
 SOUTHEASTERN SECTION OF THE AUA, INC. 

**SESAUA Update**  
**Lorie Fleck, MD**  
SESAUA President

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 SOUTHEASTERN SECTION OF THE AUA, INC. 

**Priorities of the Southeastern Section**

- ❖ Support leadership development
- ❖ Engage all members with relevant and timely scientific and health policy education
- ❖ Understand membership needs and facilitate communication
- ❖ Remain strong financially
- ❖ Encourage young member participation

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**Priorities of the Southeastern Section**

- ❖ Support leadership development

What Leadership opportunities exist?

How do I get involved?

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**Leadership Development in the SESAU**

❖ **Leadership Opportunities in the SESAU Include:**

- Representatives to the SESAU and AUA Board of Directors
- Committee Membership
- Committee Chairs
- Executive Committee
- Officers

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 SOUTHEASTERN SECTION OF THE AUA, INC. 

**2024-2025 SESAU Executive Committee**

- ❖ President: Lorie Fleck, MD, Mobile Alabama
- ❖ President-Elect: Chad W.M. Ritenour, MD, Atlanta, GA
- ❖ Secretary: David Thiel, MD, Jacksonville, FL
- ❖ Treasurer: Gerard D. Henry, MD, Bossier City, LA
- ❖ Immediate Past President: Stephen Strup, MD, FACS; Lexington, KY
- ❖ Chair, Committee on Education and Science: Melissa Kaufman, MD, Nashville, TN
- ❖ Member At Large: Rolando Rivera, MD, Naples, FL
- ❖ Historian: Donald T. McKnight, Jr., MD, Jackson, TN

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**AUA Officers and Board Members**

- ❖ Secretary: David Penson, MD, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN
- ❖ Treasurer: Thomas F. Stringer, MD, FACS, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- ❖ SES Representative to AUA Board of Directors: Glenn Preminger, MD, Duke University, Durham, NC

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**Alabama Representatives to the SESAU Board of Directors**

- ❖ Jeffrey Nix, MD
- ❖ Brian Richardson, MD
- ❖ Christopher Keel, DO, FACS (Alternate Representative)
- ❖ Rupa Kitchens, MD (Alternate Representative)

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 SOUTHEASTERN SECTION OF THE AUA, INC. 

**Alabama Representatives to SESAU Committees and AUA Committees**

- ❖ AUA Research Council
  - ❖ Sunil Sudarshan, MD
- ❖ Health Policy Council
  - ❖ Alabama Representative and Alternate TBD

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- How can we improve engagement of our members at the annual meeting?
- How does a meeting come together?
  - Pick a venue/city/resort 2 to 4 years before meeting
  - The Secretary, along with the Science and Education Chair and committee, invite named speakers, plan educational content and review abstracts and videos
- Locations for evening events reserved 9 to 12 months in advance

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**SESAUA Speakers Bureau**

- ❖ This program funds one visiting professor of the State Society's selection to participate in their Annual Meeting
- ❖ One visiting professor from the Speakers Bureau per year
- ❖ \$1250 Honorarium & \$750 Travel Stipend
- ❖ If you are interested in being added to the SESAUA Speakers Bureau or would like additional information, please contact [info@sesaua.org](mailto:info@sesaua.org)

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 **SOUTHEASTERN SECTION OF THE AUA, INC.** 

**Resident Representatives on the SESAUA Board of Directors**

- ❖ Selected on a Program rotational basis
- ❖ 4 Residents per year
- ❖ The Section provides a \$400 stipend in addition to the current Resident Stipend per the SESAUA Policy

**2024-2025 Resident Representatives**

- ❖ The Section provides a \$400 stipend in addition to the current Resident Stipend per the SESAUA Policy
  - Graham Bobo, Tulane University
  - Chandler Denison, University of Mississippi
  - Logan Grimaud, Duke University
  - Marcos Perez Marchan, University of Puerto Rico

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 **SOUTHEASTERN SECTION OF THE AUA, INC.** 

**SESAUA Resident Bowl**

- ❖ 12 contestants are selected to participate based on In-service exam scores. Only one contestant per program is allowed
- ❖ Contestants are eligible to receive the \$1250 travel stipend per the SES Resident Stipend Policy
- ❖ The Top 5 residents from the SESAUA Resident Bowl will move on to represent the Section during the AUA National Resident Bowl Competition

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 **SOUTHEASTERN SECTION OF THE AUA, INC.** 

- ❖ **AUA Resident Bowl**
  - This competition involves residents from all 8 AUA Sections
  - The top 5 residents from the SESAUA Resident Bowl will move on to represent the Section during the national competition
  - Participants receive a \$1000 travel stipend from the Section
- ❖ **AUA Great Debate**
  - This competition involves 2 residents from each of the 8 AUA Sections
  - Participants receive a \$1000 travel stipend from the Section

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**Additional SESAU Sponsored Resident & Medical Student Programs**

- ❖ **International Volunteerism Program**
  - Funding for IVUmed participation up to 8 residents max. (\$4,000 each) and 6 additional residents to participate in departmental programs unaffiliated with IVUmed at (\$3000 each)
  - Funding Period is January 1 – December 31 and resumes in 2024.
- ❖ **Society for Women in Urology Resident Travel Stipend**
- ❖ **SESUA Supports the resident/young urologists matching program for AUA Urology Advocacy Summit and AACU Annual Meeting**
- ❖ **Global Resident Leadership Retreat & Medical Student Summer Program**
  - Supports 3 Medical Students

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**SESUA Grant Program**

- ❖ The Southeastern Section provides up to a minimum of \$30,000 per year in grants for Humanitarian Volunteerism initiatives
- ❖ The application period is currently closed. The grant applications are currently in review.

Visit [sesaua.org](http://sesaua.org) for additional information on available educational and humanitarian volunteerism opportunities.

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- How does the SESUA stay visible at a national level?
- AUA award nominations
- AUA Board and Committee Members
- AUA resident bowl and the Great Debate
- State Urologic Societies are critical to the success of the regional society...this is where nominations for committees and awards begin

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**SESAUA 2024 Award Winners**

- ❖ **2024 Distinguished Member Award**
  - Tristan Pinzon, MD
- ❖ **Montague Boyd Essay Competition**
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Dr. Kiran Sury, Duke University
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Dr. Seyed Behzad Jazayeri, University of Florida
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Dr. Terry Lynne Overholt, Wake Forest
- ❖ **Best Abstract Presentations – complete listing of 2024 winners is published on the SESAUA website** 

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**AUA 2024 Award Winners**

<b>Ramon Guiteras Award</b> John D. Denstedt, MD	<b>Distinguished Service Award</b> Lane S. Palmer, MD
<b>Gold Cystoscope Award</b> Simpa S. Salami, MBBS, MPH	<b>Hugh Hampton Young Award</b> Sam S. Chang, MD, MBA
<b>Gold Headed Cane Award</b> Gregory A. Broderick, MD	<b>Mid-Career Award</b> Scott E. Eggener, MD
<b>Distinguished Contribution Award</b> Angelo E. Gousse, MD	<b>Lifetime Achievement Award</b> Alan W. Partin, MD, PhD (posthumous)
<b>Distinguished Contribution Award</b> Peter C. Albertsen, MD	<b>Diversity &amp; Inclusion Award</b> Brian K. McNeil, MD, MBA <i>Continued on next slide</i>

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**AUA 2024 Award Winners**

<b>Victor A. Politano Award</b> Larissa V. Rodriguez, MD	<b>Presidential Citation</b> Steven E. Canfield, MD
<b>William P. Didusch Art &amp; History Award</b> Jennifer B. Gordetsky, MD	<b>Presidential Citation</b> Michael Coburn, MD
<b>Distinguished Service Award</b> Jonathan N. Rubenstein, MD	<b>Presidential Citation</b> E. Ann Gormley, MD
<b>Distinguished Service Award</b> Drew N. Shifflet, CAE	<b>Presidential Citation</b> Byron D. Joyner, MD, MPA
	<b>Presidential Citation</b> Ajay K. Nangia, MBBS

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89TH ANNUAL MEETING OF SESAUA  
MARCH 12 - 15, 2025

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Alternatively, scan the QR code on your electronic device to visit the abstract website.

  
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