



## **13<sup>th</sup> Annual Skin of Color Society Scientific Symposium**

**Date: Thursday, March 2, 2017**

**Location: Hyatt Regency Orlando, Orlando, Florida**

**Room: Florida Ballroom B**

7:00 AM – Registration/Check-in / GVF Poster Set-up

7:30-9:00 AM – **Global Vitiligo Foundation (GVF)** Abstract Sessions

9:00-9:15 AM – Break / GVF Poster Review

9:15-10:55 AM – Committee & Outcomes Meetings of the **Global Vitiligo Foundation**

11:00-11:30 AM – Break / GVF Poster Dismantle / SOCS Poster Set-up

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**11:30-12:55 PM – Skin of Color Society (SOCS) Annual Business Meeting**

**12:55-1:00 PM – Welcome and Introduction - Amy McMichael, MD, SOCS President**

### **Schedule of Events for SOCS 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Symposium 1:00PM-5:35PM**

1:00-1:03 PM – Introduction Andrew Alexis, MD – 2017 Chair SOCS Scientific Symposium

1:03-1:10 PM – **Ajay Kailas, BS - University of Central Florida College of Medicine**

***“A Social Media Survey to Assess Knowledge, Behavior and Physician Satisfaction Related to Skin Cancer Within the Skin of Color Population”***

1:10-1:12 PM – Q/A

1:12-1:15 PM – Break, Seemal Desai, MD – Welcomes the Photomedicine Society

1:15-1:59 PM – **Sewon Kang, MD – Johns Hopkins Medicine, Chairman, Department of Dermatology & Photomedicine Society (Invited Speaker)**

***“Factoring in Skin Pigment in Phototherapy”***

1:59-2:06 PM – **Shawn Kwatra, MD - Department of Dermatology, Johns Hopkins University**

***“Addressing Minority Representation in Dermatology Through a Structured Mentorship and Instructional Program”***

2:06-2:08 PM – Q/A

2:08-2:38PM – **Michael H. Tirgan, MD – Keloid Research Foundation (Invited Speaker)**

***“Medical Management of Keloid Disorder”***

2:38-2:53 PM – Q/A

2:53-3:13 PM – Break

3:13-3:20 PM – **Tasneem Mohammad, MD - Henry Ford Hospital Department of Dermatology**

***“Determine if Lower Concentrations of TCA Can Be Used to Induce PIH Comparable to Acne to Refine the Pre-existing PIH Model”***

3:20-3:22 PM – Q/A

3:22-3:29 PM – **Jacob Subash, BS - Wake Forest Dermatology**

***“Examining the Mechanisms for Other Scarring Entities That Are Common in African American Patient or Occur in the Skin Can Help to Inform the Mechanism of Central Centrifugal Cicatricial Alopecia”***

3:29-3:31 PM – Q/A

3:31-4:01 PM – **Roy G. Geronemus, MD – Laser & Skin Surgery of New York & Clinical Professor of Dermatology, New York University Medical Center (Invited Speaker)**

***“Lasers/Light Based Technologies for the Treatment of Hyperpigmentation”***

4:01-4:16 PM – Q/A

4:16-4:23 PM – **Andrea Tan, BS - Department of Dermatology, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center**

***“Pentoxifylline for the Prevention of Post-Surgical Keloid Recurrence: A Retrospective Pilot Study”***

4:23-4:25 PM – Q/A

4:25-4:32 PM – **Andrea Tovar-Garza, MD - University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center**

***“Treatment of Active Vitiligo Using Oral Dexamethasone, NB-UVB and Clobetasol”***

4:32-4:34 PM – Q/A

4:34-4:41 PM – **Elizabeth Lee, BS - University of Tennessee Health Science Center**

***“Melanoma in African Americans: An Example of Healthcare Disparities or a Difference in Tumor Gene Expression?”***

4:41-4:43 PM – Q/A

4:43-5:13 PM – **Buffie Longmire-Avital – Elon University, Associate Professor,  
Department of Psychology Program Coordinator for African & African-  
American Studies (Invited Speaker)**

***“I Fought So Hard to Get Here?”: Navigating Microaggressions in Historically White Spaces”***

5:13-5:27 PM – Q/A

5:27-5:35 PM – **Closing Remarks - Amy McMichael, MD, SOCS President**

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5:45-7:15 PM –**Skin of Color Society Research Award Reception**  
Room: Florida Ballroom C, Hyatt Regency Orlando

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## 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Skin of Color Society Scientific Symposium POSTERS

- P001**  
**Jennifer Coias**  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  
"Measuring Vitiligo Activity: Validation of the Vitiligo Disease Activity Index (VIDA)"
- P002**  
**Juana Garza-Chapa, MD**  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  
"Immunohistopathological Characterization of Confetti-like Lesions in Patients with Vitiligo"
- P003**  
**Attiya Haroon, MD, PhD**  
Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital, Department of Dermatology  
"Bedside Monitoring of Vitiligo Treatments in Patients with Skin of Color Using Reflectance Confocal Microscopy"
- P004**  
**Jorge Hinojosa, BA**  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Department of Dermatology  
"CXCL9 Decreases in Vitiligo Lesions with Treatment and May Serve as a Biomarker of Disease Activity"
- P005**  
**Jorge Hinojosa, BA**  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Department of Dermatology  
"Repigmentation of Vitiligo Lesions is Associated with Improved Quality of Life and May Lower Risk for Depression"
- P006**  
**Bridget Kaufman, MD**  
Mount Sinai St. Luke's  
"Efficacy of Calcipotriene 0.005%/Betamethasone Dipropionate 0.064% in Skin of Color: Preliminary Data From 3 Pooled Multi-center, Randomized, 4-week, Parallel-group Studies in the United States"
- P007**  
**Bridget Kaufman, MD**  
Mount Sinai St. Luke's  
"Correlation Between Fitzpatrick Skin Type and Mexameter Measurement of Skin Pigmentation in a Predominately Skin of Color Population"
- P008**  
**Nicole Leung, BS**  
Duke University School of Medicine, Duke University Hospital, Department of Dermatology  
"Successful Treatment and Long-term Remission of Erythema Dyschromia Perstans (EDP) in a Patient Using Narrow Band-UVB"
- P009**  
**Mayra Maymone, MD, DSc**  
Boston University  
"The Impact of Hyperpigmentation on Quality of Life"

- P010**  
**Ella Miller, MS**  
UT Southwestern Medical Center, Department of Dermatology  
"Influence of Race, Ethnicity, Acculturation, Gender, and Age of Onset on Quality of Life in Patients with Vitiligo"
- P011**  
**Cynthia Nicholson, MD**  
Henry Ford, Department of Dermatology  
"The Efficiency of Product Testing Techniques to Assess the Use of a Plant Extract in Treating Postinflammatory Hyperpigmentation"
- P012**  
**Uzoamaka Okoro, BA**  
The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University  
"Skin of Color in Preclinical Medical Education"
- P013**  
**Erere Otrofanowei, MBBS**  
Lagos University Teaching Hospital  
"Erythrodermic Psoriasis Advancing to Nodular Mycoses Fungoides in a Young Nigerian- the Need for Repeat Biopsies"
- P014**  
**Stavonnie Patterson, MD**  
Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine  
"Black Patients' Lived Experiences in Skin of Color Centers"
- P015**  
**Angelique Ross, MD**  
Royal Melbourne Hospital  
"Australian Dermatology Trainee Perspectives on Skin of Colour: Results of a National Survey"
- P016**  
**Rithu Srikantha, BS**  
University of Iowa Hospital and Clinics, Department of Dermatology  
"Implicit Association within Dermatology"
- P017**  
**Jacob Subash, BS**  
Wake Forest Dermatology  
"(http://www.sweatandhair.com); A Specialty Website was Evaluated for Use as an Educational Tool for Young African-American Women Students on a College Campus"
- P018**  
**Maria Vitale, MD**  
Industrial Farmacéutica Cantabria  
"One Depigmentant Formula for All Skin Colors"
- P019**  
**Lauren West-Livingston, MS**  
Wake Forest School of Medicine  
"The Cultivation of an Environment that Promotes Cultural Awareness Between Medical Professionals Will Thus Influence Physician-patient Relationships by Normalizing Respect of Cultural Differences"
- P020**  
**Di Yan, BA**  
University of California, San Francisco  
"Prevalance of Psoriasis Subtypes in Different Ethnoracial Groups"
- P021**  
**Cathy Zhao, MBBS, MMed**  
University of New South Wales  
"A Comparison Study of Clinician-rated Atopic Dermatitis Outcome Measures for Intermediate to Dark Skin Patients"

