



# Hoo's News

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The purpose of Hoo's News is to communicate information among past, current, and future residents. If you have news that you would like to share, please contact Michelle McCarthy (see page 4).

### Residency Program Information

The University of Virginia Health System (UVaHS) has 3 ASHP-accredited residency programs: Critical Care (established 2002), Drug Information (established 1998), and PGY1 Pharmacy (established 1991). At their March meeting, the ASHP Commission on Credentialing (COC) voted to reaccredit the PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Critical Care residency programs for 3 years and the PGY2-Drug Information program for 6 years. A new residency program, PGY2 in Health System Pharmacy Administration will begin its first year of existence in July 2010. A goal of the residency program is to increase the number of residents from 8 to 10 in the next 2 years. All programs are registered with the National Matching Service (NMS). Residency program directors are listed on page 4.

### The Class of 2009-10: Where are they going?

**Amanda Williams** PGY1-Pharmacy  
PGY2-Critical Care Resident at UVaHS

**Sarah Gruber** PGY1-Pharmacy  
PGY2-Critical Care Resident at UVaHS

**Nathan Powell** PGY2-Critical Care  
ED Clinical Pharmacy Specialist at CJW Medical Center in Richmond, VA

**Jennifer Neal** PGY1-Pharmacy  
PGY2-Hematology/Oncology Resident at University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, NC

**Philip Almeter** PGY1-Pharmacy  
PGY2-Health System Pharmacy Administration Resident at UVaHS

**Brenda Clark** PGY2-Critical Care  
Clinical Pharmacy Specialist in the surgical and medical ICUs at The Indiana Heart Hospital-Indianapolis, Indiana.

**David Crowther** PGY1-Pharmacy  
PGY2-Drug Information Resident at UVaHS

### The Residency Class of 2010-11

The Class of 2010-11 will include four PGY1-Pharmacy residents, one PGY2-Drug Information resident, one PGY2-Pharmacy Administration resident, and two PGY2-Critical Care residents.

The PGY1-Pharmacy residents are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>School of Pharmacy</u>
Bennett Bain	University of California-San Francisco
Ahmed Mahmoud	VCU
Julie Villanueva	VCU
Nicole Watts	UNC

PGY2-Drug Information resident is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>PGY1 Residency</u>
David Crowther	USN	UVaHS

The PGY2- Health System Pharmacy Administration resident is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>PGY1 Residency</u>
Philip Almeter	UGA	UVaHS

The PGY2-Critical Care residents are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>PGY1 Residency</u>
Sarah Gruber	Albany	UVaHS
Amanda Williams	Samford	UVaHS

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**News and Announcements**
*Engagements*

**Shaila Patel** (PP '09) is engaged to Sam Sheth. The happy couple is planning for a 2011 wedding.

*Weddings*

**Todd Reeder** (PP '06, DI '07) married Amanda Barnett on March 20, 2010 in San Antonio, TX.

*Births*

**Katie (Peterson) Garrison** (PP '99) and her husband, David, announce the birth of their daughter, Natalie Evelyn, on January 15, 2010. Natalie weighed 7 lbs 3 oz and was 19.5 inches long.

**Leah Paige** (PP '99) and her husband, Doug, announce the birth of their daughter, Zoe Caroline, on January 21, 2010. Zoe weighed 7 lbs 10.4 oz and was 20 inches long.

**Sharon Dybicz** (PP '97) and her husband, Tony, announce the birth of their daughter, Katherine Julia on February 28, 2010. Katie weighed 7 lbs, 13 oz and was 19.5 inches long. She joins her big brother Andrew who is 3 years old.

**Omaris Muniz** (PP '96) and her husband, Victor Toro, announce the birth of their daughter, Olgamaris Toro, on April 3, 2010. She weighed 5 lb and was 18 inches long.

**Meg Taylor** (PP '04) and her husband, Travis, announce the birth of their daughter, Meredith Leigh, on May 19, 2010. Meredith weighed 7 lb, 12 oz and was 19.5 inches long. She joins her big brother Stephen.

**Where are they now? The Class of 1992-1993 AND 1993-1994**

Unfortunately, there were no submissions from the class of 1992-1993 and 1993-1994. We hope to hear from them in the future.

**Professional Announcements**

**Young Ran Lee** (PP '08) and colleagues presented her project "Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* nasal colonization and correlation to methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* pneumonia in the intensive care unit" at the 2010 ACCP Spring Practice and Research Forum in Charlotte, NC. Her resident received an ACCP adult medicine PRN travel award with this research.

**Whitney Raper Maxwell** (PP '09) has accepted a non-tenure track faculty position with South Carolina College of Pharmacy with a practice site in Ambulatory Care at the Columbia, SC VA Medical Center, beginning January 2011.

**Brooke Bernhardt** (CC '05) will be the Chair of the HOPA Publications Committee for the 2010-2011 year. She has also received recognition as an Outstanding University of Texas Preceptor of the Houston/Galveston Region.

**Jim Coons** (PP '02) attained added qualification in cardiology (AQ Cardiology) from BPS.

**Kimberly (Parnell) Lafferty** (PP '97) has taken a position as Senior Manager of Immunology Market Research for the Global Strategic Marketing division of Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Services.

**Jessica Johnson** (PP '09) has taken a position as Pharmacy Clinical Specialist in Critical Care at the Frederick Memorial Hospital in Frederick, Maryland.

**Kelly Rogers** (PP '96) presented "Update and New Therapies in the Management of Chronic Stable Angina" to clinical pharmacy members of Mid-South College of Clinical Pharmacy, local chapter of ACCP in Memphis, Tennessee on October 1, 2009. She also presented, "The Pharmacist's Role in Drug-Induced QT Prolongation" to pharmacists of the Tennessee Society of Hospital Pharmacists in Nashville, Tennessee on February 21, 2010.

**Publications**

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**Preceptor News**

Heather Cox-Hall received the 2009-10 Outstanding Preceptor Award from the VCU School of Pharmacy Class of 2010.

Donna White received the 2009-10 Outstanding Mentor Award from the VCU School of Pharmacy Class of 2010

Michelle McCarthy was appointed as the Vice Chair of the ASHP Commission on Credentialing for 2011.

Michelle McCarthy was recognized as a Fellow of ASHP as the 2010 ASHP Annual Meeting.

David Volles was appointed as the Region 1 President of VSHP for 2010.

**2010 Dates of interest**

- June 24                      Residency Class of 2009 Graduation and Reception
- June 25                      Farewell and Welcome Picnic for Pharmacy Residents
- June 29-30                  Orientation for Residency Class of 2010-11

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