

OTOSCOPE Quarterly

A publication for friends and colleagues of Jefferson's Department of Otolaryngology– Head & Neck Surgery

We've Moved to The Honickman Center!

As of May 20, 2024, our Center City clinics have a new home! While our Facial Plastics Division continues to see patients at 925 Chestnut Street, our other Center City specialties have relocated to The Honickman Center at 1101 Chestnut Street, 16th Floor.

Although the new clinic is just a block away, the enhancements are substantial. We now offer additional exam rooms and audiology booths and numerous amenities for our patients, including in-building parking, virtual check out, and beautiful aesthetic design elements.

The 19-story Honickman Center houses a variety of other specialties, including gastroenterology, cancer care, neurosurgery, and general surgery, adding to patient convenience. It's also the new home of the Jefferson Surgical Center.

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2024 Resident Graduation Celebration

We are delighted to extend our heartfelt congratulations to our chief residents and clinical fellows who graduated from their respective programs on June 21, 2024. Their hard work, dedication, and commitment have led them to this significant milestone, and we are incredibly proud of each of them. As they embark on the next chapter of their careers, whether as new fellows or attendings, we are excited to witness their continued success and contributions to the medical field.

Our graduation event is a testament to the excellence of our department, highlighting the accomplishments of our graduates and the collective support of our community.

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The Honickman Move

(Continued from page 1) Colin Huntley, MD shared, "The new OR space in Honickman is a significant upgrade from our prior facilities at the Surgical Center at 1100 Walnut Street. The new facility provides more space, a significant upgrade in technology, and an opportunity for us to grow. The first cases went very smoothly, and I'm excited to use the new ORs moving forward."

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our staff and leadership teams for their tireless efforts in ensuring a smooth move and transition to our new location.



Our first patient pictured with David Cognetti, MD



2024 Resident Graduation Celebration

(Continued from page 1) Congratulations once again to all our graduates and award recipients, and here's to continued success and growth in the future!

We would like to extend our gratitude to **Karen Keane** and the entire **Education Committee** for their organization of this special evening. Their efforts ensured that the event was not only a celebration of our graduates' achievements but also a reminder of the strength and camaraderie within our department. **See more photos on page 5.**



Aarti Agarwal, MD
Outstanding Resident Award

This award is given to the chief resident who most embodies our departmental values and mission statement throughout their residency as voted on by the attending, resident and advanced practice provider staff.



Chihuh Jim Han, MD.
Resident Teaching Award

This award is given to the resident who consistently exemplifies our department's commitment to education as embodied in our departmental values and mission statement through professionalism, mentorship and continual learning as voted on by the residents.



Jacob Hunter, MD
Faculty Teaching Award

This award is given to the faculty member who consistently exemplifies our department's commitment to education as embodied in our departmental values and mission statement through professionalism, mentorship and continual learning as voted on by the residents.

Congratulations to our 2024 Graduates

RESIDENTS



Aarti Agarwal, MD
Fellowship in Facial Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, University of California - San Francisco



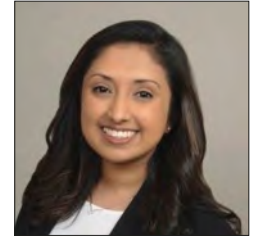
Alexander Duffy, MD
Fellowship in Rhinology, The Medical University of South Carolina



Chihun Jim Han, MD
Fellowship in Sleep Surgery, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center



Ayan Kumar, MD
Fellowship in Facial Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, New York University



Sana Siddiqui, MD
Fellowship in Laryngology, New York Presbyterian - Columbia/Cornell

CLINICAL FELLOWS



Peter Benedict, MD
Private Practice, New York, NY



Emily Funk, MD
Penn State University, Hershey, PA

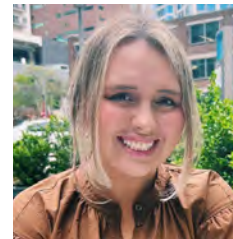


Adam McCann, MD
Private Practice, Kansas City, KS

AUDIOLOGY EXTERNS



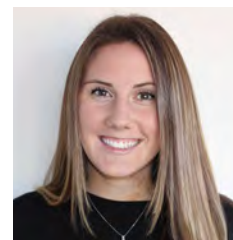
Maya Hecksel, AuD
Private Practice, Alexandria, VA



Kaitlyn Marsh, AuD
Hearing Implant Fellowship, University of Miami Ear Institute



Kaitlyn McCarthy, AuD
Private Practice, Fort Lauderdale, FL



Keira Mehigan, AuD
Jefferson Otolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery, Cherry Hill, NJ

RESEARCH FELLOWS



Jefferson DeKloe



Neha Garg



Pablo Llerena



Samuel Shing



Shreya Mandloi



Kathryn Nunes

Welcome to our Incoming Class

RESIDENTS



Andrew Corr, MD
Sidney Kimmel Medical College
Thomas Jefferson University



Emily Garvey, MD
Boston University



Meagan Hoppe, MD
University of Pittsburgh



Jason Tasoulas, MD
University of Thessalia



Sruti Tekumalla, MD
Sidney Kimmel Medical College
Thomas Jefferson University

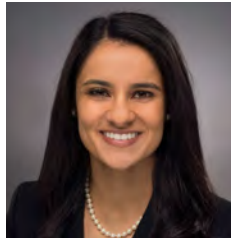
CLINICAL FELLOWS



Khashayar Arianpour, MD
Facial Plastic & Reconstructive
Surgery Fellow
Cleveland Clinic



Srihari Daggumati, MD
Rhinology Fellow
Virginia Commonwealth University
Health System



Harleen Sethi, DO
Advanced Head & Neck
Oncology Fellow
Philadelphia College of
Osteopathic Medicine

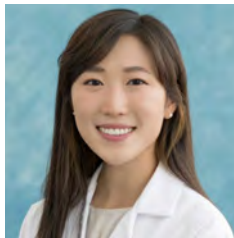


Louisa Forrest
Rush University

RESEARCH FELLOWS



Julian Jackson
Sidney Kimmel Medical College
Thomas Jefferson University



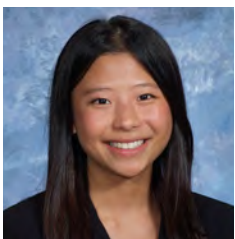
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School of Medicine



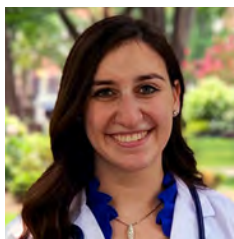
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Howard University
College of Medicine



Alexandra Levitt
Salus University



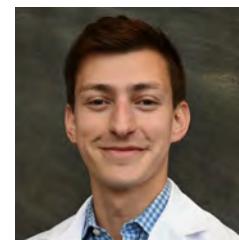
Kalena Liu
The City University of New York
School of Medicine



Dana Michlin
Sidney Kimmel Medical College
Thomas Jefferson University



Hani Samarah
Florida International University
Herbert Wertheim College of
Medicine



Eddie Diaz Serrano
Salus University



Alessandra Vidal
University of Maryland



Research Fellow Luncheon



Women in Oto Graduation Celebration



Intern Dinner

Jefferson Oto in the News

Early Blooms Mean Headaches for Allergy Sufferers in the Region

Gurston Nyquist, MD met with 6abc to chat about this year's allergy season. "We had a short winter, and so were seeing patients coming in with itchy eyes, sneezing, runny nose a little bit earlier than we've seen in previous years," said Dr. Gurston Nyquist, a sinus and allergy specialist at Jefferson Health. Check out the whole segment. Read the article at <https://tinyurl.com/OtoEarlyBlooms!>



Expert advice on when to seek help, lifestyle adjustments and modern treatments for optimal vocal health. Laryngologist **Kathleen Tibbetts, MD** explains common reasons for voice-related issues, and home remedies and treatments you can expect during your appointment with a specialist. Read the article at <https://tinyurl.com/HoarseLostVoice>

Spotlight On Research

2024-25 Departmental Research Grant Recipients

We are excited to announce the recipients of our departmental grants for the 2024-25 period. Out of eight outstanding applications submitted, five projects were selected for funding. A big congratulations to the following researchers on their successful proposals:

- **Arielle Thal, MD** – Investigating Pulsed Electrical Field (PEF) Therapy in Head & Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma
- **Sana Siddiqui, MD / Kathleen Tibbetts, MD** – Exploring Management Strategies for Idiopathic Subglottic Stenosis (iSGS)
- **Jefferson DeKloe / Jacob Hunter, MD** – Advancing Diffusion Tract Imaging of the Cochlear Nerve and Ascending Auditory Pathway with Vestibular Schwannoma
- **Kelly Bridgham, MD / Adam Luginbuhl, MD** – Studying Tumor Cell Viability in Bone Dust
- **Dylan Bertoni, MD / Colin Huntley, MD / Maurits Boon, MD** – Investigating Changes in Inflammatory Biomarkers Following Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulation in OSA.

Stay tuned for updates on the Education, Collaboration, and Innovation Awards, which will be announced following project progress reports. Once again, congratulations to all applicants and recipients of this cycle's departmental grants!

Annual Research Symposium

On Wednesday, May 1, 2024, the Annual Department of Otolaryngology – Head & Neck Surgery Research Symposium was held. It was a great success as we proudly showcased our latest findings and breakthroughs. Among the brilliant minds who presented their research were research fellows **Pablo Llerena, Neha Garg, Jefferson DeKloe, Shreya Mandloi, Samuel Shing, Kathryn Nunes**, residents **Eric Mastrolonardo (PGY3), Dev Amin (PGY4), Dylan Bertoni (PGY4), Aarti Agarwal (PGY5)** and **Christopher Jabbour**. We would like to thank our research colleagues from Monell Chemical Senses Center, **Drs. Akihito Kuboki, Stephanie Hunter, Robert Pellegrino** and **Cristina Jaen**, for also presenting their work.

Special appreciation goes to our esteemed guest moderator, **Patricia Loftus, MD**, Associate Professor, University of California, San Francisco as well as moderators **Sana Siddiqui, MD (PGY5), John Eisenbrey, MD, Kathleen Tibbetts, MD, Udayan Shah, MD, Jacob Hunter, MD, Arielle Thal, MD** and **Pamela Dalton, PhD**, whose expertise and guidance enriched our discussions and elevated the exchange of ideas, inspiring further strides in research and patient care.



2023-24 Research Fellows ready to make their presentations



Jefferson Otolaryngology faculty with guest moderator **Patricia Loftus, MD**. L to R: **Mindy Rabinowitz, MD, Patricia Loftus, MD, David Cognetti, MD** and **Joseph Curry, MD**

RESEARCH DAY AWARD WINNERS



Kathryn Nunes

*Ulrich Rodeck MD, PhD
Research Fellow Presentation
Award*



Robert Pellegrino, PhD

*Monell
Post-Doc Presentation Award*

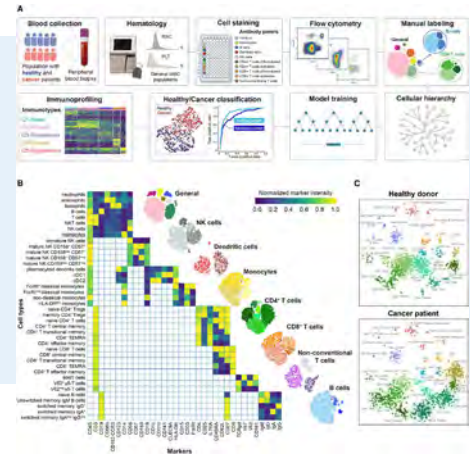


Dev Amin, MD

*Stephen Balshi, MD
Resident Presentation Award*

Innovative Work Reported in *Cancer Cell*

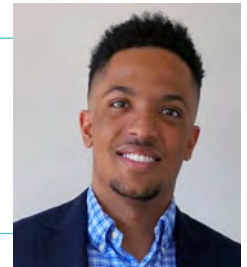
Congratulations to our department members, **Jennifer Johnson, MD, Joseph Curry, MD, Alban Linnenbach, Andrew South, PhD** and **Adam Luginbuhl, MD** for their research featured in *Cancer Cell*, a very high impact journal. Their innovative work identified the potential utility of a simple blood test as a tool for stratifying cancer patients to therapy response groups based on systemic immunoprofiling. They identified five immunotypes by testing peripheral blood of healthy donors and patients with advanced cancers. Read the article at <https://tinyurl.com/OtoCancerCell>



Congratulations to **Kathleen Tibbetts, MD** and **Dylan Bertoni, MD (PGY4)** who are recipients, along with PI Amy Lustig, PhD, MPH, MA, CC-SLP of Salus University, of an American Laryngological Association / American Laryngological Voice and Research Education Grant. The grant, titled "Case Study Outcomes and Expert Perceptions of Voice Preservation Options in Head and Neck Cancer Care," also received a post-graduate award.

Achievements and Congratulations

Congratulations to 2024-25 research fellow **Julian Jackson** on being selected for funding on the American Head and Neck Society's (AHNS) inaugural **Dr. Eddie Mendez Fellowship Award!** This award provides funding for a research project with mentor **Joseph Curry, MD** and travel to the annual AHNS meeting. Julian's project is entitled "The Potential of Gasdermin E and Ninjurin 1 in Immunogenic Cell Death (ICD) for Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma."



Elizabeth Cottrill, MD was named the Program Co-Chair for the American Thyroid Association (ATA) program committee for 2024-2025. Dr. Cottrill will lead the committee in developing the format and content of the ATA Annual Meeting to be held in Scottsdale, Arizona from September 9-13, 2025.

Cognetti Inducted as Fellow in the College of Physicians of Philadelphia

David Cognetti, MD was inducted as a Fellow into the College of Physicians of Philadelphia on May 10, 2024. It is the nation's oldest physician organization (dating back to 1787!) and is considered the birthplace of American Medicine. Dr. Cognetti is pictured with his sponsors, Robert Sataloff, MD and Mary Hawkshaw, RN, BSN.



Congratulations to our faculty who were recognized in **Philadelphia Magazine's 2024 Top Doctors** in Otolaryngology or Facial Plastic Surgery/Otolaryngology! Jefferson Health was honored to have more than 650 physicians named to the annual Philadelphia magazine "Top Doctors" list. "This recognition speaks not only to the outstanding quality of our physician group, but also our depth," said **Ed Pribitkin, MD, MBA, President, Jefferson Medical Group**. "It's particularly special to know that this recognition is coming from our peers in the industry. I couldn't be more proud of our team."



Maurits Boon, MD



Rebecca Chiffer, MD



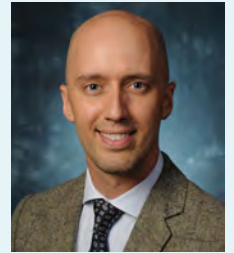
David Cognetti, MD



Elizabeth Cottrill, MD



Joseph Curry, MD



Christopher Fundakowski, MD



Richard Goldman, MD



Ryan Heffelfinger, MD



Howard Krein, MD, PhD



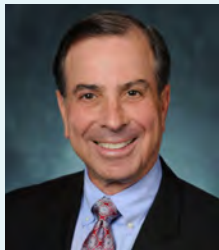
Adam Luginbuhl, MD



Gurston Nyquist, MD



Edmund Pribitkin, MD, MBA



Marc Rosen, MD



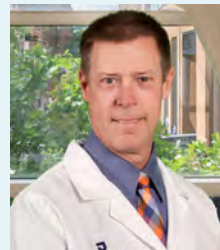
David Rosen, MD



Elina Toskala, MD, PhD, MBA



Thomas Willcox, MD



Jason Wilmoth, MD

2024 Sidney Kimmel Medical College Faculty Awards

On June 20, 2024 the SKMC Faculty Awards ceremony took place, celebrating the outstanding achievements of our faculty members. We are incredibly proud of their dedication and hard work!

DEAN'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION: **Rebecca Chiffer, MD** and **Christopher Fundakowski, MD** were honored for their exceptional teaching effectiveness, significant and sustained commitment to education, and substantial contributions to educational programs, courses, or training.

DEAN'S AWARD FOR FACULTY MENTORING:

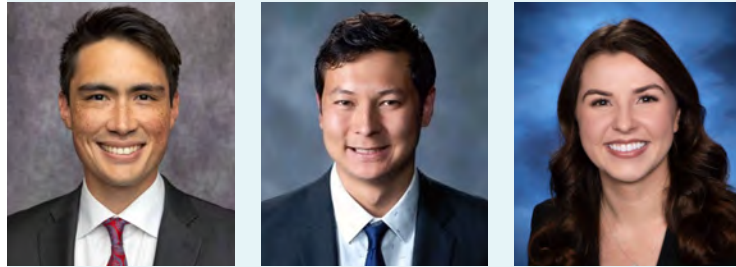
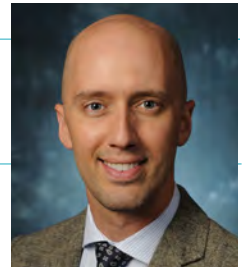
Elina Toskala, MD, PhD, MBA received this award for her significant impact on the careers of other faculty members through a long-term and effective mentoring relationship, distinct from roles such as advisor or counselor.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD:

Adam Luginbuhl, MD was recognized for his efforts to advance medicine and science within the community. This award highlights his sustained contributions that have resulted in meaningful benefits to various communities.



Congratulations to **Christopher Fundakowski, MD** on being selected for the Clinical Teacher of the Year Award from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine. The award was presented at the PCOM graduation ceremony.



SKMC Clinical Educator Honor Roll

Congratulations to the many Jefferson faculty and house staff who made it onto this year's Sidney Kimmel Medical College Clinical Educator's Honor Roll. We are proud of our residents – **Ezra Pak Harvey, MD (PGY1)** **Bryan Renslo, MD (PGY 1)** and **Reilly Scott, MD (PGY1)** – for making Honor Roll!

Education Updates



Congratulations to **Colin Huntley, MD** for being named Vice Chair of Education in the Department. He has served as Associate Program Director of the Residency program, since 2017. His commitment to education and training make Dr. Huntley well suited for this position.



Congratulations to **Elizabeth Cottrill, MD** on her appointment as the Department's Residency Program Director, effective July 1, 2024. In her five years as an Associate Program Director, Dr. Cottrill has had a remarkable impact on the residency. We look forward to her leadership and the future of the program under her guidance.



Congratulations to **Arielle Thal, MD** for being named Associate Residency Program Director effective July 1, 2024. Dr. Thal's dedication to resident education and interest in surgical teaching will serve her well in this new role. We look forward to her work with the team.



A Heartfelt Thank You to Maurits Boon, MD

*We would like to extend our deepest gratitude to **Maurits Boon, MD**, for his remarkable dedication and service to our education mission over the past 16 years. Dr. Boon served as Associate Program Director from 2008 until 2017, when he assumed the role of Program Director, a position he held for the past seven years. Additionally, Dr. Boon served as Vice Chairman of Education in the department from 2021 until 2024.*

Under Dr. Boon's leadership, our education and training programs flourished, and our department has remained highly regarded for undergraduate and graduate otolaryngology training. His contributions have left an indelible mark on our institution, and we are immensely grateful for his unwavering commitment and visionary leadership.

Upcoming Events

SEPTEMBER 25, 2024

Annual William Keane, MD Lecture in Head & Neck Surgery

RAVINDRA UPPALURI, MD, PHD

Brigham & Women's Hospital and the Dana Farber Cancer Institute



OCTOBER 16, 2024

Clerf Lecture in Otolaryngology

MATTHEW CARLSON, MD

Mayo Clinic



Otolaryngology Events: Looking Back



The Herbert Kean, MD Lecture in Facial Plastic Surgery was held on Wednesday, April 3, 2024. This year's guest lecturer was **P. Daniel Knott, MD, FACS** from the University of California, San Francisco. Dr. Knott is pictured with **Howard Krein, MD, PhD**, **Herbert Kean, MD, Hon.**, **Joyce Kean**, **Ryan Heffelfinger, MD** and **David Cognetti, MD**. Dr. Knott spoke on "Facial Skin Color Match in Head & Neck Reconstructive Surgery."

The 42nd meeting of the International Society for Inflammation and Allergy of the Nose (ISIAN) and the 24th meeting of the International Rhinologic Society (IRS) were held in Tokyo from April 3 - 5, 2024. **Gurston Nyquist, MD**, **Elina Toskala, MD, PhD, MBA** and **David Kennedy, MD** were in attendance. The conference featured panel discussions and instructional courses, as well as oral and poster presentations covering topics in a wide range of areas from rhinosinusitis, allergies, oncology, skull base and plastic surgery.



Jefferson Otolaryngology's Cochlear Implant Team hosted a networking event in Cherry Hill, NJ on April 4, 2024 with support from Advanced Bionics.

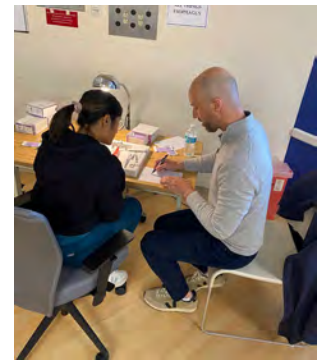
This event was extended to hearing healthcare professionals in the New Jersey/Philadelphia area. In attendance were 13 providers from 8 different practices who joined us to learn more about our cochlear implant program and the services we can offer to their patients. Pictured are members of our CI team: **Jennifer Poston, AuD, Julia Croce, AuD, Rebecca Chiffer, MD, Jacob Hunter, MD, Sarah Lively, MD, Carley Cuzzacrea, AuD** and **Lauren Lucas, AuD**

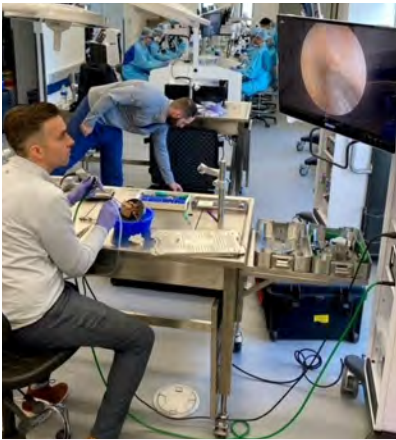


The Head and Neck and Facial Plastics divisions teamed up for a Resident Reconstruction Course at the Johnson and Johnson Institute on April 6, 2024. Special thanks to **Arielle Thal, MD** for organizing the course and to Tommy Rossi and Synthes for their support. Thank you also to **Dylan Roden, MD (F'19)** and **Ameya Jategoankar, MD (F'22)** for traveling to Philadelphia for the course and to all faculty and trainees who dedicated their Saturday to collaboration, education, and innovation!



Jefferson Otolaryngology residents and faculty participated in another successful SimFest on April 20-21, 2024 at the UPenn Sim Center. The course provided hands-on experience to PGY3s coming from residency programs from Washington DC to Boston. Faculty participating included **Richard Goldman, MD** (course director), **Elizabeth Cottrill, MD, Christopher Fundakowski, MD** and **Kathleen Tibbetts, MD** as well as program alumni **Brian Swendseid, MD (R '21)** and **Dylan Roden, MD (F'19)**. Research fellows **Kathryn Nunez** and **Pablo Llerena**, as well as **Hannah Kenny (PGY2)** served as facilitators while **Uche Nwagu, MD (PGY3), Eric Mastrodonardo, MD (PGY3),** and **Alex Knops, MD (PGY3)** were course attendees. Dr. Goldman's daughter, **Riley**, tested her fine motor skills at the new Jenga station.

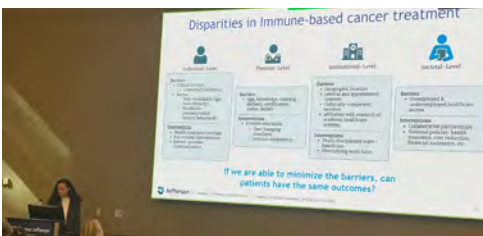




L to R: Jason Brant, MD (Penn Medicine), Udayan Shah, MD, William Parkes, MD (Nemours Children's Hospital), Thomas Willcox, MD, Rebecca Chiffer, MD, Jacob Hunter, MD and Michael Teixido, MD (ENT & Allergy of Delaware)

It was a thrilling Thursday and Friday, April 25 and 26, 2024 at the Temporal Bone Dissection Course! Our **Otology Division** led dynamic sessions with our **PGY3 residents** in our new state-of-the-art temporal bone lab. We were also happy to host residents from UPenn. A milestone day filled with learning, laughter, and precision. Here's to many more successful sessions in our new home!

Joseph Curry, MD served as visiting faculty at the 3rd Annual Advanced Resident Head & Neck Reconstruction Bootcamp which was held at Emory University in Atlanta, GA on May 11, 2024. Dr. Curry instructed the session "Thigh Flaps: ALT/AMT? How does US help?". **Emily Funk, MD (F'24)** and **Kelly Bridgham, MD (PGY2)** were in attendance as well.



On April 24, 2024 two of our research fellows presented at the Translational Cellular Oncology (TaCO) Program Faculty & Trainee Retreat. **Kathryn Nunes** presented "Evaluating racial disparities in immune checkpoint inhibitor survival and autoimmunity" while **Pablo Llerena** presented "Prognostic Significance of Serological Markers in Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma Patients Receiving Neoadjuvant Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors." Pablo's presentation won the award for best trainee presentation!



Our department was well-represented at the Combined Otolaryngology Sections Meeting (COSM) from May 15-19, 2024 in Chicago, IL. COSM is a premier event that brings together otolaryngology professionals from around the world to share the latest research, advancements, and clinical practices in the field. As always, it provided an invaluable opportunity for learning, networking, and professional development. Sidney Kimmel Medical College student **Praneet Kaki** won the 3rd place poster award for the Triologic section at COSM. The poster was entitled "What is the Efficacy of Sleep Surgery in Patients with Residual OSA after Bariatric Surgery?" Jefferson Otolaryngology also hosted a departmental event on Friday, May 17, 2024 which included several of our faculty, residents, research fellows and medical students.



On May 20, 2024, Jefferson celebrated Clinical Trials Day with a ceremony honoring Jefferson employees who support research. Jefferson Otolaryngology Research Coordinator, **Maya Childs** presented a poster at the event highlighting a clinical trial she coordinates with **Thomas Willcox, MD**. While Jefferson Otolaryngology Research Coordinator, **Morgan Kyser**, was featured in a poster about the Clinical Research Workforce Development Program in which she participated. Here's to embarking on a journey of hope and healing, one trial at a time. Keep up the fantastic work, team!



On Wednesday, May 22, 2024 we were honored to have **Marci Lee Nilson, PhD** from the University of Pittsburgh's School of Nursing as our special guest lecturer at Grand Rounds speaking about Cancer Survivorship. Joining Dr. Nilson for dinner the night prior was **Arielle Thal, MD, Elizabeth Cottrill, MD, Maureen Murphy, CRNP, Adam Luginbuhl, MD and David Cognetti, MD**.



Our department was well represented at the American Society of Clinical Oncology Annual Meeting in Chicago between May 31 and June 4, 2024. Research fellow **Jefferson DeKloe** gave a podium presentation on the effects of HPV vaccination on the development HPV-related cancers. **David Cognetti, MD** and **Jennifer Johnson, MD** are seen in front of the Head and Neck group's poster on photoimmunotherapy.



At the 7th Annual Columbia Endoscopic Otolaryngology Course in New York on Thursday, June 6, 2024, **Mindy Rabinowitz, MD** served as a guest lecturer, discussing surgical techniques for endoscopic intraconal tumor surgeries. This course, which attracts surgeons from around the globe, saw virtual participation from over 110 countries! **Peter Benedict, MD (F'24)** and **Chase Kahn, MD (PGY4)** also participated, gaining hands-on experience with cadaver dissections.



Alongside esteemed experts from around the world, **Elizabeth Cottrill, MD** spoke at the 95th Annual Meeting of the German Society of Otorhinolaryngology in May in Messe Essen, Germany.



Jefferson Otolaryngology was well represented at the annual Pennsylvania Academy of Otolaryngology meeting which was held in Hershey, PA on June 14 and 15, 2024. Faculty, residents and research fellows presented their work, showed off their posters, and networked with other otolaryngologists and trainees from Philadelphia-area programs.

Alumni News

Join us for the

Faculty & Alumni Golf Outing

Monday, September 9, 2024

Union League Liberty Hill Golf Club
800 Ridge Pike
Lafayette Hill, PA

Limited space available! For more information, contact Karen.Keane@jefferson.edu



ARE YOU GOING TO THE AAO-HNSF MEETING IN MIAMI?

JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL ALUMNI RECEPTION

Venu at Miami Beach Convention Center
1901 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach, FL

Sunday, September 29, 2024 from 7 - 10pm

Please RSVP to Karen.Keane@jefferson.edu

Giving Back

The Multidisciplinary Cancer Screening was held on Saturday, April 13, 2024 at the Jefferson Northeast Torresdale campus. Led by **Arielle Thal, MD, David Cognetti, MD, Elizabeth Cottrill, MD, Tara DiFabio NP**, and staffed by five residents, one NP student, and several medical students, the team saw nearly 100 patients in the span of four hours.



At the Head and Neck Cancer Screening at the Lucien Blackwell Community Center on March 15, 2024, the screening team included members of the SKCC team, residents **Alex Knops (PGY3), Aarti Agarwal (PGY5), Dylan Bertoni (PGY4), Emily Funk (F'24)**, and research fellow **Sam Shing**. Forty patients were screened at this event!

Members of the head and neck team including **David Cognetti, MD, Adam Luginbuhl, MD** and **Christopher Fundakowski, MD** participated in a head and neck cancer screening at Asplundh Cancer Center on May 2, 2024. Also in attendance was our incoming head and neck fellow, **Harleen Sethi, DO** and her co-residents from PCOM. The team was able to screen 37 patients!



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