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Julie R. Voydik

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RECITATION OF HIPPOCRATIC OATH BY MD CANDIDATES

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AWARDS' DESCRIPTIONS

THE WILLIAM MELLEN CHAMBERLAIN MEMORIAL PRIZE, PRESENTED BY HIS WIDOW, MRS. MARY H. CHAMBERLAIN OF PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY is awarded each year to the member/s of the graduating class who, in the opinion of the faculty, has the best overall record of achievement during his or her four years of study at the Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth.

THE GOOD PHYSICIAN AWARD was established through the generosity of anonymous faculty members and the recipient is selected by the class. Members of the class are asked to choose the person who best exemplifies the personal and intangible qualities of the good physician. They are asked to consider these traits emphasizing the combination of scientific and professional knowledge with the qualities of general wisdom, of caring, of empathy, and of devotion to the welfare of others which defines the highest level of the profession of medicine.

HIPPOCRATIC OATH

I do solemnly swear, by whatever I hold most sacred, that I will be loyal to the profession of medicine and just and generous to its members.

That the regimen I adopt shall be for the benefit of my patients according to my ability and judgment, and not for their hurt or for any wrong.

That I will lead my life and practice my art in uprightness and honor.

That into whatsoever house I shall enter, it shall be for the good of the sick to the utmost of my power, holding myself far aloof from wrong, from corruption, from the tempting of others to vice.

That I will exercise my art solely for the care of my patients, and will give no drug, perform no operation, for a harmful intent, even if solicited, far less suggest it.

That whatsoever I shall see or hear of the lives of my patients which is not fitting to be spoken, I will keep inviolably secret.

These things do I swear. And now, if I will be true to this, may prosperity and good repute be forever mine; the opposite if I shall prove myself forsworn.

RETIREEES

Christopher Allen, MD, Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine

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CLASS DAY SPEAKER

ALFREDO QUIÑONES-HINOJOSA, MD

Alfredo Quiñones-Hinojosa, M.D., is a consultant and serves as chair of the Department of Neurologic Surgery at Mayo Clinic in Florida. Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa joined the staff of Mayo Clinic in August 2016 and is recognized with the distinction of a named professorship, the William J. and Charles H. Mayo Professorship. Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa earned his B.A. in psychology at the University of California–Berkeley and his M.D. at Harvard Medical School, where he graduated cum laude. He completed an internship in general surgery, postdoctoral fellowship in developmental and stem cell biology, and residency in neurosurgery at the University of California, San Francisco.

Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa leads the Brain Tumor Stem Cell Laboratory and is the chair and Mayo Professor of the Neurosurgery Department at Mayo Clinic in Florida. Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa's laboratory studies brain tumors from a surgical, imaging, clinical, and basic science perspective to improve patient safety and maximize the efficacy of current treatments for brain tumors. He uses the operating room as an extension of the laboratory and he has published extensively on animal models of human brain tumors based on brain tumor-initiating cells (BTIC). He also focuses on the molecular motors that drive brain cancer migration and invasion. He has one active clinical human protocol to maximize the extent of resection in the operating room and several approved IRB protocols to conduct work in rodents, primates, and humans. Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa has an extensive expertise in elucidating the molecular ties and engines underlying cellular mechanisms implicated in the multifactorial nature of disease pathogenesis in the CNS. He has over 400 publications in peer reviewed journals with an H-index of 67. He also served in many NIH study sections as a permanent member, as well as recently serving in the NIH/NCI Board of Scientific Counselors. Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa has written 6 books on brain cancer clinical and basic science that have been translated into other languages around the world. He has over 25 patents (pending and awarded). He has currently 5 NIH grants as PI/MPI, as well as being an investigator in other NIH grants.

In recognition of his work, Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa has received many awards and honors, including being named as one of the 100 most influential Hispanics in 2008, the 2014 Gary Lichtenstein Humanitarian Award and Neurosurgeon of the Year, and by the Forbes Magazine in

as one of Mexico's most brilliant minds in the world. He has received honorary degrees from Southern Vermont College, Lackawanna College, Dominican University, University of Notre Dame, and Loyola University. In addition, he has published an autobiography, "Becoming Dr. Q," about his journey from migrant farm worker to neurosurgeon and recently Disney with Plan B Entertainment productions announced that his inspirational life story is going to be featured in a movie.

Besides his clinical and research activities, Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa is active in education and provides mentorship as he has trained over 300 fellows in the laboratory and in clinical work over the last 13 years who now hold positions nationally and internationally in universities like Harvard, Johns Hopkins, MD Anderson, UCSF in, Spain, Mexico, Panama, and London to mention a few.

Dr. Quiñones-Hinojosa is co-founder and serves as president of Mission: BRAIN, Bridging Resources and Advancing International Neurosurgery, a 501 (c)(3) non-profit foundation. He has 3 start-up companies based on his work in the laboratory. He also serves on the Board of Directors of Voices Against Brain Cancer, and is co-chair of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons/Congress of Neurological Surgeons Tumor Section International Committee. Moreover, he serves on many study sections of the National Institutes of Health, including being chair of meeting sessions.

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ABOUT THE GEISEL SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AT DARTMOUTH

Founded in 1797, the Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth strives to improve the lives of the communities it serves through excellence in learning, discovery, and healing. The Geisel School of Medicine is renowned for its leadership in medical education, health care policy and delivery science, biomedical research, global health, and in creating innovations that improve lives worldwide. As one of America's leading medical schools, Dartmouth's Geisel School of Medicine is committed to training new generations of diverse leaders who will help solve our most vexing challenges in health care.