April 2024

Teaching Excellence Academy in Collaborative Healthcare

3-Month at a Glance Calendar

What's New and Upcoming?

Call for Nominations: 2024 TEACH Awards: Recognizing Our Outstanding Educators!
Nominations Close: July 1st, 2024
Five unique awards have been created over the years to recognize the efforts of our educators and highlight their accomplishments. We encourage you to nominate exceptional faculty who embody the principles of excellence in teaching, who go above and beyond in their teaching role, and who will have a long-term impact on your career and that of others.

Please visit the TEACH website for more information on the award criteria and to nominate an extraordinary educator. Both peer and self-nominations are welcome for all TEACH Awards.

TEACH Webpage Revamp
The TEACH webpage is undergoing a transformation! Slated to launch in May, our new webpage will have a fresh, revamped appearance. In a collaborative effort with TEACH and our partners, the website redesign will provide an enhanced user experience. Hosted through Virginia Tech’s content management system, Ensemble, the redesigned site will maintain the existing homepage link. While some links may change, rest assured that content will retain its invaluable resourcefulness!

May
Presents

Education Grand Rounds

Enhancing Learner and Faculty Well-being Through Systems and Culture Change

2 sessions – choose 1

WED 8 MAY 5 – 6 PM
THURS 9 MAY 12 – 1 PM

All sessions virtual
See calendar invite for details

Invited Speaker
Stuart Slavin, MD, MEd
Vice President for Well-Being
Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)

Invitees: All interested Carilion Clinic, VTC, and RUC physicians, faculty, and other health professions learners and educators.

Additional Events for May

*Virtual Session*
Wednesday
May 15
12:00 - 1:00 PM

TEACH Education Journal Club

Facilitator
Shari A. Whicker, EdD, MEd

Invitees: TEACH Members

*Virtual Session*
Monday
May 20
12:00 - 1:00 PM

Health Professions Education:
Appreciative Inquiry: Part 1

Speaker:
Dean Lee Learman, MD, PhD

Invitees: All interested Carilion Clinic, VTC, and RUC physicians, faculty, and other health professions learners and educators.
**June**

*Virtual Session*
**Monday**
**June 24**
12:00 - 1:00 PM

**Health Professions Education:**
VTCSOM Phase 1 Curriculum Change Update

**Speaker:**
Jed Gonzalo, MD, MSc

**Invites:** All interested Carilion Clinic, VTC, and RUC physicians, faculty, and other health professions educators.

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**Educator Opportunities**

**Submit a Grant, Create an Abstract, or Register to Attend**

**Call for Editorial Board Members: BMC Medical Education**

BMC Medical Education, a leading journal in medical education, has seen substantial growth in the past 2 years and are looking to expand their editorial board and welcome more members to review scholarly manuscripts. As an editorial board member/associate editor, you’ll review manuscripts on topics of your choice. Tasks include initial manuscript review, finding reviewers, corresponding with authors, and making recommendations to the editorial team. This is a valuable opportunity for seasoned faculty to contribute to medical education literature, adding to CVs under service and scholarly activity.

Learn More

**The Alliance for Clinical Education Louis N. Pangaro Medical Educator Award Nomination Due Date:**
May 15, 2024

Consistent with the ACE charter, the award recognizes faculty who have made sustained contributions in clinical education to building inter-clerkship collaboration beyond one’s own medical specialty. The award will be presented at the Alliance for Clinical Education reception to be held during the AAMC Learn Serve Lead meeting.

Award Criteria and Nomination

**Register for Promoting Research in Medical Education (PRiME), Toronto, Canada**
June 18-21, 2024

Learn how to incorporate the latest research and scholarship into your CPD/CME practice.

Register Here

**2024 AAMC Group on Faculty Affairs (GFA) Professional Development Conference, New Orleans, LA**
July 15-18, 2024

Connect with faculty affairs and development leaders, exchange ideas, and shape the future of medical education. Stay tuned for registration details, speakers, sessions, and more. Block your calendar and see you there!

Add to Calendar

**2025 Macy Catalyst Awards**
Successful proposals will describe, implement, and evaluate innovative strategies to transform the clinical learning environment and improve the experience of learners in one of the three priority areas supported by the Josiah Macy Jr. Foundation:

- Promoting diversity, equity, and belonging
- Increasing high-performing, interprofessional teams
- Preparing future health professionals to navigate ethical dilemmas

Macy Catalyst Awards provide up to $100K in total costs over an 18-month grant period. The application portal will open on Monday, June 24.

Learn More

### AI in Med ED

**AI and Tech in Health Professions Education: An Interview with Dr. Geoff Stetson**
This [Vital Voices](#) podcast features Macy Faculty Scholar Geoff Stetson, MD, (who will be presenting virtually on MedEdMentor for the TEACH Health Professions Educator Series in July 2024), who is leveraging his skills with technology to investigate how master researchers in HPE utilize theoretical frameworks and make them accessible to mentees. Lessons learned from this investigation will inform the study of his [MedEdMentor website](#), an interactive platform for novice scholars from diverse backgrounds to foster scholarship, mentorship, and community.

Listen to it here
Transcript

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**AAMC Establishes International Advisory Committee for Artificial Intelligence**
The AAMC has convened an International Advisory Committee for AI, in collaboration with several international medical education organizations and institutions. The AI advisory committee is intended to provide insights and recommendations on AI and is part of a broader effort by the AAMC to support the medical education community in establishing connections and sharing AI innovations in the field. Sign up for the MedBiq newsletter and monitor the committee's dedicated [webpage](#) for updates. You can also check out the Artificial Intelligence and Medical Education [resource bundle](#).

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### Recognition and Rewards

**Join us in welcoming new TEACH members for March 2024!**

Kelsey Norris, DO  
(Family and Community Medicine) CC, VTCSOM  
Jasmine Jackson-Akers, DO  
(Infectious Disease) CC, VTCSOM

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**Spill The TEA**

**TEACH Educator Appreciation (TEA)**
Send notes of appreciation and thanks to faculty members who have impacted your education, career, and life. TEA messages help to express appreciation for our teachers throughout the organization.

[Click the button below](#) to submit a TEA message today! Please [email Mariah Rudd](#) if you have questions about the TEA program.
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

VTCSOM DEI Opportunities
VTCSOM DEI Events page provides resources and details about upcoming programs.

AAMC IDEAS Webinar Series: Developing Diverse and Inclusive Leaders within Academic Medicine
Throughout May | First Webinar is
May 6, 2024 2:00 pm ET
In this three-part series, expert faculty will discuss the importance of cultivating leaders to foster and support inclusive excellence in academic medicine. The IDEAS “Developing Diverse and Inclusive Leaders within Academic Medicine” series was developed in partnership with the Group on Diversity and Inclusion (GDI) and the Group on Women in Medicine and Science (GWIMS).
Register Here: AAMC IDEAS (Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, Anti-racism)

The schedule is:
May 6: Developing Inclusive Leaders in Polarizing Times
May 21: Women of Color: Leadership, Retention, and Toxic Environments
May 24: Building Equity Ambassadors into Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Leaders

Action Collaborative for Black Men in Medicine
AAMC, NMA announce innovation grants to address shortage of Black men in medicine
The Action Collaborative for Black Men in Medicine — an initiative of the AAMC and the National Medical Association — has launched the Illinois Black Men in Medicine Innovation Grant. The program aims to foster diversity and inclusion in the medical field and address the critical shortage of Black male physicians, and the organizations are fielding proposals for up to five grants.
Read More

Educator Resources

New Resources to Support Your Teaching

eLearning Bites (eBites)
eBites delivers innovative faculty development bites to answer questions and offer insights about medical education for professional use and personal advancement. This month's eLearning Bite focuses on faculty development! Read more below.

Faculty Development: Igniting Excitement and Excellence, eBites [Article]
This article discusses the implementation of an effective faculty development program, emphasizing the importance of fostering ongoing partnerships among faculty, staff, and school leadership. It explores various strategies such as Communities of Practice, Skill Building, Feedback & Evaluations, Onboarding, Coaching, and Innovations to enhance educator's skills and knowledge within diverse professional environments.
Read More

New collection of AAMC resources for medical educators
A new collection of resources provides an overview of the AAMC's medical education offerings, from tailored learning events, trainings, and professional development conferences to programs, initiatives, data sets, and scholarship on key and emerging topics. Opportunities are available for those across the medical education community to
engage with the AAMC, advance their careers, and help move the field of medical education forward.

Resources

Climate Change Education and Sustainability in Academic Medicine
To support the community with integrating climate change into the curriculum, the AAMC offers several special collections focusing on climate change in medical education. This includes a collection of scholarly articles published in Academic Medicine with the latest peer-reviewed literature on this topic.

Learn More

In Case You Missed It

Miss one of our sessions?
Visit the TEACH website to find videos and resources for each of our series:
- Health Professions Educator Series
- Health Professions Educator Series: Health Systems Science Open Forum
- Education Grand Rounds
- Dean’s Forum
- TEACH Education Day

We also offer programs through Carilion Clinic’s Office of Continuing Professional Development (OCPD). Visit the OCPD website for more professional development series and resources.