Conversation with Distinguished Educators
Lecture Series

2003/2004

October 7, 2003
Philip Masters, M.D. (Medicine)
Theoretical Underpinnings for Training Students to Think

November 11, 2003
Barbara Ostrov, M.D. (Pediatrics & Medicine)
The Educator as a Mentor

December 2, 2003
Ian Zagon, Ph.D. (Neural & Behavioral Sciences)
Things I should have learned about teaching – If only I have paid attention

January 13, 2004
James Ballard, M.D. (Medicine)
Enhancing the Value of Lectures in Medical Education

February 10, 2004
Robert Zelis, M.D. (Medicine)
Being There…or NOT – Lessons from Teaching Cardiology Bedside Skills by Computer?

March 9, 2004
David Spector, Ph.D. (Microbiology & Immunology)
Core and More: Courses, Horses, and Forces in Ph.D. Training in the Biomedical Sciences

April 13, 2004
Richard Zaino, Ph.D. (Pathology)
Pathos, Pathology, Pathetic

May 11, 2004
Carol Whitfield, Ph.D. (Cellular & Molecular Physiology)
Gleanings from the Field: Tidbits to Morsels

June 8, 2004
Judith Tevethia, Ph.D. (Microbiology & Immunology)
I Hear You Talking But I Can't See What You're Saying

July 6, 2004
Thomas Lloyd, Ph.D. (Department of Health Evaluation Sciences)
The Case for a Penn State Master's Program in Clinical Research for Nurses

2004/2005

September 14, 2004
W. Bosseau Murray, M.B., Ch.B. (Anesthesiology)
Simulation, Virtual Reality and Haptics: The Future of Medical Education

October 12, 2004
Mark Widome, M.D. (Pediatrics)
Teaching and Learning by Example

November 9, 2004
Shou Ling Leong, M.D. (Family & Community Medicine)
Creating Web-Based Computer Cases: Key Elements for Success

December 7, 2004
John George, Ph.D. (Family & Community Medicine)
Motivation: Key to Successful Learning

2005/2006

January 18, 2005
Michael Verderame, Ph.D. (Associate Dean for Graduate Studies)
It's ideas, Verderame, ideas
The Future of Graduate Education

Feburary 15, 2005
Darrell Kirch, M.D. (Dean, College of Medicine)
Vision or Hallucination? – A View of Medical Education from the Ad Hoc Committee of Deans of the AAMC

March 15, 2005
Stephen Kimatian, M.D. (Anesthesiology)
Post Graduate Leadership Development

May 17, 2005
Dwight Davis, M.D. (Cardiology)
Tuition – Does it make a Difference?

June 21, 2005
Richard Simons, M.D. (Vice Dean for Educational Affairs)
Graduate Medical Education Beyond "Competency": some reflections on the present and a prediction for the future"

September 14, 2005
Edward (Ted) Bollard, M.D. (Medicine)
Michael Verderame, Ph.D. (Medicine)
Residency "vs" Graduate Education: What's the Difference?

November 9, 2005
Anita Hopper, Ph.D. (Biochemistry and Molecular Biology)
Graduate Education Strategies: is bigger better? Does one size fit all?

December 14, 2005
Paul Kettl, M.D. (Psychiatry)
Using Different Media in Teaching

January 11, 2006
Steven Wassner, M.D. (Pediatrics)
Who will evaluate the Evaluators?

March 8, 2006
Edwards P. Schwentker, M.D. (Orthopaedics & Rehabilitation and Pediatrics)
Team-Based Learning at Penn State COM?

2006/2007

September 13, 2006
Maryellen E. Gusic, M.D. (Division of General Pediatrics)
Assessing Outcomes: Measuring the Effectiveness of Educational Experiences

November 8, 2006
Ralph L. Keil, Ph.D. (Biochemistry & Molecular Biology)
Outreach K-12: An Individual Approach

January 10, 2007
Gregory M. Caputo, M.D. (Medicine)
Quality and Safety: Developing a Curriculum for the Future

March 14, 2007
Graham H. Jeffries, M.B., Ch.B., D.Phil
Why is the History of Medicine Relevant in the Medical Curriculum?

2007/2008

September 12, 2007
Charles H. Lang, Ph.D.
Student Evaluation of Faculty Teaching Performance: Useful or Useless?

November 14, 2007
Robert J. Milner, Ph.D.
Never Mind the Width, Feel the Quality: Graduate & Postdoctoral Education in Life Sciences

January 9, 2008
Milind J. Kothari, D.O.
What can we do to Enhance the use of Simulation within the Clerkships?

March 12, 2008
Michael F. Verderame, Ph.D.
It's ideas, Verderame, ideas! (Part 2)
Biomedical Graduate Education in the 21st Century

2008/2009

October 1, 2008
David A. Quillen, M.D.
Teaching and Learning in the Ambulatory Care Setting

November 12, 2008
Robert H. Bonneau, Ph.D.
Challenges of Developing & Delivering a Medical School Lecture that Exhibits each of the Essential "E-Qualities" of an Excellent Lecture Experience

January 14, 2009
Dwight Davis, M.D.
Goals of Undergraduate Medical Education and Student Debt

March 11, 2009
Dennis L. Gingrich, M.D.
Using Dialogue Techniques in Small Group Education

2009/2010

September 16, 2009
Elizabeth Sinz, M.D.
Combining Standardized Patients with Simulators for Teaching & Assessment

November 11, 2009
Kent Vrana, Ph.D.
Mentors and Mentees – An Academic Symbiosis

January 13, 2010
Timothy Craig, D.O.
How Can We Succeed in Medical Student Research Projects?

March 10, 2010
Richard Courtney, Ph.D.
Graduate Student Education: Lessons Learned

2010/2011

September 8, 2010
Donald Mackay, D.D.S., M.D., F.R.C.S., F.C.S.(S.A.), F.A.C.S., F.A.A.P.
Surgical Education for Resource Poor Countries – Lessons from Operation Smile

October 13, 2010
Deborah Kees-Folts, M.D.
Using a Patient Encounters Log to Enhance Learning in a Clinical Clerkship

November 10, 2010
Lawrence E. Kass, M.D.
Giving Feedback

January 12, 2011
Sarah K. Bronson, Ph.D.
Diversity: Why do we want it? How do we achieve it?

February 9, 2011
Michael Beck, M.D. (Junior Faculty Teaching Award Recipient)
Clinical Vignettes and Resident Education in a P4P World: Lessons Learned.

March 30, 2011
Barbara Ostrov, M.D.
Puzzles and Games as Educational Tools

2011-2012

September 27, 2011
Betsy Aumiller, D.Ed. (Junior Faculty Teaching Award Recipient)
The Outcomes of Cancer Research begin with Community Education: Educational Strategies for Increasing Participation in Cancer Research Studies in Central PA – A Pilot Study

November 9, 2011
Stephen Rannels, Ph.D.
Emphasizing our Natural History in Education

January 11, 2012
Peter Lewis, M.D.
Paired Observation & Video Editing (DOVE) – a 4th year Medical Student Advanced Communications Elective: Report on a Multi-Site Collaboration & Piloting at Penn State College of Medicine

February 8, 2012
Dan Galvan, M.D. (Junior Faculty Teaching Award Recipient)
How are we to Improve Undergraduate Medical Education?

February 22, 2012
Gordon Kauffman, M.D.
Teaching Millenials

March 14, 2012
Michael Katzman, M.D.
Still not sure what to talk about, but let's try: In Defense of Teaching the History & Physical.

2012-2013

October 10, 2012
Kevin Black, M.D.
Systems Based Practice – The Core Competency?

December 5, 2012
Loren Clarke, M.D. (Junior Faculty Teaching Award Recipient)
From Catastrophe to Mastery: Why Motivation is Everything

January 9, 2013
David C. Richard, M.D.
Reflections of a Die-hard Red Sox Fan: What Baseball can Teach us about Medical Student Education

February 13, 2013
Elizabeth Frauenhoffer, M.D.
An Accidental Educator: Lessons and Confessions

February 27, 2013
Timothy Cooper, DMV, Ph.D. (Junior Faculty Teaching Award Recipient)
Matching Wallpaper: Pattern recognition in teaching pathology to non-pathologists

March 13, 2013
John Zurlo, M.D.
Professionalism in Medicine: How can we Measure It? How can we Teach It?