Alpert Medical School of Brown University

Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology

Highlights from 2014
Thank you and congratulations on a terrific year!
CONGRATULATIONS! 2014 OB/GYN Residency Graduates
OB/GYN PG-1 Residents (Class of 2018)
OB/GYN PG-2 Residents (Class of 2017)
OB/GYN Chief Residents (Class of 2015)
RESIDENT RETREAT
October 24, 2014
Alton Jones Conference Center
OB/GYN Center for Reproduction & Infertility Fellows
2014 - 2015

Virginia A. Mensah, MD
1st year fellow

Victoria Snegovskikh, MD
3rd year fellow
OB/GYN Maternal Fetal Medicine Fellows

2014- 2015

Rosemary Froehlich, MD
1st year fellow

Catherine Albright, MD
2nd year fellow

Lindsay Maggio, MD
3rd year fellow
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology

OB/GYN Women’s Oncology Fellows 2014 - 2015

Evelyn Cantillo, MD  
1st year fellow

Anze Urh, MD  
2nd year fellow

Liza Lokich, MD  
3rd year fellow

Emily Hill, MD  
4th year fellow
OB/GYN Women’s Oncology Breast Health Fellow
2014 - 2015

Sarah Pesek, MD
OB/GYN Urogynecology Fellows
2014 - 2015

Annetta Madsen, MD
1st year fellow

Kavita Mishra, MD
2nd year fellow

Jonathan Shaw, MD
2nd year fellow

Sonali Raman, MD
3rd year fellow
New Staff and Faculty Members

Lynae Brayboy, MD REI
Rosa Bermudez-Emmanuelli, MD, Women’s Care
Michael Gottlieb, MD OB/GYN Associates
Christine LaRose, MD Center for Ob-Gyn
Althea Lindsay, MD Caring for Women
Alex Mainiero, MD ER/Triage
Rachel Shepherd, MD ER/Triage
William Sikov, MD Breast Health Center
Michael Sisitsky, MD ER/Triage
Kate Zaluski, MD ER/Triage
Years of service 1987 – 2014

Best wishes in retirement!

With sincere appreciation for years of service and dedication to your patients, our community, our trainees and the department.

Patrick Sweeney, MD, PhD
Years of Service 1990 - 2014

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Diane Angelini, EdD, CNM
2014 Networking Reception & Faculty Retreat

April 10 & 11, 2014
Alpert Medical School of Brown University
Recognitions
2014
2014 Faculty Promotion

Kristen Matteson, MD, MPH
Associate Professor
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology
2014 Faculty Promotion

Anh-Tai V. Dang, MD, FACOG
Clinical Assistant Professor
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology
12/1/2014
2014 Brown Faculty Appointments

Elizabeth Burchard, MD
Clinical Assistant Professor
Center for OB/GYN

Laina Crowthers, MD
Clinical Assistant Professor
Broadway OB/GYN

Amr Kader, MD
Clinical Instructor
Women’s Care, Inc.
Emeritus Faculty

Diane Angelini, EdD, CNM
Professor Emerita (Clinical)
11/1/14

Nabil Khoury, MD
Clinical Associate Professor Emeritus
11/1/14

Patrick Sweeney, MD, PhD
Professor Emeritus
7/1/14
Leadership Announcement

Elisabeth Howard, PhD, CNM
Assistant Professor (Clinical)

named

Interim Director of Nurse Midwifery
Medical Staff President

Michele Gange, MD
December 2014 – November 2016

David Carcieri, MD
December 2012 – November 2014
Brown / Women & Infants Hospital

Obstetrics and Gynecology Residency Program

Nationally ranked among TOP 10

Obstetrics and Gynecology programs in the country

in a peer-review process that included over 50,000 nominations
submitted by board-certified physicians to
US News & World Report and Doximity
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology
National Excellence Awards

Kyle Wohlrab, MD
Council on Resident Education in Obstetrics & Gynecology (CREOG)
National Excellence in Teaching Award

Carroll Medeiros, MD
Association of Professors of Gynecology and Obstetrics (APGO)
National Excellence in Teaching Award
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology

2014 Recipients of the Warren Alpert Medical School Dean’s Excellence in Teaching Award

Andrew Blazar, MD
Kathleen Bowling, MD
Stephen Carr, MD
Beata DiZoglio, MD
David Edmonson, MD
Michele Gange, MD
Star Hampton, MD
Patrick Sweeney, MD
Roxanne Vrees, MD
Kyle Wohlrab, MD
2014 Warren Alpert Medical School Dean’s Excellence in Teaching Award Reception
Top Docs 2014

Gynecology/Obstetrics
David Beitle, Kathie Bowling, J. Douglas Nisbet, Jane Sharp, Scott Walker

Reproductive Endocrine
Gary Frishman, Kelly Pagidas, Carol Wheeler

Gynecologic Oncology
Steve Falkenberry, Skip Granai, Richard Moore

Breast Surgery
Jennifer Gass, Robert Legare
John Buster, MD
was honored with a
Named Lectureship
at the
American Congress of Obstetricians &
Gynecologists Annual Meeting
Chicago, IL

The John E. Buster, MD, Reproductive
Endocrinology/Infertility Session
Melissa Clark, PhD
was awarded the
Distinguished Service Award
from the
Society of Behavioral Medicine
April, 2014
Santina Sienna, MD

awarded the

Medical Staff Office Distinguished Service Award

January, 2014
Hospital Association of Rhode Island

Dr. Jay O’Brien accepted the Edward J. Quinlan Award for Patient Safety Excellence on behalf of his team that worked on “Elimination of Elective Delivery at Less than 39 Weeks Gestation.”
Obstetric Triage: A Systematic Review of the Past Fifteen Years: 1998-2013

Diane Angelini, EdD, CNM
Elisabeth Howard, PhD, CNM
Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery: Clinical Practice and Surgical Atlas

Editors: Rebecca Rogers, Vivian W. Sung, Ranee Thakar, and Cheryl Iglesias

High Commendation from the British Medical Association 2014 Book Awards
Donald R. Coustan, MD,
President
American Gynecological and Obstetrics Society (AGOS)
John Buster, MD

received a

2014 Top 10 Doctor Award

Presented by Vitals, the Top 10 Doctor award is rated and awarded by patients
Program in Women’s Oncology

received a *three-year accreditation*

with

**Gold Standard Commendation**

from the

American College of Surgeons

Commission on Cancer
Murray Family Infusion Center

and the

Carter Family Integrative Care Suite

Program in Women’s Oncology

Bernard and Ina Wasserman Family Building

Funding provided by:
Murray Family Charitable Foundation grant
Carter Family Charitable Trust grant
Champlain Foundations
Individual, corporate and foundation contributions
Ribbon cutting for the new

Obstetric Evaluation Unit

Emergency Obstetrics and Gynecology
at Women & Infants Hospital

April 3, 2014

Angelleen Peters-Lewis, RN, PhD; Roxanne Vrees, MD; Maureen Phipps, MD, MPH; Mark Marcantano; Ray Powrie, MD; Tracy Casala, RN
Minimally Invasive Surgical Program Leadership

Charles Rardin, MD
Director
Minimally Invasive & Robotic Surgical Surgery for Care New England

Beata DiZoglio, MD
Associate Director
Robotic Surgery Program for Women & Infants
Care New England Simulation Center
Ribbon Cutting

The Care New England Simulation Program at Women & Infants Hospital officially opened with an open house and ribbon cutting ceremony to showcase its new location, which will allow the Program to schedule three separate simulations simultaneously.
Women’s Infectious Disease Consultation Service

Collaborative service of the Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology, Department of Medicine and Integrated Program for High-Risk Pregnancy

Brenna Hughes, MD, MSc, Maternal-Fetal Medicine Director, Women’s Infectious Disease Consultation Service

Erica Hardy, MD, MMSc, Obstetric and Consultative Medicine Associate Director, Women’s Infectious Disease Consultation Service
2013-2014 ACOG Representatives

Patrick Sweeney, MD, PhD
RI Fellow Chair

Maureen Hamel, MD
RI Junior Fellow Vice Chair

Erin Christine Brousseau, MD
RI Fellow Vice Chair

Elizabeth Connor, MD
Rhode Island Junior Fellow Chair
Sarah Fox, MD
Vice President
International Pelvic Pain Society
Paul DiSilvestro, MD
Co-Chair, Breast Cancer Committee
National Surgical Adjuvant Breast and Bowel Project
Radiation Therapy Oncology Group
GOG (NRG) Oncology Group
Barbara O’Brien, MD

named to the
CREOG (Council on Resident Education in Obstetrics and Gynecology)
Exam Development Committee.
Gary N. Frishman, MD,
appointed to the
Obstetrics and Gynecology
ACGME Residency Review Committee
Rebecca Allen, MD, MPH  
ACOG Member

E. Christine Brousseau, MD  
ACOG RI Fellow Vice Chair

Maureen Hamel, MD  
ACOG RI Junior Fellow Vice Chair

2014 ACOG Congressional Leadership Conference  
March 2 – 4, 2014  
Washington, DC

Pictured left to right:  
Rebecca Allen, E. Christine Brousseau, Maureen Hamel
Maureen Phipps, MD, MPH

appointed to the

U.S. Preventive Service Task Force
(USPTF)
Barbara O’Brien, MD
Division of Maternal Fetal Medicine
selected for the
Society of Maternal Fetal Medicine
Self Study and Mastery
National Committee
Jennifer Gass, MD
co-director of the Breast Health Center and
chief surgeon at Women & Infants
elected
President
of the
Rhode Island Chapter
of the American College of Surgeons
Kristen A. Matteson, MD, MPH
selected to serve on the
ACOG (American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists)
Committee on Gynecologic Practice
for 2014-2015
B. Star Hampton, MD
named
Membership Committee Chair
American Urogynecologic Society
Gary Frishman, MD

named to the

APGO (Association of Professors of Gynecology and Obstetrics)

Presidential Task Force on Educational Scholarship
James O’Brien, MD

named

Chair of the

CWISH Physician’s Subgroup
E. Christine Brousseau, MD, FACOG
ACOG District I, Rhode Island
Women & Infants
Emergency Department Physician

Featured in the
January 9, 2014 edition of
ACOG News
highlighting her experience as
the 2013 McCain Fellow for District I

Dr. Brousseau, FACOG, with Rep. Donna Edwards, (D-MD)
Book Editors

Rebecca Allen, MD

Vivian Sung, MD
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Star Hampton, MD, Anna Pilzek, MD, Brown medical student, Allison Kay returned to Rwanda to treat pelvic fistula and train Rwandan physicians, medical students and nursing staff.

Edie McConaughey, CNM, provided general obstetrical care and teaching.
Surgical Services Success

- Decrease in turnaround time from 37 minutes to 33 minutes
- Reduced overall Operating Room delays by 280 hours (36%)
- Maintenance of best-in-class status for first case, on time starts and subsequent cases
- Updates in central processing capabilities
- Development of cost per case reporting
- Major update in technologies in all eight operating rooms
Inpatient Obstetrics Successes

- Development of CNE-wide OB Dashboard
- 39 week initiative received recognition with Inaugural Edward J. Quinlan Award for Patient Safety Excellence by the Hospital Association of Rhode Island
- Sustained performance in OB readmissions and other OB quality indicators in the CWISH hospital group
- Web-based educational information on trial of labor after cesarean section (TOLAC) as first installment in the development of CNE / WIH’s library as authoritative resource for obstetrical patient education

James O’Brien, MD
Director, Inpatient Obstetrics
Grant Funding
2014
Society of Family Planning
“Helping women choose between local anesthesia alone and IV sedation for first-trimester surgical abortion” 2014 – 2016

National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
“Contraceptive Clinical Trials Network” 2013 - 2020
Lynae Brayboy, MD

Reproductive Scientist Development Program (RSDP) Physician Scientist Award
“The Role of Multidrug Resistant Transporters in the Protection of the Ovary from Chemotherapy” 2014 – 2016

ACOG/Bayer HealthCare Pharmaceuticals
“Girl Talk: A Smart Phone Application to Teach Sexual Health Education”
7/1/13 – 6/30/14
NIH / NIDA
“Fetal behavior, brain & stress response: Ultrasound markers of maternal smoking” 2013 – 2018
Paul DiSilvestro, MD

NCI
“Gynecologic Oncology Group of the National Cancer Institute” 2004 – 2/28/2015

NCI/CTSU
“Gynecologic Oncology Group, Leadership Grant, Protocol 219” 2006 – 9/30/3014

AstraZeneca/GOG 3004
“A Phase III randomized, double blind, placebo controlled, multicenter study of Olaparib maintenance monotherapy in patients with BRCA mutated advanced (FIGO Stage III_IV) ovarian cancer following first line platinum based chemotherapy” 2013 – present
Boehringer – Ingelheim 119.15
“Multicenter, randomized, double-blind, phase III trial to investigate the efficacy and safety of BIB 1120 in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel compared to placebo plus carboplatin and paclitaxel in patients with advanced ovarian cancer” 2010 – present

Genetech
“A randomized, open-label, multicenter, phase II trial evaluating the safety and activity of DNIB0600A compared to pegylated liposomal doxorubicin administered intravenously to patients with platinum-resistant ovarian cancer (GO28609).” 2013 – present

Janssen Pharmaceuticals
“A randomized, open-label study comparing the combination of YONDELIS and DOXIL/CAELYX with DOXIL/CAELYX monotherapy for the treatment of advanced-relapsed epithelial ovarian, primary peritoneal, or fallopian tube cancer” 2013 - present

Tesaro
“A randomized, open-label study of maintenance with Nariparib versus placebo in patients with platinum sensitive ovarian cancer” 2013 – present
Brenna Hughes, MD, MSc

NIH/NICHD
“The Role of Mucosal Immunity in the Risk of HIV-1 Acquisition During Pregnancy” 8/1/09 – 7/31/14

Centers for Disease Control
“Clinical Trial of Behavioral Modification to Prevent Congenital Cytomegalovirus” 9/30/12 – 9/29/14

2014 Dean’s Emerging Areas of New Science Award
“The impact of vaginal microbiome on HIV infectivity among pregnant and non-pregnant women” 7/1/2014 – 6/30/2015

NIH/NICHD
Maternal Fetal Medicine Units (MFMU) 4/1/11 – 3/31/16
Cara Mathews, MD

AstraZeneca
“A Phase III randomized, double blind, placebo controlled, multicenter study of Olaparib maintenance monotherapy in patients with BRCA mutated advanced (FIGO Stage III-IV) ovarian cancer following first line platinum based chemotherapy” 2013 - present

The Rhode Island Foundation
“Molecular biomarkers in uterine papillary serous cancer: Biopsy vs. hysterectomy” 3/1/2014 – 2/28/15
Kristen Matteson, MD, MPH

NIH / NICHD
“Levonorgestrel intrauterine system versus oral contraceptives for heavy menses”
2/15/13 – 1/31/17

NIH / NICHD
“A comprehensive patient-based outcome measure for heavy menstrual bleeding”
Richard Moore, MD

NCI
“Development of an assay for the early detection of ovarian cancer” 6/1/09 – 4/30/14

NCI
“Urine and serum biomarkers for screening and diagnosis of ovarian cancer” 8/1/10 – 1/31/15

NCI
“Early detection of epithelial ovarian cancer University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center SPORE in ovarian cancer” 9/2/10 – 8/31/15
Richard Moore, MD

2014 Dean’s Emerging Areas of New Science Award
“Establish genomic targets of HE_{4} & antisense therapy for treatment of ovarian cancer” 7/1/2014 – 6/30/2105

Swim Across America
Research Development Grant
2010 - present

Fujirebio diagnostics, Inc.
In support of the Center for Biomarkers and Emerging Technologist (CBET)
2010 - present
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology

Deborah Myers, MD

NIH / NICHD
“Pelvic Floor Disorders Network”
8/16/11 – 6/30/16
Abbott, Inc.
“β-hCG Clinical Trial for 510(k), APOC-12-02-A”

AbbVie
Clinical Study Protocol M12-671A.
“Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Study to Evaluate the Safety and Efficacy of Elagolix in Subjects with Moderate to Severe Endometriosis Associated Pain.”
9/2013-present.
Women’s Reproductive Health Research
Career Development Award

NIH / NICHD

9/29/05 – 3/31/15

PI: Maureen Phipps, MD, MPH
RD: Kristen Matteson, MD, MPH

WRHR Scholars
E. Christine Brousseau, MD
Katina Robison, MD
Maureen Phipps, MD, MPH

NIH / NIMH
“Project REACH: Preventing postpartum depression in adolescent mothers” 8/1/11 – 4/30/16

NIH / NIDA
“Maternal smoking: HPA and epigenetic pathways to infant neurobehavioural deficits” 12/1/11 – 4/30/16

NHLBI
“Preventing excessive gestational weight gain in obese women” 9/23/11 – 7/31/16

NIH / NINR
“RCT of a tailored walking program to reduce stress among pregnant women” 9/17/14 – 7/31/19
Maureen Phipps, MD, MPH

NIH / NINR
“RCT of a tailored walking program to reduce stress among pregnant women” 9/17/14 – 7/31/19

NIH / NIEHS
“Air pollution and pregnancy-induced hypertension in Rhode Island” 8/9/13 – 7/31/15
Foundation for Female Health Awareness

“Vaginal uphold hysteropexy and laparoscopic sacral hysteropexy for the treatment of uterovaginal pelvic organ prolapse: A parallel cohort study” 2011 - present
Ovarian Cancer Research Fund
“Women to Women Program”
12/1/13 – 12/1/14

Everett Boyden Trust & Cook Hull Trust
“The Effect of Neoadjuvant Depot Medroxyprogesterone Acetate on Glandular Cellularity in Women with Complex Atypical Hyperplasia or Grade 1-2 Endometrial Adenocarcinoma Awaiting Hysterectomy”
8/9/13 – 7/31/15
Novartis

“A Multicenter, Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo Controlled, Phase II Trial Evaluating the Safety and Efficacy of TK1258 Combined with Fulvestrant, in Postmenopausal Patients with Her2- and HR+ Breast Cancer that Have Evidence of Disease Progression on or After Prior Endocrine Therapy”

9/1/12 – 8/31/14
Vivian Sung, MD, MPH

NIH / NICHD
“Pelvic Floor Disorders Network”
8/16/11 – 6/30/16

NIH / NICHD
“Patient-reported outcomes in functioning for female pelvic floor disorders” 6/16/09 – 5/31/14

NIH / NIDDK
“Symptoms of lower urinary tract dysfunction research network (LURN)”
9/30/12 – 5/31/17

“AHRQ
“Patient centered outcomes research (PCOR) institutional mentored career development program”

NIH / NICHD
“Tailored outcomes for female urinary incontinence” NCE – 11/31/2014
Erika Werner, MD
Brown University

ACOG

rEVO Biologics
“Prospective randomized double-blind, placebo controlled evaluation of the pharmacokinetics, safety and efficacy of recombinant antithrombin versus placebo in preterm preeclampsia (PRESERVE-1), Protocol no. RB AT PPE 01-03. 12/17/13 – 12/31/15
Programs and Events
2014
Chief Pro Tempore
March 13, 2014

“Evidence-based surgery: An Oxymoron No Longer?”

David A. Grimes, MD

Clinical Professor
Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
UNC School of Medicine
Chapel Hill, North Carolina
Doctor’s Day Celebration
March 27, 2014

“Promoting Professionalism: Addressing Behaviors that Undermine a Culture of Safety, Reliability and Accountability

William O. Cooper, MD, MPH
Cornelius Vanderbilt Professor and Vice Chair, Dept of Pediatrics
Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs
Director, Vanderbilt Center for Patient and Professional Advocacy
Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, Tennessee
Annual Saphier Family Lecture
May 29, 2014

“Genetics for the Gynecologist: Ovarian & Endometrial Cancer Considerations”

Thomas J. Herzog, MD

Physicians and Surgeons Alumni Professor of Clinical Ob/Gyn
(Endowed Professor)
Director, Division of Gynecologic Oncology
Columbia University, New York, NY
Resident & Fellow Research Day
June 5, 2014
“Community Rx: Connecting health care to self-care for women and children”
Stacy Lindau, MD, MAPP, FACOG
Associate Professor, Pritzker School of Medicine
Departments of OB/GYN and Medicine-Geriatrics
University of Chicago Comprehensive Cancer Center
Core Faculty in the MacLean Center of Clinical Medical Ethics
Fellow’s Workshop in Clinical Research Design
July 21 - August 1, 2014

Course Director: Kristen Matteson, MD, MPH

Course Faculty:
• Eli Adashi
• Becca Allen
• Brenna Anderson
• Melissa Clark
• Kristen Matteson
• Maureen Phipps
• Christina Raker
• Katina Robison
• Dwight Rouse
• Vivian Sung
• Kelly Taylor
• Erika Werner
Women & Infants Midwifery Celebration
August 28, 2014

“Mistakes Were Made, But Not By Me: Cognitive Bias, Error & Teamwork in Perinatal Care”

Lisa Miller, CNM, JD
Perinatal and Risk Management Services
Portland, Oregon
Swim Across America 2014

Raised over $130,000 for cancer research at WIH
Research: An Event or an Environment?

“E-Consenting: the brave new world of research in the 21st century”
September 23, 2014

Course Director: Paul DiSilvestro, MD

Presenter: Lindsay McNair, MD, MPH, MS
Bioethics Chief Clinical Research Officer
and President
Consulting Services WIRB-Copernicus Group

Sponsored by the Research Program in Women’s Oncology
Justine Bonsignore Zompa, MD
17th Annual Memorial Lecture
October 2, 2014
“Hutchinson-Gilford Progeria Syndrome- From Obscurity to Treatment and Beyond”

Leslie B. Gordon, MD, PhD
Associate Professor of Pediatrics Research
Alpert Medical School of Brown University and Department of Pediatrics, Hasbro Children’s Hospital
Dept of Anesthesia, Boston Children’s Hospital & Harvard Medical School
Medical Director, The Progeria Research Foundation
3rd Annual Dr. David H. Nichols Lectureship

November 6, 2014

“Prolapse, Birth and the Pelvic Floor”

John O. DeLancey, MD

Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology
University of Michigan Health System
Ann Arbor, Michigan
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology

12th Annual Prematurity Summit
November 20, 2014

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Jeanne A. Conry, MD, PhD, FACOG, Immediate Past President, ACOG, Assistant Physician-in-Chief, North Valley, Kaiser Permanente

Report from RI Task Force on Premature Births: Dr. Katharine Wenstrom, Chair, RI Task Force on Premature Births

Summit Moderator: Maureen Phipps, MD, MPH Chair, RI March of Dimes Board of Director’s
All That Jazz Fundraiser
October 28, 2014
Café Nuovo
$460,000 raised to support the Minimally Invasive Surgery Suite
Thank you for everything you do everyday to make this Department shine!

Happy Holidays!