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Faculty Presentations
Division of Medicinal Chemistry

Davis, Patrick J.

“Academic Integrity and Handling Academic Dishonesty.” Incarnate Word College of Pharmacy, San Antonio, TX Sept. ’08.

“Triangulation of Student Team-Teaching Assessment in a Case-Based Course on Emerging Infections.” American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, July ‘09 (poster).

Fast, Walter L.

“Polypharmacology for Control of Nitric Oxide: Native, Designed and Serendipitous.” University of Texas at Austin, Systems and Synthetic Biology Lunch Seminar Series, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

“Mechanism and Inhibition of Dimethylargininase: A Nitric Oxide Control Valve.” University of Texas at El Paso, Department of Biological Sciences and Border Biomedical Research Center, El Paso, TX, Aug. ’09.


Kerwin, Sean M.

“DNA Cleaving and Cytotoxic Aza-Enediynes.” Texas State University, San Marcos, TX, March ‘09.

Liu, Hung-wen

“Biosynthesis of Fosfomycin: Mechanistic Studies of (S)-2-Hydroxypropylphosphonate Epoxidase.” Boston University, Department of Chemistry, Boston, MA, Sept. ‘08; Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Department of Pharmacology and Molecular Sciences, Baltimore, MD, Feb. ‘09; and 12th International Symposium and Workshop of the Society of Chinese Bioscientists in America, Taipei, Taiwan, June ‘09.


“Mechanistic Studies of C-4 Deoxygenation in the Biosynthesis of Desosamine: Learning Nature’s Strategies for Making Unusual Sugars.” University of West Virginia, Department of Chemistry, Morgantown, WV, March ‘09; University of Pittsburgh, Department of Chemistry, Pittsburgh, PA, March ‘09; Georgia State University, Department of Chemistry, Atlanta, GA, April ‘09; and 238th American Chemical Society National Meeting, Wollfrom, Isbell, New Investigator Awards Symposium, Washington, D.C., Aug. ‘09.

“Biosynthesis of Fosfomycin: Studies of a Novel C-O Bond Formation Reaction.” Northwestern University, Department of Chemistry, Evanston, IL, April ‘09.

Whitman, Christian P.

“How Nature Makes a Better Dehalogenase: Lessons from the Study of cis-3-Chloroacrylic Acid Dehalogenase and the Cg10062 Homologue.” University of Delaware, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, May ‘09.


Zhang, Zhiwen

“Protein-protein Interactions – Case Study and Technology.” University of California at San Diego, Department of Bioengineering, San Diego, CA, Feb. ‘09; and University of Colorado, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Boulder, CO, Feb. ‘09.

“Staphylococcus aureus Sortase A - Mechanism and Technologies.” State University of New York, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Buffalo, NY, March ‘09; and UT Southwestern Medical Center, Department of Biochemistry, Dallas, TX, May ‘09.

Division of Pharmaceutics

Croyne, Maria A.

(Richardson, Yao, Tran, Strong, Feldmann, Kobinger)


“Improved Efficacy of an Adenovirus-Based Ebola Vaccine Through Optimized Antigenic Expression: Lessons Learned from the DNA Vaccine Community.” University of Alabama Birmingham Gene Therapy Center and Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Birmingham, AL, Dec. ‘08.

“Pharmacology and Toxicology of Highly Efficient Recombinant Adenovirus-Based Ebola Vaccines.” University of Houston, College of Pharmacy, Houston, TX, 2009.
March ’09.


McConville, Jason T.
“The Use of Renewable Ingredients for Pharmaceutical Formulations.” Tate & Lyle, Decatur, IL, Sept. ‘08.

“Improved Therapy by Direct Lung Targeting for the Treatment of Pulmonary Aspergillosis.” Purdue University, Indianapolis, IN, Sept. ‘08.

“Formulation and Characterization of Prosolv® Fast Disintegrating Tablets.” Prosolv® Advisory Board Meeting, San Juan, Puerto Rico, April ‘09.

“Formulation and Characterization of Fast Disintegrating Tablets Containing Renewable Ingredients,” 2nd Joint Symposium on Future Prospects of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Hoshi University, Tokyo, Japan, April ‘09.

McGinity, James W.
“Novel Approaches to Prevent Physical Aging of Acrylic Polymers.” APGI Coating Workshop, Lille, France, Sept. ‘08.


“How to Prepare for the Transition from College to Industry.” Keynote speech, 5th Annual Louis C. Littlefield Celebrating Pharmacy Research Excellence Day, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

Stavchansky, Salomon


(Wang, Pang, Neuman, Bowman, Kerwin) “Pharmacokinetics of Caffeic Acid Phenethyl Ester (CAPE) and Its Catechol-Ring Fluorinated Derivative (FCAPE) Following Intravenous Administration to Rats.” American Association of Pharmaceutical Sciences Annual Meeting and Exposition, Atlanta, GA, Nov. ‘08


Williams III, Robert O.

“Pulmonary Delivery of Itraconazole Nanoparticle to Treat Life Threatening Fungal Infections.” School of Pharmacy, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS, April ‘09.

Division of Pharmacology and Toxicology

Bratton, Shawn B.
“The Apaf-1•Caspase-9 Apoptosome Functions as a Proteolytic-Based Molecular Timer.” Kansas University Medical Center, Kansas City, KS, ‘09; Keystone symposium, “Cell death pathways”; Whistler, B.C., Canada, ‘09.

“Heat Shock-Induced Cell Death.” Society of Toxicology National Meeting; Baltimore, MD, ‘09;

“Celebrating Research Achievements Day.” College of Pharmacy, The University of Texas at Austin, ‘09.

“Mcl-1 Mediates TRAIL Resistance in DU145 Prostate Cancer Cells.” Keystone symposium, “Cell Death Path-

Duvauchelle, Christine L.


Erickson, Carlton K.

“The Reality of AOD Recovery as Explained by Neuroscience.” 3rd Annual Conference on Neuroscience Meets Recovery, Las Vegas, NV, Sept. ‘08 and Tarrant County College, Hurst, TX, April ‘09.

“AOD Recovery in the Future: What Can We Expect?” 3rd Annual Conference on Neuroscience Meets Recovery, Las Vegas, NV, Sept. ‘08; Texas Behavioral Health Institute, Austin, TX, July ‘09; and Addiction Studies Institute, Columbus, OH, Aug. ‘09.


“Questions I Wish I Had Never Been Asked.” SECAD 2009, Atlanta, GA, Feb. ‘09; Texas Behavioral Health Institute, Austin, TX, July ‘09.

“Neurobiology of addiction.” 22nd Annual Metamorphosis Conference, Arlington, TX, April ‘09.

“Neurophysiology of Chemical Dependence.” Physician Health and Rehabilitation Section of the Texas Medical Association’s annual meeting, Austin, TX, May ‘09.

“The Science of Addiction: Today’s Treatments are Science-Based.” Saskatoon, SK, Can., May ‘09.


Gonzales, Rueben

“Stimulation of Mesocortical Dopamine Signaling by Intravenous Ethanol Administration.” Research Society on Alcoholism annual meeting, San Diego, CA, June ‘09.

Gore, Andrea C.

“Transgenerational Effects of Endocrine Disruptors.”

“Transgenerational, Epigenetic Effects of Environmental Endocrine Disruptors on Reproduction.” Southwestern University, Georgetown, TX, Oct. ‘08; University of California San Francisco, Grand Rounds, San Francisco, CA, Nov. ‘08.


“Role of the Hypothalamus in Reproductive Aging.”
Georgetown University and NIA workshop on reproductive aging, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., June ‘09.

“Perinatal Exposure to Polychlorinated Biphenyls Disrupts Sexual Differentiation of the Reproductive Neuroendocrine Axis” and “Long-term Effects of Perinatal Methoxychlor or Estradiol on Gene Expression in the Hypothalamus of the Aging Female Rat.” Endocrine Society, Washington, D.C., ‘09. (Abstract)


Mills, Edward M.

“Energizing the Warburg Effect and Prevention of Skin Carcinogenesis with Uncoupled Mitochondrial Respiration.” Center for Research on Environmental Diseases Symposium, MD Anderson Cancer Center, Round Top, TX, Oct. ‘08.

“Mitochondrial Respiratory Uncoupling in Skin Carcinogenesis.” MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX, Feb. ‘09.

“C. Elegans Uncoupling Protein Regulates Energy Balance and Mitochondrial Succinate Transport.” Annual Meeting Gulf Coast Society of Toxicology, College Station, TX, ‘09.

“Molecular Genetics of Drug-Induced Thermogenic Re-

Morissett, Richard

“Ethanol Promotes GABA Release onto Ventral Tegmental Area Dopamine Neurons: Ca(2+) and 5-HT2C Receptor Interactions.” Texas Research Society on Alcoholism Annual Meeting, UT Health Science Center, San Antonio, TX, Feb. ‘09.


Person, Maria D.


“Stable Isotope Labeling with Succinnic Anhydride.” College of Natural Sciences Undergraduate Research Forum, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

“FC 2: Analytical Instrumentation – Biological Mass Spectrometry.” ABRF annual meeting, Memphis, TN, Feb. ‘09 and CRED Center Retreat; Round Top, TX, Oct. ‘08.


Ponomarev, Igor


Richburg, John H.

“FasL and TRAIL Gene-Deficient Mice Show Altered Spermatogenesis and Differential Sensitivity to MEHP-Induced Germ Cell Apoptosis.” Society of Toxicology Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, March ‘09.

“Preserving the Fertility of Male Chemotherapy Patients: The Importance of p53, ITCH and c-FLIP Interaction During Cisplatin-Induced Apoptosis.” College of Natural Sciences Undergraduate Research Forum, April ‘09.

Wright, Casey W.

“ARNT Negatively Regulates NF-kB activity.” Institute for Cellulas and Molecular Biology, Sept. ‘08. (Poster)

“Molecular Mechanisms of NF-kB Signaling in Lymphoma.” Breakfast Talk, Institute for Cellulas and Molecular Biology, Oct. ‘08.

“Insights into NF-kB Regulation in Lymphoma.” University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Science Park-Research Division, March ‘09.

“Novel Roles for a Xenobiotic Sensor Molecule in the Regulation of NF-kB in Lymphoma.” University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy Advisory Council, March ‘09.

Division of Pharmacotherapy

Allison, Cody

“Heparin Use in Neonates: Is the Benefit Worth the Risk?” Pharmacotherapy Rounds, University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy and University of Texas Health Science Center, Pharmacotherapy Education & Research Center, San Antonio, TX, Dec. ‘08.

“Retrospective Evaluation on Duration of Patency and Complications of Peripherally Inserted Central Catheters in Neonates.” ALCALDE, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

Benefield, William


**Burgess, David S.**

“Clostridium Difficile Infection: Strategic Approaches for Better Outcomes.” Buena Vida Nursing and Rehab, San Antonio, TX, June ‘09.

“Appropriate Antibiotic Selection for SCIP.” Texas Medical Foundation Health Quality Institute, April ‘09.

“Know Your Armamentarium and How to Use It: Individualize Therapy Through Optimized Dosing.” Zero Tolerance for Failure: Pharmacists Fight Back, Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Austin, TX, April ‘09.


“Clostridium Difficile Infection: Managing Severe Disease in an Era of Change.” Coffeyville Regional Medical Center, Coffeyville, KS, Sept. ‘08 and Dallas/Ft. Worth American College of Clinical Pharmacy, Dallas, TX, Oct. ‘08.

**Bussey, Henry I.**


**Dasher, James Anthony**


“Local Anesthetics.” 8th Annual Fall Preceptor Conference, A Pharmacology Update, University of Texas Health Center, School of Nursing, San Antonio, TX, Oct. ‘08.


**Dzintars, Kathryn**


“Abacavir Use: Are Patients at Risk for Cardiovascular Events?” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

**Franco, Crystal**

“Heparin Monitoring with the Heparin Assay.” Inpatient Pharmacy Staff, University Health System, San Antonio, TX.

**Frei, Christopher R.**

“Research Group Leadership.” The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Faculty Survival Series, Austin, TX, Oct. ‘08.

“A Junior Investigator’s Early Experience with Database Research.” Student Chapter, International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research/International Society for Pharmacoeconomics, Austin, TX, March ‘09.

Pharmacists’ Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, April ‘09.
“Translational Research.” Guest Speaker, Introduction to Pharmacy, Austin, TX, May ‘09.

**Green, B. Kay**
“Residency Training: Is It Right for You?” University of Texas Student Society of Health-System Pharmacists, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, Sept. ‘08.
“Overview of Neonatal Parenteral Nutrition.” Nutrition Elective Course, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, March ‘09.
“Writing and Understanding Neonatal Parenteral Nutrition.” Neonatal ICU, University Hospital, San Antonio, TX, Sept.-Aug. ‘09.

**Greene, Rebecca**
“ASCO Updates in Prostate Cancer.” Hematology Oncology Pharmacy Association Annual Meeting, Miami, FL, June ‘09.

**Hutchings, Theresa Mays**
“Symptom Management I, II, and III Breakout Sessions.” 2008 and 2009 Oncology Pharmacy Board Review Course jointly sponsored by ACCP & ASHP.

**Hughes, Darrel**
“Impact of an Electronic Risk Factor Assessment and Mediation Order Set on Contrast Induced Nephropathy.” American College of Clinical Pharmacy and European Society for Clinical Pharmacy International Congress on Clinical Pharmacy, Orlando, FL, April ‘09.

**Johnson, Melissa A.**
“Redesign of the CHRISTUS Santa Rosa PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice Residency.” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists 61st Annual Seminar, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

**Jung Tschirhart, Sharon**
“Pharmacy Residency and Fellowship Programs.” Introduction to Pharmacy Course, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
“Pharmacy Residency Programs.” The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, Sept. ‘08.
“Geriatric Pharmacotherapy.” Geriatric Fellow Review Course, San Antonio, TX, Sept. ‘08.

**Knode, Leroy C.**
“New Drug Update.” 56th Annual Pharmacy Practice Seminar, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, Sept. ‘08.
“New Drug Update - 2009.” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
“A Primer on Precepting Pharmacy Students.” The University of Texas College of Pharmacy San Antonio Preceptor Conference, San Antonio, TX, April ‘09.
“Biostatistics Review for the BCPS Examination.” University Hospital Pharmacy Department, San Antonio, TX, Aug. ‘09.

**Koeller, Jim**
“Disease Standardization.” Baylor Medical Center, Houston, TX, Sept. ‘08.
“Cancer Disease Standardization.” Indiana Medical Oncology Society Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, Oct. ‘08.
“Economic Analysis in Cancer Care.” Connecticut Oncology Association, New Haven, CT, Nov. ‘08.
“Cancer Treatment Standardization.” North Carolina Annual Oncology Seminar, Asheville, N.C., Nov. ‘08.
“Genetic Markers in Cancer Care.” 18th Annual International NZW Oncology Congress, Hamburg, Germany, Jan. ‘09.
“Cancer Treatment Standardization.” Ken Norris Cancer Center, Los Angeles, CA, Feb. ‘09.
“Using Pharmacoeconomics in Cancer Care.” Honolulu Cancer Center, Honolulu, HI, March ‘09.
“Cancer Care Economics.” Oncology Managers of Florida Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL, April ‘09.
“Disease Treatment Standardization.” Cancer Centers of America, Tulsa, OK, April ‘09.
“Cancer Treatment Standardization.” TRIO-Oncology Summit Annual Meeting, Cambridge, MD, April ‘09.
“Economic Analysis in Oncology.” Alaska Oncology Society Annual Meeting, Anchorage, AK, May ‘09.
“Cancer Treatment Standardization.” New Jersey State Oncology Society Annual Meeting, Long Beach, N.J., June ‘09.
“Disease Treatment Standardization.” Cancer Centers of
Presentations 2007-08

Kuhn, John G.
Genetics and Genetic Epidemiology (MEDI6067) – "Pharmacogenomics." University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, April ‘09.
"Cardiovascular Effects of Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor and Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor Inhibitors: Assessment and Treatment Guidelines.” Annual Symposium for Nurses and Pharmacists Specializing in Oncology, Program Director and Faculty, Dallas, TX, Nov. ‘08.
“What are the Newly Approved Agents and How Do They Work?” 2nd Annual Symposium on Novel Anticancer Agents for Practicing Physicians, San Antonio, TX, Feb. ‘09.
“Tumor Sequestration of Lapatinib (NABTC 0401).” Society Neuro-Oncology, Las Vegas, NV, Nov. ‘08.
“Interaction between Sorafenib and Erlotinib (platform).” American Society of Clinical Oncology, Orlando, FL, May ‘09.
“Pharmacogenomics: Application in Cancer Patients.” Hematology/Oncology Pharmacy Association (BCOP Certification), Miami, FL, June ‘09.
Lewis, James S.
“Continuous and Extended Beta-Lactam Infusions: Ready for Primetime?” Trauma Institute of San Antonio Fellows Lecture Series, San Antonio, TX, March ‘09.
“What’s New with MRSA, Streptococcus Pneumoniae, and Clostridium Difficile?” Texas Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
“Mycoses Intervention Debate – Early Treatment vs Prophylaxis with Dr. John R. Graybill.” Texas Infectious Diseases Society Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, June ‘09.
Mascarenas, Cynthia
“Psychopharmacology of Antidepressants,” “Psychopharmacology of Antipsychotics” and “Cytochrome P450 System.” Psychopharmacology Seminars, University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio Psychiatry Residency Program, ‘09.
“Psychopharmacology.” NURS 6302 Pharmacotherapeutics for Advanced Practice Nurses, Fall ‘08 and Spring ‘09.
“Depression and Anxiety in Primary Care.” National Veteran Affairs Physician Assistant Association, San Antonio, TX, July ‘09
Maxwell, Pamela R.
“Residency Training: Is It Right for You?” University of Texas Student Society of Health-System Pharmacists, University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, Sept. ‘08.
“Solid Organ Transplant Pharmacotherapy.” Pharmacology 4003, MS4 Medical Students Monthly Lecture, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, Sept. ‘08 – May ‘09.
“Immunosuppression in Solid Organ Transplantation.” Monthly Lecture, Transplant Surgery Team Residents and Medical Students, University Hospital, San Antonio, TX, ‘08-‘09.
“Summary of 2008 Transplant Pharmacy Expenditures.” Solid Organ Transplant Grand Rounds, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, Jan. ‘09.
“Pediatric Solid Organ Transplant Pharmacotherapy.” Nurses Training Course, Christus Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio, TX, Feb. and April ‘09.
“Overview of Parenteral Nutrition.” Annual Lecture to 4th Year Medical Students, Nutrition Elective Course, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, March ‘09.
“Solid Organ Transplant Pharmacotherapy.” Annual Meeting, Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
McKee, Megan
“Pseudomonas Bacteremia.” South Texas Veterans Health Care System, San Antonio, TX, Nov. ‘09.
“Tumor Lysis Syndrome” South Texas Veterans Health Care System, San Antonio, TX, Oct. ‘09.
“The Role of Insulin-like Growth Factors in Cancer Therapy.” Pharmacotherapy grand rounds presentation, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy. Oct. ‘09.
“Contrast Induced Nephropathy Incidence and Preven-
tion.” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

“Contrast Induced Nephropathy Order Set Research and Results.” University Hospital, San Antonio, TX, March ‘09.

“Contrast Induced Nephropathy – Is Prophylaxis Clear?” University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, March ‘09.

“Cancer Related Fatigue.” South Texas Veterans Health Care System, San Antonio, TX, Nov. ‘08.

“Octreotide Depot (Sandostatin LAR®).” University Hospital, San Antonio, TX, Nov. ‘08.

“Portal Hypertension and Ascites.” University Hospital, San Antonio, TX, Sept. ‘08.

“Contrast Induced Nephropathy Prophylaxis.” University Hospital, San Antonio, TX, Aug. ‘08.

Oramasionwu, Christine


“Gender and Race-Based Disparities in the Proportion of Hepatitis C Patients that are Co-infected with HIV/AIDS in the 1996-2005 U.S. National Hospital Discharge Survey.” American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists Annual Meeting and Exposition, Atlanta, GA, Nov. ‘08.


Rogers, Carrie

“Thromboembolic Disorders.” Advanced Pharmacotherapy Seminar, University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy/University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, Oct. ‘08.

“Rivaroxaban (Xarelto®) and the New Direction in Prevention and Treatment of Venous Thromboembolism.” Pharmacotherapy Conference, University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy/University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, Jan. ‘09.

“Seizure Disorders.” Advanced Pharmacotherapy Seminar, University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, March ‘09.

Rogers, Susan

“Fibromyalgia: An Update on Diagnosis and Treatment Strategies.” College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Jacksonville, FL, April ‘09.

“Fibromyalgia- What you Need to Know” Veterans Affairs Physician Assistant Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, July ‘09.

Rottman, Rebecca


Ryan, Laurajo

“Insulin Use” and “Oral Therapy in Diabetes.” The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, 56th Annual Pharmacy Practice Seminar, Austin, TX, Sept. ‘08.

“Diabetes Care.” Central Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Annual Fall Seminar, Austin, TX, ‘08.


“Diabetes Mellitus: Diagnosis and Complications.” Bexar County Pharmacists Association, San Antonio, TX, Jan. ‘09.

“Introduction to Diabetes” and “Insulin Use in Diabetes.” Federal Practitioner Seminar, Austin, TX, March ‘09.

Saklad, Stephen R.

“Drug Interactions.” Austin State School Annual Habilitation Therapies, Austin, TX, Oct. ‘08.

“Seizure Disorders.” Seton Psychiatry Residency Program, Austin, TX, Jan. ‘09.

“Parkinson’s Disease.” Seton Psychiatry Residency Program, Austin, TX, Feb. ‘09.

“Pharmacotherapy of Parkinson’s Disease.” University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio Family Practice Grand Rounds, San Antonio, TX, Feb. ‘09.

“Psychotic Depression.” Methodist Specialty and Transplant Hospital, San Antonio, TX, Feb. ‘09.

“New Drug Developments and Innovations in Psychopharmacology” and “CNS Drug Interactions.” International Society of Psychiatric Mental Health Nurses, PRESENTATIONS 2007-08 9
2nd Annual Psychopharmacology Institute, Greenville, S.C., March ‘09.
“Controversial Issues for Pharmacists about Mental Health Medications.” Texas Pharmacists Association’s Southwest RxPert Conference, San Antonio, TX, July ‘09.

Talbert, Robert L.
“Update on Thyroid Disease.” PriMed Seminar Charlotte, N.C., Sept. ‘08 and Los Angeles, CA, Nov. ‘08.
“Cardiovascular Disease and Diabetes.” American College of Cardiology, Orlando, FL, March ‘09.
“Peripheral Artery Disease.” American Pharmacists Association, San Antonio, TX, April ‘09.
“Management of Dyslipidemia.” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
“Neuroprotection in Ischemic Stroke.” MD Anderson Neuro-Oncology Group, July ‘09.
“Management of Pulmonary Artery Hypertension, Hypertension and Dyslipidemia.” Food and Drug Administration, CDER, Aug. ‘09.

Wiederhold, Nathan P.
“(1→3)-β-D-Glucan and Galactomannan.” Invasive Aspergillosis Animal Models/Aspergillus Technology Consortium Joint Meeting and Workshop, Bethesda, MD, Nov. ‘08.

Young, Veronica S. L.
“Online Resources for Pharmacy Preceptors and Students.” Pharmacy Preceptor Conference, San Antonio, TX. April ‘09.

Division of Pharmacy Administration

Barner, Jamie C.
“A Comparison of Diabetic Adults and Non-Diabetic Adults with Respect to Progression of Dementia in the Texas Medicaid System.” College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Jacksonville, FL, April ‘09.
“Impact of a Service-Learning Experience with the Elderly (CARE Program) on Pharmacists with 1-2 Years of Experience.” Texas Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
“Depression Treatment by Race: An Examination of Pharmacotherapy, Provider, and Complementary and Alternative Medicine.” “Impact of a First-Year Service-Learning Experience with the Elderly (CARE program) on Recent Pharmacy Graduates,” “National Influenza Vaccination Rates among Pharmacists,” “A Comparison of Diabetic Adults and Non-Diabetic Adults with Respect to Progression of Dementia in the Texas Medicaid System” and “First-Year Pharmacy Students’ Perceptions Before and After their Service-Learning Experience.” University of Texas College of Pharmacy Celebrating Research Achievements Symposium, Austin, TX, April ‘09.


“Effect of Dual Renin-Angiotensin System Blockade Versus Monotherapy in Diabetic Patients with Albuminuria.” Central Texas Clinical Research Forum, Austin, TX, May ‘09.

“Impact of a First-Year Service-Learning Experience with the Elderly (CARE program) on Recent Pharmacy Graduates” and “First-Year Pharmacy Students’ Perceptions Before and After their Service-Learning Experience.” American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy, National Meeting, Boston, MA, July ‘09.

Brinkley Jr, Fred S.
Pharmacy law symposiums for 5th year pharmacy students. University of Houston and Texas Southern Uni-
Brown, Carolyn M.
“Medication Adherence in Oncology.” Sponsored by Pfizer (Zion, IL and Seattle, WA Sept. ‘08, Chicago, IL Oct. ‘08).
“Cultural Competency in Pharmacy Practice: Its Relevance to Patients’ Use of Complementary and Alternative Medicine.” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists 61st Annual Seminar, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
Lawson, Kenneth A.
“Student Organizations in Schools of Pharmacy.” International Pharmaceutical Federation 68th World Congress of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Basel, Switzerland, Aug./Sept. ‘08.
“Vancomycin and Clindamycin for the Treatment of Hospitalized Patients with Community-Associated MRSA Skin Infections.” 48th Annual Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy, 46th An-
April ‘09.

Rascati, Karen L.
“Anti-Epileptic Medication Drug Formulation Changes and Their Relationship to Outcomes.” International Society of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research, Athens, Greece, Nov. ‘08. Winner of Best Student Poster Award.
“What is the Value of a QALY?” International Society of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research Student Teleconference, Jan. ‘09.
“The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly.” International Society of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research -- Western Pharmacoeconomics Conference, Pasadena, CA, March ‘09.

Salzman, Robert D.

Shepherd, Marvin D.
“Rx Pedigree: Do You Know Where Your Medications Are Coming From?” 56th Pharmacy Practice Seminar, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin TX, Sept. ‘09.
“The Threat of Counterfeit Drugs: What Every Pharmacist Needs to Know Now!” Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy’s Educational Conference, Kansas, City MO, Oct. ‘08.
“Overview and Opportunity.” China-US Pharmaceutical and Medical Devices JCCT Subgroup Anti-Counterfeit Medicines Workshop, Beijing, China, Nov. ‘08.
“Detection of Counterfeit Medicines-Track and Trace Technologies and E-Pedigree.” China-U.S. Pharmaceutical and Medical Devices JCCT Subgroup Anti-Counterfeit Medicines Workshop, Beijing, China, Nov. ‘08.

“Rxpedigree: Do You Know Where Your Medications Are Coming From?” Federal Pharmacy Conference, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, March ‘09.
“Mexico and Counterfeit Drugs.” Explore UT, The University of Texas at Austin, March ‘09.
The “Cowboy Scrip.” A New Prescription for Pharmacy, 5th Annual 340 Better Conference, Texas Association of Community Health Centers, Austin, TX, July ‘09.

Division of Pharmacy Practice
Acosta, W. Renee
“GI Update.” Pharmacy Practice Residents, Brackenridge Hospital, Aug. ‘09.
“New Drugs of 2007 and 2008.” Austin Community College, Austin, TX, May ‘09.
“2008 IV Update: USP <797> Final Revision.” Pharmacy Practice Seminar Pre-Conference, University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, Sept. ‘08.

Borys, Douglas
“Snake Envenomation in Pregnant Patients During the FAB Antibody Fragment Antivenom Era.” North American Congress of Clinical Toxicology, Toronto, Canada, Oct. ‘08.
“Careers in Poison Centers.” University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, March ‘09.
“Improving Patient Safety: Success Stories of the Patient
Safety and Clinical Pharmacy Services Collaborative and the Role of the Poison Control Center.” American Pharmacists Association Annual Meeting and Exposition, San Antonio, TX, April ‘09.

**Ginsburg, Diane**


“Teaching Across the Generations: Challenges and Opportunities for Preceptors.” University of Utah College of Pharmacy Preceptor Workshop, Salt Lake City, Utah, June ‘09.

“Navigating the Policy Process” and “Pharmacy Student Leadership Development Workshop.” American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Summer Meeting, Rosemont, IL, June ‘09.

“A Return on Investment for the Preceptor’s Worklife” and “Student Pharmacist Assessment Models: Tips for Constructive Feedback and Design.” American Pharmacists Association Annual Meeting and Exposition, San Antonio, TX, April ‘09.

“No Ordinary Time: The Transformation of Pharmacy Practice.” Student National Pharmaceutical Association Region III, IV, and V Meeting, Austin, TX, March ‘09.


“Managing Conflict in the Pharmacy Workplace” and “Mastering the Preceptor Role: Challenges of Clinical Teaching.” New England Pharmacists Convention, Uncasville, CN, Oct. ‘08.


“Risk Management: Protecting Your Students Involved in Professional Organizations.” Advisors Workshop, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, Oct. ‘08.

**Herrington, Jon**

“Analysis of Vancomycin Minimum Inhibitory Concentrations, Plasma Levels, and Treatment Outcomes for Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus aureus Infection.” Celebrating Pharmacy Research Excellence Day, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

“Evaluation of Physician Responses to Recommendations Offered by an Interdisciplinary Antimicrobial Stewardship Team.” 43rd Annual American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Midyear Clinical Meeting, Orlando, FL, Dec. ‘08; Celebrating Pharmacy Research Excellence Day, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, April ‘09 and Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacist Meeting, Austin, TX, April ‘09.


**Karboski, James**

“How to Get the Most of the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting.” University of Texas Student Society of Health-System Pharmacists membership, Oct. ‘08.

“Current Trends and Topics in the Treatment of Dyslipidemia.” Pharmacy Practice Seminar, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, Sept. ‘08.

“Life in the 4th Professional Year.” Parents Day, The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, Nov. ‘08.


“Clinical Pharmacy Opportunities.” Longhorn Pre-Pharmacy Association, Austin, TX, March ‘09.

“The FDA’s Management of Unapproved Drugs: A Case Study.” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists Annual Seminar, Austin, TX, April ‘09.

**Lopez, Debra Ann**


“Immunization Certification for Pharmacists.” Texas Pharmacy Association, Austin, TX, Aug. ‘09.


“The Diabetes Epidemic: Are you at Risk?” Student National Pharmacists Association Regional Conference, Austin, TX, March ‘09.

“Cardiovascular Disease: A Focus on Patients with Diabetes.” Federal Pharmacy Conference, Austin, TX, March ‘09.

“Methods of Monitoring Glycemic Control.” Federal Pharmacy Conference, Austin, TX, March ‘09.

“Clinical Application of Insulin in the Type 1 and Type 2 Diabetic.” Federal Pharmacy Conference, Austin, TX, March ‘09.

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March ’09.
“Considerations for the Treatment of Type 2 DM.” Diabetes Disease State Management Program, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, Jan. ‘09.
“Credentialing and Certifications.” Diabetes Disease State Management Program, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, March ‘08, Jan. ‘09.

“Insulin Administration” and “Insulin Review: Adjusting and Initiating.” Diabetes Disease State Management Program, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, Jan. ‘09.

“Diabetes Update.” The University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, Austin, TX, Oct. ‘08.

Mican, Lisa

“Antipsychotic Update: Paliperidone Long-Acting Injection (Invega Sustenna), Asenapine (Saprhis), and Illoperidone (Fanapt).” Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee, Austin State Hospital, Sept. ‘09.
“Iloperidone (Fanapt): Where Does This Antipsychotic Fall in Our Armamentarium of Treatment Options for Schizophrenia?” Psychopharmacology Conference, Austin State Hospital, June ‘09.
“Early-Onset Schizophrenia and Schizoaffective Disorder Examining the TEOSS Study.” Psychopharmacology Conference, Austin State Hospital, Dec. ‘08.
“Psychosis and Antipsychotic Mechanism of Action.” Travis County Sheriff’s Office, Austin, TX, Oct. ‘08.

Novak, Suzanne

“Medication for Chronic Pain.” 2nd Annual Addiction Symposium: New Perspectives and Emerging Trends on Alcoholism & Substance Abuse, Austin, TX, Sept. ‘09.
“Introduction to Medications for Chronic Pain.” The Hartford, Houston, TX, May ‘09.

“Medications for Chronic Non-Malignant Pain.” Fort Hood Family Practice Residency Department, Killeen, TX, Jan. ‘09.


“Managed Care is an Oxymoron: Narcotic Use in Workers’ Compensation Claims.” Insurance Council of Texas Fall Workers’ Compensation Seminar, Dallas, TX, Nov. ‘08, and Austin, TX, Nov. ‘08.

Ramirez, Jr., Isidro

“Diabetes Related Pharmacology.” Physician Assistant Program, University of Texas-Pan American, Edinburg, TX.

Ridings-Myhra, Jennifer


Roberson, Sharon

“Over-the-Counter Contraceptive Technologies.” University of Texas School of Social Work, Austin, TX.
“CNE on Over-the-Counter Products.” University Health Services, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX.

Smith, Leticia


Schnyer, Rosa

“Chinese Medicine in the Treatment of Mental Emotional Disorders.” Graduate lecture series, Oregon College of Medicine, Portland, OR, Dec. ‘08.
“Evaluating the Validity and Reliability of the Chinese Medicine Diagnostic Process: Results of a Randomized Controlled Trial” and “Resolving Paradoxes in Acupuncture Research: A Roundtable Discussion.” North American Research Conference on Complementary and Integrative Medicine, Minneapolis, MN, May ‘09.

Strassels, Scott

“Pain: Where We’ve Been, Where We’re Going” and “Caring for People with Pain: Making a Difference.” Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Austin, TX, April ‘09.
“Evidence-Based Practice in Pain Care.” Alliance of State Pain Initiatives Annual Meeting, Austin, TX, Oct. ‘08.
Wilson, James
“Ethical Issues in Health Care.” Honors Colloquium panel, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, July ‘09.
“Medical Errors: A Focus on Prevention.” IV Update, Sept. ‘09.

El Paso Cooperative Pharmacy Program
Klein William A.
“Preparing to Take the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board Exam.” Non-credit course presented to UTEP pre-pharmacy students, Jan. ‘09

Loya Amanda M.


(Mier, Berkeley) “The Evaluation of Resident Physician Knowledge on Maternal Medication Use and Breastfeeding Before and After an Educational Intervention.” Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center-El Paso, 4th Annual OB/GYN Symposium, El Paso, TX, April ‘09 and UT Austin College of Pharmacy, Louis C. Littlefield Celebrating Pharmacy Research Day, Austin, TX, April ‘09. (Poster)


(Rivera José O.
“Associations Between Health Literacy and Medication Use.” HHDRC Regional Health Disparities Research Seminar Series, Hilton Garden Inn, El Paso, TX, June ‘09.
“Pharmacological and Non-Pharmacological Medicine Being Used by Alzheimer’s Patients in the Border Region.” Conference on Alzheimer’s: Urgency and Hope, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center/Thomas Hospital, Feb. ‘09.

Salcido Amista L.

(Valdiviez, Castañeda) “Metered Dose and Dry Powder Inhalers: Evaluation of Techniques in Children.” American Society of Health System Pharmacists Midyear Clinical Meeting, Orlando, FL, Dec. ‘08 and UT Austin Celebrating Pharmacy Research Excellence Day, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, April ‘09. (Poster)

“Asthma: Identifying Patients at Risk and Creating a Screening Program in Your Pharmacy.” San Antonio, TX, July ‘09.

(Stuart-Gonzalez) “Herbal Products Used on the U.S./Mexico Border.” San Antonio, TX, July ‘09.
“How to Use Your Asthma Inhalers.” El Paso, TX, Dec. ‘08.

“Open Airways for Schools and Asthma Basics.” El Paso, TX, Nov. ‘08.
“A Community-based Pharmacy Hypertension Screening Program: Identifying and Assessing Patients at Risk in a Predominately Hispanic Population.” Nonprescription Medicines Academy, Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. ‘08. (Poster)

“Osteoporosis; Identifying Patients at Risk and Creating a Screening Program in Your Pharmacy.” Texas Pharmacy Association Rxperts Conference, Galveston, TX, July ‘08.


“Pharmacy to Nursing In-service.” El Paso LTAC Hospi-
tal, El Paso, TX, June ‘08.

Sias Jeri J.
(Perez-Padilla) “Integrating Cultural Competency and Community Health Worker Partnerships into Community Pharmacy Residency Training.” American Pharmacists Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, April ‘09.

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Forcade N, Gonzales P.
“The Benefit of Psychiatric Pharmacy Case Management in a Pediatric Outpatient.” Louis C. Littlefield Celebrating Research Achievements Day, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX; April ‘09. (Poster)