13th 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

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

9:00-9:20 AM – Break

9:20-11:00 AM – Committee & Outcomes Meetings of the Global Vitiligo Foundation

11:15-11:30 AM – Break

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 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 – Welcome 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 TX 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 TX 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

5:45-7:15 PM – Skin of Color Society Research Award Reception
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P001
Jennifer Coias
UT Southwestern Medical Center
“Measuring Vitiligo Activity: Validation of the Vitiligo Disease Activity Index (VIDA)”

P002
Juana Garza-Chapa, MD
University of TX 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
UT 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
UT 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 Predclinical Medical Education”

P013  
**Erere Otrofanowei, MBBS**  
Lagos University Teaching Hospital  
“The Need for Repeat Biopsies: The Many Phases/Faces of Mycoses Fungicides”

P014  
**Stavonnie Patterson, MD**  
Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine  
“Black Patients’ Lived Experiences in Skin of Color Centers”

P016  
**Angelique Ross, MD**  
Royal Melbourne Hospital  
“Australian Dermatology Trainee Perspectives on Skin of Colour: Results of a National Survey”

P017  
**Rithu Srikantha, BS**  
University of Iowa Hospital and Clinics, Department of Dermatology  
“Implicit Association within Dermatology”

P018  
**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”

P019  
**Maria Vitale, MD**  
Industrial Farmacéutica Cantabria  
“One Depigmentant Formula for All Skin Colors”

P020  
**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”

P021  
**Di Yan, BA**  
University of California, San Francisco  
“Prevalence of Psoriasis Subtypes in Different Ethnoracial groups”

P022  
**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”