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NEWS & NEWSMAKERS

By Rochelle Torgerson, MD, PhD

Amy Paller, MD is now the current President of the Society of Investigative Dermatology (SID). **Bethanee**

Schlosser, MD has finished her final year of residency at Emory where she was Chief Resident. She will

be moving to Chicago and joining the Department of Dermatology at Northwestern where she will focus on mucosal dermatology. She will also serve as co-director of the residency program with Dr. Paller.

Wilma Bergfeld, MD received the 2007 Founder's Award from the American Society of Dermatopathology.

The California Society of Dermatology and Dermatologic Surgery announced: **Seth Matarasso, MD**, President, **Margaret Parsons, MD** Treasurer, **Nancy Chen, MD**, Board Member, **Wendy Roberts, MD**, Board Member.

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- Identify, train, and recognize women leaders in dermatology;
- Provide a forum for developing relationships through mentoring and building of coalitions;
- Provide a forum for the exchange of ideas and research relevant to women's issues;
- Promote the highest possible standards of ethics, support of research, patient care, patient education and public education.

VISION STATEMENT

- WDS envisions a professional environment, which recognizes the unique contributions by women in dermatology.
- WDS strives to ensure that women in dermatology have full access and opportunity for professional advancement.
- WDS focuses on balancing the diverse demands of medicine, family and community.
- WDS encourages and supports women to maximize their personal and professional potential and to contribute to our specialty and society.