

Women's Dermatologic Society 2007 Mentorship Award Winners



The following Mentorship grants were awarded for 2007:

1. **Julie Cantatore-Francis, MD**, chief resident at SUNY Downstate Dermatology
Topic: Dermatologic Laser Surgery
Mentor: Tina Alster, MD, Washington Institute of Dermatologic Laser Surgery
2. **Adela Rambí G. Cardones, MD**, a resident at Duke University Medical Center
Topic: Medical Dermatology
Mentor: Timothy Berger, MD, University of California San Francisco
3. **Y. Connie Chang, MD**, a resident at the Loma Linda University Medical Center
Topic: Dermatologic Laser Surgery
Mentor: Melissa Bogle, MD, University of Texas at Houston Medical Center
4. **Jennifer Chwalek, MD**, a resident at the University of Maryland Medical Center
Topic: Histopathology of Hair Disease
Mentor: Beth Ruben, MD, University of California, San Francisco
5. **Ana M. Ciurea, MD**, a resident at Northwestern University
Topic: Infections involving the skin, contact dermatitis, unusual cases
Mentor: William James, MD, University of Pennsylvania
6. **Anna L. Cole, MD**, a resident at the Tulane University Medical Center
Topic: Pediatric Dermatology
Mentor: Ronald C. Hansen, MD, Phoenix Children's Hospital
7. **Jennifer Meiyin Fu, MD**, a resident at University of California, San Francisco
Topic: Disorders of the Hair and Nails
Mentor: Antonella Tosti, MD, Department of Dermatology, University of Bologna
8. **Michele J. Gonzales, MD**, a resident at the Naval Medical Center San Diego
Topic: Pediatric Dermatology
Mentor: Judith Williams, MD, Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters, Norfolk, VA

9. **Lisa M. Grandinetti, MD**, a resident at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation
Topic: Pediatric Dermatology
Mentor: Dawn Marie Davis, MD, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, NY
10. **Monica Lynn Halem, MD**, a resident at University of Miami
Topic: Dermatologic Laser Surgery Research
Mentor: Tina S. Alster, MD, Washington Institute of Dermatologic Laser Surgery
11. **Alyssa R. Hoverson, MD**, a resident at the Mayo Graduate School of Medical Education
Topic: Tropical Dermatology
Mentor: Evandro Rivitti, MD, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil
12. **Shasa Hu, MD**, a resident at the University of Miami/ Jackson Memorial Hospital
Topic: Melanoma
Mentor: Scott W. Menzies, MB, BS, PhD, Sydney Melanoma Diagnostic Centre, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Australia
13. **Erin Huiras, MD**, a resident at the University of Minnesota Fairview Medical Center
Topic: HIV and Dermatology
Mentor: Timothy Berger, MD, Toby Maurer, MD, University of California, San Francisco
14. **Marvi Iqbal, MD, MPH**, chief resident at Martin Luther King Jr./Drew University Dermatology
Topic: Complex Dermatology
Mentor: Lindy P. Fox, MD, University of California, San Francisco
15. **Sunil Kalia, MD**, a resident at the University of British Columbia
Topic: Clinical Epidemiology and Academic Medicine
Mentor: Alexa Kimball, MD, Harvard Medical School
16. **Eleanor Ann Knopp, MD**, a resident at the Yale-New Haven Hospital
Topic: Hair Pathology
Mentor: Leonard C. Sperling, MD, Uniformed Services University, Department of Dermatology
17. **Eun Ji Kwon, MD**, a resident at Case Western Reserve University
Topic: Autoimmune disorders and cutaneous oncology
Mentor: Jennifer M. McNiff, MD, Yale Dermatopathology Laboratory
18. **Kevan Gerard Lewis, MD, MS**, a resident at Brown Medical School/ Rhode Island Hospital
Topic: Nail pathology and general dermatopathology
Mentor: Beth Ruben, MD, University of California, San Francisco
19. **Cheryl L. Lonergan, MD**, a resident at the University of Virginia
Topic: Cutaneous lymphomas
Mentors: Jacqueline Junkins-Hopkins, MD, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania
20. **Kristin Magnuson Nord, MD**, a resident at Columbia University
Topic: Genital Dermatology
Mentor: Libby Edwards, MD, Mid-Charlotte Dermatology and Research
21. **Melanie Dawn Palm, MD**, a resident at Rush-Presbyterian-St. Lukes Medical Center
Topic: Dermatologic Surgery
Mentor: Roberta Sengelmann, MD, Washington University, St. Louis, MO

22. **Susan Marie Poelman, MD**, a resident at McGill University
Topic: Melanoma/Pigmented Lesions
Mentor: Jean Bologna, MD, Yale University School of Medicine
23. **Heather D. Rogers, MD**, a resident at the New York Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University
Topic: Immunosuppression and Skin Cancer
Mentor: George A. Varigos, MD, Royal Melbourne Hospital, Private Medical Center
24. **Lydia Yang-Lei Sahara, MD**, a resident at the University of Minnesota
Topic: Epidermolysis bullosa and melanoma
Mentor: Dedee Murrell, MD, Department of Dermatology, St. George Hospital, Sydney
25. **Ritu Saini, MD**, a resident at the University of Miami-Miller School of Medicine
Topic: The Mechanics of Laser Therapies
Mentor: Elizabeth Tanzi, MD, Washington Institute of Dermatologic Laser Surgery
26. **Bethanee J. Schlosser, MD, PhD**, chief resident at Emory University School of Medicine
Topic: Genital Dermatology
Mentor: Libby Edwards, MD, Mid-Charlotte Dermatology and Research
27. **Vishakha Modi Sharma, MD**, a resident at the University of Chicago Hospitals
Topic: Pediatric Dermatology
Mentor: Marilyn Liang, MD, Children's Hospital, Boston
28. **Kanade Shinkai, MD, PhD**, a resident at UCSF Department of Dermatology
Topic: Medical Dermatology
Mentor: Victoria Werth, MD, University of Pennsylvania
29. **Rebecca Shpall, MD**, a resident at Stanford Department of Dermatology
Topic: Wound care and ulcer management
Mentor: O. Fred Miller, MD, Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, CA
30. **Joanne Joo-Yeon Sung, MD, PhD**, a resident at Case Western Reserve University/University Hospitals of Cleveland
Topic: Dermatopathology
Mentor: Shawn Cowper, MD, Yale University School of Medicine
31. **Allison Marie Swanson, MD**, a resident at the University of Alabama at Birmingham
Topic: Pediatric Dermatology
Mentor: Amy Nopper, MD, Children's Mercy Hospital, Kansas City
32. **Sima Zahra Torabian, MD**, a resident at the University of California, Davis
Topic: Pediatric Dermatology
Mentor: Bari Cunningham, MD, University of California San Diego
33. **Naissan O. Wesley, MD**, a resident at the University of California, San Francisco
Topic: Surgery and Lasers in Ethnic Skin
Mentor: Brooke Jackson, MD, Skin Wellness Center of Chicago
34. **Priya Swamy Zeikus, MD**, a fellow at the Lahey Clinic at Harvard Medical School
Topic: Laser Surgery/Balance of Clinical Practice with Academic Pursuits
Mentor: Elizabeth McBurney, MD, Skin Care Specialists