



S. Elizabeth Ames, M.D.

PROFESSOR

Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation

- ▶ M.D., University of Vermont
- ▶ Residency in Orthopaedic Surgery, UVM
- ▶ John H. Moe Spine Surgery Fellowship, Minneapolis

Joined UVM in 2002 as an Assistant Professor; promoted to Associate Professor in 2009.

Dr. Ames is currently the Program Director of the Orthopaedic Residency at UVM, and is charged with local and national curriculum development, including early development of the Connections course. She independently developed the postgraduate year 1 curriculum for the orthopaedic residency, and in 2016 she was elected as a Master Teacher to the Larner College of Medicine Teaching Academy. Dr. Ames has published in multiple peer-reviewed journals, has been invited to speak to national audiences, and has collaborated on a number of book chapters. She is a member of the American Orthopaedic Association (AOA) Leadership Development Committee, a Fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons, an elected fellow of the AOA, and Chair of the AOA Council of Orthopaedic Residency Directors. She is a reviewer for four professional journals.



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Christopher J. Anker, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Radiology

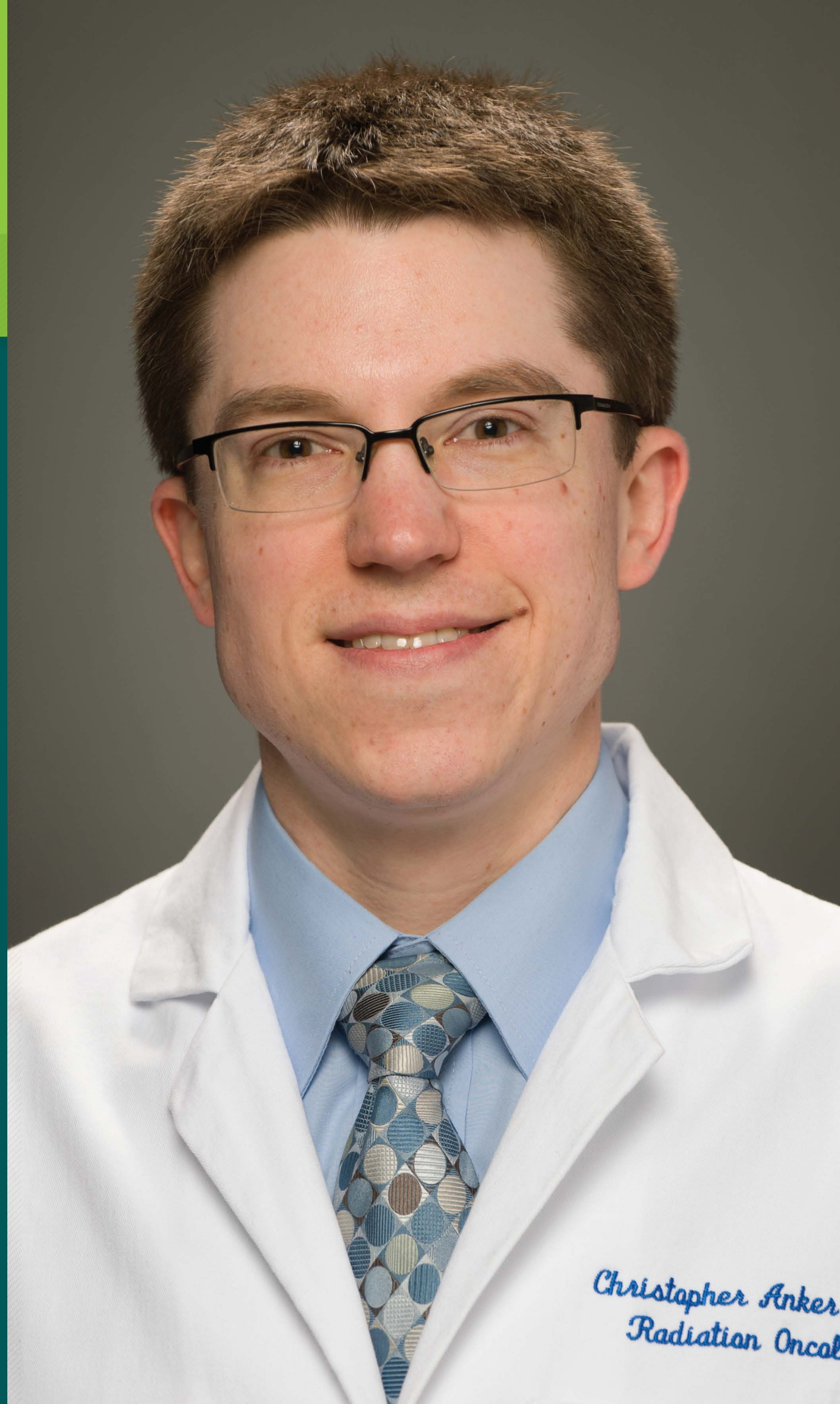
- ▶ M.D., State University of New York, Upstate Medical University, Syracuse
- ▶ Radiation Oncology Residency, University of Utah, Huntsman Cancer Hospital
- ▶ Chief Resident, University of Utah, Huntsman Cancer Hospital

Joined UVM in 2014 as an Assistant Professor.

Dr. Anker is the leader of the cutaneous oncology trans-disciplinary team, and also serves as the primary radiation oncologist for the lung and the Associate Director for the gastrointestinal cancer teams. He is a member of the Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group Melanoma and NRG Oncology Gastrointestinal Committees, bringing the most promising clinical trials to patients in the UVM network. He has four intra and extramural grants supporting his research interests in personalized and precision medicine. A member of the UVM Cancer Center, he has given didactic presentations at regional conferences, engaging the community at large in oncology education. He presents several lectures annually to undergraduate radiation therapy students and graduate medical staff. A reviewer for 12 professional publications, he was recently recognized as an Outstanding Reviewer for Elsevier, awarded to the top 10th percentile of reviewers for Practical Radiation Oncology. His service to the American Society for Radiation Oncology includes working as an abstract reviewer and scientific session moderator for the annual conference.



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Maria Mercedes Avila, Ph.D., MSW

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Pediatrics

- ▶ Ph.D. in Educational Leadership and Policy Studies, UVM
- ▶ Pre-doctoral Fellowship in Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities, UVM
- ▶ M.Ed. in Educational Leadership, UVM
- ▶ M.S.W., Social Work, UVM

Joined UVM in 2009 as Program Evaluator; promoted to Assistant Professor of Pediatrics and Adjunct Assistant Professor of Nursing in 2013; appointed as Adjunct Assistant Professor of Communication Sciences and Disorders in 2015.

Dr. Avila is Program Director for Vermont Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities, Chair of the State Disproportionate Minority Contact Committee, and Health Equity Inclusive Excellence Liaison at the Larner College of Medicine Office of Diversity and Inclusion. She also serves on the UVM President's Commission on Inclusive Excellence. Nationally, she is the past chair of the National Association of University Centers on Disabilities Multicultural Council and a Faculty Mentor for the National Center for Cultural Competence at Georgetown University's Leadership Institute for Cultural Diversity and Cultural and Linguistic Competence. She is Principal Investigator on two federally funded grants.



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Craig Bartlett, M.D.

PROFESSOR

Orthopaedics & Rehabilitation

- ▶ M.D., Albany Medical College
- ▶ Orthopaedic Surgery Residency, Mount Sinai Medical Center, New York
- ▶ Orthopaedic Traumatology Fellowship, The Hospital for Special Surgery, New York

Joined UVM in 1998 as an Assistant Clinical Professor; became an Assistant Professor in 2004. Promoted to Associate Professor in 2011.

Dr. Bartlett has spent the past 20 years at UVM caring for patients in clinic and using hands-on approaches to teach medical students and orthopaedic residents. He has introduced multiple new surgical techniques and technologies to UVM. He has trained nearly 60 orthopaedic residents, five times as many rotating medical students, and mentors new faculty members. He was instrumental in the redesign of the Orthopaedic Trauma Service, which cultivated a higher capacity to care for trauma patients, and created more opportunities for residents. His students have twice elected him Teacher of the Year. Dr. Bartlett has produced more than 50 publications, given nearly 20 presentations at national and international meetings, serves as a faculty member for over 90 regional and national courses, and has overseen three funded research projects.



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Shaden Eldakar-Hein, M.D., M.S., F.A.C.P.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Medicine

- ▶ M.D., Temple University School of Medicine
- ▶ M.S. in Bioethics, Albany Medical College
- ▶ Chief Medical Resident, Temple University Hospital, Philadelphia

Joined UVM in 2013 as an Assistant Professor of Medicine.

Dr. Eldakar-Hein is an Associate Residency Program Director of the Internal Medicine Residency program, a clinical hospitalist, and holds a dual appointment with the Department of Ethics. Her clinical work involves the daily education of residents and medical students. She has developed a new curriculum in ethics for graduate medical education that has been integrated by the UVM Medical Center for Internal Medicine residents. Dr. Eldakar-Hein was awarded the 2014 Osler Award for General Medicine Teacher of the Year. She was also recently inducted as a member of the UVM Teaching Academy. She serves on the UVM Committee for Advancement which evaluates students' progress throughout their medical education, and instituted a Resident Wellness Committee, which focuses on physician wellbeing. Dr. Eldakar-Hein is a member of the American College of Physicians, the Association of Program Direction in Internal Medicine, and the Society of General Internal Medicine.



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Nathan Endres, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation

- ▶ M.D., University of Rochester Medical School
- ▶ Orthopaedic Surgery Residency, UVM
- ▶ Shoulder Surgery Fellowship, Harvard Shoulder Service
- ▶ AO Orthopaedic Trauma Fellowship, Maine Medical Center, Portland
- ▶ Sports Medicine Fellowship, Brigham and Women's, Boston

Joined UVM as a Clinical Instructor of Orthopaedic Surgery in 2002; completed Orthopaedic Surgery Resident in 2006. Returned to UVM in 2008 as Assistant Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery.

Dr. Endres, a dedicated teacher of both medical students and orthopaedic surgery residents, received the Outstanding Resident Teacher Award in 2013. He regularly works with medical students in the clinical setting, and serves as a mentor and advisor for high school, undergraduate, physician's assistant and medical students. Dr. Endres has served as Chair of the UVM Orthopaedic Surgery Education Committee / CCC since 2009, as Chair of the Milestones Committee since 2013, and on two American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine national committees. He was selected to the AANA traveling fellowship in 2017. He is also a U.S. Ski Team physician and consultant for UVM and St. Michael's College athletics.



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Valerie Harder, Ph.D., M.H.S.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Pediatrics and Psychiatry

- ▶ Ph.D. in Epidemiology, Johns Hopkins University
- ▶ M.H.S. in Biostatistics, Johns Hopkins University

Joined UVM in 2009 as a Postdoctoral Fellow in Psychiatry at the Research Center for Children, Youth and Families. Became Assistant Professor of Psychiatry in 2010; moved to the Pediatrics Department as an Assistant Professor in 2013.

Dr. Harder is an epidemiologist/statistician on the research pathway. Since 2014 she has served as the Director of Health Services Research for the Vermont Child Health Improvement Program (VCHIP) and has developed curriculum for UVM's Master of Public Health program. Since arriving at UVM, Dr. Harder has written 30 peer-reviewed papers, with nine as the first author. She has received an NIH Career Development award and an NIH Research Grant, as well as two additional grants as principal investigator. She received the American Psychopathological Association's 10th Annual Robins/Guze Award, and in 2016 she was accepted as a trainee for the Fogarty International Center's Mobile Health Research Training Institute at the National Institutes of Health.



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Michael Hehir, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Neurological Sciences

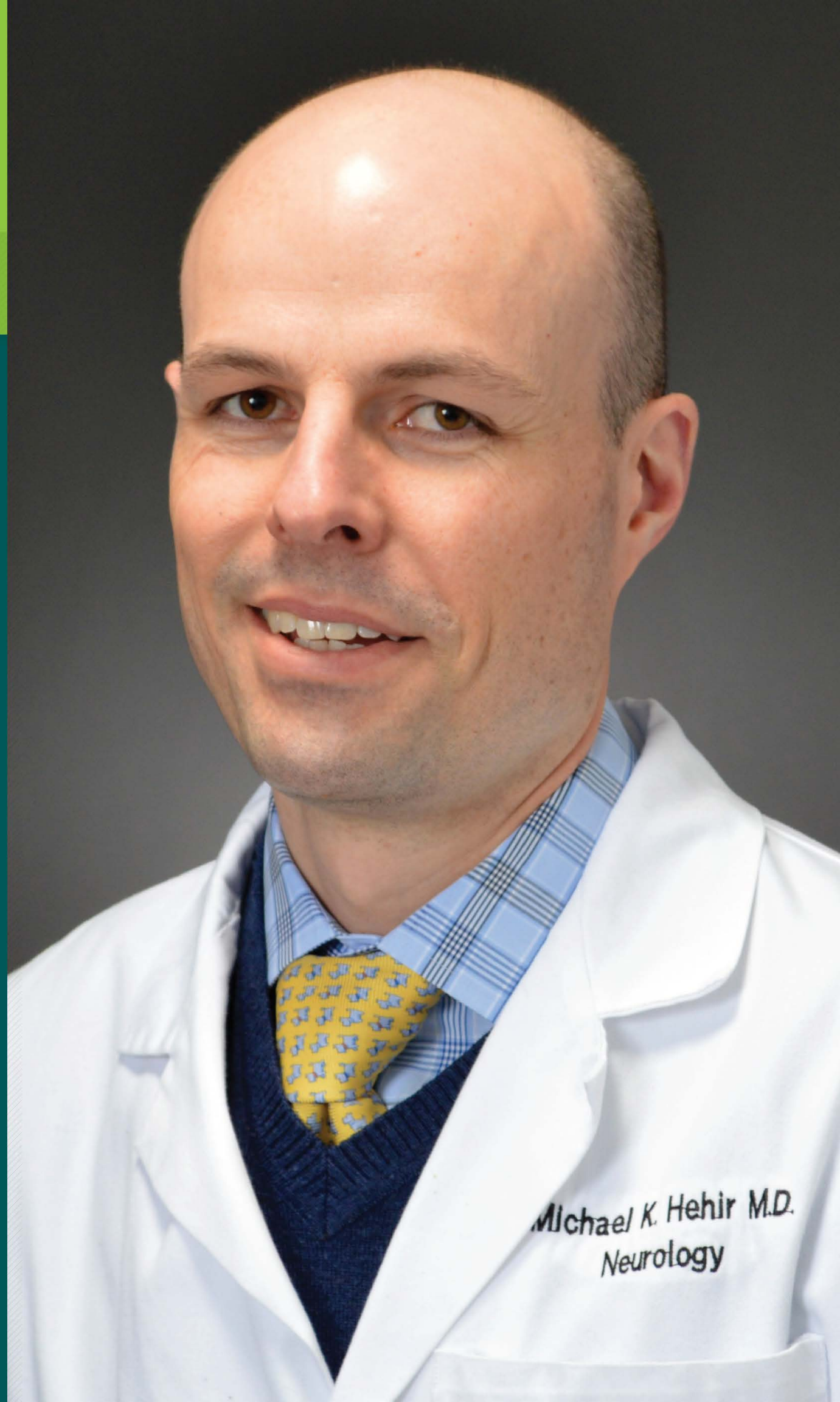
- ▶ M.D., University of Rochester School of Medicine
- ▶ Neurology Residency, University of Virginia
- ▶ Neuromuscular Medicine Fellowship, University of Rochester

Joined UVM in 2011 as an Assistant Professor of Neurosciences and an Attending Neurologist.

Dr. Hehir has served as Chief of the Division of Neuromuscular Medicine, Co-Director of the Comprehensive ALS Association ALS Clinic, and Director of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education accredited Neuromuscular Medicine Fellowship, and Chief of the Division of Neuromuscular Medicine. He has developed content for the neurosciences curriculum and the third-year neurology medical student clerkship, while also designing neuromuscular curriculum for the neurology residency and fellowship programs. In 2004, he was recognized by residents with the Neurology Faculty Teaching Award. He has received a three-year American Academy of Neurology - American Brain Foundation - Myasthenia Gravis Foundation of America (MGFA) Clinician Scientist Development Award. He was named Physician of the Year in 2016. He serves on the neuromuscular update committee for the American Academy of Neuromuscular and Electrodiagnostic Medicine, and regularly reviews manuscripts for medical journals.



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Elise Hotaling, M.D.

CLINICAL ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Radiology

- ▶ M.D., New York University School of Medicine
- ▶ Internal Medicine Intern and Residency, UVM
- ▶ Radiology Residency, UVM
- ▶ Radiology and Women's Imaging Fellowship, UVM

Joined UVM in 2008 as an Assistant Professor.

Dr. Hotaling has a dual board certification in both Internal Medicine and Radiology, with a particular interest in improving breast imaging education. Within the radiology curriculum she has created an interactive website that allows radiology residents to review pertinent information for their breast imaging rotation; developed a monthly multidisciplinary lecture critiquing the scientific literature and teaching the principles of evidence-based medicine and information technology; and co-created a breast simulation biopsy device. She and her colleagues hold a provisional patent on that device, and were awarded a UVM Ventures Grant in pursuit of the technology. Dr. Hotaling Serves on the Radiology Education Committee, the Medical Student and Radiology Resident Interview Committees, and is a member of the UVM Cancer Center. She also is Director of Breast Imaging for Imaging the World, an organization bringing ultrasound imaging into remote rural areas in Uganda.



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Clara M. Keegan, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Family Medicine

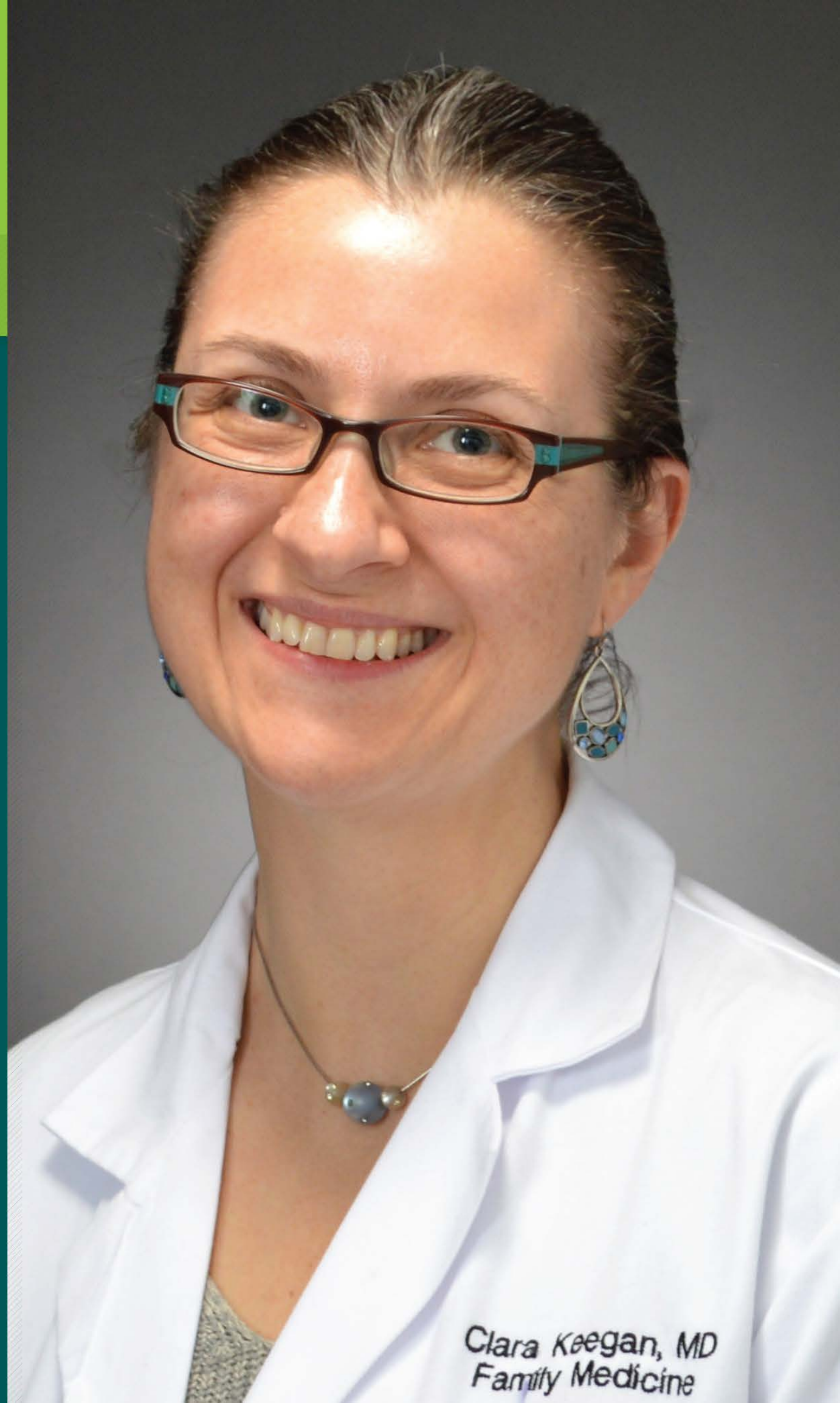
- ▶ M.D., Columbia University
- ▶ Family Medicine Residency, University of Massachusetts

Joined UVM in 2011 as an Assistant Professor of Family Medicine.

Dr. Keegan provides primary care to patients of all ages while educating residents. As a clinician, she integrates office-based procedures into her practice, including colonoscopy and skin biopsies, provides pre-natal care to women, and works as an attending physician for the Family Medicine Inpatient Service, supervising the residents' patient care. Dr. Keegan has been supported both by a Vermont Children's Health Improvement Program grant and by a Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services grant. Dr. Keegan is a member of the Medical Advisory Board for Planned Parenthood of Northern New England. She is a Fellow of the American Academy of Family Physicians, a member of the Teaching Academy, and a member of the Motivational Interviewing Network of Trainers. In 2012, she was a recipient of the UVM Department of Family Medicine Faculty Gold Star Award.



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Janusz K. Kikut, M.D.

PROFESSOR Radiology

- ▶ M.D., Medical University of Warsaw, Poland
- ▶ Residency in Diagnostic Radiology, New York Medical College, St. Vincent Campus
- ▶ Chief Resident in Nuclear Medicine, Albert Einstein College of Medicine
- ▶ Body and Musculoskeletal Imaging Fellowship, UVM Medical Center

Joined UVM in 2001 as an Assistant Professor of Radiology and Nuclear Medicine. Promoted to Associate Professor in 2007.

Dr. Kikut is an Attending Radiologist, Vice Chair of Radiology Informatics and Director of Nuclear Medicine and PET/CT at UVM Medical Center. His impact on the University includes directing the modernization of the molecular imaging facilities which offer the latest technology in a broad range of imaging. As a faculty member in the Department of Radiology, he is an active researcher and oversees the implementation and safety of nuclear imaging for numerous study protocols. An associate member of the UVM Cancer Center since 2016, he supervises measurements and readings for Cancer Center clinical trials. Dr. Kikut designed the Nuclear Medicine radiology resident curriculum and is currently the principal investigator for six research projects. He was honored as the Department of Radiology Teacher of the Year in 2009.



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Patricia King, M.D., Ph.D.

PROFESSOR Medicine

- ▶ Ph.D. in Physiology, Brown University
- ▶ M.D., University of Vermont
- ▶ Internal Medicine Residency, UVM
- ▶ Chief Resident of Internal Medicine, UVM

Joined UVM in 2000 as a Clinical Assistant Professor in General Internal Medicine and Geriatrics, promoted to Assistant Professor in 2011, and to Associate Professor in 2013.

Dr. King has served as a course director, course developer, small group leader, lecturer, and one-on-one clinical teacher in the out-patient office setting, spanning four years of the medical curriculum. She designed, developed, and directed the Convergence course, a problem-based learning class. In 2015, she was inducted into the Teaching Academy at the level of Master Teacher, and is a member of the Teaching Academy Advisory Council. Dr. King developed the medical school curriculum for the “Teaching Medical Regulation and Licensure in Undergraduate Medical Education” course; for her work on this course, she received a Frymoyer Scholars Award, and was asked to chair a Federation of State Medical Boards national workgroup on the subject. Dr. King has published over 30 peer-reviewed pieces, with 22 as first author. She is Chair-elect of both the Federation of State Medical Boards and the USMLE Composite Committee.



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Jacob A. Martin, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Anesthesiology

- ▶ M.D., University of Vermont
- ▶ Internship and Residency, UVM
- ▶ Chief Resident of Anesthesiology, UVM
- ▶ Cardiothoracic Fellowship, Massachusetts General Hospital

Joined UVM in 2013 as an Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology.

Dr. Martin has served as the Director of Cardiothoracic and Vascular Anesthesia since 2011, and is a dedicated educator of peers, residents, medical students, and other health care providers. He was voted Department of Anesthesiology Faculty Teacher of the Year in 2010 by resident physicians. He is the Division Leader for Cardiothoracic and Vascular Anesthesia and the lead coordinator of the Department of Anesthesiology's involvement in Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement trials. Dr. Martin is a member of the American Society of Anesthesiologists, the Society of Cardiovascular Anesthesiologists, the National Board of Echocardiography, the International Anesthesia Research Society, and the Foundation for Anesthesia Education and Research, where he is a mentor. He is also the co-author of numerous peer-reviewed publications.



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Isaura Menzies, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Medicine

- ▶ M.D., SUNY Stony Brook
- ▶ Internal Medicine Residency, University of Rochester Medical Center
- ▶ Geriatrics Fellowship, University of Rochester Medical Center

Joined UVM in 2012 as an Assistant Professor.

Dr. Menzies is a primary care physician of internal medicine with a specialization in geriatrics. In her teaching, she uses interactive techniques such as flipped classrooms, team-based learning, workshops, and role play, and her effectiveness has been demonstrated in positive evaluations from her students, and in her colleagues' eagerness to seek out her expertise.

Dr. Menzies is a clinical advisory board member with One Care Vermont. She is an active member of the American Geriatric Society, American Association of Geriatric Psychiatrists, the Association for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care, the American College of Physicians, and the Society for General Internal Medicine.



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Vincent J. Miller, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Anesthesiology

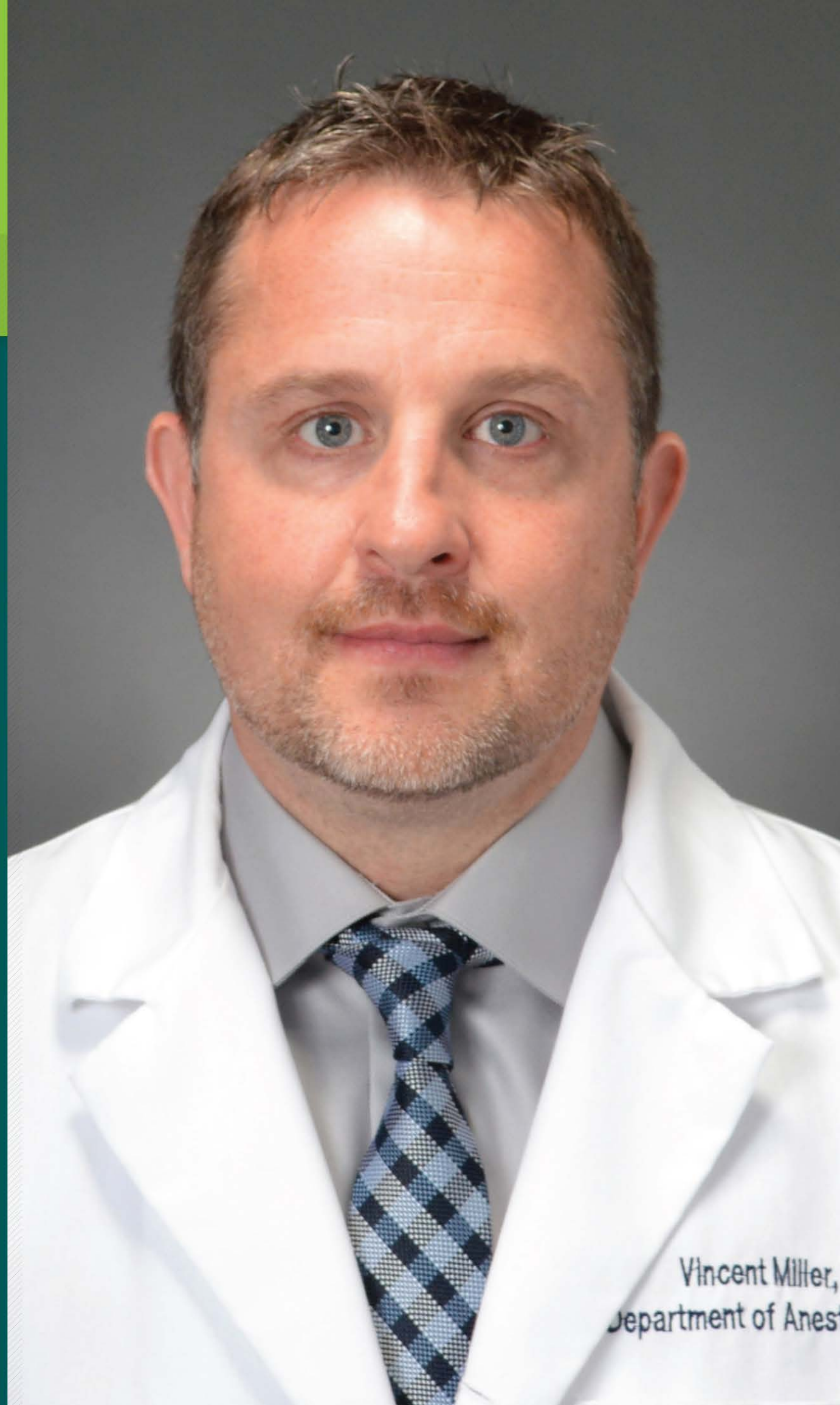
- ▶ M.D., American University of the Caribbean Cupecoy, St. Maarten, N.A.
- ▶ Anesthesiology Residency, University of Pittsburgh
- ▶ Anesthesiology Residency, UVM

Joined UVM in 2005 as a Clinical Instructor of Anesthesiology. Promoted to Assistant Professor in 2011.

Dr. Miller teaches medical students, residents, and staff. He is Interim Director of Clinical Simulation, Director of Simulation for the Department of Anesthesiology, and leads over 20 instructive simulations a year. He was the co-developer for UVM's standardized central line training. He has been a member of the Medical Curriculum Committee for two years, and chaired the Larner College of Medicine Advancement Committee for two years. He was instrumental in gaining accreditation for the Clinical Simulation Laboratory from the American College of Surgeons Accredited Education Institutes and from the Society for Simulation in Healthcare. He was named the UVM Department of Anesthesiology Resident Teacher of the Year in 2013 and the UVM Department of Anesthesiology Top Quartile Resident Educator in 2016.



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Jesse S. Moore, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Surgery

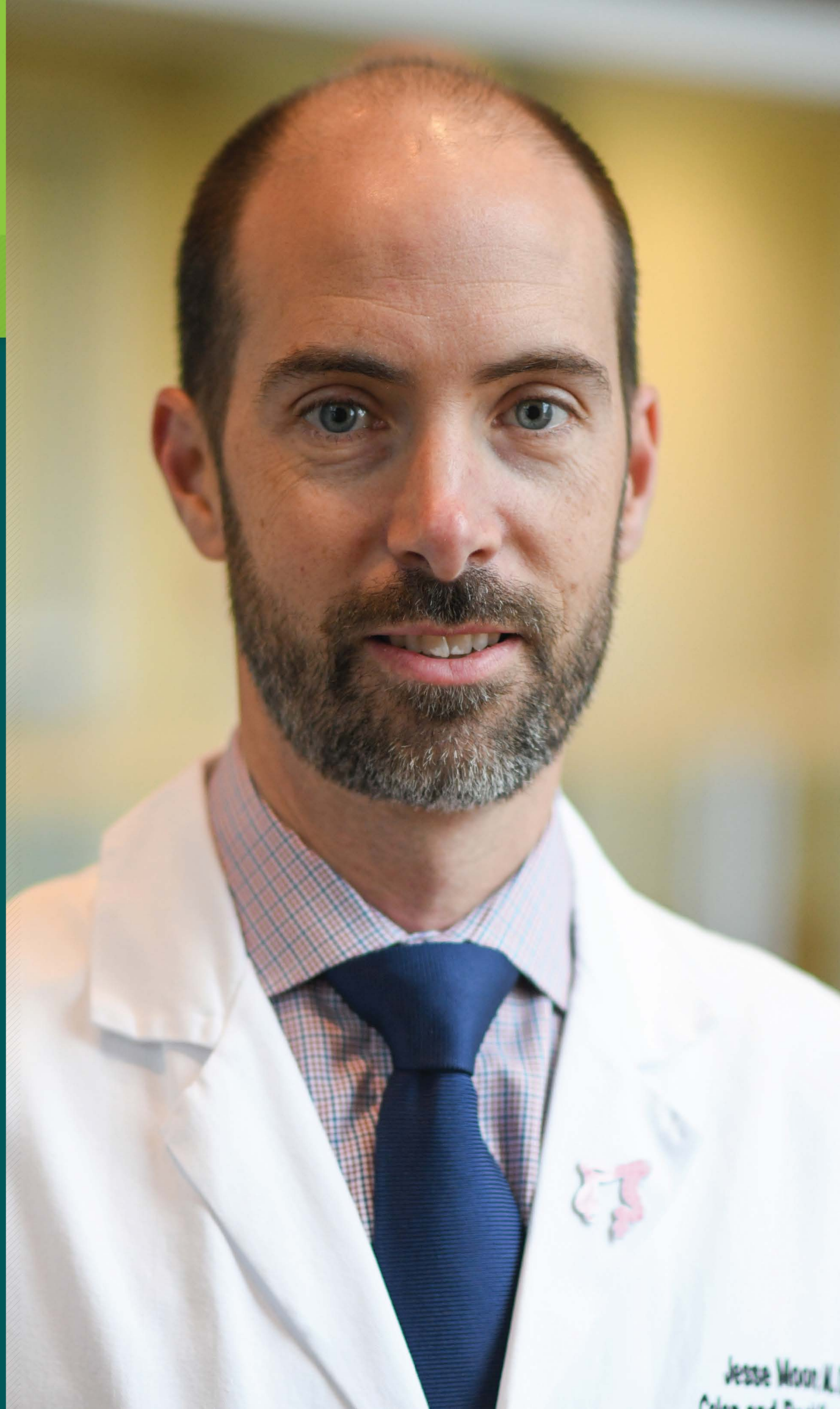
- ▶ M.D. 2004, State University of New York Downstate Medical School, Brooklyn, N.Y.
- ▶ Fellowship in Research in Medical Outcomes, UVM.
- ▶ General Surgery Resident, UVM
- ▶ Fellowship in Department of Colon and Rectal Surgery, Mayo Clinic Rochester, Minn.

Joined UVM in 2011 as an Assistant Professor of Surgery.

Dr. Moore was Surgery Clerkship Director from 2012 to 2017. He is Chair of the Association of Surgical Education Clerkship Director's Committee. In that role he has worked on a national curriculum for the surgery clerkship and has coordinated collaboration with the National Board of Medical Examiners to ensure the surgery subject exam matches surgery clerkship curricula nationally. In 2017 Dr. Moore was appointed Director of Active Learning for the Larner College of Medicine. He was elected to the Larner College of Medicine Medical Curriculum Committee in 2014 and has been a member of the Teaching Academy since 2015. He was elected to the Alpha Omega Alpha honor society by the Class of 2017. He is a fellow of the American Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons, and serves on two of its education-focused committees. He has authored journal articles and book chapters in colon and rectal surgery and surgical education.



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Allen B. Repp, M.D.

PROFESSOR Medicine

- ▶ M.D., University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas
- ▶ Residency, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, Mass.
- ▶ M.Sc. in Health Care Management, Harvard School of Public Health

Joined UVM in 2003 as a Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine. Promoted to Assistant Professor in 2010, and to Associate Professor in 2011.

Dr. Repp is an internal medicine faculty physician with a focus in hospital medicine and quality of patient care. He teaches medical students as part of the Internal Medicine Clinical Clerkship, and has led the re-establishment of a Clinical Tutor Program. He serves as the Vice Chair for Quality in the Department of Medicine, and develops curricula for trainees and students. He has directed several research projects, including a multi-hospital effort to reduce unnecessary laboratory testing. He has been recognized with fellowship status by the Society of Hospital Medicine and the American College of Physicians. Dr. Repp has published 10 peer-reviewed articles, participated in dozens of local, regional, and national presentations, and is an ad hoc reviewer for the *Journal of Hospital Medicine* and the *Journal for Healthcare Quality*.



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Joseph Shields, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Radiology

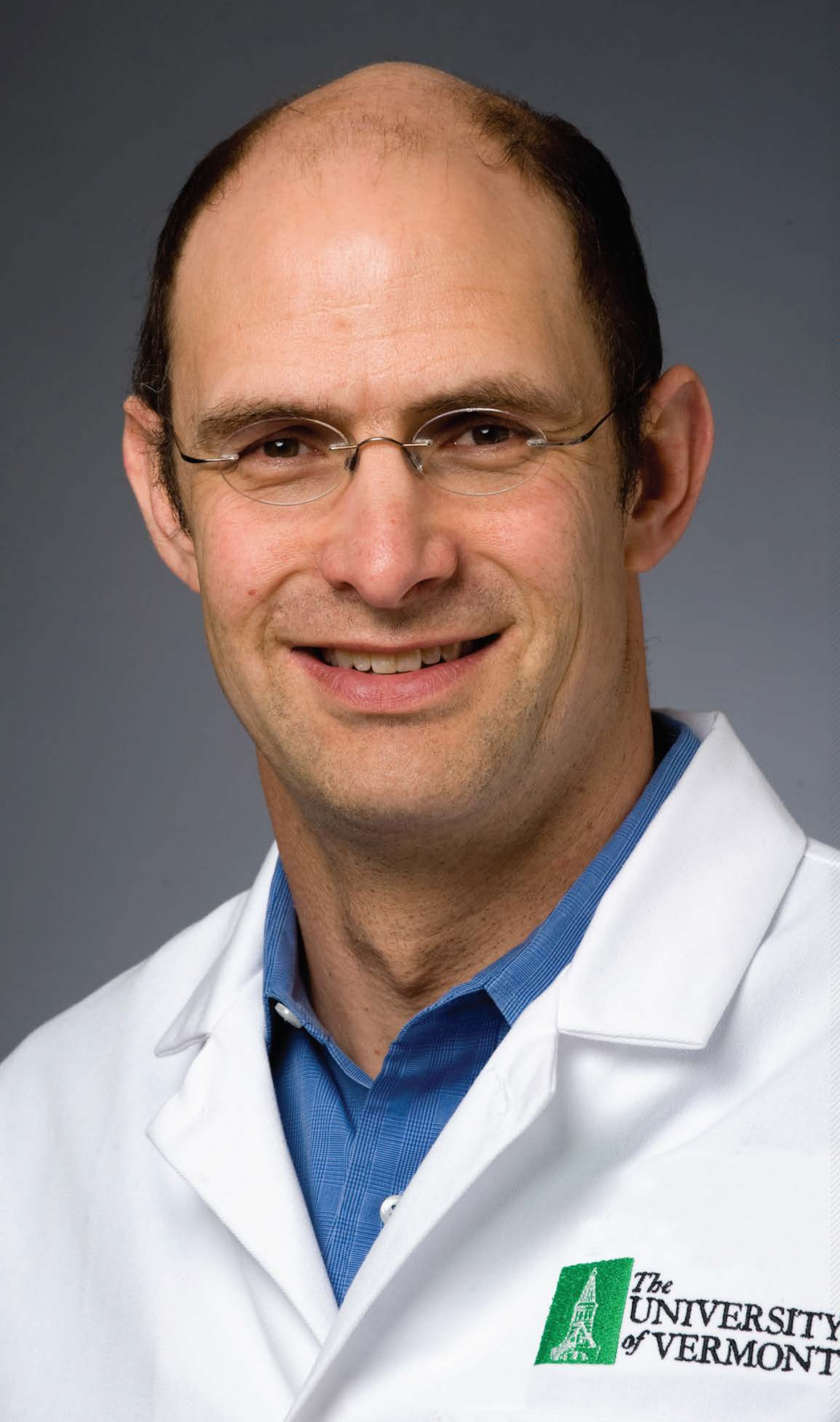
- ▶ M.D., University of Vermont
- ▶ Medical Internship, Berkshire Medical Center
- ▶ Radiology Residency, UVM
- ▶ Interventional Radiology Fellowship, UVM

Joined UVM in 2007 as an Assistant Professor of Radiology.

Dr. Shields teaches fellows, radiology residents, medical students and staff in interventional radiology. In 2013 was given the Interventional Radiology Section of the Year Award by his department. He serves as the Program Director for Interventional Radiology fellowship, and is actively involved in curriculum design and fellow education. Dr. Shields is the author of nearly a dozen peer-reviewed articles, and was twice the recipient of a teaching recognition award: once in 2013 from the UVM Medical Center, and once in 2016 from the Larner College of Medicine. He is a member of numerous professional committees, including the Radiology Professional Practice Committee, a transdisciplinary Interventional Radiology Committee that examines optimal ways of delivering patient care.



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James Slauterbeck, M.D.

PROFESSOR

Orthopaedics & Rehabilitation and Pediatrics

- ▶ M.D., University of Arizona
- ▶ Residency, University of New Mexico
- ▶ Sports Medicine Fellowship, Clinical and Basic Science Research, UCLA
- ▶ International Traveling Fellowship, American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine

Joined UVM as a tenured Associate Professor of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation in 2004; secondary appointment as an Associate Professor of Pediatrics in 2005.

Dr. Slauterbeck has since 2004 been the team orthopaedic surgeon for the UVM varsity athletic program and leads an outreach to over 14 high schools in the community. He has dedicated his scholarly career to the study of Anterior Cruciate Ligament (ACL) injury risk and injury prevention. He currently has grants from the Orthopedic Research and Education Foundation to study lower extremity injury prevention in local high schools, Children's Miracle Network to assist middle schools implementing injury prevention programs in middle schools, and is an investigator on two NIH awards looking at natural history and prevention of muscle atrophy after ACL injury. He has published over 90 peer-reviewed articles. He is the recipient of the O'Donoghue Sports Injury Research Award for assisting in developing the largest U.S. database on ACL re-injury. He is a member of the American Orthopaedic Association, the American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine, the Orthopedic Research Society, and the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons.



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Andrew Solomon, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Neurological Sciences

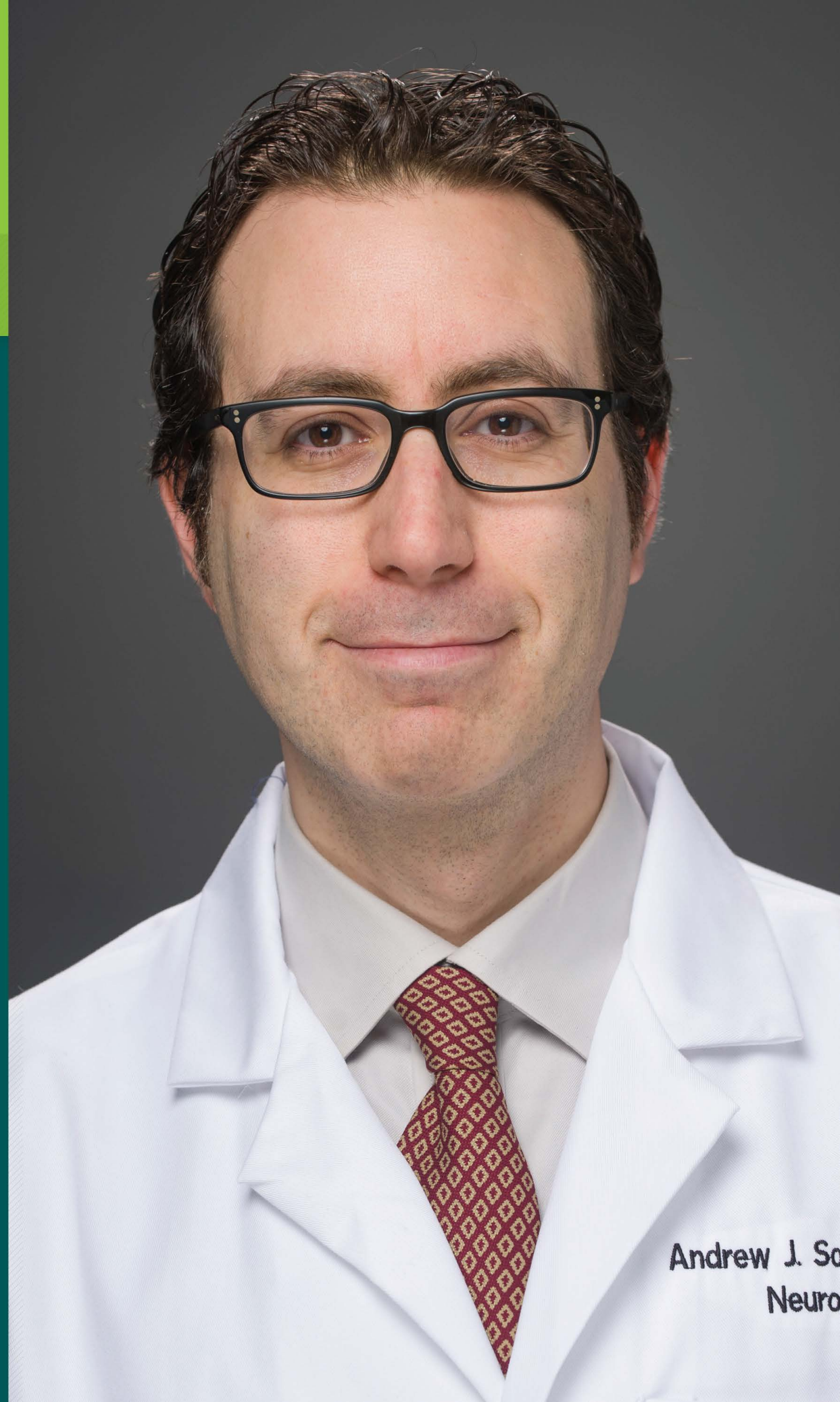
- ▶ M.D., Mount Sinai School of Medicine
- ▶ Internal Medicine Internship, Oregon Health & Science University and Portland VA Medical Center
- ▶ Neurology Residency, Oregon Health & Science University and Portland VA Medical Center
- ▶ Neuroimmunology Fellowship, Oregon Health & Science University and Portland VA Medical Center

Joined UVM in 2011 as an Assistant Professor of Neurology.

Dr. Solomon is Division Chief of Multiple Sclerosis. Dr. Solomon is often asked to speak for educational events for providers and on his research in MS nationally and internationally. He is the Principal Investigator on a number of investigator-initiated projects focused on improving the diagnosis of MS, has received numerous pilot grants and is first author on 16 peer-reviewed articles. Dr. Solomon served as a faculty senator, serves on the Clinical Education Metrics Committee, is part of the Residency Program Evaluation Committee for the UVM Neurology Residency, and is a faculty mentor for neurology residents and medical students in the Professionalism, Communication, and Reflection course.



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Andrew J. Solomon, M.D.
Neurology

Julian R. Sprague, Ph.D., M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Medicine

- ▶ M.D., University of Virginia School of Medicine
- ▶ Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry, Northwestern University
- ▶ Medicine Residency, UVM
- ▶ Hematology/Oncology Fellowship, UVM

Joined UVM in 2007 as an Assistant Professor of Medicine.

Dr. Sprague has been Director of Stem Cell Transplant, Clinical Director of Apheresis, and Program Director for the Hematology/Oncology Fellowship Program. He was named Program Director of the UVM Bone Marrow Transplant Program in 2012. As Program Director of the Hematology/Oncology fellowship, he implemented the Next Accreditation System, and has overseen the remaking of the fellowship didactic system. A Medical School Curriculum Committee member, in 2014 he was appointed a section instructor in the Professionalism, Communication, and Reflection course for first-year medical students. He serves on the Committee on Training of the American Society of Hematology. He has published 24 peer-reviewed contributions to academic literature.



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Charlotte Teneback, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Medicine

- ▶ M.D., Medical University of South Carolina
- ▶ Internal Medicine Internship and Residency, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center
- ▶ Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine Fellowship, University of Vermont

Joined UVM in 2010 as a Clinical Instructor of Medicine. Promoted to Assistant Professor in 2011.

Dr. Teneback provides clinical care while training and supervising medical students, residents, and fellows in Pulmonary Critical Care. She has particular interest in Cystic Fibrosis (CF), and serves as the Associate Director of the Adult Cystic Fibrosis Program. She heads the local CF clinical research program, and is the Principal Investigator on numerous interventional and noninterventional studies. As part of her work, she has spoken at the national meetings of the Therapeutic Development Network, focused on new CF therapies, and the American Association for Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation. Dr. Teneback is also the Program Director for the Pulmonary Rehabilitation Program at the UVM Medical Center. She has published nearly 20 journal articles and book chapters, and was the 2015 UVM Junior Researcher of the Year recipient.



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Michael J. Toth, Ph.D.

PROFESSOR Medicine

- ▶ Ph.D. in Physiology, University of Maryland at Baltimore
- ▶ Postdoc, University of Vermont

Joined UVM in 1998 as a Research Assistant Professor of Medicine. Promoted to Assistant Professor in 2003, with a secondary appointment in Department of Molecular Physiology and Biophysics. Promoted to Associate Professor with Tenure in 2008, with a secondary appointment to Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology in 2009, and the Department of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation in 2015.

Dr. Toth's work focuses on understanding skeletal muscle biology in aging and disease in humans and devising interventions to prevent disability. He currently holds four NIH grants, and has been consistently funded by the NIH for 20 years. He has published over 100 peer-reviewed studies. Dr. Toth has been a sitting member and ad hoc reviewer for NIH study sections and is on the editorial board of the *American Journal of Physiology: Endocrinology and Metabolism*, the *Journal of Cellular Biochemistry*. In 2014 he was the recipient of the UVM Silver Stethoscope Teaching Award.



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Matthew J. Wargo, Ph.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, WITH TENURE
Microbiology & Molecular Genetics

- ▶ Ph.D. in Biology, Dartmouth College
- ▶ Postdoc in Microbiology and Immunology, Dartmouth Medical School
- ▶ Postdoc in Medicine, University of Vermont
- ▶ M.S. in Botany, Texas A&M University

Joined UVM in 2009 as an Assistant Professor of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics.

Dr. Wargo studies bacterial lung infections, work consistently funded by the National Institutes of Health, NASA, and the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. He has published more than thirty senior-author and co-authored research articles with colleagues at UVM and elsewhere, and published review articles and book chapters on bacterial metabolism. Dr. Wargo is the Course Director for the Prokaryotic Molecular Genetics course, and teaches in CMB program and Medical Education courses. He enjoys mentoring the graduate students who conduct research in his laboratory, as well as the 27 undergraduate researchers he has mentored. Dr. Wargo was named a Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow in 2013 and was awarded the Outstanding Faculty Advisor award from the UVM Graduate Student Senate in 2013. He is a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and the American Society for Microbiology.



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Peter E. Weimersheimer, M.D.

PROFESSOR Surgery

- ▶ M.D., University of Vermont
- ▶ Internal Medicine Internship, UVM
- ▶ Emergency Medicine Residency, Boston Medical Center
- ▶ Emergency Medicine Ultrasound Fellowship, Ultrasound Leadership Academy.

Joined UVM in 2009 as an Assistant Professor of Surgery, promoted to Associate Professor in 2010.

Dr. Weimersheimer is Director of Clinical Ultrasound in the Division of Emergency Medicine, former Division Chief of Emergency Medicine, and Chair of the UVM Health Network special council. During his tenure, he obtained approval and funding for an academic emergency residency program. He developed regional emergency medicine practice guidelines and advanced network integration of emergency patient care. He created a pediatric Emergency Department and recruited the medical center's first academic pediatric emergency specialist. He has also built a Point of Care Ultrasound (POCUS) Program, and lectures on POCUS internationally. He has developed many Emergency Medicine related educational offerings and actively pursues research. Research activities include the Pulmonary Embolism Quality Metric and ED Imaging for Patients with Suspected Renal Colic. He was given the John H. Davis Award from the UVM Department of Surgery, and in 2013 UVM established the Peter Weimersheimer Professorship of Emergency Medicine.



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Christina Wojewoda, M.D.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Pathology

- ▶ M.D., University of Illinois College of Medicine
- ▶ Anatomic and Clinical Pathology Residency, University Hospitals Case Medical Center
- ▶ Chief Resident, University Hospitals Case Medical Center, Cleveland, OH
- ▶ Clinical Microbiology Fellowship, Cleveland Clinic Foundation

Joined UVM in 2012 as Assistant Professor of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine.

Dr. Wojewoda is the Director of Clinical Microbiology and the Associate Director of the Pathology Residency Program. She has collaborated to develop and direct a new formal mentoring program for incoming pathology residents, and is the Course Director for her department's clinician elective. She is an ad hoc reviewer for numerous professional journals, and has authored or co-authored several peer-reviewed research papers. She has also given several local and national presentations. Dr. Wojewoda serves as the State Commissioner for Vermont, New Hampshire and Western Massachusetts for the College of American Pathologists, and was recognized by the American Society for Clinical Pathology's "40 Under 40" program in 2015.



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