Shaun Rowe, PharmD, MPH, MBA, has been appointed associate dean of the University of Tennessee Health Science Center (UTHSC) College of Pharmacy’s Knoxville campus. Dr. Rowe serves as associate professor in the Department of Clinical Pharmacy and Translational Science at UTHSC.

Matthew Bucknor, MD, has been appointed the inaugural associate chair for wellbeing and professional climate in the Department of Radiology and Biomedical Imaging at University of California, San Francisco. Dr. Bucknor is assistant professor in the musculoskeletal imaging subspecialty section and serves as chair of the Radiology and Biomedical Imaging Diversity Committee in the university’s Department of Radiology and Biomedical Imaging.

Anca Dobrian, PhD, has been named program director for two biomedical sciences programs and one biotechnology program at Eastern Virginia Medical School, where she is a professor of physiological sciences. Dr. Dobrian is a CFAS rep who presented at the 2019 CFAS Spring Meeting in April.

Paul Sieving, MD, PhD, has been appointed a professor of ophthalmology in the UC Davis Eye Center and is expected to become endowed chair in retinal research at the University of California, Davis, School of Medicine. Dr. Sieving has served as director of the NIH’s National Eye Institute since 2001.

Michael deCastro Cabana, MD, MPH, has been named physician-in-chief at Children’s Hospital at Montefiore and professor and Michael I. Cohen, M.D., University Chair of Pediatrics at Montefiore and Albert Einstein College of Medicine, effective Sept. 9. Dr. Cabana is currently a professor of pediatrics and epidemiology and biostatistics at University of California, San Francisco.

Katrina Keefer has been named executive vice president for health affairs at Augusta University and CEO of Augusta University Health System, effective July 15. Keefer currently serves as senior vice president and chief financial officer for Baptist Health, an affiliate of the University of Alabama-Birmingham Health System.

Ann Brown, MD, MHS, vice dean for faculty and professor of medicine at Duke University Medical Center, is the 2019 recipient of the Carole J. Bland Phronesis Award. The award was established by the AAMC’s Group on Faculty Affairs (GFA) to commemorate the legacy of service of Carole J. Bland, PhD, a former assistant dean for faculty development at the University of Minnesota Medical School.

The American Medical Women’s Association (AMWA) will honor Kimberly Templeton, MD, with the 2019 Bertha Van Hoosen Award at the MWIA Centennial Congress closing ceremony on July 28. The award honors a woman physician who has demonstrated exceptional leadership and service to
women physicians and students through AMWA. Dr. Templeton is a CFAS society rep for the American Orthopaedic Association and a professor in the Department of Orthopedic Surgery at the University of Kansas Medical Center.

George Macones, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Women’s Health at the University of Texas at Austin Dell Medical School. Dr. Macones has served as chair of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at Washington University in St. Louis School of Medicine for the past 14 years.

Iqbal Ahmad, PhD, has been appointed to a four-year term on the Diseases and Pathophysiology of the Visual System Study Section in the Center for Scientific Review at the NIH. Dr. Ahmad is professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences and associate dean for postdoctoral affairs and graduate studies at the University of Nebraska Medical Center.

Partho Sengupta, MD, director of Cardiovascular Imaging and chair of the Center for Innovation as well as chief of the Division of Cardiology in the West Virginia University Heart and Vascular Institute, has been named the Abnash C. Jain Chair of Cardiology.

Patricia Sime, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Internal Medicine in the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine, effective July 1. Dr. Sime previously served as division chief of pulmonary and critical care and vice chair for research in the Department of Medicine at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry.

Allan Doctor, MD, has been appointed head of the new Center for Blood Oxygen Transport & Hemostasis in the University of Maryland School of Medicine’s Department of Pediatrics. Dr. Doctor is a professor of pediatrics at the School of Medicine.

Anne Klibanski, MD, has been named interim president and chief executive officer of Partners HealthCare, where she has served as chief academic officer since 2012. Dr. Klibanski is also chief of neuroendocrine at Massachusetts General Hospital.

Xin-Yun Lu, PhD, has been named chair of the Department of Neuroscience and Regenerative Medicine at the Medical College of Georgia (MCG) at Augusta University. Dr. Lu is a pharmacologist, molecular behavioral neuroscientist, and Georgia Research Alliance Eminent Scholar in Translational Neuroscience at MCG.

Steven Safyer, MD, CEO of Montefiore Medical Center in the Bronx, is retiring after 11 years as leader. He will continue to serve as CEO until a successor is named. Dan Tishman, chair of the Montefiore Medicine Board of Trustees, will head the selection process.

Selwyn Vickers, MD, senior vice president and dean of the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Medicine, has been named the 2019 Dr. James T. Black Award recipient by the 100 Black Men of America, Inc. The award is given to one physician every year.

Tamara Thomas, MD, has been appointed executive vice president for medical affairs and dean of the Loma Linda University School of Medicine, effective July 1. Dr. Thomas has served as vice dean for academic affairs at the School of Medicine since 2011.

Akinlolu Ojo, MD, MPH, PhD, MBA, has been named executive dean of the University of Kansas School of Medicine, effective Aug. 26. Dr. Ojo is currently associate vice president for clinical research and global health initiatives and professor of medicine and health promotion sciences at the University of Arizona in Tucson.
**Marjorie Jenkins**, MD, has been named dean of the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Greenville, beginning on Aug. 1. In addition to serving as dean, she will take on the role of chief academic officer for Prisma Health–Upstate. Dr. Jenkins most recently served in the FDA’s Office of Women’s Health, where she was director of medical initiatives and scientific engagement.

**Laura Roberts**, MD, MA, has been named the next editor in chief of *Academic Medicine*, one of the AAMC’s peer-reviewed, scholarly journals. Dr. Roberts is chair of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at the Stanford University School of Medicine. She will succeed David Sklar, MD, a distinguished professor emeritus of emergency medicine at the University of New Mexico School of Medicine and a CFAS rep from the Society for Academic Emergency Medicine. Dr. Sklar has served as editor-in-chief since 2012. Dr. Roberts will be the journal's second female editor in chief since the journal was founded in 1926, and she will begin her five-year term on Jan. 1, 2020.

And **Eric Rubin**, MD, PhD, has been named the next editor in chief of the *New England Journal of Medicine*, succeeding Jeffrey Drazen, MD, who has served as editor in chief of the journal since 2000. Dr. Rubin is chair of the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health Department of Immunology and Infectious Diseases and the Irene Heinz Given Professor of Immunology and Infectious Diseases.

Geisinger has named **Jaewon Ryu**, MD, JD, as its new president and CEO. Dr. Ryu has served as interim president and CEO since November 2018 and executive vice president and chief medical officer since September 2016. He will succeed David T. Feinberg, MD, MBA, who left Geisinger earlier this year to assume a leadership role at Google.

**Zhijian Chen**, PhD, will be awarded the 2019 Switzer Prize for his groundbreaking work on the mechanisms underlying the cellular response to infection. Dr. Chen is a professor of molecular biology and director of the Center for Inflammation Research at UT Southwestern Medical Center.

**Jay Gandy**, PhD, has been named as associate provost at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS) Northwest Regional Campus, effective Aug. 1. Dr. Gandy has served as interim dean of the UAMS Fay W. Boozman College of Public Health since December.

**Vikas Gulani**, MD, PhD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Radiology, and Ronald Chervin, MD, MS, has been appointed interim chair of the Department of Neurology at the University of Michigan Medical School, effective July 1. Dr. Chervin is the Michael S. Aldrich Collegiate Professor of Sleep Medicine at the school and director of the University of Michigan Sleep Disorders Centers. Dr. Gulani comes from the Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, where he served as the Joseph T. Wearn Professor and a professor of radiology, urology, and biomedical engineering.

**Mark Bonnen**, MD, has been named chair of the Department of Radiation Oncology at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio Joe R. and Teresa Lozano Long School of Medicine, effective Sept. 1. Dr. Bonnen has served as the inaugural interim chair of radiation oncology at the Dan L. Duncan Comprehensive Cancer Center at Baylor College of Medicine since 2014.

**Mary Lanham** has been appointed chief marketing and communications officer at UHealth and the University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine. Lanham previously served as senior vice president and chief marketing and communications officer at the University of Maryland Medical System.
Lawrence Rhein, MD, MPH, has been named chair of the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Massachusetts (UMass) Medical School. Dr. Rhein previously served as chief of the Division of Neonatology at UMass Memorial Medical Center and associate professor at UMass Medical School.

Brian Gittens, EdD, has been named vice chancellor for diversity, equity, and inclusion for the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences. Dr. Gittens previously served as associate dean for human resources, equity, and inclusion at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health.

Joann Sweasy, PhD, has been appointed associate director for basic sciences at the University of Arizona Cancer Center. Dr. Sweasy previously served as associate director for basic sciences and co-leader of the Radiobiology and Radiotherapy Program at the Yale Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Stacy Vasquez has been appointed director of the Birmingham VA Medical Center. Vasquez previously served as the director the Beckley VA Medical Center in Beckley, West Virginia.

André L. Churchwell, MD, chief diversity officer for Vanderbilt University Medical Center and senior associate dean for diversity affairs in the Vanderbilt School of Medicine, has been named interim vice chancellor for equity, diversity and inclusion and chief diversity officer for Vanderbilt University.

Simon Hiller, MD, has been named chair and service line leader for anesthesiology and perioperative services at Dartmouth-Hitchcock and the Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth. Dr. Hillier has served as interim chair since April 2017.

Jonathan Temte, MD, PhD, has been appointed associate dean for public health and community engagement at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health. Dr. Temte is a professor in the Department of Family Medicine and Community Health at the School of Medicine and Public Health and a family medicine physician at the Access Community Health Centers.

Kelly McQueen, MD, MPH, has been named chair of the Department of Anesthesiology at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health. Dr. McQueen is a professor in the departments of anesthesiology and surgery at the Vanderbilt University School of Medicine.

Alison Volpe Holmes, MD, MPH, has been appointed associate dean for student affairs career advising at the Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth. Dr. Holmes has served as interim director of residency advising for the past year and is an associate professor of pediatrics and vice chair of pediatrics for education at the school. Dr. Holmes is also a former CFAS rep from Dartmouth.

Kevin Black, MD, has been named interim dean of the Penn State College of Medicine, effective July 1. Dr. Black serves as vice dean of the University Park Regional Medical Campus and the C. McCollister Everts Chair and Professor in the Department of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation at the College of Medicine.

Donald Bourke, MD, will step down from his position as dean of the University of Pittsburgh's Graduate School of Public Health and associate vice chancellor for global health on July 1. Dr. Burke has served as dean of the Graduate School of Public Health since 2006.

Lisa Bellini, MD, has been appointed senior vice dean for academic affairs at the Perelman School
of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Bellini previously served as vice dean for academic affairs and, before that, as vice dean for faculty affairs at the Perelman School of Medicine. She is also the senior CFAS society rep for the Association of Program Directors in Internal Medicine and the chair of the CFAS Value of Faculty as Educators Committee.

Anish Bhardwaj, MD, MBA, has been named vice provost of the University of Texas Medical Branch, effective June 1, 2019. He served as associate provost for faculty affairs and professional development since March 2018. As vice provost, Dr. Bhardwaj will lead the development of a strategic plan for faculty development and mentoring, establish approaches to support long-term faculty retention, and direct efforts to enhance wellness and resilience.

Sanjay Maggirwar, PhD, MBA, has been named chair of the Department of Microbiology, Immunology, and Tropical Medicine at the George Washington University School of Medicine and Health Sciences. Dr. Maggirwar previously served as a professor and vice chair in the Department of Microbiology and Immunology at the University of Rochester Medical Center and chair of the Rochester Vaccine Fellowship Program.

Robert Findling, MD, MBA, has been appointed chair of the Department of Psychiatry at the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine. Dr. Findling serves as the director of the Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, vice chair in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, and the Leonard and Helen R. Stulman Professor of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry at Johns Hopkins Medicine.

Jeanette Mladenovic, MD, MBA, has been selected as the next president of the Foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research at the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates, effective Aug. 22. Dr. Mladenovic previously served as executive vice president and provost at Oregon Health & Science University (OSHU).

Ronald Gartenhaus, MD, has been appointed inaugural director of a new cancer center at the Hunter Holmes McGuire Veterans Affairs Medical Center, associate director for veteran’s health at Virginia Commonwealth University Massey Cancer Center, and professor in the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine’s Department of Internal Medicine. Dr. Gartenhaus previously served as co-leader of the Program in Molecular and Structural Biology at the University of Maryland Marlene and Stewart Greenebaum Comprehensive Cancer Center, supervisor of Hematologic Malignancy Clinics at the Baltimore Veterans Affairs Medical Center, and a professor of medicine at the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

Jeannine Nonailada, PhD, has been named associate editor for the MedEdPORTAL® IPE Collection. Dr. Nonailada is assistant dean of faculty development and mentoring and an assistant professor at the New York University Long Island School of Medicine. The AAMC administers MedEdPORTAL®.

Lee Goldman, MD, MPH, will step down from his positions as Harold and Margaret Hatch Professor, Executive Vice President and Dean of the Faculties of Health Sciences and Medicine, and Chief Executive of Columbia University Irving Medical Center on June 30, 2020. Dr. Goldman will remain on the faculties of the university’s Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons and the Mailman School of Public Health.

Joshua Wynne, MD, MBA, MPH, has been named interim president of the University of North Dakota. Dr. Wynne has served as dean of the University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences since 2010.
Samuel Stanley Jr., MD, has been named president of Michigan State University, effective Aug. 1. Dr. Stanley, an infectious disease specialist, is president of Stony Brook University.

Dino P. Rumoro, DO, MPH, has been named acting dean of Rush Medical College. Dr. Rumoro joined Rush in 2012 to start the Department of Emergency Medicine, which was previously a section of the Department of Internal Medicine. The Rush ED has since become one of the fastest-growing and busiest in Chicago, and includes educational programs, research, and a soon-to-be-approved emergency medicine residency program.

Lonnie Bunch III has been named the next secretary of the Smithsonian Institute as David Skorton, MD, departs to become president and CEO of the AAMC, reported the Washington Post. Bunch, who is now the director of the National Museum of African American History and Culture, will be the first African American and the first historian to lead the Smithsonian. The Post piece explored some of the challenges and opportunities he will face in his new position. Dr. Skorton will begin his leadership role at the AAMC on July 15.

A trio of women physicians are taking top leadership positions at prominent national physician organizations, reported Fierce Healthcare: Patrice Harris, MD, will become the next president of the AMA; Jacqueline Fincher, MD, will lead the American College of Physicians (a CFAS-member society); and Sally Goza, MD, will become president of the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Adina Luba Kalet, MD, MPH, has been named director of the Robert D. and Patricia E. Kern Institute for the Transformation of Medical Education at the Medical College of Wisconsin, effective Sept. 1. Dr. Kalet currently serves as professor of medicine and surgery at the New York University School of Medicine.

Bentley Bobrow, MD, has been named chair of the Department of Emergency Medicine at McGovern Medical School, effective July 1. Dr. Bobrow joins McGovern from the University of Arizona College of Medicine, where he was professor of emergency medicine, associate director of the Arizona Emergency Medicine Research Center, and medical director for the Arizona Department of Health Services Bureau of EMS and Trauma System.

Andrew Kasarskis, PhD, has been named executive vice president and chief data officer of the Mount Sinai Health System. Dr. Kasarskis previously served as director of the Icahn Institute for Genomics and Multiscale Biology at the Icahn School of Medicine.

Yvette Calderon, MD, has been elected to the Board of Directors of the American Board of Emergency Medicine. Dr. Calderon is chair of emergency medicine at Mount Sinai Beth Israel.

Gordon Love, MD, has been appointed head of the Department of Pathology at LSU Health New Orleans. Dr. Love has served as interim department head since July 2018.

John Boltri, MD, has been named to the National Clinical Care Commission, which was established in 2018 by an Act of Congress to improve the prevention and treatment of diabetes. Dr. Boltri is professor and chair of the Department of Family and Community Medicine at Northeast Ohio Medical University.

Stephen Faraone, PhD, has been elected president of the World Federation of ADHD. Dr. Faraone is a distinguished professor at Upstate Medical University and previously served for eight years as vice president of the World Federation of ADHD.
Adam McClintock, MBA, has been named director of the Office of the Institutional Review Board for Human Use at the University of Alabama at Birmingham. McClintock recently served as the human research protections manager for OhioHealth Research and Innovation Institute and as the operations manager in the Office of Responsible Research Practices at The Ohio State University.

Paul Lyons, MD, has been named dean and president of California University of Science and Medicine. Dr. Lyons previously served as professor and chair of the Department of Family Medicine and senior associate dean of education at the University of California, Riverside School of Medicine. He will assume his new role full time on June 17.

Kaylan A. Baban, MD, MPH, has been appointed the inaugural Chief Wellness Officer for the George Washington University’s medical enterprise — GW Hospital, the GW Medical Faculty Associates, and the GW School of Medicine and Health Sciences. Dr. Baban is assistant professor of medicine in the GW School of Medicine and Health Sciences and director of the Lifestyle Medicine Program at GW Medical Faculty Associates.

Michael Zinner, MD, has been named professor and chair of the Department of Surgery at the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine. Dr. Zinner is CEO and executive medical director of the Miami Cancer Institute of Baptist Health South Florida.

Stephen Strakowski, MD, has been named acting senior associate dean of research within the Dell Medical School’s Office of Research. Dr. Strakowski will leave his role as chair of the Department of Psychiatry but will continue as a professor in the department and associate vice president for regional mental health. Charles Nemeroff, MD, PhD, has been appointed acting chair and professor in the Department of Psychiatry.

John Hollander, PhD, has been named senior assistant dean for professional programs in the West Virginia University School of Medicine. Dr. Hollander has served as the director of graduate studies in the Division of Exercise Physiology at the School of Medicine since 2009.

Alfred Winkler, MD, MBA, has been named chief of urology at NewYork-Presbyterian Brooklyn Methodist Hospital. Dr. Winkler is an assistant professor of clinical urology at Weill Cornell Medicine and chief of urology at NewYork-Presbyterian Lower Manhattan Hospital.

Richard Bucala, MD, PhD, has been appointed chief of the Section of Rheumatology, Allergy and Immunology in the Department of Internal Medicine at Yale School of Medicine. Dr. Bucala is a professor of rheumatology, epidemiology, and pathology at the School of Medicine.

The Vilcek Foundation and the Arnold P. Gold Foundation created a new, joint award for immigrant health care leaders, the Vilcek-Gold Award for Humanism in Healthcare, and presented it to Mona Hanna-Attisha, MD, MPH, a pediatrician and associate professor in the Department of Pediatrics and Human Development at Michigan State University College of Human Medicine. Her work detected widespread lead poisoning of children in Flint, Michigan. The award will be presented at Learn Serve Lead 2019: The AAMC Annual Meeting this November in Phoenix, Arizona.

Mitchell Scott, PhD, has been presented the Outstanding Lifetime Achievement Award in Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine by the American Association for Clinical Chemistry. Dr. Scott is a professor of pathology and immunology at Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis.

The AMA hired Aletha Maybank, MD, MPH, as its first chief health equity officer. Dr. Maybank previously served as deputy commissioner and founding director of the Center for Heath Equity within New York City’s public health department.
Amelie Ramirez, DrPH, has been named chair of the Department of Population Health Sciences at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio Joe R. and Teresa Lozano Long School of Medicine, effective June 1. Dr. Ramirez is founder and director of the Institute for Health Promotion Research at UT Health San Antonio.

Lisa Lattanza, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation at Yale School of Medicine and chief of orthopaedics at Yale New Haven Hospital, effective Sept. 1. Dr. Lattanza now serves as professor of orthopaedic surgery and vice chair for orthopaedic surgery at the University of California, San Francisco.

John Ma, MD, will step down as chair of the Department of Emergency Medicine at the OHSU School of Medicine, effective July 8. He served as chair for over 12 years. Mary Tanski, MD, MBA, will serve as interim chair.

Justin Dimick, MD, MPH, has been named chair of the Department of Surgery at the University of Michigan Medical School, effective June 1. Dr. Dimick serves as the department's associate chair of strategy and finance and division chief for minimally invasive surgery at the medical school.

Julie Schwarz, MD, PhD, has been appointed vice chair for research in the Department of Radiation Oncology at Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis, where Dr. Schwarz serves as associate professor of radiation oncology and director of the Cancer Biology Division.

Jeremy Asnes, MD, has been appointed chief of the Department of Pediatrics Section of Cardiology at Yale School of Medicine and co-director of the Yale New Haven Children's Hospital Heart Center. Dr. Asnes is an associate professor of pediatrics and has served as director of pediatric cardiac intervention at Yale New Haven Children's Hospital since 2011.

John P. Zubialde, MD, has been named executive dean of the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine. Dr. Zubialde has been interim executive dean since July 2018 and is a professor in the school’s Department of Family and Preventive Medicine.

John Woods, MD, has been appointed medical director of the Center for Addiction Science at the University of Tennessee Health Science Center (UTHSC). Dr. Woods serves as assistant professor in the UTHSC College of Medicine.

Christopher Mazoué, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery at the University of South Carolina School of Medicine. Dr. Mazoué previously served as a clinical associate professor in the department, where he has been a faculty member since 2003.

Paul Levy, MD, will step down as Charles A. Dewey Professor and chair of the Department of Medicine at the University of Rochester Medical Center after a successor is found. Dr. Levy has served as chair for 10 years.

Steven Waldman, MD, JD, has been appointed vice dean for strategic initiatives and stewardship at the University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Medicine. Dr. Waldman previously served as associate dean and chair of the Department of Medical Humanities and Bioethics and professor of anesthesiology at the School of Medicine.

Jeroan Allison, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Population and Quantitative Health Sciences at the University of Massachusetts Medical School, effective June 1. Dr. Allison is vice chair and professor in the department.
**Eva Tsalikian**, MD, has been appointed interim chair and departmental executive officer of the Stead Family Department of Pediatrics at the University of Iowa Roy J. and Lucille A. Carver College of Medicine. Dr. Tsalikian is currently director of the Division of Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes and vice chair for clinical affairs for the Stead Family Department of Pediatrics.

**Shuk-Mei Ho**, PhD, has been appointed vice chancellor for research and professor in the Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences College of Medicine. Dr. Ho has served as the Jacob G. Schmidlapp Professor and chairwoman of the Department of Environmental Health at the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine since 2005.

**Allison Brashear**, MD, has been appointed dean of the University of California, Davis, School of Medicine, effective July 22. Dr. Brashear is professor and chair of the Department of Neurology at Wake Forest School of Medicine. She also served as an AAMC Council of Deans Fellow in 2014-15.

**Timothy Harlin**, ScD, MBA, has been appointed executive vice president and chief executive officer of the University of Texas Medical Branch Health System. Dr. Harlin serves as chief operating and acceleration officer at Denver Health and Hospital Authority.

**David Nelson**, MD, has been named senior vice president for health affairs at the University of Florida (UF) and president of UF Health. Dr. Nelson previously served as professor of medicine, assistant vice president for research, and director of the UF Clinical and Translational Science Institute.

**Catherine Florio Pipas**, MD, MPH, professor of community and family medicine at the Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth, has been presented the 2019 Society of Teachers of Family Medicine (STFM) Gold Humanism Award, honoring her work in humanistic care, teaching, and significant mentorship in humanistic medicine. Dr. Pipas is a CFAS Administrative Board member and STFM is a CFAS-member society.

**Debara L. Tucci**, MD, MS, MBA, has been appointed director of the National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders. Dr. Tucci is professor of surgery and director of the cochlear implant program in the Division of Head and Neck Surgery and Communication Sciences at Duke University.

**David Kaufman**, ScD, has decided to step down as director of the Slone Epidemiology Center at the Boston University (BU) School of Medicine, effective June 30; **Julie Palmer**, ScD, has been appointed the next director of the center. Dr. Palmer is the Karin Grunebaum Professor in Cancer Research at the Boston University School of Medicine and associate director of the center.

**Frank Rosinia**, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Anesthesiology at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio Joe R. and Teresa Lozano Long School of Medicine, effective June 17. Dr. Rosinia previously served as vice president of strategy and performance and chief quality officer at the University of North Texas Health Science Center.

**Brian H. Annex**, MD, has been named chair of the Department of Medicine at the Medical College of Georgia at Augusta University, effective Aug. 5. Dr. Annex is the George A. Beller/Lantheus Medical Imaging Distinguished Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine and chief of the Division of Cardiovascular Medicine at the University of Virginia School of Medicine.

**Deborah Brodine**, MBA, MHA, has been appointed president of University of Pittsburgh Medical Center.
Center (UPMC) Western Psychiatric Hospital. Brodine serves as president of UPMC Community Provider Services and will continue to lead UPMC Community Provider Services divisions and serve as president of UPMC Senior Services.

**William Cance**, MD, has been appointed interim director of the University of Arizona Cancer Center, effective July 1. Dr. Cance is deputy director of the University of Virginia Cancer Center.

**Jeffrey LaRochelle**, MD, MPH, has been named assistant dean of medical education at the University of Central Florida College of Medicine. Dr. LaRochelle previously served as associate professor of medicine at the College of Medicine.

The University of Florida College of Medicine announced three new leadership appointments: C. Parker Gibbs Jr., MD, has been appointed senior associate dean for clinical affairs; Mark Segal, MD, PhD, has been appointed senior associate dean for faculty affairs and professional development; and Ellen Zimmermann, MD, has been appointed associate dean for faculty development.

**Raphael Hirsch**, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Pediatrics at the University of California, San Francisco, School of Medicine and physician-in-chief of UCSF Benioff Children’s Hospital, effective July 15. Dr. Kirsch is chair of the Stead Family Department of Pediatrics at the University of Iowa Roy J. and Lucille A. Carver College of Medicine.

**Ronald Robertson**, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Surgery at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences College of Medicine. Dr. Robertson has served as chief of the Division of Trauma, Critical Care, and Acute Care Surgery at the College of Medicine since 2013.

**John Christian “Chris” Fox**, MD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Emergency Medicine at the University of California, Irvine, School of Medicine. Dr. Fox has served as interim chair of the department since 2017.

**Karen Murray**, MD, has been named chair of the Cleveland Clinic Pediatric Institute, physician-in-chief of Cleveland Clinic Children’s, and president of the Cleveland Clinic Children’s Hospital for Rehabilitation, effective in early July. Dr. Murray previously served as vice chair of clinical affairs for the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Washington School of Medicine.

**Brian Primack**, MD, PhD, has been named dean of the University of Arkansas College of Education and Health Professions, effective July 1. He will also become a professor in the Department of Internal Medicine at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences College of Medicine. Dr. Primack has served as dean of the Honors College at the University of Pittsburgh since 2017.

**Sylvia Plevritis**, PhD, has been appointed chair of the Department of Biomedical Data Science at Stanford University School of Medicine, where she currently serve as professor of biomedical data science and radiology.

**Nicole Rossol** has been appointed chief patient experience officer at Stony Brook University, effective Feb. 7. She previously served as patient experience officer at NYU Winthrop Hospital.

**Kelly Thormodson** has been named associate dean for library and information services and director of the Harrell Health Sciences Library at Penn State College of Medicine. Thormodson previously served as director of library resources for the School of Medicine and Health Sciences at the University of North Dakota.