

Department of Emergency Medicine Research and Academic News



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Congratulations!

Julie Pasternack and **Jason Rotoli** have joined the EM Residency team as Assistant Program Directors.

News

David Adler visited St. Jude Hospital in Vieux Fort, St. Lucia in August to establish a relationship through which our residents, fellows, and faculty can have clinical and educational Global health experiences. While there he delivered a grand rounds lecture to the hospital's physicians as well as six additional lectures to various trainees at St. Jude.

EDRA'S

Over the past few months EDRA Program Coordinator **Vincent DeRienzo** has made several presentations to diverse groups to highlight the benefits of our ED Research Associate model in advancing research and education. Vinny presented a poster describing the EDRA program services at the annual SCORE half day seminar, traveled to Albany Medical Center with the EDRA Faculty Advisor, **Beau Abar**, to tour the facilities and exchange ideas with their counterparts at that institution, and traveled with a study team member to a regional meeting in Philadelphia to discuss how the infrastructure of the program serves as a novel solution to recruitment concerns that other participating sites were experiencing. Vinny also traveled to Boston to speak to a group of gap year students working clinically before pursuing careers in medicine.

Media

Golisano Children's Hospital Pediatric Emergency Department Attending **Elizabeth Murray** participated in a regional "Parent Talk" television program focused on parenting issues or topics.

Tim Wiegand was featured in a WIXX newscast on fentanyl adulteration of heroin "Potent Drug has killed at least three." <http://wxxinews.org/post/potent-drug-has-killed-least-three-here>

Tim Wiegand was featured in an NPR interview on the medical profession and treatment of opioid dependence and addiction. <http://news.wbfo.org/post/doctors-can-treat-addiction-are-there-enough-trained-field.>

Presentations

Tim Wiegand lectured in several core content areas at the American Society of Addiction Medicine Annual Board Review Course which took place in Orlando, Florida on 8/1/2015 he lectured on various topics including Pharmacology and Toxicology Principles, Principles of Drug Testing, The Role of the Medical Review Officer in Drug Testing.

Tim Wiegand, Director of Toxicology, has been invited to a White House Office of National Drug Control Policy and American Board of Addiction Medicine Symposium Medicine Responds to Addiction on 9/18/2015 in the Eisenhower Executive Office Building in Washington, DC.

Tim Wiegand has also been invited to provide a lecture on the clinical care of patients intoxicated with synthetic 9/30/2015 in Philadelphia, PA. The lecture is part of a day-long symposium, The Public Health Challenge of Synthetic Cannabinoids. This event is sponsored by the Center for Forensic Science Research & Education and the Frederick Rieders Family Foundation and it includes a full day of discourse and presentation related to synthetic cannabinoids.

Publications

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