

Texas Chapter of the ACP

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AWARDS

*Recognizing outstanding
achievements in Internal Medicine.*



Andy Diehl - On Being a Doctor Award

The On Being a Doctor Essay Competition is named in honor of Dr. Andy Diehl, Governor Emeritus and Master in the American College of Physicians. In recognition of his contributions to the Texas Chapter as a leader, educator and internist. His colleagues, students and friends alike remember Dr. Diehl as a dedicated teacher and physician.

Medical Student and Resident members of the chapter are invited to submit to the competition. The theme for the essay this year is: *Who's the doctor? Living in a world where physicians are competing with mid-level providers for patient care.*

It is with genuine pleasure that this year, the Texas Chapter presents the 2016 Andy Diehl On Being a Doctor Award to UTSW class of 2018 student Thomas Das for his essay, "The Start of Something New."

Eugene Stokes, MD, FACP

Karen Szauter, MD, FACP

Co-Chairs, TXACP Medical Students Committee

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George Crawford, MD, MACP

Co-Chairs, Residents Committee

Maureen Francis, MD, FACP

President, TXACP

THOMAS DAS

The Start of Something New

As Mr. Rochelle fumbled with his new smartphone, he couldn't help but feel out-of-sorts. He had been a hold-out, and a stubbornly proud one at that. For the past twenty years, his life had been a model of consistency: same family doctor watching his blood pressure; same 7:00am Sunday tee-time with his old college buddies; same mustard and pastrami sandwich for lunch. The only thing in his life that seemed to change with any regularity was the Rangers' pitching staff, and that was stressful enough. Now, it seemed as if this phone would be another unwanted change.

"See, Sir," said the salesman. "You don't even have to punch in someone's number to call them – you can just touch their name!"

"Humph," muttered Mr. Rochelle under his breath. "I guess that might be useful." Mr. Rochelle handed the phone back to the salesman, and unfolded a sheet of notebook paper from his pocket. "Can you get these numbers in there for me? That's what this thing is good for, right?"

The first name was an old one, scribbled in messy handwriting. Jack Slidell, Doctor. He had met Dr. Slidell after moving to the city for work. He was much younger then, thought Mr. Rochelle, though he definitely had his head on straight. On their first meeting they talked about his hypertension, his medications, and his diet (he never did care much for that pastrami sandwich habit). They had even talked a little bit about baseball; Dr. Slidell had played college ball, and still had the calluses to prove it. They'd been meeting every few months since then, adjusting his meds and watching his vitals for any changes. In fact, he had just started him on some new pill. "Call me if you're ever worried about anything - side effects, new symptoms, anything" the doctor would say. "Remember, we're a team in this." Mr. Rochelle watched as the salesman typed the name into his phone – Jack Slidell, Doctor.

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Four hours later, Mr. Rochelle found himself clumsily thumbing through those names, his other hand holding his suddenly puffy face. His finger finally found what it was looking for, and pressed the name.

“Hello, you’ve reached the cellphone of Dr. Jack Slidell. I can’t take your call rig-”

Mr. Rochelle winced as he hung up. It’s still early, thought Mr. Rochelle. I can drive by and see if he’s in today. By the time he had driven to clinic and reached the receptionist, the swelling had started to engorge his lips.

“You’re lucky, sir - we’ve had a few cancellations, and can see you right now. Next time I’d start at the ER”. Mr. Rochelle nodded; before he knew it he was sitting on an exam table, answering a knock at the door.

“Hello, Mr. Rochelle. I’m Jackie, a Nurse Practitioner; I work with Dr. Slidell. How are you feeling?”

Mr. Rochelle cocked his head, momentarily distracted from the swelling. He caught a glance of the name on her white coat – Jackie O’Donnell, MSN. Hmm. MSN... wonder what that means. She offered him a reassuring smile.

“Good,” he stammered past his lips. “I mean, not so good - look at me! Dr. Slidell has been seeing me for a while, watching the blood pressure, you know? We just started some new drug that’s supposed to help. Do you know when he’ll be back?”

“He’s away at a conference this week, I’m afraid,” said the woman with a smile. “We do work very closely together though. As a matter of fact, I was just reading through his notes in your chart before coming in here. If you’d like, you and I could talk about what’s been going on.”

Mr. Rochelle sighed. Better this than try and work that phone again, he thought. “Well, you see, Doc, it’s like this...”

With a grunt of exasperation, Mr. Rochelle sat back up on the table, his story and exam complete.

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“So what are you thinking, Jackie? Anything to worry ‘bout?”

“I’m thinking that I’m glad you came in, Mr. Rochelle. This angioedema is exactly what Dr. Slidell was watching for with that new medicine, but thankfully we’ve caught it early. Now that we know how your body reacts, we’ll be able to give you something to help with the swelling, adjust your blood pressure meds, and have you follow-up in a week. I’ll call Dr. Slidell and run through the plan with him – after that, I’ll put the order in to the pharmacy. Just in case, here’s my pager number; let me know if you have any trouble.”

She scribbled a few digits and handed them to Mr. Rochelle, along with some pills. He slid the paper into his front breast pocket and swallowed the pills. The swelling started to fade by the time he got back to his car.

As he pulled into his driveway, Mr. Rochelle heard his phone buzzing.

“Mr. Rochelle! This is Dr. Slidell. I’m sorry I missed your call, I just got out of a meeting. How are you doing? I just heard back from Jackie.”

“Hi, Doc. Yeah, I’m feeling alright, just a little spooked earlier. Jackie got it all taken care of. I’ll tell you all about it next week”

“Can’t wait to hear all about it. Call me if anything changes before then. Glad to hear Jackie got to see you today though; remember, we’re a team in this.”

“You got it, Doc. Hey, did you hear about that new prospect that they’re gonna call up this season? Supposed to be a real hotshot; I heard he can throw 103.”

“I’ll believe it when I see it”

Mr. Rochelle laughed and said his goodbyes. As he finished the call, he pulled the paper with Jackie’s pager number and punched the name into his phone. Jackie O’Donnell. He put the phone back in his pocket and started to chuckle. New phone, new docs, new pitchers. What a life!

Early Career Physician Award

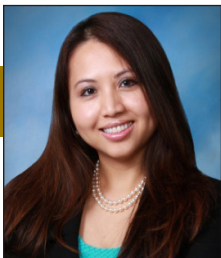
The Texas Chapter of the ACP honors an active ACP member that demonstrates leadership in community services that has been in practice for at least ten years. The Early Career Physician Leader of the Year Award is the most prestigious recognition of achievement for young physicians. This is a new award for the chapter this year and it is with distinct pleasure that the Texas Chapter honors Julie Stephen, MD, MBA, FACP with the Texas Chapter Award for Early Career Physician Leader of the Year. Recipients of this award are recognized for their outstanding achievement in the areas of academics, leaderships, and/or advocacy for the field of internal medicine.

George E. Crawford, MD, MACP
Governor, Texas Southern Chapter

Sue S. Bornstein, MD, FACP
Governor, Texas Northern Chapter

*“People grow through experience if they
meet life honestly and courageously.
This is how character is built.”*

— Eleanor Roosevelt



JULIE STEPHEN, MD, MBA, FACP

Dr. Julie Stephen is the 2016 recipient of the Council of Early Career Physicians Young Physician Leader of the Year Award, an award she had the foresight to establish several years ago. She is a graduate of UT Dallas where she was a member of the honors program, graduating Summa Cum Laude, where she was selected as a graduation speaker. She went on to Internal Medicine training at UTMB. She has participated in post-graduate training, obtaining a Master of Business Administration from Texas Woman's University and a Graduate Certificate of Health Care Administration at Rice University. She also had additional training in Aesthetic Medicine and Occupational Health Services.

She has been very active in Quality Improvement with multiple projects at The Methodist Hospital, and Advanced Training in Healthcare Delivery Improvement and Patient Safety with Intermountain Healthcare. She has participated in the TMA Leadership Program. She has had academic appointments at the Weil Cornell Medical College, Texas A&M, and UT Medical Branch. She currently serves as the Director of Medical Operations for Concentra Health Services.

She has been a member of the Texas ACP since 2006. She was the Southern Co-Chair of the Council of Young Physicians from 2010 to 2012. In this capacity she reorganized the committee structure, created the Council of Young Physicians bi-annual newsletter, developed a CME workshop at the annual Texas ACP Meeting, and established the Young Physician of the Year Award, the forerunner of the Council of Early Career Physicians Young Physician Leader of the Year Award. She also became the Southern Director of Texas ACP Foundation in 2010, servicing in this capacity since. In this position she solicited funding and volunteered as a preceptor to GIMSIPP and helped to promote the GIMSPP program in general. She was selected as President Elect of Texas ACP Service in 2013 and served as President of ACP Services from 2014 to 2015.

In view of her history of service to the Council of Early Physicians and Texas ACP Services, Dr. Julie Stephen was the unanimous choice of the Awards Committee for the Council of Early Career Physicians Young Physician Leader of the Year Award.

Decade of Service Awards - GIMSPP

The General Internal Medicine Statewide Preceptorship Program Decade of Service Award honors highly active and dedicated preceptors who have been in the program for ten years and have served as a preceptor to students at least seven of those years.

It is with genuine pleasure that this year, the Texas Chapter presents the GIMSPP Decade of Service Award to Margaret Hayden, MD, FACP; Michael S. Marshall, MD, FAAP, FACP; William H. Pieratt, DO, FACP; and Aaron Samsula, MD, FACP.

We thank these devoted preceptors for the time, knowledge and energy they have unselfishly given to the future physicians of Texas.

Eugene Stokes, MD, FACP

Karen Szauter, MD, FACP

Co-Chairs, TXACP Medical Students Committee

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MARGARET HAYDEN, MD, FACP

Dr. Hayden grew up in Fort Worth, Texas in a single parent family with 2 siblings. She worked her way through college, earning her Bachelor's degree from the University of Texas at Austin in 1984 and graduated from UT Southwestern Medical School in 1988. She completed Internal Medicine residency at Ochsner Medical Foundation in New Orleans, Louisiana including a Chief Medical Residency in Internal Medicine. She began her medical career in the DFW area and relocated to East Texas in 2001 where she currently practices at Tyler Internal Medicine Associates with special interests in preventative medicine, women's health and cardiovascular evaluation and management. She is married to Danny Hayden and has 21 year old twins, both in college. Her hobbies are jogging, sewing and spending time with family and friends. Dr. Hayden has fostered her love of teaching through the GIMSPP program as well as serving as preceptor for the University of Texas at Tyler nurse practitioner degree program.

"It has been a pleasure to host these students, because teaching is my passion, second only to patient care."

*"Cherish your visions and your dreams
as they are the children of your soul, the
blueprints of your ultimate achievements."*

— Napoleon Hill



MICHAEL S. MARSHALL, MD, FAAP, FACP

Dr. Marshall is a graduate of Southwestern Medical School - Dallas. He completed his Internal Medicine Pediatrics Residency at the University of Michigan Combined program. He practiced at Kaiser Permanente Texas from 1989-2000, then as Practicing Physician, Physician Lead at SW Dallas. He started with Methodist Medical Group in 2000 and currently serves as a Practicing Physician, CMO for the Methodist Health System Dallas.



WILLIAM H. PIERATT, DO, FACP

Dr. Pieratt completed his residency at Scott & White in Temple in 1995 and entered private practice in the Round Rock-Northwest Austin area. In 1997, he relocated his young family, along with his practice, to La Grange. There he enjoyed maintaining a traditional, independent practice covering both his clinic and the local hospital. He also served in various leadership positions, including chief of the medical staff and hospital board member. He was recruited to return to Scott & White in 2008 to help expand the outpatient Internal Medicine clinic in its College Station region. He has served as a GIMSPP preceptor at each stage of his practice career. In addition, he has also been involved in undergraduate medical education through the Texas A&M College of Medicine. He currently serves as the Course Director for Internal Medicine as well as the director of A&M's longitudinal integrated medicine program on the Bryan-College Station campus, the first of its kind in Texas.



AARON SAMSULA, MD, FACP

Dr. Samsula trained at the UT Medical Branch and Baylor University Medical Center. He has served on the Texas ACP's Medical Students committee for several years and has co-chaired Texas ACP's council of early career physicians. He practices outpatient general internal medicine in Plano, Texas and recently transitioned to a concierge style practice.

“The practice of medicine is predominantly a humanistic act. Physicians must care about their patients, and they must constantly improve their scientific knowledge about disease. To care and not know is dangerous. To know and not care is even worse. Caring and knowing must be combined to succeed in doctoring.”

— J. Willis Hurst, MD

GIMSPP Emerald Award for 20 Years of Service to Students

The Texas Chapter of the ACP wishes to recognize the following ACP Member Preceptor who has been a mentor to students through the General Internal Medicine Statewide Preceptorship Program since 1995.

In appreciation for their tireless dedication to educating the future of internal medicine, and their commitment to the GIMSPP program, it is with distinct honor we present this award to Dr. Allan Kelly, Dr. William Mania, Dr. Louis Torres, and Dr. Larry Warmoth.

Eugene Stokes, MD, FACP

Karen Szauter, MD, FACP

Co-Chairs, TXACP Medical Students Committee

Maureen Francis, MD, FACP

President, TXACP

*“My desire to be a physician
had a lot to do with that sense
of medicine as a ministry of
healing, not just a science.
And not even just a science
and an art, but also a calling,
also a ministry.”*

— Abraham Verghese



ALLAN ROWAN KELLY, MD, FACP

Dr. Kelly, born in 1955, started going to the hospital in 1960 and nursing homes in 1963.

Such is the benefit of having a father who was an internist committed to patients. Dr. Gordon Kelly practiced in Fort Worth (1953-1997) and was Allan's inspiration and model.

Dr. Kelly's education was at Amherst College ('77) and UTSWMS ('81). Research interests as a student included cardiac exercise physiology. Residency was at Ohio State University and ID fellowship at Baylor University Medical Center.

In private practice since 1985, he is committed to primary care. Over the past six years, he has pursued geriatric practice innovation (Premium Medical Home). He makes rounds at hospitals, nursing homes, rehab hospitals, assisted living facilities, and of course his office. He works with medical students regularly.

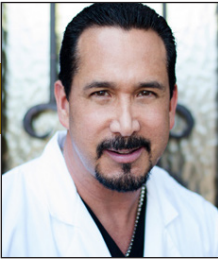
Dr. Kelly is married to Mary Leslie and they have three children. He attributes any success he has had to Mary's help, support, and love. Dr. Kelly is grateful to Texas Chapter of the ACP for their work in support of internists and other physicians. His wonderful colleagues in Fort Worth mean the world to him, especially brother Robert, a geriatrician whose office is next door.



WILLIAM MANIA, MD, FACP

Dr. Mania was born in 1957. He graduated from the University of Dallas with a BS in Biochemistry. He received his MD from Texas

Tech University in 1981, and completed his Master of Public Health (MPH) in 1987, the same year he started his practice in internal medicine. He is a world traveler who has been to more than 100 countries and has seen all 7 continents. Dr. Mania has served many GIMSPP students over the years in his Richardson office, and his door is always open for more.



LOUIS TORRES, JR., MD, FACP

As an internist in training, I had the advantage of being taught by multiple excellent physicians. A common theme was taking time to listen to the patients, relating back to the patients what they had to say: in other words, active listening. This has served me well the past 25+ yrs.

When offered the chance of passing on my knowledge and passion to fledgling students, I realized it would benefit them and the patients that they would eventually work with.

I've always enjoyed mentoring students, helping them learn how to work with all varieties of patients, colleagues, office staff and other students. They witness the importance of patient rapport and history taking being at the core of the physician-patient relationship. Moving forward through the physical exam to the assessment and plan round out the process. I reinforce every patient is unique and requires a special touch and all are greeted with a smile, handshake and the appropriate hug.

Demonstration of the plan is unique to each patient, taking into account their insurance, financial and social status, age, mobility and individual beliefs and attitudes. My overall goal is to have the students understand the uniqueness and needs of each patient and help them achieve current and future physical and mental health.

“A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops.”

— Henry Brooks Adams



LARRY A. WARMOTH, MD, FACP

Colonel Larry A. Warmoth is Commander of the 149th Medical Group, 149th Fighter Wing, Lackland JBSA, Texas. In his command capacity, Colonel Warmoth advises the commander of the 149th Fighter Wing on matters pertaining to medical aspects of the health and welfare of the 149th Fighter Wing and the rigorous world of fighter aviation. He also commands the Expeditionary Medical Contingency Management Force, which can respond to natural or man-made disasters with 24 hours.

Colonel Warmoth entered the United States military via the US Marine Corp's Platoon Leader's Corp. He transferred to the United States Navy and was selected for Aviation Officers Candidate School at Pensacola, Florida. After earning his Wings of Gold, Colonel Warmoth was the Distinguished Graduate in his F-14A Tomcat course. Following his discharge from the USN he earned a Master's of Science degree from Colorado State University and worked a research scientist at the Centers for Disease Control and the University of Texas, Southwestern Medical School in Dallas. He received his Doctor of Medicine from Texas Tech University Health Science Center, School of Medicine in 1992.

Dr. Warmoth began his residence in Internal Medicine at the University of Arizona where he was selected as Chief Resident (1995-96). Colonel Warmoth joined the Air Force Reserve in the summer of 1993. Three months later he completed his flight surgery training and in the following five months he graduated from F-16 flight training. In 1996, he became board certified in Internal Medicine. He then returned to academia in 2002 as Nephrology fellow and is board certified, as well. He has served as Chief of Medicine for 8 years, Vice Chief of Staff for 2 years, and is currently Chief of Staff of Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock, Texas. Dr. Warmoth is also an assistant Professor of Medicine at Texas Tech University Health Science Center, School of Medicine.

2016 Snyder/Chumley Advocate of the Year Award

TXACP Services, the advocacy arm of the Texas Chapter of the ACP, is pleased to present the 2016 Advocate of the Year award, named in honor of the first recipients, Ned Snyder III, MD, FACP, and Delbert L. Chumley, MD, FACP. The awardee must be a registered Advocate for Internal Medicine (AIMn) who has demonstrated outstanding leadership in the areas of legislative advocacy and grassroots activism. The Advocate of the Year has consistently communicated concerns on behalf of TXACP Services to elected officials on issues and unfailingly responded to legislative alerts, as well as served as a community spokesperson on behalf of internal medicine and patients. In addition, this person has expanded the Chapter's advocacy program, recruited new AIMn members, and actively participated in Leadership Day visits and/or other meetings with legislators and staff.

It is with distinct pleasure that we present the 2016 Snyder/Chumley Advocate of the Year Award to Roger Khetan for his leadership in political, legislative, and grassroots advocacy on behalf of medicine, and most importantly, the patients of Texas.

Koko Aung, MD, FACP
President, TXACP Services



ROGER S. KHETAN, MD, FACP

Roger S. Khetan and his identical twin brother Rainer both graduated from Texas A&M University and attended medical school at the University of Texas Houston. After one year of post-graduate training in anesthesiology in Pittsburgh, Roger returned to Texas for internal medicine training at the UT Houston hospitals. He served as Chief Medical Resident.

Dr. Khetan joined the medical staff at Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas where he was one of the first hospitalists. He helped develop the hospitalist program at Baylor and has been integrally involved in system-wide quality initiatives throughout his career. He has chaired a number of committees whose goal is to standardize care processes throughout the system.

Roger has been involved in the ACP since the early days of his career. He became a Fellow in 2009. He has held multiple leadership positions in the Texas ACP including President of the Texas ACP Chapter and ACP Services. His abundant energy and enthusiasm have been a hallmark of his tenure with the ACP. Early on, it became apparent that Roger had a keen interest in advocacy. He has participated in multiple Leadership Days in Washington, DC during which ACP members visit Congressional offices to meet with our legislators and their staff. He has served as the leader of our delegation for the past several years.

On the state level, Roger is the co-chair of the Texas ACP Health and Public Policy Committee. He and the committee have worked tirelessly on bringing the ACP's policy positions to the Texas legislature. He has championed increased funding for graduate medical education, continued funding for our General Internal Medicine Statewide Preceptorship Program and increased access to health care for all Texans. He helped develop our chapter's Advocacy Day at the state capitol as well.

In recognition of Dr. Khetan's leadership, passion, boundless energy and persistence in making the ACP's vision a reality, we are proud to award the 2016 Snyder Chumley Advocacy Award to Roger S. Khetan, MD, FACP.

Texas ACP Chapter Laureate Award 2016

The Laureate Award honors those Fellows and Masters of the College who have demonstrated by their example and conduct an abiding commitment to excellence in medical care, education, or research and in service to their community, their Chapter, and the American College of Physicians.

The recipient of this award shall bear the title Laureate of the Texas Chapter.

These awards shall be presented at the Annual Scientific Meeting. The awardees should accept the recognition in person, unless excused by the Governor. The awardees are to be nominated by a process that may originate from the Awards Committee or from any member of the Chapter. The nomination must document the attributes and accomplishments of the nominee.

The awardees shall be senior physicians and Fellows or Masters of long-standing, with acknowledged excellence and peer approval in the field of internal medicine. In addition, the awardees should have served their Chapter with distinction. Exceptional circumstances may modify these requirements.

It is with distinct pleasure that this year, the Texas Chapter presents the Laureate Award to James Sawyer, MD, FACP, and Robert E. Jackson, MD, FACP. These physicians are long-standing and loyal supporters of the College, have rendered distinguished service to the Chapter and have upheld the high ideals and professional standards for which the College is known.

We salute and honor these Laureate Awardees on this occasion, and we wish them and their families well in the future.

Sue S. Bornstein, MD, FACP
Governor, Texas Northern Chapter

George E. Crawford, MD, MACP
Governor, Texas Southern Chapter



JAMES SAWYER, MD, FACP

Jim Sawyer is a native of Huntsville, Alabama. He graduated from Birmingham-Southern College with Phi Beta Kappa honors.

He attended medical school at the University of Alabama at Birmingham and then moved to Texas for post-graduate training. He was an intern and resident in internal medicine at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston and then served as Chief Resident at St. Luke's Hospital.

After training he stayed on as faculty at Baylor for 2 years at the Methodist Hospital. He then moved to Longview, Texas where he was in solo practice of internal medicine for 14 years. Since 1996, he has been a staff physician in Diagnostic Clinic of Longview, a multi-specialty group in Longview. He has been President of the Medical Staff at Good Shepherd Medical Center as well as Chief of Staff at Longview Regional Hospital.

Dr. Sawyer has been a Fellow in the ACP since 1992. In 2002, he was elected to the Board of the Texas Academy of Internal Medicine (now the Texas ACP). He became President of the chapter in 2006. He demonstrated outstanding leadership and commitment as a Board member and officer.

In addition to his activities with ACP, Dr. Sawyer has served as a preceptor for medical students on ambulatory care rotations. For his outstanding teaching, he received a Teacher of Distinction Award from UTMB. He has also been a volunteer on the medical staff at an HIV clinic in East Texas.

Dr. Sawyer has a strong commitment to improving the health of his own patients as well as his community at large. He has been President of the Longview chapter of the American Heart Association. He has been a Board member of Refuge International and has made numerous medical mission trips to Guatemala.

Throughout his career, Dr. Sawyer has led by example. He has cared for his patients with clinical excellence, compassion and a commitment to the ideals of the ACP. The Texas ACP is proud to recognize Dr. James Sawyer as a Texas chapter Laureate.

*“We are here to add
what we can to,
not to get what we
can from life.”*

— Sir William Osler



ROBERT E. JACKSON, MD, MACP

Robert Jackson, MD, MACP is a native Houstonian and a second generation internist. Robert graduated with a degree in botany with Phi Beta Kappa honors from the University of Texas at Austin and then earned a Masters of Arts in botany from UT. He was awarded a botanical scholarship to study in Venezuela.

He graduated from the University of Texas Medical Branch and moved to San Francisco for his internal medicine internship. He then returned to Houston to complete internal medicine training at the Baylor College of Medicine.

Robert has practiced internal medicine in since 1984, initially with a group and for the past 9 years, as a solo practitioner. He has been an integral member of the medical staff at Houston Methodist, holding multiple elected positions including Chief of the Medical Staff. He has been an attending on the teaching service at Methodist for many years and now holds the rank of Clinical Professor of Medicine at Weill Cornell Medical College.

Robert became a Fellow in the ACP in 2000 and was elected Southeast Director of the Texas ACP in 2004. Since that time, Robert has held multiple leadership positions in the Chapter including President of the Texas ACP and ACP Services. In 2011, he became Governor for Texas Southern ACP. During his tenure as Governor, our chapter was awarded the prestigious John Tooker Evergreen Award for Chapter Innovation for 4 consecutive years.

On the national level, Dr. Jackson was the Vice-Chair for the Awards Committee and was a member of the Member Insurance Committee as well as the Advisory Board for Patient Partnership.

Dr. Jackson was awarded Mastership in the ACP in 2015 in recognition of his distinguished career and service to internal medicine. He has served as a mentor to countless medical students, residents and practicing physicians. Robert embodies the highest ideals of our profession and it is with pride that he is recognized as a Texas ACP Chapter Laureate.

Past Andy Diehl On Being a Doctor Award Winners

2014 Kelsey Bryant

2015 Shaoli Chaudhuri

Past Texas Laureate Award Winners

1985	Don W. Chapman, MACP	2002	Albert F. Hendler, MD, FACP
1985	Ralph Tompsett, MACP	2003	Carlos R. Hamilton, Jr., MD, FACP
1986	Ben A. Merrick, MD, FACP	2003	Jack A. Barnett, MD, FACP
1986	Julian C. Barton, MD, FACP	2003	Isabel V. Hoverman, MD, MACP
1987	None awarded	2004	Major W. Bradshaw, MD, FACP
1988	Warren Woodman Moorman, FACP	2004	Robert C. Kimbrough III, MD, FACP
1988	James E. Kreisle, Sr., FACP	2004	Lynne M. Kirk, MD, FACP
1989	Tom Giddings, MD, FACP	2004	J. Marc Shabot, MD, FACP
1989	Paul Thomas, MD, FACP	2005	Kenneth Nugent, MD, FACP
1990	Robert D. Bone, FACP	2005	Rody P. Cox, MD, FACP
1990	Edwin M. Ory, FACP	2005	Temple W. Williams, Jr., MD, FACP
1991	Jabez Galt, FACP	2006	Jack B. Alperin, MD, FACP
1991	O. Roger Hollan, FACP	2006	Andrew K. Diehl, MD, FACP
1992	Homer Goehrs, FACP	2006	Ned Snyder III, MD, FACP
1992	William O. Tschumy, FACP	2006	F. David Winter, Jr., MD, FACP
1993	William Rugeley Livesay, FACP	2007	Delbert L. Chumley, MD, FACP
1993	Billy B Oliver, FACP	2007	Edith Irby Jones, MD, FACP
1994	David C Miesch, FACP	2007	Joseph Viroslav, MD, FACP
1994	Ted M Nicklaus, FACP	2008	Spencer R. Berthelsen, MD, FACP
1994	Lawrence Rodney Rodgers, FACP	2008	Dorothy D. Sherwood, MD, FACP
1994	H Irving Schweppe, JR, FACP	2008	Herbert L. DuPont, MD, FACP
1995	Albert D. Roberts, MD, MACP	2009	Don W. Powell, MD, MACP
1995	William C. Levin, MD, FACP	2009	Eugene W. Stokes, MD, FACP
1996	James C. Guckian, MD, MACP	2010	W. Mark Armstrong, MD, MACP
1996	Elmer R. Hayes, MD, FACP	2010	George E. Crawford, MD, MACP
1996	Neil A. Kurtzman, MD, FACP	2011	Harry 'Pete' E. Davis II, MD, FACP
1996	Charles B. Mullins, MD, FACP	2011	John C. McKechnie, MD, FACP
1997	William P. Deiss, Jr., MD, FACP	2011	Randall L. Rosenblatt, MD, FACP
1997	William A. Godfrey, Jr., MD, FACP	2011	William 'Bill' Winters Jr., MD, FACP
1998	Kermit B. Knudsen, MD, FACP	2012	Michael Emmett, MD, MACP
1998	Marvin Forland, MD, MACP	2012	Mark Feldman, MD, MACP
1999	Jerry C. Daniels, MD, FACP	2012	Herbert L. Fred, MD, MACP
1999	Robert J. Hall, MD, FACP	2013	Philip Bentlif, MD, FACP
1999	John S. Fordtran, MD, MACP	2013	Stephen Greenberg, MD, FACP
1999	Lloyd W. Kitchens, Jr., MD, MACP	2013	Antonio Gotto, Jr., MD, DPHIL
2000	Stanton P. Fischer, MD, FACP	2013	Kenneth I. Shine, MD, MACP
2000	August Ray Remmers, Jr., MD, FACP	2014	Eugene V. Boisaubin, MD, FACP
2000	Marvin J. Stone, MD, MACP	2014	Robert L. Fine, MD, FACP
2001	Edward C. Lynch, MD, MACP	2014	Karen E. Szauter, MD, FACP
2001	Walter P. Dyck, MD, FACP	2014	R. Steve Urban, MD, FACP
2001	Raymond Frederick Gregory, MD, FACP	2015	Phillip T. Cain, MD, FACP
2001	Carey G. King, Jr., MD, FACP	2015	Robert Haley, MD, FACP
2002	Joseph C. Dougherty, MD, FACP	2015	Lysbeth W. Miller, MD, MACP

Past Volunteerism and Community Service Awards

2000	Edith Irby Jones, MD, FACP	2008	Fred C. Campbell, Jr., MD, FACP
2002	Joslyn B. (Weiner) Fisher, MD	2009	Mohamed M. Haq, MD, FACP
2002	Frederick M. Zaunbrecher, MD, FACP	2011	Ruth Berggren, MD
2005	Ted Nicklaus, MD, FACP	2012	Darla Lowe, MD
2006	Richard A. Jackson, MD, FACP	2013	James A. Wagner, MD, Msc, FACP
2006	Rafael A. Rodriguez, MD	2014	Salim Surani, MD, MPH, MSHM, FACP
2008	Thomas S. McHorse, MD	2015	Gordon Strom Jr., MD, FACP

Past TXACP Services Advocate of the Year Award

2005	Delbert L. Chumley, MD, FACP	2010	Howard R. Marcus, MD, FACP
2005	Ned Snyder III, MD, FACP	2011	Scott W. Yates, MD, MBA, MS
2006	Carlos R. Hamilton, Jr., MD, FACP	2012	Eugene Stokes, MD, FACP
2007	Spencer R. Berthelsen, MD, FACP	2014	Felicia Jordan, MD, FACP
2008	William J. Deaton, MD	2015	Ildelfonso Ismael Rodriguez, MD
2009	F. David Winter, MD, FACP		

Past Early Career Physician Leader of the Year Award

2012	Victor Simms, MD, MPH, FACP	2014	Aaron Samsula, MD, FACP
2013	Pete Yunyongying, MD, FACP	2015	Lianne Marks, MD, PhD, FACP

