

STUDENT GUIDE



Celebrating 50 years of excellence in clinical pharmacy

ASHP 50th Midyear Clinical Meeting and Exhibition

DECEMBER 6-10, 2015 | ERNEST N. MORIAL CONVENTION CENTER | NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

A celebration of the past, present and YOUR future

at ASHP's 2015 Midyear in New Orleans



50 years of excellence in clinical pharmacy

The Midyear is the largest gathering of pharmacy professionals in the world and attracted over 5,000 students last year! Whether you are just entering pharmacy school or about to graduate, you will find a wealth of programming and activities designed just for you.

Highlights include:

- Interactive and informative student programming
- The Residency Showcase and PPS
- Dozens of opportunities to network with your peers and seasoned practitioners to help jump start your career

See What's New at the ASHP Store

EXTRA SAVINGS! Prior to the meeting, we'll provide a special code for you to save 10% on all products. Use the code any time and anywhere between December 5-10. Other highlights:

- Renew your membership within seconds
- Make a donation to ASHP Research and Education Foundation
- Get your special 2015 gift!
- Thank you cards commemorating the 50th Midyear
- ASHP logo T-shirts, hats and notepads for sale too

Be sure to visit the ASHP Store on Monday, December 7, 3:30 p.m., for a book signing with Joshua Caballero, lead author for ASHP's *Get the Residency: ASHP's Guide to Residency Interviews and Preparation*. Purchase a copy to get signed and take home with you!



Connect with us!

ASHP Connect, our member-only social media platform, takes the conversations online. Keep up with announcements, suggestions and reminders through the ASHP blog. Share your adventures with the ASHP Facebook community and discuss a presentation with your colleagues—while it's in progress—through our Twitter feed.

Chat with ASHP, fellow Midyear attendees, and other pharmacy professionals while at the meeting using #ASHPmidyear15 on all your social media platforms.

Social engagement games and contests will be held throughout the Midyear meeting—check the app or onsite program for more details.

Follow @ASHPOfficial on Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook.



WiFi will be available at The Midyear. Check the app or onsite program for details.



#ASHPmidyear15

Green Midyear: Utilization of wifi and mobile app encouraged. No onsite printers will be provided.



First Midyear?

As a first-time attendee we want to make sure that you get the most out of the meeting and that you have an enjoyable experience. In an effort to assist you, ASHP is pleased to offer some exciting benefits exclusively for first-time attendees.

- Attend the **First Time Attendee Welcome Event**, Sunday, December 6, 8:30 a.m.–9:30 a.m., New Orleans Theatre A, Level 2. Get the scoop on various meeting activities, where to go for help, as well as tips for staying informed and managing your time and your energy during a busy week.
- At the welcome event, or at the Member Information Center, you will receive a special star appliqué. This star will identify you as a “VIP” and should be affixed to your badge.
- Pick up your class ribbon, or other applicable ribbons to adorn your badge at the ASHP Member Information Center.

Tips for Student Attendees

- Arrive to sessions a few minutes early and try not to leave early or cause distractions.
- Be sure to silence your cell phone, but feel free to “tweet” using #ashpmidyear15.
- Drink plenty of water and pack a snack in your bag.
- Adhere to the business casual dress code for general meeting activities and receptions; but remember, business professional dress is highly encouraged for Residency Showcase and PPS.
- Dress in layers as it can be chilly at the convention center.
- Wear comfortable shoes or use for your commute to and from your hotel.
- Check *News & Views* daily for updates and meeting news.
- Attend Opening General Session with Special Guests, President and Mrs. George W. Bush.



ASHP LIVE APP

Get the most out of The Midyear with your smartphone or tablet. Browse the full agenda, create your own schedule, network, and access the session handouts. Available in app stores on November 15, 2015 for Android™, iPhone®, and iPad®, or from your mobile browser at www.ashp.org/ashplive.



Residency Showcase

Monday, December 7 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, December 8 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

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- Fundamental Strategies to Secure a Residency: Getting a Head Start as P1–P3
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The Midyear provides potential residency applicants the most popular and highest attended residency showcase in the world.

Tips for Success

The ASHP Residency Showcase at the Midyear is the largest and most widely respected pharmacy residency showcase in the nation.

It is also one of the most popular and highly attended aspects of the Midyear, and an invaluable resource for students. And it's FREE to attendees—no additional fee is required and all Midyear registrants can participate.

So here is a little “Residency 101” to help you prepare for success at the 2015 ASHP Residency Showcase.

BEFORE THE MIDYEAR

Know before you go: To be a confident and successful residency candidate you want to be prepared before you arrive at the meeting. Review the pre-meeting webinar series provided by ASHP on topics such as CV Writing, Interview Skills, Residency Showcase and more.

Visit www.ashp.org/students for more information.

- **Research before you arrive**—Review residency program information available from ASHP and program web sites. Be knowledgeable about the basic attributes of the specific programs of interest to you (e.g. number of residents, program structure, location, setting, etc.). Demonstrating to program representatives that you have done some research about them prior to the Midyear can go a long way to establish your credibility. Use the Residency Showcase to clarify unanswered questions and to narrow your selection.
- **Prepare a CV**—You want to have a strong CV because this is what you will be judged upon when programs are deciding who to invite for on-site interviews. If you need some guidance, speak with an advisor or mentor, and don't forget to check out the resources on the ASHP website at www.ashp.org/cvreview.
- **Brand yourself**—Purchase professional business cards, stationery and print ample copies of your CV on resume paper to bring along with you. This adds a professional touch to your networking at the Midyear. Remember to ask for business cards from representatives you meet at each program so you can promptly follow up with a handwritten thank you note. Have a backup electronic version of your CV available.

**FREE
ADMISSION
to the Residency
Showcase for
all meeting
registrants**

AT THE MIDYEAR

- **Business attire is expected**—Although the rest of the Midyear is business casual, at the Residency Showcase and PPS it is recommended that you wear conservative business professional attire.
- **Schedule and prioritize**—The Residency Showcase is broken down into three sessions: Monday afternoon, Tuesday morning, and Tuesday afternoon. Participating sites are only present at single session! Determine your schedule and prioritize the programs you would like to meet as you may not have time to visit them all.
- **Map out your route**—Once you are onsite, look at the diagram of the Showcase to see where the sites you want to visit are located in the hall. The hall is large and booths are laid out by site, NOT by type of residency program.
- **Be respectful**—The Residency Showcase is very busy. Be aware of the value of your time, as well as others. A good rule of thumb is to spend no more than 10–15 minutes at any booth, especially if you see others waiting to speak with a program representative. If you are just browsing and will not be completing a residency in the upcoming year, be respectful of those who are looking for their match.
- **Take notes**—Keep a journal to record your impressions of each program as you make your way through the Residency Showcase. This will help you stay organized and to compare and contrast various program attributes upon your return home. Request a business card from the program representative you speak with. Write down who you met, what you liked (and didn't), and items to clarify with further research. Don't forget to promptly send a follow-up thank you email to the person you spoke with.



TALKING TIPS!

Have questions prepared to ask each program and be prepared to answer questions directed at you.

Be prepared to ask:

- What are the opportunities for teaching, research, and/or rotations (required or elective)?
- When assessing candidates, what qualities of the potential resident does your program place the greatest emphasis?
- Are there any unique qualities that make your residency program different from others?

Be prepared to answer:

- Why are you SPECIFICALLY interested in our program?
- What unique qualities would you bring to our residency program?
- How would our residency program help you to achieve your career goals?

Don't ask:

- Where are you located? (This shows you did not do any research)
- How often do I have to work weekends? (If you must know, reword to "What opportunities do you provide for weekend staffing assignments?")
- Can you tell me about your program? (remember to ask specific questions demonstrating that you have researched this program before arriving at the Showcase)

Remember, you are always being interviewed!

PhORCAS 4.0

Pharmacy Online Residency Centralized Application Service

The Residency Application Process Has Never Been This Easy!

Let PhORCAS help you navigate the application process for residency programs!



PhORCAS 4.0 (Pharmacy Online Residency Centralized Application Service), is a web-based tool that brings residency application material together in one location. By streamlining the residency recruitment process, it decreases the administrative burden that comes with paper applications—overall saving you time and resources.

PhORCAS 4.0 offers endless benefits for residency programs, resident applicants, and reference writers by simply making the process easier.

Benefits to Applicants:

- ONE online submission—PhORCAS will disseminate all of your information to all of the applied programs. Currently, there is almost 100% program participation.
- Less mess, less stress—You have enough on your mind during this busy time. No more copying applications or rushing to overnight packages. And, you get to be ecologically diligent—NO MORE PAPER!
- Flexibility—You can customize all of your submissions or leave them standardized.
- PhORCAS will electronically track where you are in the application process. No more calls to reference writers or confirmation of transcript receipt.
- One-stop shopping: the National Matching Service and PhORCAS is all connected; you can sign up for both via PhORCAS 4.0!
- PhORCAS is available for the post match process
- It's cheaper than copying and mailing (especially for multiple programs or overnighting applications)! The cost is \$100 for the first four applications; \$40 for each additional application.

While at The Midyear, you can learn more about PhORCAS!

- Pick up one of our information brochures at Registration, Meeting Information, or the Member Center.
- **Attend the PhORCAS information session on Sunday, December 6, 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., New Orleans Theater C, Level 2**
- Learn more at The ASHP Store at the Midyear.

Whether you're considering a residency, fellowship, or a full-time position in health-system pharmacy, PPS is the only place to meet face to face with 300 hiring employers. Register for this exclusive event in advance to connect with employers online and set up interviews before schedules are booked.



“ I was able to interview at over 20 programs and begin to find places that would fit me and that I would be an attribute.”

—**Todd Penn, Pharm.D.**
Phoenix, Arizona

“ It is something that you will never regret. The 30 minutes you are allotted with the program of your choice is invaluable.”

—**George D. Rodriguez, Pharm.D.**
Jacksonville, Florida

Registration Fees Applicant Type	Before October 20	On or After October 20
Practitioner	\$130	\$220
Current Resident	\$115	\$195
Current Student	\$80	\$140

PPS Registration is conducted online. Please visit CareerPharm.com/PPS for more information.

At-A-Glance Session Preview

Suggested Educational sessions by class.
Full session information in the following pages

SESSION NAME	BEST FOR...
Mysteries of “The Match”	P3–P4
Residency Training 101: Should I Do a Residency?	P1–P2
Residency Training 102: Navigating the Application Process	P3–P4
PhORCAS: The New Centralized Application System for Pharmacy Residencies	P3–P4
Make a Lasting Impression: Evaluating Your Interview Skills	P3–P4
Career Pearls: Days in the Lives of Health-System Pharmacists	P1–P3
Fundamental Strategies to Secure a Residency: Getting a Head Start as P1-P3	P1–P3
Dollars and Good Sense	P1–P4
Effective CV and Resume Writing	P1–P3
PPMI: Transforming the Future of Pharmacy Practice	P1–P4
Clinical Pearls for Students	P4

ASHP Pharmacy Student Forum Programming

All rooms are located in the New Orleans Ernest N. Moral Convention Center unless otherwise noted.

Saturday, December 5

7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Room 354, Level 3

Clinical Skills Competition Semi-Final Round

(Closed session)

Sponsored by the ASHP Research and Education Foundation and Supported by Wolters Kluwer Health

It's the battle of the best and brightest. Winning teams from the Preliminary Round (school-level) competitions at each college of pharmacy will compete in the Semi-Final round at the national level, showcasing their clinical skills and knowledge.

Sunday, December 6

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Pharmacy Student Forum Advisory Group Meetings

(Closed session by invitation only)

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Room 255, Level 2

SSHP Leaders Workshop

Are you a current officer or emerging leader in your Student Society of Health-System Pharmacy (SSHP)? If so, please plan to join other student leaders from across the nation to network, share, and reaply best practices from fundraising to programming.



Presenter: Kristina Lantis, Pharm.D. Candidate, University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy, and Chair, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Minneapolis, MN; **Gabe Hinojosa, Pharm.D. Candidate**, University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy, and Member, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Picayune, MS

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. New Orleans Theater C, Level 2

Mysteries of "The Match"

Are you interested in a residency but afraid of "The Match"? Don't be! Come learn how the pharmacy residency matching service works, learn strategies to successfully navigate through the Match, and get tips on what to do if you don't match.

Speaker: Mary Hess, Pharm.D., FASHP, FCCM, FCCP, Associate Dean, Student Affairs, Jefferson College of Pharmacy, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA

10:10 a.m. – 11:20 a.m. New Orleans Theater C, Level 2

Pharmacy Student Forum Opening Session

Join your fellow ASHP Pharmacy Student Forum members to kick off The Midyear! This session will start with a lot of excitement as the top 10 finalist teams from the national Clinical Skills Competition are announced!

Moderator: Kristina Lantis, Pharm.D. Candidate, University of Minnesota, and Chair, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Minneapolis, MN

Programming Feature



Pharmacy Student Forum

Pharmacy Student Forum Opening Session

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6

10:10 a.m.–11:20 a.m.

Moderator: Kristina L. Lantis, University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Stand Out In the Competitive Career Marketplace



Antonio Neves

More than ever, it's a competitive career landscape for graduates. In this global LinkedIn age, there is more competition than ever. It seems that every student has phenomenal credentials inside and outside of the

classroom. When it comes to securing a great job, if you don't stand out, you're left behind.

So how do you stand out in the crowd? You have to take an entrepreneurial approach to career success.

In this keynote, nationally recognized speaker and award-winning journalist (NBC, PBS, Advertising Age, Inc.com, Entrepreneur.com) **Antonio Neves** shares three key steps students can take to set themselves up for a better shot at career success.

This talk empowers attendees to step outside of their comfort zone and take steps that lead to winning outcomes; establish entrepreneurial leadership traits; and, develop a strong community of Allies

Attendees are empowered with clear action steps to take that will prepare them to stand out, deliver measurable results and to be associated with greatness.

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **New Orleans Theater C, Level 2**

Navigating the Residency Application Process

You've decided that residency is for you. Now what? This session will answer all the questions you may have on how to apply for a residency and the basics of the match process. It is never too early to start preparing, and it is never too late to get a few last minute tips, so stop by to find out what you can do to improve your residency prospects.

Speaker: Sarah Boyd, Pharm.D., BCPS, Director of Pharmacy, Mercy Hospital Joplin, Joplin, MO

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **New Orleans Theater A, Level 2**

Student Advocacy Workshop

This session will provide an overview of the components of political advocacy as well as background on key issues affecting pharmacy students. During the interactive session, participants will work in teams to develop lobbying talking points and prepare testimony for a mock hearing.

Speakers: John Hertig, Pharm.D., M.S., CPPS, Associate Director, Purdue Center for Medication Safety Advancement, Indianapolis, IN;

Mindy (Throm) Burnworth, PharmD, FASHP, FAZPA, BCPS, Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, Midwestern University College of Pharmacy-Glendale, Glendale, AZ

1:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. **Room 354, Level 3**

Clinical Skills Competition Final Round Presentations

Sponsored by the ASHP Research and Education Foundation and Supported by Wolters Kluwer Health

It's the battle of the best and brightest. On Saturday, winning teams from the Preliminary Round (school level) competitions at each college of pharmacy competed in the Semi-Final Round at the national level, showcasing their clinical skills and knowledge. If you think you've got what it takes to be a champion in your pharmacy school or maybe even at the Clinical Skills Competition next year, check out the Final Round presentations from the top ten finalist teams. You are invited to stop in as an observer and get a good idea of what it takes to be a national finalist in the Clinical Skills Competition and enjoy the range of presentations at this inspiring and impressive session. Stick around following the presentations for the case review with the national case writer.

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **New Orleans Theater C, Level 2**

PhORCAS: The Centralized Application System for Pharmacy Residencies

PhORCAS is the Pharmacy Online Centralized Application Service. Come to this session to learn about the process and how it will save you time in the residency application process. You'll also have the opportunity to ask questions about the service.

Speakers: Brendan J. Reichert, M.S., R.Ph., PhORCAS Advisory Committee, Informatics Consultant and Project Manager for Johns Hopkins, Powell, OH; Deborah Erdner, M.S., Vice President, Account Management, Liaison International, LLC, Watertown, MA

Programming Feature

Opening Session

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

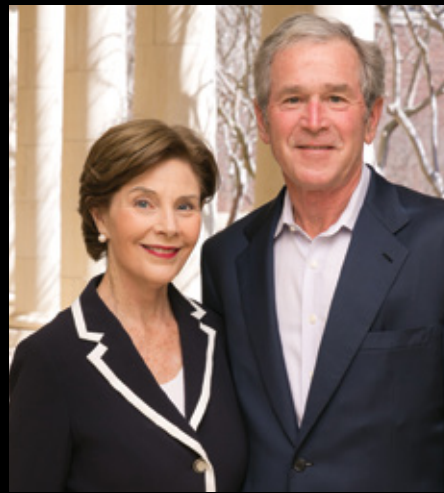
Presidential Address

John A. Armitstead, MS, RPh, FASHP

President, ASHP

Keynote Address

President and Mrs. George W. Bush



The Keynote Session at ASHP's 50th Midyear Clinical Meeting will feature remarks from President and Mrs. George W. Bush. During a moderated question and answer session, the Bushes will speak about their eight year tenure in the White House.

Tips for Attendees:

Arrive early...space is on a first come, first serve basis. Allow for travel time.

Plan ahead...plan to register and pick up your badge before Monday morning to avoid lines.

You must have a badge to attend the session.

3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. New Orleans Theater C, Level 2

Make a Lasting Impression: Evaluating Your Interview Skills

Interviews in your near future? There could be in a matter of months as you pursue an internship, residency or other career options, so be ready to make a lasting impression. This workshop includes role-play and live examples of common interview formats and questions you may encounter.

Note: This workshop builds on the Webinar presentation “Interview Preparation: an Overview” (available at www.ashp.org/students) where you will learn about interview formats and how to develop your personal interview strategy. It is strongly recommended that you view the Webinar prior to attending the workshop, but not mandatory!

Moderator: Mary Hess, Pharm.D., FASHP, FCCM, FCCP, Associate Dean, Student Affairs, Jefferson College of Pharmacy, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA

Facilitators: Sarah M. Gaffney, Pharm.D., BCPS, Clinical Pharmacy Manager/PGY1 Residency Program Coordinator, Chippenham Hospital, CJW Medical Center, Richmond, VA; **Elyse A. MacDonald, Pharm.D., M.S., BCPS,** Drug Information Services, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT; **Jason J. Shafer, Pharm.D., M.P.H., BCPS, AAHIVP,** Clinical Specialist, Infectious Diseases, Jefferson College of Pharmacy, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. La Nouvelle Ballroom C, Level 2

Awards Ceremony and Student Society Showcase

Please join us for an evening to recognize and celebrate the accomplishments of our ASHP student leaders. Student Societies of Health-System Pharmacy (SSHPs) will spotlight their achievements in the annual Student Society Showcase. Take this opportunity to learn about best practices from SSHPs across the nation and find out how you can reapplify their successful event on your campus! Stick around to cheer on the recipients of the ASHP Student Leadership Award, ASHP Foundation Student Research Award, and of course, you don't want to miss the announcement of the Clinical Skills Competition winners.

Emcees: Katie Weigartz, Pharm.D. Candidate, Auburn University Harrison School of Pharmacy, and Member, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Madison, AL; **Gabe Hinojosa, Pharm.D. Candidate,** University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy, and Member, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Picayune, MS

Programming Feature

Students' Night Out

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8

8:00 p.m. – Close

The Beach on Bourbon & Bourbon Cowboy

After a long week of education sessions, interviews, poster presentations, and more; kick back and relax! Join fellow pharmacy students from across the country at two of the most fun and entertaining venues on Bourbon Street: The Beach on Bourbon & Bourbon Cowboy!

You must be 21 years or older with proper ID to enter the venues.

Shuttle service will not be provided.

ASHP does not have exclusive access to the venues.

Wednesday Evening Event

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9

7:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Time subject to change

Mardi Gras World

On Wednesday evening, ASHP is providing attendees with an exclusive opportunity to tour an inspired New Orleans original—Mardi Gras World! Kick off this carnival experience with a tour of the world famous Float Den where all the sculptures, props, and floats used for Mardi Gras are stored. Mingle with friends and colleagues while stepping back in time in the Grand Oaks Mansion—New Orleans' only indoor antebellum mansion replica. Dance the night away to MoJEAUX, Louisiana's most diverse and energetic party experience. And don't miss the buffet stations showcasing New Orleans' famous cuisine, it will surely be an Wednesday Evening Event to remember!

Monday, December 7

7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Room 255, Level 2

SSHP Faculty Advisor Breakfast Workshop

(Closed session by invitation only)

Speaker: Diana L. Dabdub, Director, ASHP Pharmacy Student Forum, Bethesda, MD

7:30 am – 5:00 p.m. Hall F, Level 1

Personnel Placement Service (PPS)

For more information, see page 7.

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Hall J, Level 1

Opening Session & Keynote

For more information, see page 9.

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Hall D, Level 1

Student Poster Session

“Wow, you presented at The Midyear?” Impress professors, potential employers, and peers when you present a poster at the prestigious ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting.

11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Exhibit Hall Entrances Hall H and Hall I Exhibit Hall

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. New Orleans Theater C, Level 2

Career Pearls: Days in the Lives of Health-System Pharmacists

Undecided about your career path? From clinical to management, informatics to ambulatory care- the options seem endless! Hear from 12 pharmacists who work in every aspect of hospital and health-system pharmacy practice to learn more about what a day-in-the-life is like. Take away information about careers you have interest in but never took the time to learn about-you may even find something you never knew existed.

Moderator: Kristina Lantis, Pharm.D. Candidate, University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy, and Chair, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Minneapolis, MN

Presentations:

GROUP 1

11:40 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Critical Care Specialist: Molly J. Trent, Pharm.D., PGY2 Critical Care Pharmacy Resident, Grady Health System, Atlanta, GA

Management and Administration: Steven J. Davis, Pharm.D., M.S., Pharmacy Manager, Texas Children’s Hospital, Houston, TX

Pediatric Specialist: Brandy Zeller, Pharm.D., NICU Clinical Pharmacist, St. Louis Children’s Hospital, St. Louis, MO

Small/Rural Hospital Practice: Jason T. Strow, Pharm.D., CGP, Mid-Atlantic Pharmacy Director, Health South, Barboursville, WV

Academia: Alexander Kantorovich, Pharm.D., BCPS, Clinical Assistant Professor, Chicago State University College of Pharmacy, Chicago, IL

Infectious Disease Specialist: Curtis Collins, Pharm.D., M.S., BCPS (AQ-ID), FASHP, Clinical Specialist, Infectious Diseases, St. Joseph Mercy Health System, Ann Arbor, MI

GROUP 2

12:20 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Emerging Sciences-Pharmacogenomics: Kristine Crews, Pharm.D., BCPS, Lab Director, St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, Memphis, TN

Emergency Medicine: Diana Park, Pharm.D., Emergency Medicine Clinical Pharmacist, Huntington Hospital, Pasadena, CA

C-Suite Management: Jacob Thompson, Pharm.D., M.S., Chief of Pharmacy, VA Portland Health Care System, Portland, OR

Medication Safety: Jaclyn A. Jeffries, Pharm.D., Pharmacy Consultant, Wolters Kluwer Health, Melbourne, FL

Industry: Lindsey Elmore, Pharm.D., BCPS, Director of Global Education and Health Sciences, Young Living Essential Oils, Saratoga Springs, UT

Informatics: Karl Gumpfer, MMI, R.Ph., BCPS, CPHIMS, FASHP, Pharmacy Informatics Manager, Boston Children’s Hospital, Boston, MA

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1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. New Orleans Theater C, Level 2

Fundamental Strategies to Secure a Residency: Getting a Head Start as a P1-P3

In the tough competition for post graduate positions, how can you stand out? After this presentation you will have fundamental tips, a timeline, and answers to some of the questions you may have, including: When do I start planning my residency search strategy? How can I set up a plan and task list to keep myself on target for success as early as a P1 student? How can I excel in the interview process? You will receive candid advice, and guidance that will be directly applicable to your hunt for a post graduate residency or fellowship. You will be able to follow an outline of what you will need to do as a student during the P1 to P3 years in order to successfully prepare yourself for the residency or fellowship application process. There is no ultimate guarantee of securing a post graduate training program. However, session presenter Joshua Caballero, Pharm.D., BCPP, Associate Professor at Nova Southeastern University is one of the faculty that put together a course that helped their students achieve an 83% residency acceptance rate, compared to the national average of 60% in the most recent match, making this one of the most successful residency preparation programs in the nation!

Speaker: Joshua Caballero, Pharm.D., BCPP, Associate Professor, Nova Southeastern University College of Pharmacy, Fort Lauderdale-Davie, FL

Moderator: Jenna Fancher, Pharm.D. Candidate, Thomas Jefferson University Jefferson School of Pharmacy, and Member, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Philadelphia, PA

RESIDENCY SHOWCASE Hall E, Level 1

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- **Fundamental Strategies to Secure a Residency: Getting a Head Start as P1–P3**
- **Effective CV and Resume Writing**

For more information, see pages 4 and 5.

4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Room 267, Level 2

Dollars and Good Sense

The days of living off student loans and fast food are coming to an end. You are entering the real world of working professionals...and the real world of mortgages, debt, bills, and investment opportunities. This popular session will help you manage your finances and learn strategies to help you handle your current responsibilities while planning for the future!

Speakers: **Eric Truvillion**, Financial Representative and Financial Advisor, New England Financial, Tampa, FL; **Alonzo Barnes, Jr.**, Financial Representative, New England Financial, Tampa, FL

Moderator: **Caroline Beaulieu, Pharm.D. Candidate**, University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy, and Member, Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, Lexington, KY

Tuesday, December 8

7:30 am – 5:00 p.m. Hall F, Level 1

Personnel Placement Service (PPS)

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8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Hall E, Level 1

Residency Showcase

For more information, see pages 4 and 5.

**11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Exhibit Hall Entrances
Hall H and Hall I1**

Exhibit Hall

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Hall D, Level 1

Student Poster Session

“Wow, you presented at The Midyear?” Impress professors, potential employers, and peers when you present a poster at the prestigious ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting.

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. New Orleans Theater C, Level 2

Effective CV and Resume Writing

Getting ready to enter the pharmacy workforce? Before you know it, potential employers will start requesting your CV or resume. Get real-world advice on how to market your skills effectively. Learn important tips about preparing your CV and resume and how to avoid common mistakes.

Speaker: **Joseph Bonnarens, Ph.D.**, Associate Dean for Student Affairs, Manchester University College of Pharmacy, Fort Wayne, IN

Moderator: **Kristy Nguyen, Pharm.D./M.B.A. Candidate**, Western New England University College of Pharmacy, Springfield, MA

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Hall E, Level 1

Residency Showcase

For more information, see pages 4 and 5.

3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. New Orleans Theater C, Level 2

Practice Advancement: Maximize your Role in Patient Care

Learn about the ASHP and ASHP Research and Education Foundation Pharmacy Practice Model Initiative (PPMI) and how you, as a student, can get involved. This presentation will describe PPMI implementation activities, resources and measures coordinated by ASHP and the ASHP Foundation. Ways in which the pharmacy profession must change to advance pharmacy’s patient care role will also be presented. This session will also discuss how to advance pharmacy practice through integrating and implementing students in practice sites, current practices-in-action, and highlight areas for students to get involved.

Speakers: **Steven P. Nelson, B.S.Pharm., M.S.**, Director, Center on Pharmacy Practice Advancement, American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Bethesda, MD; **Thomas S. Achey, Pharm.D.**, PGY1 Health-System Pharmacy Administration Resident, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH

4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. **New Orleans Theater C, Level 2**

Clinical Pearls for Students

Based on the popular Clinical Pearls session for practicing pharmacists, the session is custom tailored for a student audience. Come hear the valuable lessons learned as new practitioners share clinical pearls that can help you prepare for residency training or entering practice.

Moderator: Justin Arnall, Pharm.D., CPP, PGY2 Hematology/Oncology Practice Resident, Wake Forest Baptist Health, Winston-Salem, NC

Presentations:

HIT Me With Your Best Shot: Practical Pearls for Managing Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia

Justin Arnall, Pharm.D., CPP, PGY2 Hematology/Oncology Practice Resident, Wake Forest Baptist Health, Winston-Salem, NC

Chemo Man: Recognition and Management of Chemotherapy Toxicities

Rachel Lebovic, Pharm.D., PGY-2 Hematology/Oncology Pharmacy Resident, UNC Hospitals, Chapel Hill, NC

ABCs of CKD: Managing the Hemodialysis Patient

Denise Kelley, Pharm.D., BCPS, Internal Medicine Pharmacy Specialist, University of Florida Health Jacksonville, Jacksonville, FL

Dosing Aminoglycosides: Selecting the Best Patients for the Hartford Nomogram

Krista Rieger, Pharm.D., PGY2 Internal Medicine Resident, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC

No Fribbing: Strategies for Pharmacists in the Management of Atrial Fibrillation

Laura Prohaska, Pharm.D., PGY1 Pharmacy Practice Resident, University of Kansas Hospital, Kansas City, KS

8:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. **The Beach on Bourbon & Bourbon Cowboy**

Students' Night Out

Party with a purpose! After a long week of education programming, interview, poster presentations, and more; you need to kick back and relax. Join pharmacy students from across the country for a fun night out in New Orleans.

Wednesday, December 9

7:30 am – 5:00 p.m. **Hall F, Level 1**

Personnel Placement Service (PPS)

For more information, see page 7.

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **Hall D, Level 1**

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11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. **Exhibit Hall Entrances Hall H and Hall I1**

Exhibit Hall

7:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. **Mardi Gras World**

Wednesday Evening Event For more information, see page 10.

Other Sessions Recommended for Students

MONDAY DECEMBER 7

2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. **Room 254, Level 2**

Pharmacy Practice Pearls from Around the Globe featuring the Donald E. Francke Medal Lecture

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **Room 244, Level 2**

Debates in Therapeutics

TUESDAY DECEMBER 8

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. **Room 280, Level 2**

Pharmacy Forecast: Getting in Front of the Trends that Will Shape Your Future

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **La Nouvelle Ballroom C, Level 2**

Making Sense of Infectious Diseases Clinical Practice Guidelines

9:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Room 356, Level 3**

Leadership Lessons in Ambulatory Care Service Development from High-Performing Health Systems

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. **Room 356, Level 3**

Chasing Zebras: A Safari of Exotic Diseases

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Room 280, Level 2**

Countdown to 2016: Healthcare Issues in Congress, Agencies and the States

4:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. **Room 276, Level 2**

Perspectives in Pharmacy Advancement: Leveraging Students as Pharmacist Extenders

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 9, 2015

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **Room 261, Level 2**

Profit is Not a Dirty Word: Starting Services in a Changing Healthcare Economy

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **Room 254, Level 2**

Results from the 2015 ASHP National Survey: The Current State of Pharmacy Practice in Hospitals

9:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Hall J, Level 1**

Spotlight on Science: Pharmacy on Demand—New Technologies to Enable Miniaturized and Mobile Drug Manufacturing

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. **Room 261, Level 2**

Special Topics in Drug Dosing: The Skinny on Drug Dosing in Obesity

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **La Nouvelle Ballroom B, Level 2**

Cardiovascular Guideline Hot Potato: Catching the Key Updates and Recommendations

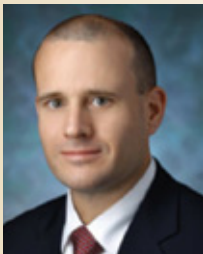
SPOTLIGHT ON SCIENCE

Pharmacy on Demand: New Technologies to Enable Miniaturized and Mobile Drug Manufacturing

Wednesday, December 9
9:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Featured Speakers:

John J. Lewin III, Pharm.D., M.B.A., FASHP, FCCM, FNCS
Klavs F. Jensen, Ph.D.



John J. Lewin III



Klavs F. Jensen

Technological advances in chemistry, biological engineering, analytics, and microfluidics in the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency's (DARPA) Battlefield Medicine program suggest that miniaturized systems capable of manufacturing medications at the point of care are possible. This session features an interdisciplinary team of scientists who are working to develop these new technologies which would enable the "on demand" manufacture of drugs.

This technology has the potential to address many unmet drug supply chain needs, including certain military needs, disaster response, and drug shortages. Likewise, it has the potential to catalyze "personalized or precision" medicine and research. There are many questions about pharmacy's potential role in maximizing the utility of this technology. What does manufacturing at the point of care look like? Are health-system pharmacies prepared to incorporate and leverage these new technologies to support patient care? This Midyear's Spotlight on Science session will start the discussion on the potential impact this new technology may bring, and the potential future role of the pharmacy profession in its optimization and realization.



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ASHP-PAC Mardi Gras

Tuesday, December 8 | 4:15 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.
Ernest N. Morial Convention Center
Room 339, Level 3

Let the good times roll! Learn more about ASHP's efforts on provider status, meet some of the key players in ASHP's advocacy efforts, and feast on some Cajun and Creole treats.

Contribute What You Can: Cash contributions of \$5–\$20 will be accepted at the door.

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ASHP-PAC FAQs for Students

What is ASHP-PAC?

ASHP-PAC is the only political action committee focused on the issues facing pharmacists who practice in hospitals and clinics. The PAC supports congressional candidates who champion pharmacists' involvement in patient care.

Why Is ASHP-PAC Important?

ASHP-PAC is a key piece of our strategy to gain provider status. A well-funded PAC helps us build more relationships with members of Congress and educate them about the issues that you face. This means that you'll be able to practice at the top of your license and provide care for patients.

Will My Contribution Make a Difference?

Even small contributions make a difference because they're combined with the contributions of your classmates and practitioners at all stages of their careers. Start today and make giving to ASHP-PAC a habit as you progress in your career.

Contribute to ASHP-PAC and add your voice to ASHP's advocacy on behalf of patients.

Join us on December 8 for the ASHP-PAC Happy Hour!



The clear path to certification for students and clinical pharmacists

ASHP understands that as a student pharmacist you are still navigating the landscape of your pharmacy career. Considering a specialty certification credential may soon be a priority as you advance in your career and expand your professional development. ASHP offers BPS Specialty Certification Preparatory Courses designed for high-level pharmacy professionals seeking application-based learning. Our goal is to support your quest for continuous professional development with a contemporary and practical approach.

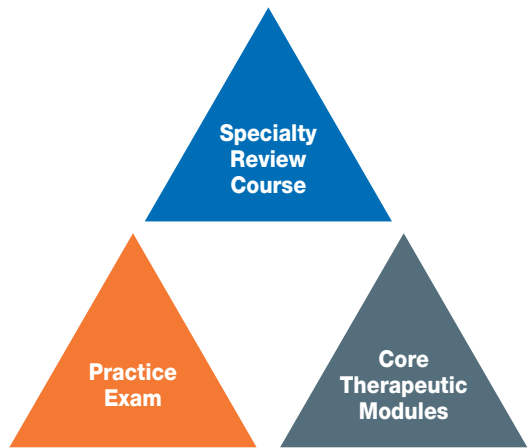
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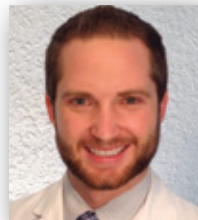
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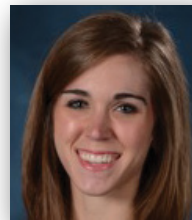
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