory breast cancer, the most aggressive form of this disease.

Dr. Aaronson has published extensively on growth control and cancer, with more than 495 peer-review publications. He holds numerous patents worldwide and has trained dozens of investigators who have gone on to positions in academic medicine or biotech/pharma, or who head cancer centers in the U.S. and abroad.

Dr. Aaronson has served as President of the Harvey Society, Councilor, Society of Experimental Biology and Medicine, and on Cancer Center Scientific Advisory Boards of Arizona, Duke, and Thomas Jefferson Universities, the Blood Services Council of the American Red Cross, and the Alliance for Cancer Gene Therapy. He has also served on editorial boards, including the Journal of the National Cancer Institute, Cancer Research, and the International Journal of Cancer. He is the recipient of numerous awards, including the Distinguished Service Medal from the U.S. Public Health Service, the Outstanding Achievement in Cancer Research Award from the American Association of Cancer Research, and the Paul Erhlich Prize from Germany.

Dr. Aaronson received his MD from University of California Medical School, San Francisco, and trained at Moffitt Hospital, San Francisco. He joined Mount Sinai in 1993 after a long tenure at the National Cancer Institute, where he was Chief of the Laboratory of Cellular and Molecular Biology.
Kirk N. Campbell, MD, is Irene and Dr. Arthur M. Fishberg Professor of Medicine in the Division of Nephrology, Professor of Pharmacological Sciences, and founding Director of the Center for Kidney Disease Innovation at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.

Dr. Campbell is a renowned expert in rare protein-spilling glomerular kidney disorders. In addition to caring for patients with kidney disease, he leads a multidisciplinary NIH-funded research program focused on understanding mechanisms of kidney disease progression and clinical trials in the rare kidney disease space. He has been a principal investigator and steering committee member for numerous Phase 2 and 3 clinical trials testing innovative therapies for IgA nephropathy, focal segmental glomerulosclerosis, lupus nephritis, and membranous nephropathy. Dr. Campbell has made seminal discoveries in defining the role of kidney podocyte injury in glomerular disease progression. He is a current recipient of the Harrington Discovery Institute Scholar-Innovator Award, a program that recognizes outstanding physician-scientists whose work has potential to advance care standards. He holds two patents on therapeutic strategies and biomarkers for kidney protection and glomerular disease management.

Dr. Campbell has made important contributions to Mount Sinai, serving as the current Director of the Mount Sinai Post-Baccalaureate Research Education Program, an NIH-funded pipeline initiative to prepare students from diverse backgrounds for PhD and MD/PhD program matriculation. He has served as the Ombudsperson for Mount Sinai’s Medical Students, who presented him with the 2016 Edward J. Ronan Award. Dr. Campbell served as Director of Mount Sinai’s Nephrology Fellowship Program and System Vice Chair for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the Department of Medicine. Dr. Campbell is one of Mount Sinai’s principal investigators in the recently awarded $17 million NIH FIRST grant, a transformative initiative to diversify the biomedical research workforce and promote inclusive excellence.

Dr. Campbell is President-Elect of the National Kidney Foundation, America’s largest, most comprehensive, and longeststanding patient-centric organization dedicated to the awareness, prevention, and treatment of kidney disease. He is a past President of the New York Society of Nephrology and a member of the Board of Directors of the Nephcure Foundation. He is an elected member of the American Society for Clinical Investigation, and a member of the editorial boards of the American Journal of Kidney Disease, Kidney360, Kidney International, Frontiers in Medicine, and the American Journal of Physiology – Renal Physiology.

Dr. Campbell received his MD from the University of Connecticut. He completed his residency at Yale University and his clinical nephrology and postdoctoral research training at Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.
Marla C. Dubinsky, MD

Marla C. Dubinsky, MD, is Professor of Pediatrics and Medicine at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, Chief of Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition at the Mount Sinai Kravis Children’s Hospital, Co-Director of the Susan and Leonard Feinstein IBD Clinical Center, and Co-Director of the IBD Preconception and Pregnancy Planning Clinic at Mount Sinai. She is the Co-Founder of Mi-Test Health and Cornerstones Health, a nonprofit organization dedicated to enhancing and transforming communication between health care providers, patients, and industry partners through creative, comprehensive, and expert-based educational programs. She is also Co-Founder of Trellus Health, a value-based condition management digital health company, leading with GI conditions.

Dr. Dubinsky has been engaged in inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) clinical and translational research for more than two decades. She has a keen interest in precision IBD medicine, and her research uncovers predictors of rapid disease progression with the goal of preventing complications by altering treatment plans. She is the principal investigator of multiple large, longitudinal cohorts, including the Road to Prevention Multiplex Family Program at Mount Sinai, which has more than 700 enrolled participants and a goal of using multi-omic data to predict the development of IBD in unaffected family members. She is co-investigator of the Risk Stratification and Identification of Immunogenetic and Microbial Markers of Rapid Disease Progression in Children with Crohn’s Disease (RISK) study, and senior author on the manuscript presenting a model to predict the natural history of pediatric Crohn’s disease.

Dr. Dubinsky is very committed to women’s reproductive health in IBD. In addition to her research in this field, she is the Co-founder of WECARE in IBD, an organization dedicated to the health of women with IBD and supporting the providers who manage them. She has lectured widely, both nationally and internationally, and has published in more than 350 peer-reviewed journals, including New England Journal of Medicine, Gastroenterology, Lancet, and JAMA.

Dr. Dubinsky was a recipient of the 2022 Sherman Prize, awarded to IBD researchers with extraordinary records of achievement who are making exceptional and pioneering contributions that transform IBD care. She was also recognized as the 2023 Healio Lifetime Disruptor in Gastroenterology.

Dr. Dubinsky received her medical degree from Queen’s University, Canada. She completed her pediatric residency at Alberta Children’s Hospital, Calgary, Canada, and her clinical fellowship in gastroenterology and nutrition at Sainte-Justine Hospital at the University of Montreal. She completed her research fellowship in IBD at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles, where she served as Director of the Pediatric IBD Center before joining Mount Sinai in 2014.

Helen M. Fernandez, MD, MPH, MSH ’01

Helen M. Fernandez, MD, MPH, MSH ’01, serves as Vice Chair of Education in the Brookdale Department of Geriatrics and Palliative Medicine at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai. She leads the largest geriatrics and palliative training programs in the country, which trains 20 percent of the workforce, and has served as a mentor to many students, residents, fellows and faculty. Fernandez has presented on many national and international meetings, including the World Gerontology Conference, the ACP International Meeting, and the International Association for Medical Education Annual Conference. She is a creator and Senior Course Director for the 22nd Annual Intensive Update with Board Review in Geriatric and Palliative Medicine in addition to the Master Clinician-Educator Program in Geriatrics and Physician Mini-Fellowships: Geriatrics for Non-Geriatricians programs.

In 2010, Dr. Fernandez was named a Master Educator in the Mount Sinai School of Medicine Institute of Medical Education. In 2011, she co-created the first integrated geriatrics and palliative care fellowship, which has now disseminated to 11 other institutions. She also served as chair of the IME Faculty Development and Primary Care Track Working Groups. Since 2011, she has been a master educator for rural interdisciplinary training, which has been disseminated to Indian Health Services in Washington, New Mexico, and Anchorage, Alaska, and the Aleutian Islands. In 2019, Dr. Fernandez co-created the first national leadership and life skills course for integrated geriatrics and palliative medicine fellows, which has led to an expansion in the field.

In 2020, Dr. Fernandez created one of the first combined Medicine Geriatrics Residency Fellowship programs in the country. In 2021, she received The Jeffrey T. Laitman, PhD Alumni Achievement Award, given to an individual who has made significant contributions to medical education, and was awarded the Dennis W. Jahngen Memorial Award from the American Geriatrics Society, given annually to an AGS member who has provided leadership to train students in geriatrics and has contributed significantly to the progress of geriatrics education in health professions schools. Teaching expertise, as well as educational program development, is valued in the selection of the recipient for this honor. In 2023, Dr. Fernandez became the principal investigator for the Brookdale Foundation Grant to further advance leadership training in geriatrics and palliative medicine and to transform healthcare for older adults and those living with serious and chronic illness.

Dr. Fernandez earned her MD from the Universidad Autónoma De Guadalajara School of Medicine in Guadalajara, Mexico. She completed her fellowship in Geriatrics, where she also served as a Chief Fellow, and a Masters of Public Health degree at Icahn Mount Sinai.
Stephen Harvey, CPA, MBA

Stephen Harvey, CPA, MBA, is the Chief Financial Officer of the Mount Sinai Health System. He is responsible for all aspects of financial management, accounting, and reporting for the Health System, including the annual operating budget, coordination of the capital budget, and debt management. He works closely with the leadership team, providing financial analyses of new programs, acquisitions, and business development initiatives. Mr. Harvey was previously Chief Financial Officer of the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai from 1999 to 2021.

During his 33 years of service to Mount Sinai, Mr. Harvey has contributed to the Health System’s growth and financial success. He assisted the Dean of the Medical School with the financial arrangements that supported two successful 10-year research and clinical strategic plans. He also prepared the financing plans for Icahn Mount Sinai and the Leon and Norma Hess Center for Science and Medicine buildings. He also played an important role in aligning the financial policies and procedures of the former Continuum physician practices with the Mount Sinai Doctors Faculty Practice when the Health System was formed.

Mr. Harvey began his career at Coopers & Lybrand in Boston, with audit responsibilities principally in the higher education, health care, and investment company industries. He is a certified public accountant and received a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Maine.

Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD

Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD, is the Waldman Professor of Dermatology and Immunology and Health System Chair of the Department of Dermatology, and Director of both the Center for Excellence in Eczema and the Laboratory for Inflammatory Skin Diseases at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.

Dr. Guttman-Yassky’s major research focus areas are atopic dermatitis (AD)/eczema and hair loss disorders such as alopecia areata, scarring alopecia and other inflammatory skin conditions. Her translational, or bench to bedside and back research approach allowed her to make paradigm-shifting discoveries on the immunologic basis of AD/eczema in adults and children with atopic dermatitis across various subtypes based on ethnicity, age, and other factors, enriching the understanding of the pathophysiology of this common disorder, paving the way for the novel, targeted drugs that are approved or currently tested for this common disease. Recently, Dr. Guttman-Yassky extended her research interest to alopecia areata and scarring hair loss disorders, chronic hand eczema, keloids, ichthyosis, and other inflammatory skin diseases, in which her translational approach and findings are also leading to novel therapeutics. She has also linked alopecia areata to the atopic/allergic march, with important therapeutic implications.

Dr. Guttman-Yassky co-founded the International Eczema Council (IEC) and is its immediate past president. Dr. Guttman-Yassky has received many national and international awards, including the AAAS Award for Scientific Innovation and the AAD Young Investigator Award, among others. She was elected as a member of the American Society for Clinical Investigation/ASCI and the American Dermatological Society/ADA. She is a co-founder and organizer of one of the most important global meetings in dermatology, the Inflammatory Skin Disease Summit (ISDS), and serves on the editorial board of several high-impact journals. Dr. Guttman-Yassky has delivered many keynote and plenary presentations in international and national meetings and authored more than 375 peer-reviewed publications in leading journals such as NEJM, LANCET, Cell, Nature Immunology, and others.

Dr. Guttman-Yassky earned her MD from Sackler School of Medicine at the Tel-Aviv University, Israel, and her PhD from the Bar-Ilan University, Israel. After her first board certification in dermatology in Israel, she moved to the U.S. to pursue a two-year postdoctoral fellowship at The Rockefeller University in the Laboratory for Investigative Dermatology. Upon completion of her fellowship, and after completing a second dermatology residency training at Weill-Cornell Medical College, she became board certified by the American Board of Dermatology. She joined the department of dermatology at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai in 2011 and became the department chair in 2021.
With more than 45 years of experience in health care fundraising, Mark Kostegan, FAHP, brings a distinct and valuable perspective as well as a strategic approach to philanthropy that has earned him a reputation for breaking institutional fundraising records. Since 2008, he has served as Chief Development Officer and Senior Vice President for Development at Mount Sinai, raising nearly $4 billion in philanthropic revenue and overseeing a dynamic and growing fundraising program.

Under Mr. Kostegan’s direction, the Health System consistently secures record-breaking gifts and exceeds its philanthropic targets. The successful Campaign for Mount Sinai, culminating in 2013, fully realized the potential defined by a strategic plan that enabled the recruitment of extraordinary physician-scientists and expanded the disease and research-based institutes that represented the health system’s future. Despite initiating the campaign during the Great Recession, the Campaign raised nearly $1.6 billion, significantly exceeding the $1 Billion goal. Among other achievements, the campaign raised funds for the new Leon and Norma Hess Center for Science and Medicine.

Working closely with senior leadership and his development team, Mr. Kostegan now spearheads another major capital campaign—the first for the entire Mount Sinai Health System. Launched in 2017 with a $2 Billion goal, in 2023 the campaign exceeded its initial goal two years ahead of schedule. The campaign is pressing forward with incredible momentum to invest in the expansion and enhancement of clinical and research facilities, drive groundbreaking scientific research, educate the next generation, and deliver innovative and compassionate patient care.

Mr. Kostegan’s vision has always included novel approaches to philanthropy and innovative presentations of the institutional strategic agenda on platforms tailored to key audiences. His integral presence and guidance during Mount Sinai’s comprehensive strategic planning process has ensured the close connection between the selection of emerging priorities that will have a profound impact across the Health System and the potential for philanthropic support. He has put into place a variety of initiatives such as annual leadership giving, a grateful-patient outreach program, and online giving. He has also recruited more than 35 new members of the Mount Sinai Boards of Trustees.

Mr. Kostegan previously held executive development leadership roles at Brigham and Women’s Hospital/Partners Health, Boston Children’s Hospital, the Joslin Diabetes Center, and the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary. He is an alumnus of Suffolk University and a Fellow of the Association for Healthcare Philanthropy, the highest level of giving. He has also recruited more than 35 new members of the Mount Sinai Boards of Trustees.

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Roxana Mehran, MD, MSH ’95

Roxana Mehran, MD, MSH ’95, is Professor of Medicine and Director of Interventional Cardiovascular Research and Clinical Trials at the Zena and Michael A. Wiener Cardiovascular Institute at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai. She is an internationally renowned interventional cardiologist and clinical research expert in the field of cardiovascular disease.

Dr. Mehran was most recently named Director of the Women’s Heart and Vascular Center at Mount Sinai Fuster Heart Hospital, spearheading a new program that represents a collaboration across multiple disciplines and designed to meet the unique needs of women’s cardiovascular health. She leads a globally respected academic research center focused on designing and implementing randomized clinical trials, outcomes research projects, and high impact academic publications. She has served as principal investigator for numerous global studies, developed risk scores for bleeding and acute kidney injury, participates regularly in developing clinical guidelines, and has authored more than 2,000 peer-reviewed articles.

Dr. Mehran is a member of the American College of Cardiology Board of Trustees and a founder and Chief Scientific Officer of the Cardiovascular Research Foundation. For the last consecutive 9 years running, she has been included in Clarivate Analytics’ “Most Cited Researchers – Top 1%” as well as “The World’s Most Influential Scientific Minds” by Thomson Reuters. She has been an invited lecturer for more than 1,000 presentations, as well as leading the Lancet Commission on Women’s Cardiovascular Diseases, which brings together leading researchers from around the world to identify and bridge gaps in scientific discovery, clinical trials, and care for women with cardiovascular disease.

In 2019, Dr. Mehran founded Women as One, a non-profit organization dedicated to advancing opportunities for women in medicine.

Dr. Mehran is a recipient of several awards, including the 2016 American College of Cardiology Bernadine Healy Leadership in CV Disease Award, the 2018 Nanette Wenger Award from Women’s Heart for excellence in research and education, the 2019 Ellis Island Medal of Honor, and the 2019 ESC Silver Medal and Andreas Gruntzig Lecture plaque. In 2022, she received the Terry Ann Kruilwich Physician-Scientist Alumni Award at Mount Sinai; the Linda Joy Pollin Heart Health Leadership Award from Cedar Sinai Medical Center; Doctor Honoris Causa Degree at Università della Svizzera italiana; Women in Cardiology Mentoring Award from American Heart Association; and the Pulse-Setter Champion Award from the Cardiovascular Research Foundation. In 2023, Dr. Mehran was awarded the Bahr Award of Excellence by the American College of Cardiology.

Dr. Mehran completed her training in internal medicine at the University of Connecticut, where she was also a Chief Medical Resident, before continuing with Fellowships in Cardiovascular Disease and Interventional Cardiology at Mount Sinai.

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Roxana Mehran, MD, MSH ’95
Peak Woo, MD, is a clinical professor in the Department of Otolaryngology and Head and Neck Surgery at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai. He is a laryngologist interested in treating voice and swallow disorders.

Dr. Woo was recruited from Tufts University and began his career at Mount Sinai School of Medicine as Associate Professor of Otolaryngology in 1996. He was named the Grabscheid Research Professor of Otolaryngology in 2002 and assumed the title of Clinical Professor in Otolaryngology at Icahn Mount Sinai in 2008.

During his tenure, the Eugen Grabscheid, MD, Voice and Swallowing Center, the first comprehensive multi-disciplinary voice center based in New York City for professional voice care, was established. The first international fellowship in laryngology was established in 1996, and an accredited U.S. laryngology fellowship was established in 2005 (both were firsts for New York City). Dr. Woo has trained seven international fellows and 18 national fellows in laryngology.

In collaboration with the otolaryngology team, Dr. Woo has developed several surgical procedures, such as buccal mucosal grafting for reconstruction of the vocal folds, hypo-pharyngoplasty to reduce aspiration, endoscopic suturing techniques, and trans-oral Zenker’s Diverticulectomy. He developed the first commercial high-speed imaging system to evaluate vocal fold vibration, and his textbook, Stroboscopy, is used to teach residents and speech pathologists about laryngeal imaging.

Dr. Woo is recognized for his contributions to laryngology and broncho-esophagology. He has served as the President of several organizations, such as the New York Head and Neck Society, the New York Laryngological Association, the American Broncho-Esophageal Association, and the American Laryngological Association. He was also Vice President of the Eastern Section of The Triological Society. He has been honored as the Chevalier Jackson Lecturer by the American Broncho-Esophageal Association, Paul Moore Lecturer by The Voice Foundation, and Teacher of the Year at Icahn Mount Sinai’s Department of Otolaryngology. Dr. Woo has received the James Newcomb Award from The American Laryngological Association and The Mount Sinai Master Clinician Award, among others. He has traveled and lectured in the U.S. and abroad, including recent keynotes at the Salzburg Care of the Professional Voice Festival and the University of Sao Paulo.

A Native of Taiwan, Dr. Woo immigrated to the U.S. in 1966. He received his M.D. from Boston University in 1978. His internship in Surgery was at the University of Pennsylvania, and he did his Otolaryngology residency at Boston University/Tufts University Otolaryngology training program. He began his academic career in 1983 at SUNY Upstate Health Center.

Dr. Woo lives with his wife, Celia, in Fort Lee, New Jersey. His children, Christina, Geoffrey, and Ryan, are all grown up and doing well.
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SAVE THE DATE
The Mount Sinai Alumni Association and the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai invite you to join us for the 2024 Alumni Reunion Celebration and Cocktail Reception

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2024
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
The Harmonie Club
4 East 60th Street, New York City
(between Fifth and Madison Avenue)

Complimentary Admission. Cocktail Attire.
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