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Message from the Chairman

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Thank you for reading our quarterly issue of the Department of Urology newsletter! From the retirement of Dr. Saul Greenfield, the hiring of our new resident Program Coordinator, Steve Crowe, to faculty and residents attending the Northeastern Section of the American Urological Association Annual Meeting, the last few months have been busy!

Farewell, Dr. Greenfield



After 35 years of dedicated service, Saul P. Greenfield, MD, FAAP, FACS, has retired from Kaleida Health. Dr. Greenfield will be practicing at Cohen Children's Medical Center in Queens, NY. We thank Dr. Greenfield for all of his years of service in Buffalo and wish him all the best in his new journey. Thank you, Dr. Greenfield!

A Warm Welcome!



Please welcome Steve Crowe, who has been hired to assist the Chairman's office with faculty and university matters, and assist with the residency program. Steve previously worked in the University at Buffalo in the Office of Communications.

Day of Escape

On July 30th, a group of urology residents and UB medical students visited the Queen City Escape Room for a wellness event. 10 medical students and 13 residents were divided into three teams. Each of the teams had an hour to escape. Luckily, all three teams were able to escape within the hour!



Department of Urology Grand Rounds Presentations by Visiting Professors

Dr. Michael Chopko, Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Surgery, presented "**Post-operative Sepsis/Fluid Management**" at the Department of Urology Grand Rounds on Thursday, July 11th.

Sharon Nolan-Weiss, Director of the Office of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, presented

"Preventing Discrimination, Promotion Inclusion: A Guide to Minimizing Risks and Communicating Across Difference" at the Department of Urology Grand Rounds on Thursday, August 29th.

Dr. Bertram Yuh, Clinical Associate Professor for the City of Hope National Medical Center's Division of Urology & Urologic Oncology, presented **"Oncologic Prostatectomy- How Much is Enough?"** at the Department of Urology Grand Rounds on Thursday, September 12th.

Dr. Yuh is a former urology resident, class of 2012. We are extremely proud of Dr. Yuh's accomplishments! His presentation set a record for number of people in attendance at a grand rounds and drew a standing-room-only crowd. Dr. Yuh captivated not only the residents, but all in attendance with his presentation.





Basic Science Conference

Dr. Adam Griffin presented at the Basic Science Conference on Tuesday, October 8th in the Harlem Professional Park. Dr. Griffin, a board certified reproductive endocrinologist for

the Buffalo Infertility and IVF Associates Team, is an award-winning clinician, surgeon investigator and teacher. He gave a great presentation on Fertility Preservation, Male Factor Infertility and Intracytoplasmic Sperm Injection. We are excited to be partnering with Dr. Griffin and his laboratory on future educational activities!

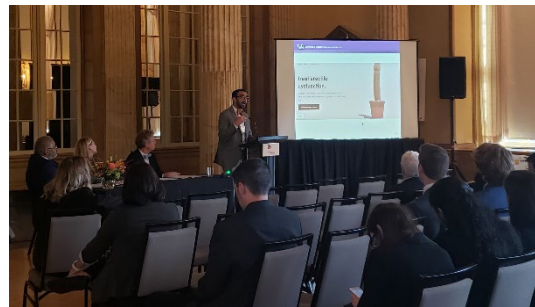
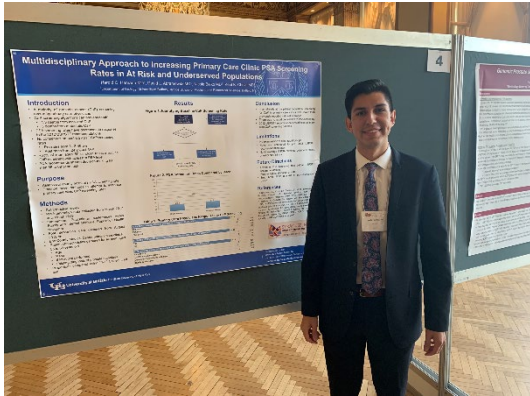


Northeastern Section of the American Urological Association 71st Annual Meeting

Several urology residents and faculty from the Jacobs School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences Department of Urology attended the Northeastern Section of the American Urological Association 71st Annual Meeting on September 19-21, 2019 at the Marriott Syracuse Downtown in Syracuse, NY.

Presenters below:

Dr. Harold Hamann, Dr. Shervin Badkhshan, Dr. Teresa Danforth and Dr. Michael Ernst.



Presentations:

Jacquelyn Gonka-Griffo, MD; Nicole Belko, MD, and Teresa Danforth, MD. Demographics Among Members of the Society of Urodynamics, Female Pelvic Medicine and Urogenital Reconstruction (SUFU).

Harold C. Hamann, MD; David J. Abramowitz, MD, Nicole Belko, MD; K. Kent Chevli, MD. Multidisciplinary Approach to Increasing Primary Care Clinic PSA Screening Rate in At Risk and Underserved Populations.

Nicole Alavi-Dunn, MD; Jared Cohen, MD; Ali Houjaij, MD; Oussama Darwish, MD. The Value of the Urology Rotation in Medical Student Education.

Daniel Wang, MD; Oussama Darwish, MD; Ali Houjaij, MD, Nader Nader, MD. Which Complications Can Predict 30 day Mortality Post TURP?

Daniel Wang, MD; Oussama Darwish, MD; Nader Nader, MD. Will Anesthesia Type Affect Mortality Post TURP?

Tyler Maiers, MD; David Abramowitz, MD and John J. Bodkin, III, MD. Management of Genitourinary Foreign Bodies in a Predominantly Incarcerated Population.

Michael Ernst, MD; Shervin Badkhshan, MD; Nicole Belko, MD; Kent K. Chevli, MD. Men's Health in Telemedicine and Men's Health: The Current Situation.

Shervin Badkhshan, MD; Michael Ernst, MD; Tyler J. Maiers, MD; Michael E. Shapiro, MD; Kent K. Chevli, MD - Telemedicine and Men's Health: The Patient Experience.

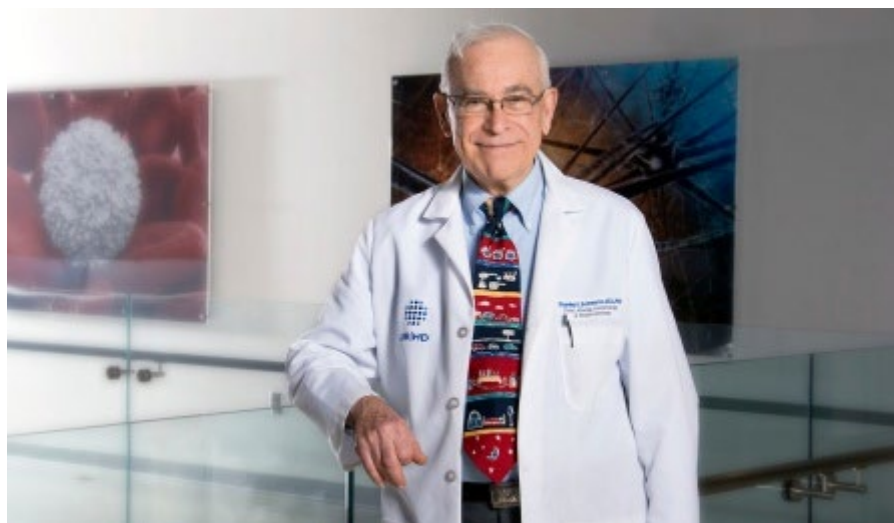
Eric M. Chevli, MS; Michael Shapiro, MD; Katherine Cwiklinski; Bill Geary, MD; Supriya Mahajan, MD; Kent K. Chevli, MD; Stanley A. Schwartz, MD; Ravikumar Aalinkeel, MD. In Vitro Use of Combined Targeting of Prostate Cancer.

David J. Abramowitz, MD; Tyler J. Maiers, MD; Ajay Myneni, MD; John J. Bodkin, III, MD. Genitourinary Foreign Bodies in Incarcerated Patients: Patient Cry for Help or a System in Crisis?

Local Laboratory Highlights

Dr. Stanley Schwartz, UB Distinguished Professor and Allergy-Immunology-Rheumatology Division Chief at the Jacobs School, established a laboratory in collaboration with the Technology Transfer Program at UB, NanoBioWorks, LLC. Dr. Schwartz is conducting studies alongside Dr. Ravikumar Aalinkeel, research assistant professor of medicine. The laboratory at UB has established highly productive collaborations on clinical applications of nanotechnology with colleagues in the Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering in the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences at UB. Drs. Schwartz and Aalinkeel believe that the project will yield an innovative multimodal, targeted nanotherapy to address an unmet need in prostate cancer, and effective treatment for castration resistant and metastatic diseases.

Drs. Schwartz and Aalinkeel, in conjunction with the Department of Urology, work on nanoparticles, molecular markers, and targeted treatment models for diagnosis and treatment of prostate cancer. Our residents and students work on a regular basis in the laboratory to add to their clinical and basic science research experience.



People in the News

Dr. Shervin Badkhshan attended the 9th Annual Society of Urodynamics, Female Pelvic Medicine & Urogenital Reconstruction "SUFU" Course in Female Urology and Voiding Dysfunction Resident Preceptorship Program. Rosemont, IL. August 2-4, 2019.

Dr. Tyler Maiers attended the Urological Institute of Northeastern New York 18th Annual Current Concepts in Men's Health Conference. Saratoga Springs, NY. August 9-11, 2019.

Dr. Teresa Danforth presented "Point / Counter-point: LUTS in Men: Treat the Bladder or the Prostate?" at the Northeastern Section of the American Urological Association Annual Meeting. Syracuse, NY. September 19-21, 2019.

Dr. Shervin Badkhshan presented an AUA Advocacy Summit Report at the Northeastern Section of the American Urological Association Annual Meeting. Syracuse, NY. September 19-21, 2019.

Dr. Shervin Badkhshan attended the National Urology Resident Preceptorship in Adult and Pediatric Reconstructive and Prosthetic Urologic Surgery. Cleveland, OH. October 3-4, 2019.