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2012 Annual Meeting Faculty



Amber M. Bradley, Pharm.D. is a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Department of Clinical and Administrative Pharmacy at the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy in Augusta, GA.

Dr. Bradley earned her Doctor of Pharmacy degree at the University of Michigan College of Pharmacy. She then went on to complete her ASHP-accredited PGY1 residency at the Medical College of Georgia (MCG Health) followed by her PGY2 residency in hematology/oncology at the University of North Carolina Hospitals and teaching certificate program at the UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy in Chapel Hill, NC. She currently practices as a clinical specialist in adult hematopoietic stem cell transplantation at the Georgia Health Sciences Medical Center where she precepts fourth year pharmacy students, PGY1 residents and PGY2 hematology/oncology pharmacy residents. Dr. Bradley is a member of the Georgia Health Sciences Health System Cancer Center, the American Society of Blood and Marrow Transplantation (ASBMT), Hematology Oncology Pharmacy Association (HOPA) and the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP). Her research focuses on the scholarship of teaching and learning, as well as improvement in medication use, outcomes, and supportive care in hematology/oncology and hematopoietic stem cell transplant patients.

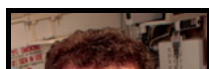


Ross Day is a Director in the Pharmacy Department at Novation. For twelve years, Mr. Day has provided strategic oversight for the development of NOVAPLUS® pharmaceutical contracts and the development of NOVAPLUS programs. Since coming to Novation in September of 1999, he has facilitated the expansion of the successful NOVAPLUS pharmaceutical portfolio from sales of around \$280 million per year to annual sales that have exceeded \$1 billion for each of the last three years. In addition to strategic oversight of the NOVAPLUS program, he has managed the relationship and contracting responsibilities for several of Novation's highest profile pharmaceutical manufacturers, including GlaxoSmithKline Pharmaceuticals, Abbott Laboratories, Hospira Worldwide, Pfizer Pharmaceuticals, Sanofi Aventis Pharmaceuticals and Baxter.

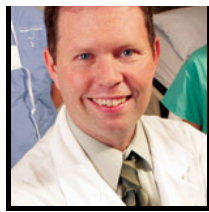
In Mr. Day's current role in the pharmacy department, he provides first line management oversight to a group of Portfolio Executives managing Novation's generic injectable supplier contracts. Those contracts provide over \$1.3 billion in contract sales and \$95 million in revenue to Novation annually.

Prior to his arrival at Novation, Mr. Day was a Director of Pharmacy for twenty-five years in various healthcare organizations, the last ten of which were in the Memorial-Hermann Healthcare System in Houston, Texas, a charter shareholder of VHA.

Mr. Day received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Pharmacy from Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, Oklahoma, and maintains current pharmacist registration in the states of Texas and Oklahoma.



Kevin Garey, Pharm.D., M.S. is Chair of the Department of Clinical Sciences and Administration and Associate Professor of Pharmacy Practice at the University of



Houston College of Pharmacy in Houston, Texas. He also serves as Division Head, Experiential Therapeutics and Clinical Pharmacology. Additionally, he holds an academic appointment as Adjunct Associate Professor at the University of Texas School of Public Health in Houston.

Dr. Gary earned his Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy from Dalhousie University in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. He earned his Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the State University of New York at Buffalo, in Buffalo, New York and a Master of Science in Biometry from the University of Texas School of Public Health, Houston. He completed a Pharmacy Practice Residency at the Mary Imogene Bassett Hospital in Cooperstown, New York. He also completed an Infectious Disease Residency and Fellowship in Infectious Diseases at the University of Illinois at Chicago, Illinois.

Dr. Gary is an active member of the Society of Infectious Diseases Pharmacists and the American Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists (ASHP). His research interests include antimicrobial stewardship activities to prevent and treat *Clostridium difficile* infection and systemic candidiasis. He has received numerous awards recognizing excellence in research, teaching, and publications. In 2010, Dr. Gary received the ASHP Best Practices Award in Health-System Pharmacy.



Richard Green began his career on the bottom rung of the radiopharmacy ladder, as a driver in a radiopharmacy making deliveries to hospitals and clinics - where he was obviously bitten by the nuclear bug.

As a result, he pursued a career in nuclear pharmacy, graduating from the University of Arizona in 1988. He has managed radiopharmacies in Las Vegas, Nevada and Phoenix, Arizona and managed the first commercial (Positron Emission Tomography) or PET cyclotron radiopharmacy in the country.

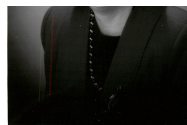
Today with 30 years of experience in the industry, Richard is the chief nuclear pharmacist at Cardinal Health Nuclear Pharmacy Services where he currently serves as the Director of Radiopharmacy Practice. From his office in Dublin Ohio he leads Cardinal Health's staff of radiopharmacists and radiopharmacy technicians located in 148 radiopharmacies in North America. He is also one of only 430 Board Certified Nuclear Pharmacists *in the world*.

Charlotte Hayes MMSc, MS, RD, CDE holds a BS degree in clinical dietetics and community nutrition from Iowa State University, Ames Iowa. She completed a dietetic internship and MMSc degree in Clinical Dietetics from Emory University School of Medicine and a MS degree in Adult Fitness and Cardiac Rehabilitation from University of Wisconsin-La Crosse. After working for over 10 years in a busy in-patient and out-patient DSME/T program with a high volume of intensively managed patients with both type 1 & type 2 diabetes, Charlotte spent 5 years in private practice. Since 2004, she has led development of programs and policy at Open Hand/Atlanta, a community-based organization which provides nutrition and health programs throughout the Atlanta community. She has served on editorial boards, has published, and guided professional programs with the American Diabetes Association, American Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics and the American Association of Diabetes Educators (AADE). She is currently serving on the AADE Board of Directors.



Patricia Clancy Kienle, RPh, MPA, FASHP is the Director of Accreditation and Medication Safety for Cardinal Health Pharmacy Solutions.

She received her pharmacy degree from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and



Science, and a Masters in Public Administration from Marywood University in Scranton, Pennsylvania. She completed an Executive Fellowship in Patient Safety from Virginia Commonwealth University and is an Adjunct Associate Professor at Wilkes University in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

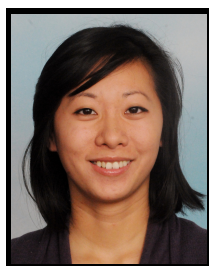
She has served on the Board of Directors of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists and as President of the Pennsylvania Society of Hospital Pharmacists. She is a Fellow of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, named Pharmacist of the Year by the PSHP, and the recipient of the Distinguished Achievement Award in Hospital and Institutional Practice from the American Pharmaceutical Association Academy of Pharmacy Practice and Management. She has served on the Pharmacotherapy Specialty Council of the Board of Pharmaceutical Specialties, as the pharmacist member of the Hospital Professional and Technical Advisory Committee of the Joint Commission, and on the Board of Governors of the National Patient Safety Foundation. She is a current member of the USP Expert Committee on Compounding, and chair of the Subcommittee and Expert Panel on Hazardous Drugs.

Patti is the author of *Compounding Sterile Preparations: ASHP's Visual Guide to Chapter <797>* video and *Companion Guide* and co-author of *Assuring Continuous Compliance with Joint Commission Standards: A Pharmacy Guide, 8th edition*. She edited *Understanding JCAHO Requirements for Hospital Pharmacies*.

She is a frequent presenter to professional groups, with special interests in promoting medication safety, compounding sterile preparations, accreditation and regulatory issues.



Jennifer LaFollette, PharmD, BCOP is the Director of the PGY-2 Hematology/Oncology Specialty Residency and a clinical pharmacy specialist in hematology and oncology. She received her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Butler University in Indianapolis, Indiana. She completed a pharmacy practice residency and an oncology specialty residency at the University Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio. Dr. LaFollette provides clinical pharmacy services to inpatient and outpatient hematology and oncology patients. She also serves on numerous committees within the Georgia Cancer Center for Excellence and Grady Health System.



T. Vivian Liao, Pharm.D., BCPS graduated from Oberlin College with a Bachelor of Arts in biochemistry and received her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Midwestern University College of Pharmacy in Glendale, Arizona. Dr. Liao has completed a PGY 1 pharmacy practice residency and PGY 2 critical care specialty residency at Grady Health System in Atlanta, Georgia. Currently, she is a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Department of Clinical and Administrative Pharmacy at the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy. Also, she is a clinical pharmacy specialist in the critical care units at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital in Albany, Georgia with a practice site for pharmacy students and residents.



Kalen Manasco is a Clinical Associate Professor in the Department of Clinical and Administrative Pharmacy at the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy. She obtained a B.S. degree in microbiology from the University of Georgia in 1993 and a Pharm.D. degree from University of Georgia College of Pharmacy in 2001. Following graduation, she completed a pharmacy practice residency at Shands Hospital at the University of Florida and a pediatric

██████████ specialty residency at Medical University of South Carolina. Prior to joining the UGA faculty in January 2007, she served as Clinical Assistant Professor in the Department of Clinical and Administrative Sciences at Mercer University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences. Dr. Manasco maintains an active practice site in general pediatrics at the GHSU Children's Medical Center where she precepts students and residents. Dr. Manasco is an active member of PPAG, ACCP, ASHP, AACP, Georgia Pharmacy Association, and Georgia Society of Health System Pharmacists. She currently serves as co-chair of the Pediatric PRN Collaboration Committee of ACCP, the Student and Resident Affairs Committee of GSHP and is the Asthma Education Coordinator for Camp Breathe Easy, a camp for children with asthma. She served as District-Director for the CSRA region of GSHP from 2007-2010. In 2009, she was named Distinguished Young Pharmacist for the Georgia Pharmacy Association. Her research interests include pediatric infectious disease, pediatric asthma, and increasing education and awareness among pharmacists and pharmacy students regarding the appropriate use of medications in pediatric patients.



J. Russell May, Pharm.D. is a Clinical Professor in the Department of Clinical and Administrative Pharmacy at the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy. Prior to his move to academia full time in 2003, Dr. May was a drug information specialist and clinical manager in the Pharmacy Department at the Medical College of Georgia (MCG) Health System for 22 years, including serving as Director of Pharmacy from 1998 – 2003. Since graduating from the University of Kentucky Pharm.D. and Hospital Residency Programs in 1981, Dr. May has focused his practice in the areas of drug information and drug policy development. In 2007, he was named Teacher of the Year at the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy. He is a Fellow of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists and has served on the ASHP Executive Committee of the Section of Clinical Specialists and the Commission on Credentialing. He is a past president of the Georgia Society of Health System Pharmacists. Dr. May has served as a visiting professor at Misr International University in Cairo Egypt and assisted with the development of their Drug Information Center

Michael McDaniel has served as a Director of Pharmacy in 4 hospitals over his career which began in 1978. He was a Director in a small 118 bed community hospital in Corpus Christi, Texas for 5 years. Next he served as the Assistant Director of Pharmacy, then the Director of Pharmacy and finally as a Senior Director with responsibilities for pharmacy, radiology and quality improvement in a 518 bed hospital in Dallas, Texas. Following this he served as the Director of Pharmacy at Saint Francis Hospital in Tulsa, Oklahoma, a 918 bed facility, for 5 years. Currently he has been the Director of Pharmacy for Huntsville Hospital, an 881 bed facility in Huntsville, Alabama for the last 9.5 years.

Michael holds a B.Sc. in Pharmacy from the University of Oklahoma College of Pharmacy. He also holds a Master of Business Administration from Amberton University in Dallas, Texas. He is a SKB-Fellow of the Leonard Davis Institute of Healthcare Economics, the Wharton School of Business, University of Pennsylvania. Michael was made a Fellow of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists in 2000. He is also a member of the American College of Healthcare Executives.

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Michael has served as a member and chair of the SAG on benchmarking and productivity with ASHP, and on the Business SAG. He has served for several years as an advisory board member for Solucient, Thomson-Reuters and now Covidien for the Action-OI benchmarking tool.



Steve Mok, PharmD, BCPS (AQ-Infectious Diseases) is the Antimicrobial Stewardship Specialist at Emory Healthcare in Atlanta, GA. He received his Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Pittsburgh and completed an Infectious Diseases Pharmacy Residency at Bay Pines Veterans Affairs Medical Center in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Dr. Mok is actively involved in the Antimicrobial Assistance Program at Emory Healthcare and participates in many health system committees and initiatives to improve medication use processes, including Antibiotic Utilization Subcommittee, Critical Care Committee, Pneumonia Taskforce, Sepsis Protocol Development Taskforce, and Surgical Care Improvement Steering Committee. He is also actively involved in the implementation of a Clinical Decision Support System into Emory Healthcare's Pharmacy Practice Model Initiative.

Dr. Mok's practice interests include *Clostridium difficile*, HIV infection, antimicrobial stewardship, invasive fungal infections, and hepatitis C. He precepts students from Mercer University and University of Georgia. He is a frequent speaker on topics relating to infectious diseases, antimicrobial stewardship, accreditation standards, and patient safety.

Christy Norman M.S., Pharm.D. is a Pharmacy Manager for Clinical Services at Georgia Health Sciences Health Systems. Christy also holds an appointment as Clinical Assistant Professor at the University of Georgia, College of Pharmacy. She obtained her Doctor of Pharmacy from the University of Georgia, Athens, GA and her M.S. in Health System Pharmacy Administration from The Ohio State University. She completed a 24-month Specialty Practice Residency in Health-System Pharmacy Administration at The Ohio State University Medical Center. Christy was awarded the Tim Moore Award from The Ohio State University, College of Pharmacy, for outstanding performance in the Masters in Health-System Pharmacy Administration program. Christy joined the Georgia Health Sciences Health Systems team in July 2008. From 2008-2010, Christy was responsible for inpatient adult central and clinical operations, supervision of clinical

pharmacists and pharmacy technicians, controlled substances management, and manufacturing and packaging. She is currently responsible for the management of clinical services, serves as the coordinator for Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committees, chairs the Medication Error Prevention Committee, and coordinates the Department of Pharmacy's performance improvement initiatives. In her role she offers a Drug Information experience for pharmacy students and Drug Policy/Administration experience for PGY1 and PGY2 pharmacy residents. Christy is an active member of the Georgia Society of Health System Pharmacists serving on the Education Committee. She is also an active member of ASHP, ACCP, and UHCs Supply Chain Committee.

Kimberly Tackett received her Bachelor of Science in Biology (1991) from the University of Kentucky and her Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy (1997) and Doctor of Pharmacy (1998) from the University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy. Following graduation, Dr. Tackett completed a PGY1 pharmacy residency at Richland Memorial Hospital in Columbia, South Carolina. In 2004, Dr. Tackett earned board certification in Pharmacotherapy through the Board of Pharmaceutical Specialists and attained Added Qualifications in Infectious Disease. Additionally, Dr. Tackett holds a Masters in Healthcare Administration (2010) from South University in Savannah, Georgia.

Dr. Tackett has extensive retail and hospital experience and joined South University School of Pharmacy shortly after the school graduated its inaugural Class of 2006. She has made significant contributions to the school's policy and course/curriculum development as well as admissions process. Her expertise and background has been invaluable and aided in the development of two clinical Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience rotations for South University; one at Coastal Carolina Medical Center, and the second one at St. Joseph's/Candler. While practicing at Coastal Carolina Medical Center, Dr. Tackett founded and chaired the Medication Safety Committee and continues to serve the Diabetes Support Group through the hospital. Additionally, as co-chair of the South University School of Pharmacy Residency Advisory Committee, Dr. Tackett has worked with

South University School of Pharmacy Residency Advisory Committee, Dr. Tackett has worked with committee members in creating the PGY1-PGY2 Academic Administration and Pharmacy Practice residency program.

Previously as a clinical pharmacist at Doctor's Hospital in Augusta, Georgia and subsequently at Beaufort Memorial Hospital in Beaufort, South Carolina, Dr. Tackett served as a member of the healthcare teams/committees which include the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, Medication Safety Committee (committee chair), Infection Control Committee, Investigational Review Board, Critical Care Committee, Rapid Response Team, and Medication Reconciliation Committee (committee chair). While practicing within South Carolina, Dr. Tackett participated on the Diabetes Statewide Task Force from 2005 until 2007. Dr. Tackett continues to serve the profession through her involvement with various hospital committee activities and as the faculty advisor to the South University School of Pharmacy Student Society of Health-System Pharmacist Organization, representing the University as the school's faculty liaison for the Georgia Society of Health-System Pharmacist Board.

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