

## ANNOUNCEMENT

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# 2020 and 2021 APS and SPR Award Winners

### Maureen Andrew Mentor Awardee

Established in 2003

Dr. Maureen Andrew made notable contributions as an investigator and mentor. She mentored trainees and junior investigators in a manner that generated excitement and commitment, fostered creativity, and encouraged and facilitated scholarship.

This award recognizes individuals who have served as exemplary mentors for trainees and junior faculty who have successfully developed investigative careers.

#### Susan Furth, MD, PhD

Professor, Pediatrics and Epidemiology  
Children's Hospital of Philadelphia and Perelman  
School of Medicine University of Pennsylvania



### Bridging to Success Awardee

Established in 2017

The Bridging to Success Award supports transitioning pediatric physician-scientists who have submitted a K08 or K23 award, which although not funded, may be potentially competitive on resubmission to the NIH.

#### "The effects of Mkrn3 on delayed puberty"

#### Stephanie A. Roberts, MD

Attending Physician in Endocrinology  
Boston Children's Hospital  
Instructor of Pediatrics, Harvard Medical School



### Recipient of Society for Pediatric Research Award in honor of E. Mead Johnson

Award sponsored by Reckitt/Mead Johnson Nutrition

Since 1939, the SPR Award in honor of E. Mead Johnson has recognized outstanding clinical and laboratory pediatric research achievements. The most prestigious award presented by the SPR, this honor recognizes E. Mead Johnson's legacy of research excellence and impact on child health that continues to inspire the pediatric community today.

#### "Vaccination around birth for life-long protection against pandemics"

#### Sallie Permar, MD, PhD

Nancy C. Paduano Professor and Chair of  
Department of Pediatrics  
Weill Cornell Medicine



### Thomas A. Hazinski Distinguished Service Awardee

Established by the Council in 2003 to honor a special individual who has provided exceptional and dedicated service to the Society over an extended period of time.

#### Anna Penn, MD, PhD

L. Stanley James Associate  
Professor of Pediatrics; Chief, Division of  
Neonatology  
Columbia University

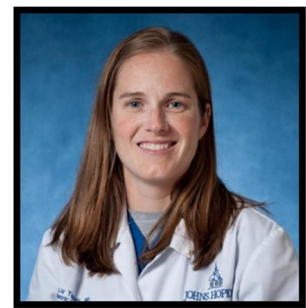


### New Member Outstanding Science Awardee

SPR New Member Outstanding Science Award recognizes a new member who has contributed to high-quality scientific research and who continues to demonstrate meaningful contributions in the pediatric academic field.

#### Elizabeth (Liz) Tucker, MD

Assistant Professor of Pediatric Critical Care  
Medicine  
Division of Pediatric Critical Care Medicine  
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine



### Douglas K. Richardson Awardee

SPR Douglas K. Richardson Award for Perinatal and Pediatric Healthcare Research honors the lifetime achievement of an investigator who has made a substantive contribution in an area encompassing effective utilization of healthcare services, identification of risk factors for adverse outcomes, general epidemiologic health services studies or patient-oriented clinical studies that lead to improved healthcare delivery to the neonatal/pediatric populations

#### Gary M. Shaw, DrPH

NICU Nurses Endowed Professor of Pediatrics,  
Associate Chair for Clinical Research  
Stanford University

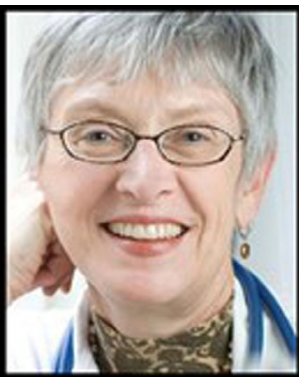


**Young Investigator Awardee**  
**"From rare disease gene discovery to therapy: urea cycle disorders as a paradigm"**  
**Lindsay C. Burrage, MD, PhD**  
 Assistant Professor  
 Department of Molecular and Human Genetics  
 Baylor College of Medicine



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**Kathryn M. Edwards, MD**  
 Sarah H. Sell and Cornelius Vanderbilt Endowed Chair  
 Professor of Pediatrics  
 Vanderbilt University School of Medicine



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**Sherin U. Devaskar, MD**  
 Mattel Executive Endowed Chair  
 Professor of Pediatrics

David Geffen School of Medicine UCLA



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**John V. Williams, MD**  
 Division Chief of Pediatric Infectious Diseases  
 UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh  
 Henry L. Hillman Professor  
 University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine



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**Lisa R. Young, MD**  
 Professor of Pediatrics and Medicine  
 Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania



**2020 Joseph W. St. Geme, Jr. Leadership Awardee (FOPO Award)**

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**Joseph W. St. Geme, III, MD**  
 Physician-in-Chief and Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics  
 Leonard and Madlyn Abramson Endowed Chair  
 Children's Hospital of Philadelphia  
 Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics  
 University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine

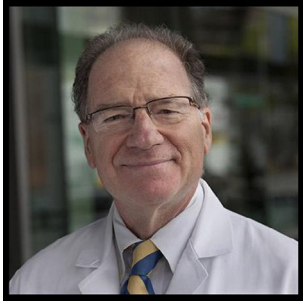


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**Frederick P. Rivara, MD, MPH**

Vice Chair and Professor of Pediatrics  
University of Washington School of Medicine  
Guild Association Endowed Chair in  
Pediatric Health  
Seattle Children's Hospital

**2020 Mary Ellen Avery Awardee**

*In 2013, the APS and SPR established and endowed the Mary Ellen Avery Award. This award honors Dr. Avery's outstanding lifetime achievements and seminal contributions to neonatal health through her discovery of respiratory distress syndrome (RDS), her research and academic leadership, and her outstanding service to pediatrics and neonatology. With this award, the APS and SPR seek to recognize a pediatric investigator who has made important contributions to neonatal health through basic or translational research.*

**Stella Kourembanas, MD**

Clement A. Smith Professor of Pediatrics  
Harvard Medical School  
Chief of the Division of Newborn Medicine  
Boston Children's Hospital

