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CSHP Minute

call for NOMINATIONS

CSHP 2022 Board of Directors Call for Nominations Deadline Extended to May 31st

A professional association's spirit is represented by its leadership, and the election of those volunteer leaders is a vital part of the association process. If you have ever considered serving as a CSHP leader or know someone ready to lead, now is the time to raise your hand!

The Committee on Nominations is seeking candidates for the following positions:

- CSHP President-elect
- Board of Director - 3 Year Term (3 positions available)
- New Practitioner, Board of Director - 2 Year Term
- Chair, House of Delegates - 3 Year Term

[CSHP 2022 Call for Nominations
Form](#)



\$1,000 Prize!
Show Us Your Creative Side & WIN BIG!

CSHP is hosting a Music Video Competition to elevate and celebrate pharmacy practitioners. The competition is open to all individuals, groups, affiliate chapters, and students to submit a music video to be judged by the current Seminar Planning Committee and Staff. Successful videos from the past have included props, dancing, parodies to songs and celebrity appearances.

Give it your best shot and you could see your video on our website, YouTube channel and during the Awards Ceremony at Seminar 2021! Make sure to download the application at the bottom of this page and we look forward to your submissions!

Submissions are due to the CSHP Office by Friday, June 4, 2021.

[Learn More About CSHP's 'Music Video Competition'](#)



On the Frontier of the Pharmacy Profession!

- Featuring: California Health Sciences University -

Our student pharmacists are leading the #PharmacyEvolution! This month we are proud to showcase what our student pharmacists at California Health Sciences University, have accomplished and learned over the past month!

This feature includes highlights on how CSHP-CHSU brought back the 'CSHP Spirit' to CHSU during COVID-19, monthly clinical skills workshops from CSHP member, Dr. Allen Keshishian, and more!

[Read the CSHP-CHSU Student Chapter Newsletter Here!](#)

Celebrating our Members Being Recognized for Their Commitment to the Practice of Pharmacy



CPhA Awards
PALM SPRINGS • CALIFORNIA

We are excited to recognize CSHP member recipients of 2021 CPhA Awards.

These outstanding pharmacy professionals will be recognized at a ceremony in Indian Wells, California on June 19, 2021, during CPhA's Western Pharmacy Exchange. Be sure to give the following individuals your congratulations!

Steven Gray, PharmD, JD - California Pharmacy Hall of Fame
Richard Dang, PharmD, APh, BCACP - Fellows of CPhA
Tony Dao, PharmD, CPHIMS, CSSBB, LSSBB, PMC HI - Fellows of CPhA



Call for 2021 CSHP Award Nominations

Help us celebrate the best in California pharmacy!

It is time to nominate and recognize colleagues and peers who through their leadership have had a significant impact in the evolution of pharmacy practice.

The criteria for many of the award opportunities have been modified recently. Please be sure to review and submit nominees accordingly.

To view all of our award please visit our webpage below!

**Submit Your 2021 Award
Nominations!**

CSHP Call for Volunteers
Join the #PharmacyEvolution

Serve | Grow | Transform

CSHP offers ways to cultivate your professional and personal growth while expanding your network through engagement. Explore our leadership & growth opportunities, your interests and prepare for advancement!

Visit our website below to view the full list of opportunities.

Deadline to Submit is June 30, 2021.

[View 2022 Volunteer Opportunities](#)

Member Spotlight



My Involvement with the COVID-19 Vaccination Efforts *Written by: Lisa Kroon, PharmD, FCSHP, FAPhA, CDCES*

Since the start of the pandemic, the UCSF School of Pharmacy leadership took the stance that pharmacy students are considered essential to the health care mission and essential to the health care response to the COVID-19 pandemic. In anticipation of student involvement in the COVID-19 vaccination effort, all first year pharmacy students completed immunization training in-person--this was one of the only times we brought our students to campus for in-person instruction in 2020. Our pharmacy students, like many pharmacy students, have participated in COVID-19 vaccination efforts across California. The UCSF School of Pharmacy, in partnership with UCSF Health Pharmacy Enterprise, offered pharmacy learners and faculty to not only serve as immunizers, but importantly, to support the pharmacy operations for vaccine preparation. To ensure consistent participation, I worked closely with our experiential faculty to incorporate the vaccine clinic support into existing IPPE and APPE rotations, rather than creating an elective experience. Similarly, the COVID-19 clinic support was integrated into rotations of the UCSF pharmacy residents. To date, more than 225 students and all of our residents have participated in the UCSF COVID-19 clinics.



Many of our volunteer faculty across the state expressed their desire to be immunization trained to support the COVID-19 vaccination efforts. Therefore, to expand the pool of pharmacist vaccinators, our faculty, led by Dr. Valerie Clinard, offered and conducted two virtual immunization trainings (in December 2020 and March 2021) and the in-person skills practicum for over 80 pharmacists, including many of our volunteer faculty across California. It was a real team effort to train pharmacists virtually and then coordinate the in-person practicum. UCSF sent kits of syringes, cotton balls, and saline to each pharmacist. The pharmacists were then evaluated by immunization certified pharmacists at their local

practice sites. As a gesture of our gratitude for their work, we provided the trainings as part of our preceptor and professional development program. I am very proud of this effort—by creating more certified pharmacist immunizers, these pharmacists can now serve as additional trainers and preceptors for student immunizers not just for the COVID-19 vaccine campaign but future public health initiatives.

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As I reflect on my career journey to date, CSHP has certainly been a large part of it. Being a member since I was a pharmacy resident at UCSF, I have had the opportunity to serve on many CSHP committees/task forces and serve in roles locally with the Golden Gate Chapter. We are fortunate to have a state pharmacy society that continually works to advance the profession—with the tremendous volunteer efforts of many dedicated members. I can't wait to be able to get together in person again to catch up with my CSHP friends!

Legislative Advocacy



CSHP Sponsored Bill

Unleash & Empower Pharmacists!

Submit Your Letter of Support Today!

Your Support is Empowering Pharmacists!

Next Step is the Assembly Floor!

Your support helped our bill, AB1328: Clinical Laboratory Technology and Pharmacists, to pass the Appropriations Committee UNANIMOUSLY and now it is headed to the Assembly Floor!

This bill will amend various sections of Business and Professions Code which will empower pharmacists to more fully engage in caring for their communities. Passage of this bill will improve public health, enhance coordination of patient care, and facilitate care access in underserved communities.

Let us continue this amazing effort! Send in your letter of support to your local Assembly Member, by clicking the link below and forward this request to your co-workers and colleagues today (you do not need to be a CSHP Member to use our electronic format for registering support).

Learn More About Our Bill & How You Can Support Here

Help us continue in our strong legislative advocacy by sending in your donations to CSHP's Pharmacy Professionals of California Political Action Committee (PPC-PAC)!

Doing so is one of the best ways to make a real difference in the strengthening the future of the pharmacy profession!



[Donate to CSHP's PPC-PAC Here](#)

Upcoming Webinars & Education



Upcoming Webinars

We know that with the increased demands of being front line responders in health care that we want to be able to bring you what you need, where and when you need it. To answer the call we have increased the number of online opportunities and continue to add more every day.

Join us for one (or all) of our upcoming webinars, FREE for CSHP members!

- [Sierra Pharmacy Resident Research Symposium - Day 2](#)
 - May 6, 2021 | 5:00pm - 7:00pm
 - Target Audience: Pharmacists
- [SGVSHP Pharmacy Resident Project Presentations – Day 3](#)
 - May 7, 2021 | 6:00pm - 7:30pm
 - Target Audience: Pharmacists
- [Kaiser Permanente Santa Rosa Overview of Pharmacy Residency Research](#)
 - May 11, 2021 | 5:00pm - 6:00pm
 - Target Audience: Pharmacists
- [2021 Updates to Heart Failure Management: Where do the New Drugs Get SQUEEZED In?](#)
 - May 18, 2021 | 6:00pm - 7:00pm
 - Target Audience: Pharmacists
- [Updates on Selected Targeted Therapy in Metastatic Non-Small Cell Lung](#)

[Cancer \(NSCLC\)](#)

- May 27, 2021 | 6:00pm - 7:00pm
- Target Audience: Pharmacists | Pharmacy Technicians

You serve your patients, CSHP serves you. Count on it!

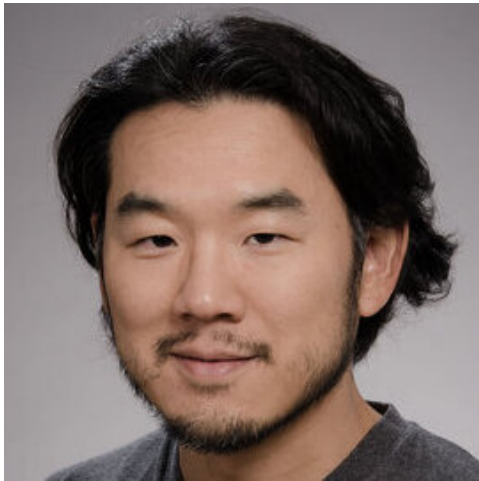
**Register
Today**

May 13-15, 2021

Pacific Coast
PRECEPTOR CONFERENCE
VIRTUAL EDITION
Shaping Future Pharmacy Leaders

**Pacific Coast Preceptor Conference 2021
Speaker & Session Spotlight:**

***Insight from Residency Program Directors:
Preparing Students to be Stellar Candidates***



Mark Bounthavong, PharmD, PhD
Associate Professor | UCSD Skaggs
School of Pharmacy



Sarah Lorentz, PharmD, APH
IPPE Director | UCSD Skaggs
School of Pharmacy

This week's 'Speaker & Session Spotlight' highlighting "Insight from Residency Program Directors: Preparing Students to be Stellar Candidates", lead by Dr.'s Mark Bounthavong & Sarah Lorentz!

This will be a panel discussion with three Residency Program Directors (RPDs) from diverse settings. The goal of the session will be to discuss characteristics and traits that they prioritize when selecting a candidate for their residency program. Pharmacy preceptors, RPDs, and educators will learn about factors that are important for selection into a pharmacy residency program.

This session's learning objectives are:

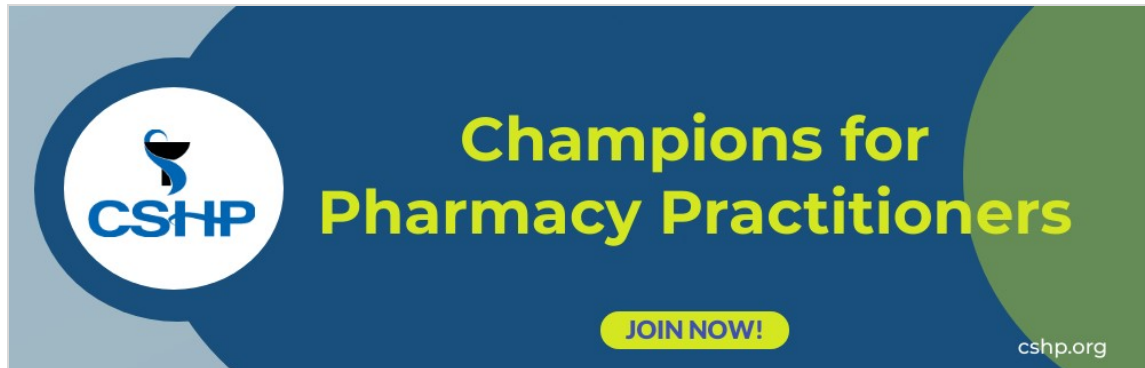
- Identify key factors that RPDs look for when selecting for pharmacy residency positions.
- Gain insight into prioritizing these key factors.
- Describe characteristics of an ideal and competitive pharmacy residency candidate.

- Learn to help student pharmacists prepare a competitive application for residency programs

Learn More & Register
Here!

Contact pcpc@cshp.org to get your group discount (5+ from the same location)!

Membership



Is Your Membership Up for Renewal?

Utilize all that CSHP has to offer Pharmacy Practitioners in today's environment to receive resources, networking opportunities, and continuing education programs that will simply make you a better pharmacist, pharmacy technician, or student.

Your continuing membership means even more access to networking opportunities and cutting-edge insights in today's rapidly changing healthcare environment. including:

- Getting involved with your local affiliate chapter
- Access to our California Pharmacy Forum
- Member discounted rates for virtual and live events
- Receive the latest news about all things pharmacy in California & more!

Renew Your Membership
Today!

In The News

Here's How California's New Mask Guidelines Differ From the CDC's

East Bay Times - Let's say you're walking down a busy street, or hiking on a popular trail, and see people coming the other way. The path you're sharing is narrow and you'll have to pass less than six feet from the other group.

[Read More](#)

5 Simple Steps to Being a More Adaptable Pharmacist

TL;DR Pharmacy - When the pharmacy is on fire (figuratively, not literally, although you should probably have plans for both), what do you do? Are you going to freeze in panic, or do you have what it takes to breathe and forge on? It's not easy, but adaptability is a learned skill - and crucial for pharmacists. Come learn how to better prepare yourself to navigate pharmacy's curveballs.

[Read More](#)

Advice for Clinicians on Covid-19 Vaccines and Social Restrictions

NEJM - The continuing spread of SARS-CoV-2 remains a Public Health Emergency of International Concern. What physicians need to know about transmission, diagnosis, and treatment of Covid-19 is the subject of ongoing updates from infectious disease experts at the Journal.

[Read More](#)

Pharmacy: The Missing Piece of the Value Puzzle

Pharmacy Times - The necessary push for the health care industry to move to whole-person care instead of condition-oriented models and tactics for applying a value-based model in pharmacy benefits.

[Read More](#)

Events

- 05-06 [Webinar: Pharmacy Resident Research Symposium - Day 2](#)
- 05-06 [Diablo: Educational Program](#)
- 05-07 [Webinar: SGVSHP Pharmacy Resident Project Presentations – Day 3](#)
- 05-11 [Webinar: KP Santa Rosa Overview of Pharmacy Residency Research](#)
- 05-11 [Diablo: Residents' Lecture CE Series \(New!\)](#)
- 05-13 [Diablo: Educational Program \(New!\)](#)
- 05-13/05-15 [Pacific Coast Preceptor Conference | Virtual Edition \(Now Open!\)](#)
- 05-18 [Diablo: Educational Program \(New!\)](#)
- 05-18 [Webinar: 2021 Updates to Heart Failure Management](#)
- 05-19 [South Bay Long Beach: Educational Program \(New!\)](#)
- 05-25 [Diablo: Educational Program \(New!\)](#)
- 05-27 [Webinar: Updates on Selected Targeted Therapy in Metastatic NSCLC](#)
- 06-05 [Golden Gate: Community Service Event](#)
- 11-02/11-06 Seminar Conference 2021

[View Entire CSHP Community Calendar](#)

About CSHP

"The Leader in Wellness, Patient Safety and Optimal Use of Medications"

Founded in 1962, California Society of Health-System Pharmacists (CSHP) represents thousands of pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and students across California who serve patients and the public through promotion of wellness, patient safety, and the optimal use of medications. CSHP members practice in all types of settings -- including but not limited to, hospitals, health systems, clinics, ambulatory care, long term care, retail, community, academia, managed care, and home healthcare.

