Student Clinician’s Ceremony

Blackthorn Club at the Ridges
Jonesborough, Tennessee
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Program

Welcome
Alex Condra, MS4
Gold Humanism Honor Society

Introduction of the Dean of Medicine
Noah Rutherford, MS4
Gold Humanism Honor Society

Remarks
William Block, Jr., MD, MBA, FACOG
Vice President for Clinical Affairs
Dean, Quillen College of Medicine
Quillen Alumnus – Class of 1992

Introduction of Keynote Speaker
Alex Condra, MS4
Gold Humanism Honor Society

Keynote Address
Amanda Stoltz, MD
Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs
Quillen Alumna - Class of 2005

Introduction of Dr. Deidre Pierce
Madeline Standbridge, MS4
Gold Humanism Honor Society

Remarks and Administration of Oath
Deidre Pierce, MD, MHA, CPE, FACP
Associate Dean for Student Affairs
Quillen Alumna – Class of 2008

Introduction of Dr. David Linville
Andrea Ramirez, MS4
Gold Humanism Honor Society

Closing Remarks
David Linville, MD, EdD
Associate Vice President for Clinical Affairs
Senior Associate Dean and Chief of Staff
Quillen Alumnus – Class of 2000
The Student Clinician’s Ceremony (SCC) is a transitional experience designed to provide guidance, information and support to medical students beginning their clerkships. Created by the Arnold P. Gold Foundation in collaboration with five medical schools, the event is developed by students and aims to address some of the anxiety felt by students entering their clerkships. The ceremony underscores the challenges and imperatives to providing humanistic care to patients at the same time as they are pressed to demonstrate high standards of skill performance.

About the Ceremony

The Foundation is a public, not-for-profit organization established in 1988 by Drs. Arnold and Sandra Gold, several colleagues at the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, as well as dedicated community leaders and philanthropists. The Gold Foundation has received significant support from many individuals and several major foundations including the Russell Berrie Foundation, the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, the Tow Foundation, the Josiah Macy, Jr. Foundation, the Chait Foundation and the Healthcare Foundation of New Jersey. Through funds raised by The Arnold P. Gold Foundation for programs, significant advances have been made in the development, implementation, evaluation and replication of educational experiences which influence the way a physician is trained, from the very first day of medical school through residency training.

About the Arnold P. Gold Foundation
Oath

As I embark upon the study of medicine at the Quillen College of Medicine,
I will enter into a relationship of mutual respect with my teachers and my colleagues,
I will strive to develop those qualities that will earn the respect of my patients, my colleagues, my family, and myself,
I will value the knowledge and wisdom of physicians who have preceded me and will endeavor to contribute in their tradition,
I will maintain the trust expected of a physician and honor the sanctity of the patient-doctor relationship,
I will respect the secrets which are confided in me and hold sacred the patient’s right to privacy,
I will place the care of my patients as my foremost responsibility, and I will grow in the profession with conscience and dignity.