

*The ACGME is proud to announce our award recipients for 2013. More information about each award recipient will be available online in December.*

## **Parker J. Palmer Courage to Lead Award Recipients 2013**



The Parker J. Palmer Courage to Lead Award honors designated institutional officials who have demonstrated excellence in overseeing residency programs at their sponsoring institutions. Designated institutional officials, or DIOs, have authority and responsibility for all graduate medical education programs in a teaching hospital, community hospital or other type of institution that sponsors residency programs. The ACGME congratulates the recipients of the 2013 Courage to Lead Award.

**Ann M. Dohn, MA**

Designated Institutional Official  
Stanford Hospital and Clinics  
Stanford, CA

**Richard Green, CAPT, MC USN**

Designated Institutional Official  
Naval Medical Center San Diego  
San Diego, CA

**Frederick M. Schiavone, MD**

Designated Institutional Official  
University Hospital, SUNY at Stony Brook  
Stony Brook, NY

## Parker J. Palmer Courage to Teach Award Recipients

### For Program Director Excellence 2013



The ACGME is proud to announce the ten recipients of the 2013 Parker J. Palmer Courage to Teach Award, which honors program directors who find innovative ways to teach residents and to provide quality health care while remaining connected to the initial impulse to care for others in this environment. Parker J. Palmer is the author of the book *The Courage to Teach* and whose promotion of the concept of "living divided no more" has proven relevant to teaching in academic health centers. Congratulations to this year's recipients!

#### **Wallace A. Carter, MD**

Program Director for Emergency Medicine  
New York Presbyterian  
Bronxville, NY

#### **Deborah A. Schwengel, MD**

Program Director for Anesthesiology  
Johns Hopkins  
Baltimore, MD

#### **Richard T. Jennings, MD, MS**

Program Director for Aerospace Medicine  
University of Texas Medical Branch  
Galveston, TX

#### **Nathan Selden, MD**

Program Director for Neurological Surgery  
Oregon Health Science University  
Portland, OR

#### **John D. Mahan, Jr, MD**

Program Director for Pediatrics and Pediatric  
Nephrology  
Nationwide Children's Hospital/Ohio State  
University  
Columbus, OH

#### **Craig Shriver, MD**

Program Director for General Surgery  
Walter Reed National Military Medical Center  
Bethesda, MD

#### **Bryan L. Martin, DO**

Program Director for Allergy and Immunology  
The Ohio State University  
Columbus, OH

#### **David B. Sweet, MD, FACP**

Program Director for Internal Medicine  
Summa Health System  
Akron, OH

#### **David Schulman, MD**

Program Director for Pulmonary, Allergy, and  
Critical Care Medicine  
Emory University  
Atlanta, GA

#### **William M. Tierney, MD**

Program Director for Gastroenterology  
University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center  
Oklahoma City, OK

## David C. Leach, MD Award Recipients 2013



In an effort to honor the former Executive Director of the ACGME (1997 – 2007), David C. Leach, MD, and his contributions to resident education and well being, the ACGME created this award in 2008. This award is unique in that it acknowledges and honors residents, fellows, and resident/fellow teams and their contribution to graduate medical education. Congratulations to this year's recipient!

### **Donald Buck, MD**

Plastic Surgery  
Northwestern University, Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery  
Chicago, IL

### **Maria Buheis, MD**

Allergy and Immunology  
Texas Children's Hospital  
Houston, TX

### **Tierney Sparks, MD**

Internal Medicine  
University of Colorado  
Aurora, CO

## **GME Program Coordinator Excellence Award 2013**



The ACGME is proud to announce the recipients of the *GME Program Coordinator Excellence Award*. This award was created to honor and recognize the very crucial role that program coordinators play in the success of a residency program. Congratulations to this year's recipients!

**Lisa Anderson**

Hematology/Oncology  
University of Washington  
Seattle, WA

**Beth Brace**

Cardiovascular Disease  
University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics  
Madison, WI

**Shannon Dowty**

Obstetrics and Gynecology  
University of Illinois at Chicago  
Chicago, IL

**Brandi McKinnon**

Internal Medicine  
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center  
Lubbock, TX

**Marie Ray, C-TAGME**

Emergency Medicine  
Earl K. Long Medical Center Louisiana State University  
Baton Rouge, LA

## **GME Program Institutional Excellence Award 2013**



The ACGME is proud to announce the recipient of the *GME Institutional Coordinator Excellence Award*. This award was created to honor and recognize the pivotal position that the institutional coordinator has within the institution. Congratulations to this year's recipient!

**Catherine M. Eckart, MBA**

University at Buffalo School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences  
Buffalo, NY