

Research Committee

Chair: Lisa Satlin - Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

Members:

Lisa Satlin	(2019-2021) first term (2021-2024) Chair	Mount Sinai
Terence Dermody	(2020-2023) first term Vice Chair as of 10/21	U of Pittsburgh
Alexander Bassuk	(2022-2025) first term	U Iowa
Wade Clapp	(2021-2023) first term	U of Indiana
Stephanie Davis	(2020-2023) second term	U of North Carolina - Chapel Hill
Glenn Flores	(2023-2025) first term	U of Miami
David Gozal	(2019-2021) first term	U of Missouri
Raphael Hirsch	(2019-2021) second term	U of California, San Francisco
Jordan Orange	(2019-2021) first term	Columbia
Sallie Permar	(2020-2022) first term	Cornell
Gary Silverman	(2020-2023) first term	Washington U St. Louis
Yatin Vyas	(2/2022-2024) first term	Penn State College of Medicine



Research Committee: Accomplishments Last 12 Months

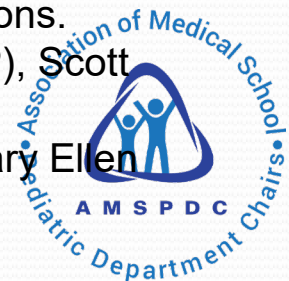
- **Launched workshops for Chairs and Vice Chairs (leaders: Gary Silverman, Sallie Permar)**
 - Based on the results of a survey that was distributed to AMSPDC membership in February 2023, the RC launched a workshop (3x/yr, panel discussions) focused on research-related topics relevant to our membership, targeted specifically for chairs and vice chairs. Gary Silverman and Sally Radovick volunteered to lead this effort.
 - The inaugural Chair's webinar was held on September 21, 2023:
 - Topic: Funding the Research Mission in Departments of Pediatrics
 - Moderators: Gary Silverman and Sally Radovick
 - Panelists: Stephen Daniels (U. Colorado), Phyllis Dennery (Brown U.), Raphael Hirsch (UCSF), Lucky Jain (Emory) and Ann Reed (Duke)
 - # attendees: 42



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- **Launched junior faculty webinar with the SPR Junior Section**
 - In April 2023, the SPR Junior Section leadership reached out to Sallie Permar and then to LMS to discuss a joint webinar series focused on career development of early-stage pediatric investigators.
 - SPR junior section leadership steering this initiative:
 - Jingshing Wu (UCSF), SPR Junior Section President (2023-24)
 - Maria Rueda-Altez (UAB), SPR Junior Section Past President (2023-24)
 - Lauren Harasymiw (UCSF), SPR Seminar Series/Content Development (2023-24)
 - Webinar cadence: 4/year, 2 in the fall and 2 in the spring
 - Announcements posted through AMSPDC, SPR, APPD
 - Inaugural junior faculty webinar: November 16th at 12 pm PST (99 attendees) and repeated on December 13th, 5 pm EST (44 attendees)
 - Topic: *Nuts and bolts on Preparing for Career as a Pediatric Investigator*
 - Description: To provide advice and inspire med students, residents, fellows, junior faculty on how to develop their research ideas, identify mentors who are able to support their careers, and adjust their trajectories based on career/life transitions.
 - Panelists for November 16th: Cristina Alvira (Stanford), Tom Hooven (CHP), Scott James (UAB), Carissa Baker-Smith (Nemours)
 - Panelists for December 13th: Colin Orr (UNC), Ryan McAdams (Wisc), Mary Ellen Vajravelu (Pitt), Rachel Vreeman (Mount Sinai)



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- **Continued the Visiting Research Professor Program (leader: Yatin Vyas)**
 - RFA now linked to an online application

<u>PI Name/Institution</u>	<u>Mentor Name/Institution</u>	<u>Overall Objective</u>
5/22 Stephanie Davis, MD Chair, UNC	Wade Clapp, MD Chair, Department of Pediatrics Indiana University, Riley Hospital for Children	To solicit guidance and recommendations for our Children's Research Institute
6/22 David Gozal, MD Chair, University of Missouri	Sherin Devaskar, MD Chair, Department of Pediatrics UCLA	
7/22 Matt Ledoux Chair, East Carolina	David Kimberlin, MD Chair, Department of Pediatrics University of Alabama at Birmingham	
2023 Juan Salazar, MD Chair, UCONN, Children's Research Institute	Dennis Durbin, MD, MSCE President of Abigail Wexner Research Institute, Nationwide Children's Hospital	Advice on partnerships, funding opportunities, recruitment priorities, infrastructure requirements, and innovation that will assist in the development of a vision for the CCRI and the 5year strategic plan creation.
2023 Lindsay Thompson, MD, MS Chair, Wake Forest	John Barnard, MD Retired, former Chief of Pediatrics at Nationwide Children's Hospital & former President of the Research Institute at Nationwide Children's	To create a framework to build one research program across Brenner and Levine Children's.
2023 Sallie Permar, MD, PhD Chair, Weill Cornell	Leslie Walker-Harding, MD Chair, Department of Pediatrics, Seattle Children's Hospital	To grow and maintain a research portfolio.

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- **Provided the AMSPDC Planning Committee with recommendations for scientific content for this 2023 Annual Meeting.**
- **Supported pipeline development.**
 - Working with AMSPDC leadership on responses to:
 - NASEM report on “The Future Pediatric Subspecialty Physician Workforce,” released in September 2023.
 - Recommendations for changes proposed in January 2024 by the NICHD Extramural Training & Career Development Working Group, a group tasked with reviewing NICHD’s career development and training initiatives.
 - Continue close engagement with the PSDP, led by Dr. Permar, and FIS, led by Dr. Wade Clapp. Members of the RC continue to provide suggestions and support to enhance these programs, especially since Drs. Permar and Clapp are members of the RC.



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Goals for the next 12 months

- **Continue the new Workshops for Chairs and Vice Chairs (Gary Silverman and Sallie Permar)**
 - Planning is underway for the next Chair's Workshop, to be held on Apr 3, 2024 (1:00 PM EST)
 - Title: "Early engagement of pediatrician-scientists: how should research careers be fostered during residency?"
 - Dr. Sue Woods will present a brief overview of the ABP research-in-residency tracks and the outcomes of those trainees
- **Launch junior faculty workshops with the SPR Junior Section (Lisa Satlin)**
 - Planning for the next workshop is underway.
 - Two sessions will be scheduled on 2 different dates - before the PAS meeting - at 2 different times, to maximize attendance for east and west coast participants.
 - Focus: networking at professional meetings.
 - Format: panel discussion to include one junior and one senior pediatric P-S.
- **Promote the Visiting Professorship for Research Program Development (Yatin Vyas)**
 - Encourage new chairs to apply for the 2024 application "cycle."
 - Announcements:
 - AMSPDC Annual Meeting Business Meeting
 - Webinars for New Chairs
 - AMSPDC weekly newsletter
 - Solicit 2023 hosting chairs for updates on progress in addressing metrics identified in their original application
- **Participate in the AMSPDC Member Support System and Consultation Program.**
- **Contribute to the AMSPDC *Journal of Pediatrics* Pages.**
- **Support pipeline development.**
 - Continue close engagement with the PSDP and FIS to provide suggestions and support to enhance these programs.
 - Collaborate with other groups as appropriate (e.g., NPSCW; PAS).
- **Provide the AMSPDC Planning Committee recommendations for scientific content for the 2025 Annual Meeting.**
- **Update and expand the "new" AMSPDC website.**
 - Focus on research resources for chairs (i.e., the Research Toolbox), specifically addressing DEI.

