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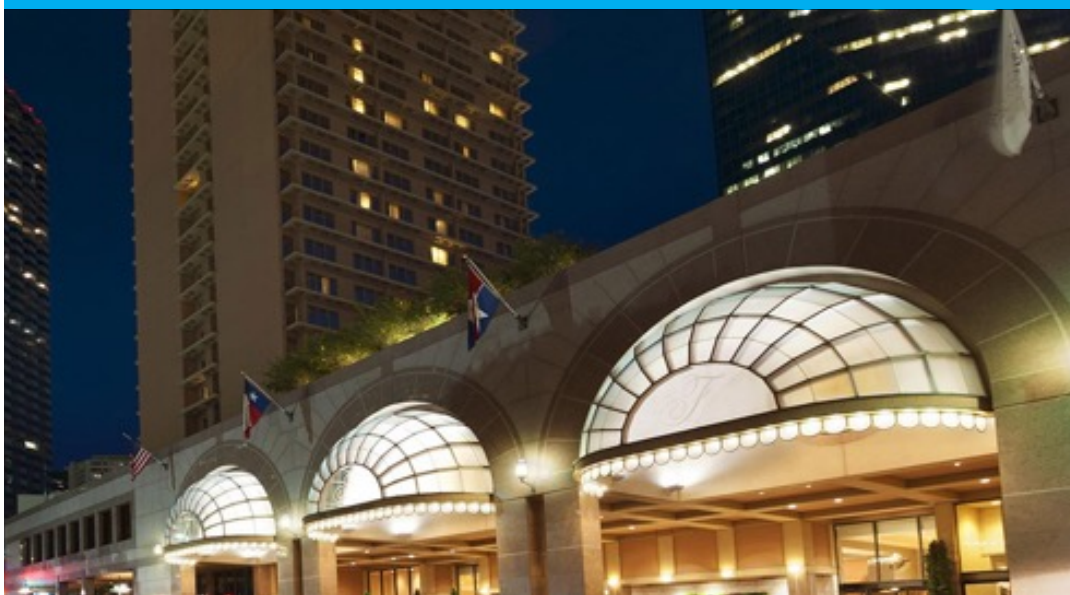
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Greetings from the NAME Foundation. This is the second and final Newsletter of 2022. The focus of the Newsletter is on this year's annual NAME meeting, which took place in Dallas, TX, from October 14-18, 2022. It was the 56th Annual Meeting of the National Association of Medical Examiners. The meeting was well-attended, with a total number of paid attendees of 564, and 40 vendors.

2022 NAME ANNUAL MEETING



The Dallas Fairmont hotel, site of the 2022 NAME Annual Meeting, which represented the 56th annual meeting of the National Association of Medical Examiners.

2022 NAME Annual Meeting

The meeting was filled with a wide variety of interesting and educational presentations related to forensic pathology and death investigation, as well as numerous social activities. Following the usual Friday morning/afternoon meetings of the Board of Directors and various committees, as well as the International Attendee reception, the meeting officially began with the opening Welcome Reception and dinner, taking place on Friday evening in the Vendor Hall. Other social events included the annual resident/fellow reception, the 24th Annual Rigor Run/Walk, the 27th Annual Randy Hanzlick Memorial Cadaver Open Golf Tournament, and the annual Femme Fatale Luncheon (Monday, October 17). A variety of committee meetings occurred during the meeting, including the Strategic Planning Committee and the Past Presidents' Committee.



Opening Reception – Food, drink, and socializing.



Opening Reception – Old and new friends.



Opening Reception – Fellowship and vendors.



International Relations Committee Chair Dr. Kim Collins speaks at the International Attendee Reception.



International Attendee Reception.



Opening Reception – Lot of food and socializing.



MJ Menendez and NAME President Dr. Kathy Pinneri welcome residents and fellows to the annual resident/fellow reception.



Opening Reception - Good times for all.



The annual Resident/Fellow reception was well-attended and included a very popular outdoor venue.



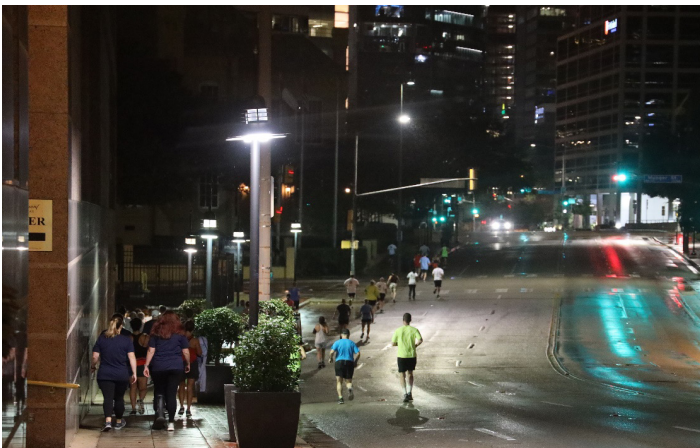
Opening Reception – People and products.



The Resident/Fellow reception also had an indoor venue.



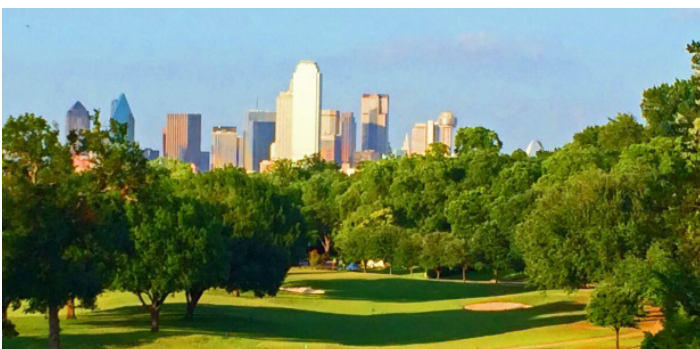
Over 50 souls braved the dark and wet early morning hours of downtown Dallas to participate in the annual 5k Rigor Run/Walk, sponsored by the Denton family.



Thanks to leader Dan Dye, everyone made it back safely to the hotel after the Rigor Run/Walk.



The Cadaver Open winning team: Robert Winter, Bruce Fetterer, Michael Gilbert, and Jeff Monroe.



Stevens Park Golf Course, Dallas, TX, was the site of the annual Randy Hanzlick Memorial Cadaver Open.



The 2022 Femme Fatale Luncheon.



Attendees at the 2022 Past Presidents' Committee luncheon. Back row L-R: Andy Baker, Marcus Nashelsky, Mike Bell, Ross Zumwalt, Kim Collins, Ed Donoghue, Lakshmanan Sathyavagiswaran, Mary Ann Sens, Jeff Jentzen; Front row L-R: Sally Aiken, Joe Prahlow, Tom Noguchi, Greg Schmunk.

Scientific Program

2022 Program Chair Robert Stoppacher and his team put together an outstanding educational program. There were 185 presentations scheduled, including more than 50 by students and/or residents/fellows. There were 3 poster sessions, one each on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday. Oral/platform presentation sessions occurred on Saturday, Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday. A special workshop related to imaging technology occurred on Tuesday afternoon. A special Diversity, Stress, and Wellness session occurred on Tuesday morning. There was also the annual Chief's breakfast, which took place on Monday morning.



NAME President Dr. Kathryn Pinneri welcomed everyone to the official start of the scientific sessions at 0800 on Saturday morning.



Program Chair Dr. Rob Stoppacher, along with moderators Dr. Michelle Jordan and Dr. Timothy Fagen, welcome attendees to the first scientific session on Saturday morning.



The scientific sessions were outstanding. Thanks to Rob Stoppacher for putting together an extremely educational program.



Dr. Charles Rohrer gave one of the many outstanding presentations delivered during the resident/fellow best platform presentation competition on Saturday.



Medical student Maggie Smith gave a presentation about fatal gunshot wounds from dropped weapons. Maggie's presentation was one of many outstanding student papers presented on Sunday.



Dr. Batoul Aoun presented a series of deaths related to sodium nitrite toxicity.



Dr. Hannah Jarvis from Houston gave a presentation of fatalities occurring at shooting ranges.



Even those seated in the back of the room paid close attention to the presentations!



Dr. Steven Hemberger gave a very educational and entertaining talk about an unfortunate fatality secondary to a faulty airbag.



The success of the NAME meeting depends on many volunteers, including moderators for the scientific sessions. Here, forensic pathology fellow Marcel Castor and Strategic Planning Committee Chair MJ Menendez serve as moderators for a session.



Dr. Marissa Jacob-Leonce gave a presentation on non-natural deaths of US citizens while abroad.



Each scientific session was followed by time set aside for questions and answers.



Dr. Edward McDonough paid special tribute to the life and career of Dr. Charles Petty.



Dr. Laura Knight from Reno was one of the moderators for a special session devoted to diversity, stress, and wellness, which took place on Tuesday morning.



Dr. Lakshmanan Sathyavagiswaran gave a presentation about a murder in India from 1952.



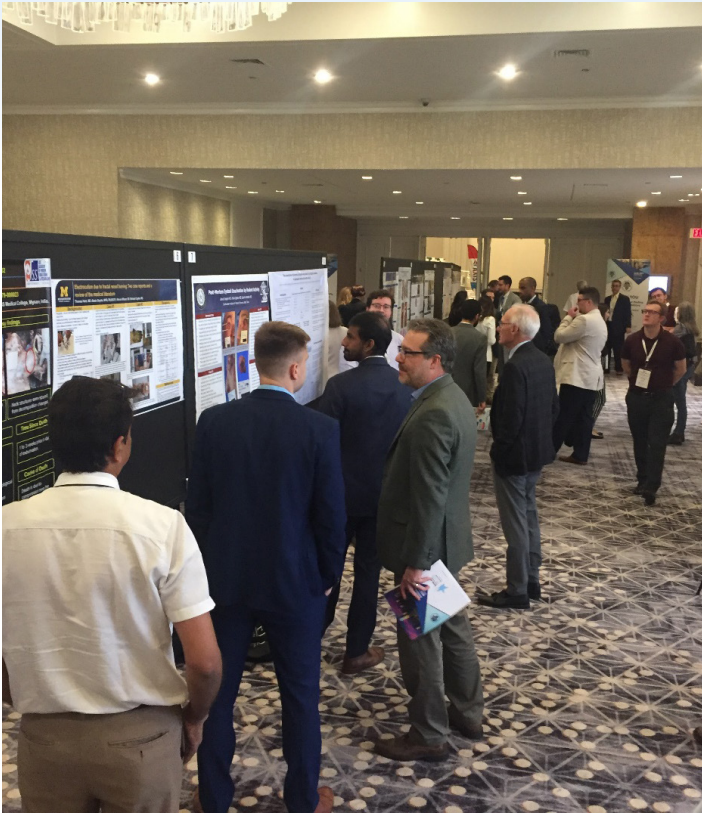
Dr. Jan Gorniak co-presented a session on diversity and inclusion.



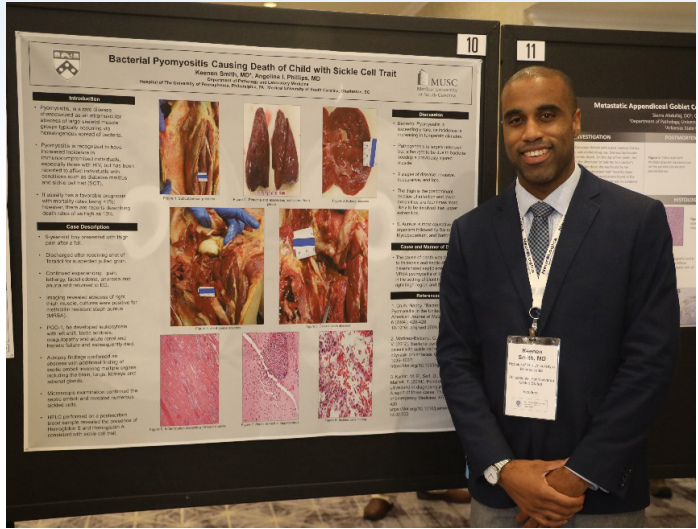
Dr. Jose Pachar reported on mediolegal death investigation in Panama. Dr. Pachar's was one of several presentations given by our international colleagues.



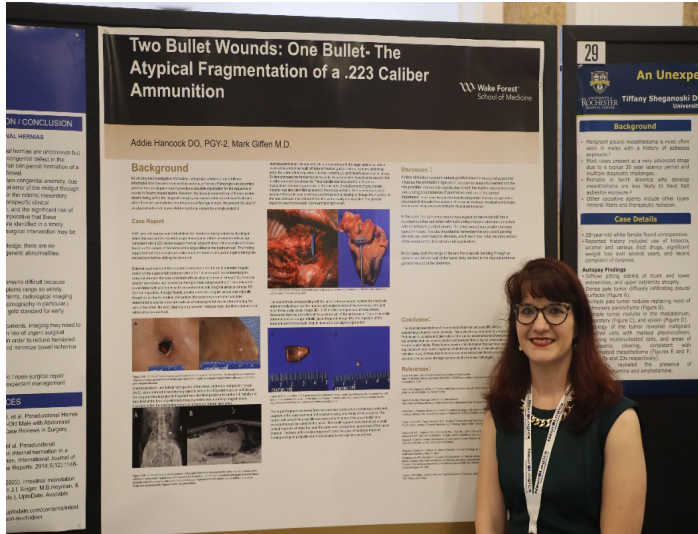
Dr. Nicole Jackson from Seattle/King County was Jan's co-presenter.



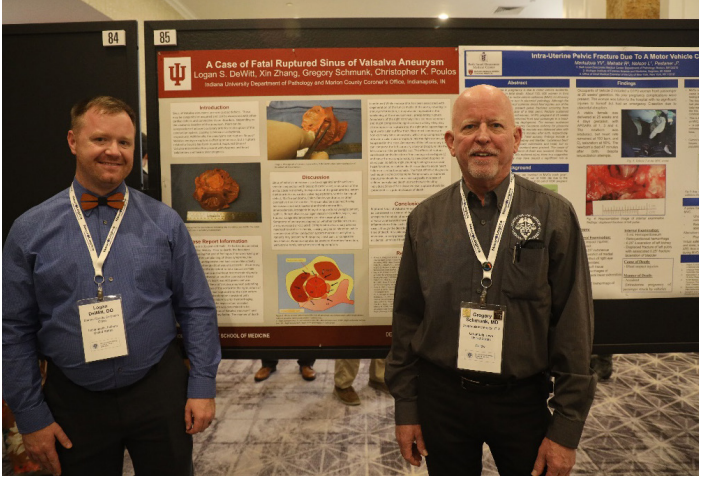
Poster sessions occurred on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, with a total of more than 90 posters presented.



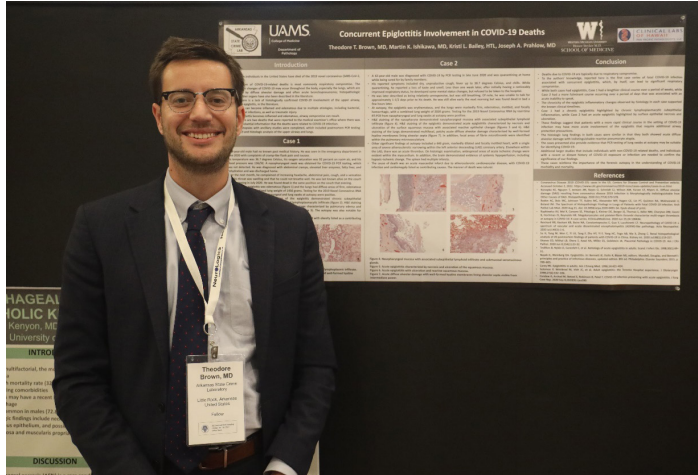
Poster presentation by Keenen Smith, MD.



Poster presentation by Addie Hancock, DO.



Poster presenter Logan DeWitt, DO, with coauthor Greg Schmunk, MD.



Poster presentation by Ted Brown, MD.



Mentoring opportunities between veteran and young NAME colleagues was on display at the 2022 NAME Annual Meeting.



Jeff Jentzen, MD, presented on Jeffrey Dahmer as the featured speaker at the Foundation's Saturday evening fundraising event.



The 2022 Chief Breakfast/Workshop.



Jeff provided the audience with a very educational look into the Jeffrey Dahmer story.

NAME Foundation Events at the 2022 Annual Meeting

The NAME Foundation “special event” occurred on Saturday, October 15, from 8:00 pm until 10:00 pm and featured Dr. Jeff Jentzen, who presented “The Jeffrey Dahmer Death Investigation: Questions and Answers 30 Years Later.” The event was well-attended and was a resounding success. Thanks to Jeff and all who attended. The event raised over \$7000 for the Foundation.

The annual Silent Auction was an “in-person” event again this year and raised over \$9000 for the Foundation. Thanks to Dr. Kim Collins and her team, as well as all who donated and bid on auction items!



The Silent Auction was a great success thanks to all the donors and bidders.

The annual 50/50 raffle was won by Margaret Warner, who very graciously donated her winnings back to the Foundation, for a total fundraising effort of \$1680.

Two other “spur of the moment” Foundation fundraising activities also occurred at the meeting. In addition to doing the Saturday Evening event, Jeff Jentzen donated multiple Jeffrey Dahmer DVDs to those who made an additional donation to the Foundation. Also, Bill Rodriguez brought and donated several dozen ceramic microscopes with skulls available for a donation to the Foundation. These two additional fundraisers brought in an additional \$1090 for the Foundation. Thank you Jeff and Bill!

Thanks to the many generous donations to the NAME Foundation this year, 51 students and residents who presented papers at the meeting and met the established criteria for eligibility will be receiving a travel stipend from the NAME Foundation in the amount of \$250 per student/resident.

In addition to the travel stipends, the NAME Foundation continues to fund various awards at the NAME Annual Meeting, including the Best

Resident and Best Student poster and platform presentations, and the Best Affiliate presentation (see list below).

Annual Awards Banquet

The Annual Awards Banquet took place at noon on Tuesday and featured Dr. Mary Case, who was the recipient of the George E. Gantner, Jr., MD Annual Lecturer Award. Dr. Case’s lecture was “A Long Life in the Medical Examiner’s World and Lessons Learned.” Congratulations Mary!



The annual Awards Luncheon/Banquet.



Good food and good fellowship.



Dr. Mary Case, the 2022 George E. Gantner, Jr. MD Lecturer.



Dr. Fabiola Righi – Outstanding Service Award.



Mary Case receiving the Gantner Award from President Pinneri.



Dr. Rob Stoppacher – Outstanding Service Award.

Other awards presented by NAME and President Pinneri, included the following:

Outstanding Service Awards: Kelly C. Lear, MD; Fabiola A. Righi, DO; Robert Stoppacher, MD.

Iceberg Award: Sally S. Aiken, MD; Brandi C. McCleskey, MD

Crystal Star Award: James R. Gill, MD

Randy Lee Hanzlick Persistence Award: Ponni Arunkumar, MD



Dr. Sally Aiken – Iceberg Award.



Dr. Ponni Arunkumar – Hanzlick Persistence Award.

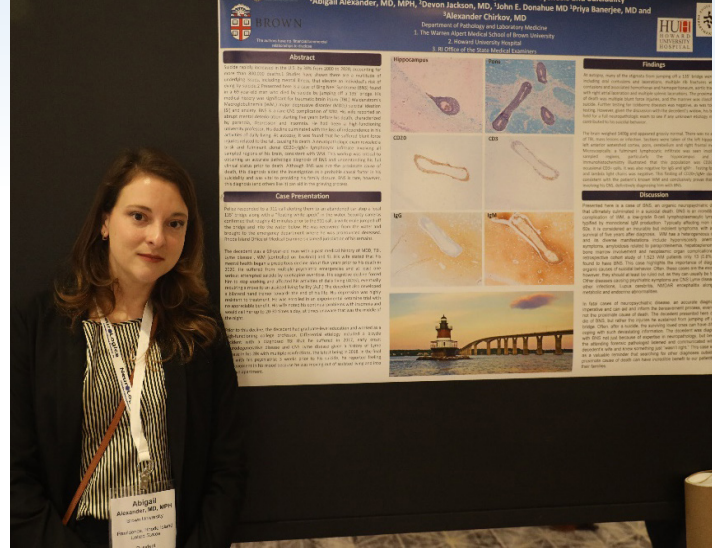
Best Paper/Presentation Award Winners:

John Smialek, MD Best Resident Platform Presentation - Cassie Briana MacRae, M.D. History and Fashion Repeat Themselves: A Historical Comparison of Autopsy Practices During Influenza Pandemic of 1918 and the COVID-19 Pandemic Using Data from a Large Academic Medical Center - \$1000 award sponsored by the NAME Foundation



Dr. Cassie Briana MacRae – Best Resident/Fellow Platform Presentation.

John Smialek, MD Best Resident Poster Presentation - Abigail L. Alexander, M.D., MPH Bing-Neel Syndrome: A Rare Contributing Factor of Psychosis and Suicidality - \$1000 Award sponsored by the NAME Foundation



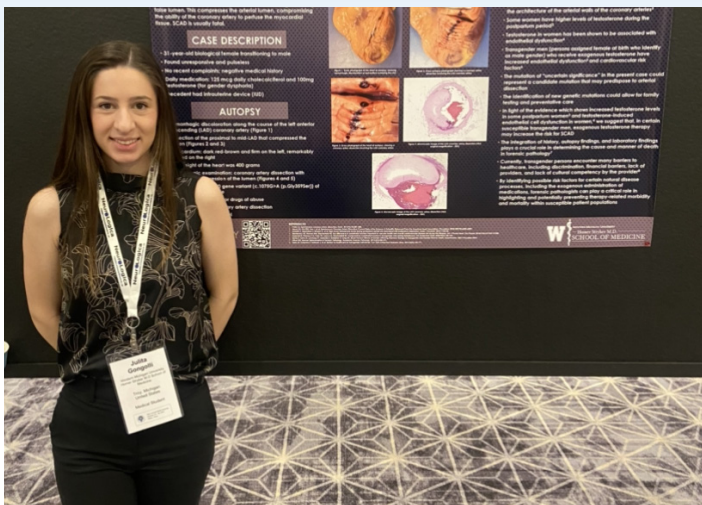
Dr. Abigail Alexander – Best Resident/Fellow Poster Presentation.

John Pless, MD Best Student Platform Presentation - Samuel P. Prahlow, BS, MPH Gunshot Residue Deposition With and Without Firearm Suppressors (Silencers) - \$500 Award sponsored by the NAME Foundation



Medical student Samuel Prahlow – Best Student Platform Presentation.

John Pless, MD Best Student Poster Presentation - Julita Gongolli A Case of Spontaneous Coronary Artery Dissection in the Setting of Exogenous Testosterone - \$500 Award sponsored by the NAME Foundation



Medical student Julita Gongolli – Best Student Poster Presentation.

Susan P. Baker Public Health Impact Award - Alison Krywaczyk, M.D. Connective Tissue Disease and Sudden Aortic Death: Review and Recommendations for Evaluation Sponsored by the Maryland Medical Legal Foundation in the amount of \$500



Dr. Alison Krywaczyk – Public Health Impact Award.

Mary Fran Ernst Best Affiliate Presentation - Laura Labay, Ph.D. Tolerant or Intolerant? Learning from Drug Concentrations in the Living and the Dead - \$500 Award sponsored by the NAME Foundation



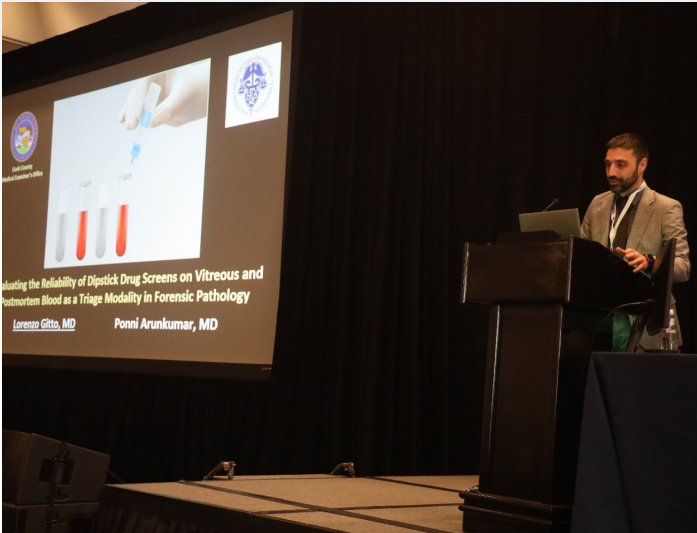
Dr. Laura Labay – Best Affiliate Presentation.

Sudden Unexplained Death in Childhood (SUDC) Foundation Award - Kari Midthun, Ph.D. Umbilical Cord Tissue (UCT): From Antemortem Monitoring to Postmortem Possibilities Sponsored by the SUDC Foundation in the amount of \$1,000



Dr. Kari Midthun – SUDC Foundation Award.

The Edward J. Barbieri Forensic Toxicology Award - Lorenzo Gitto, M.D. Evaluating the Reliability of Dipstick Drug Screens on Vitreous and Postmortem Blood as a Triage Modality of Forensic Pathology - Sponsored by the Fredric Reiders Family Foundation in the amount of \$500



Dr. Lorenzo Gitto – Forensic Toxicology Award.

Congratulations to all the Award Winners, as well as all of the presenters who participated in the competition!

In Memoriam of Deceased NAME Members

As we all know very well, death is an unavoidable part of our lives. NAME lost several members over the past year, each of whom was a “giant” in our field in one way or another. We offer our condolences to their families and friends, and fondly remember them as beloved colleagues.



William “Bill” Haglund, PhD – April 26, 1943 – June 16, 2021



Karen E. Chancellor, MD – September 4, 1957 – September 10, 2021



Randy Lee Hanzlick, MD – January 22, 1952 – October 25, 2021



Joseph C. Rupp, MD – February 13, 1928 – February 26, 2022



Predrag "Pred" Bulic, MD – December 8, 1858
– July 23, 2022



Vincent JM DiMaio, MD – March 22, 1941
– September 18, 2022

Business News from the 2022 Annual Meeting

NAME and the NAME Foundation to Remain Separate 501c3 Corporations

Perhaps the biggest "news" as it relates to the Foundation is that the "merger issue" has been resolved. By a unanimous vote by both the Foundation Board of Trustees and the NAME Board of Directors, our two organizations will remain officially separate; however, both groups have pledged to work together towards the common goals that we share. A memorandum-of-understanding is being developed to ensure that the roles and responsibilities of each organization are more adequately addressed. A great big "thank you" to the NAME leadership, especially

President Pinneri and Secretary-Treasurer Denton for all of their hard work at bringing this to a satisfactory resolution!



President Pinneri and Secretary-Treasurer Denton at the NAME Business Meeting.

NAME Position on the Use of Pathology Assistants

Pathologists' Assistant's employment within the forensic pathology community has been a topic for discussion for decades in our community, but especially recently, as workforce shortages and higher caseloads have stressed medicolegal death investigation systems around the country. Members discussed the issue at the NAME Business Meeting on Monday morning at the Annual Meeting. Some background: NAME is working on a new Position Paper related to Pathologists' Assistants. There is a specific process by which such a paper is ultimately approved. One early step is to ensure that any proposed position paper does not conflict with current NAME standards. If NAME accepts its current form, the draft position paper document related to PAs would require several changes to be made within NAME's current Autopsy Standards. As such, the "business" addressed at this year's meeting was concerned with whether or not the proposed standard changes were acceptable to the NAME membership. As you may recall, the NAME Autopsy Standards are the "property" of the NAME membership. Therefore, only the membership as a group may officially change the Standards. After many minutes of vigorous debate, with many excellent points being

offered pro and con, the decision ultimately came down to a vote of the membership, wherein the suggested amendments to the Autopsy Standards to allow for PA participation in forensic autopsy performance were defeated by an approximately 70% to 30% margin.



Dr. Edward "Maz" Mazuchowski making an inquiry during the deliberative process.



Dr. Ross Zumwalt providing commentary during the debate.



Dr. Jennifer Forsyth providing commentary during the debate.



Dr. Mark Flomenbaum making his stance known during the debate.

NAME Board of Directors and Officers

Finishing their terms as members of the NAME Board of Directors are Kent Harshbarger, MD, JD, Owen Middleton, MD, Reade Quinton, MD, Robert Stoppacher, MD, Barbara Wolf, MD, and Thomas Hensley, F-ABMDI. Thanks for all of your hard work!



Retiring Board member Tom Hensley.



Retiring Board member Reade Quinton.



Retiring Board member Rob Stoppacher.

Newly-elected Board of Director members:

- Jonathan Eisenstat, MD - Georgia
- Kristinza Giese, MD – Washington DC
- Tasha Greenberg, MD – Texas
- Katherine Maloney, MD – New York
- Edward Mazuchowski, MD, PhD – Pennsylvania
- Brandi McCleskey, MD – Alabama
- Catherine Miller, MD, MA – Florida
- Bryan Platt, MD – Delaware
- Kelly Keyes, ABMDI – California

AMA Delegate – Michelle Jordan, MD

AMA Alternate Delegate – Hilary McElligott, MD

Newly-elected NAME Officers:

- President – Joyce deJong, DO – Michigan
- Vice President – J. Keith Pinckard, MD, PhD – Texas
- Secretary-Treasurer – J. Scott Denton, MD – Illinois

(Chair of the Board – Kathy Pinneri, MD – Texas)

At-Large Members of the Executive Committee (elected by Board members):

- Michelle Jordan, MD – California
- Jan Gorniak, DO – Nevada
- Ponni Arunkumar, MD - Illinois



2023 NAME President Joyce deJong, DO, with 2022 NAME President Kathy Pinneri, MD.



The official "passing of the gavel."



2023 NAME Vice President Keith Pinckard, MD, PhD

Other NAME Foundation News

As you already know, the NAME Foundation exists to promote the profession by advocating for research, education, and history preservation. The Foundation continues to grow in its impact within the forensic pathology/death investigation community. The Foundation has been especially active in recent years, through its sponsoring of the annual awards for best papers for affiliates, students, and residents. The Foundation has also provided thousands of dollars in travel stipends for students and residents to attend the NAME Annual Meetings.

Did you know that the NAME Foundation also offers membership to organizations? As such, corporations and educational institutions may join to show their support for forensic pathology/death investigation research, education, and history preservation. If you know of any corporation or educational institute whose leaders may be interested in joining the Foundation, please pass our information along to them, and let the Foundation know of their interest. Corporate/Institution membership categories are available at the following annual donation levels: \$250, \$500, and \$1000.

The standing committees (and Chairs) of the NAME Foundation include the following: Membership/Nominations (John Butts), Bylaws/Policies (Greg Schmunk), Finance/Investment (Mike Graham), Fundraising (Chris Milroy), Advocacy/Annual Meeting (team), Newsletter (Joe Prahlow), Silent Auction/Meeting (Kim Collins), Education (Frank Miller), Research (Joe Felo), History (Greg Schmunk), and Long-Range Planning (Tom Noguchi).

NAME Foundation Business

As stated earlier in this Newsletter, the big news is that the Foundation and NAME will remain separate 501c3 corporations, working closely with one another toward many shared goals. The Foundation Board of Trustees met from 0700-0800 Friday morning. The NAME Board of Directors met beginning at 0800. Later in the morning, a closed joint Board meeting was undertaken, at which time the decision was made that the two corporations will remain separate.



Members of the Foundation BoT: Mike Graham, Greg Schmunk, Mark Super, Frank Miller, Jan Gorniak, Kim Collins, Joe Prahlow, John Butts, Keith Pinckard, and Tom Noguchi.

Members of the Foundation Board of Trustees who have fulfilled their terms and are retiring from their posts include Yvonne Milewski, Jim Luke, and Peggy Greenwald. Thanks to each of them for serving on the Foundation Board of Trustees! In addition, since Keith Pinckard was elected NAME Vice President and will automatically become an

ex officio BoT member in that position, he will be moving off the BoT.

Newly elected BoT members are: Brian Peterson, MD, Reade Quinton, MD, and Dan Dye, MD.

After serving as the NAME Foundation Chair since 2012, Joe Prahlow is stepping-down from his role as Chair. The Board unanimously elected Kim Collins, MD, as the new Chair. The other officers are continuing in their current positions: Vice Chair – Chris Milroy; Secretary – Greg Schmunk; Treasurer – Mike Graham; Founding Director – Tom Noguchi.



The Foundation Business Meeting – 2022.



The Foundation Business Meeting – 2022 – the other side of the room.



Joe Prahlow is stepping-down as Foundation Chair, after serving in this role since 2012.



2022 NAME President Kathy Pinneri, MD

Message from the 2022 NAME President

Greetings!

What an amazing annual meeting we had last month! It was so wonderful to see entire faces again and get caught up with friends and colleagues. The presentations and educational content were outstanding!! The student and resident presentations in particular were very impressive! Congratulations to all who presented as well as to the award winners. I know the judges had a difficult job this year! Program Chair Rob Stoppacher, MD did a fantastic job filling the days with top-notch educational content and Dee McNally, Tara Snethen and Louis Jares made sure everything ran smoothly behind the scenes. We are grateful for your hard work and appreciate your service to NAME. I'm already looking forward to next year's annual meeting in San Jose, California. But don't forget about the 2023 NAME interim meeting held virtually on April 11, 2023, from 1-5 pm CST. The topic this year is Collaborative Forensic Pathology with Forensic Anthropologists and Biologists, and the Program Chairs are Theodore Brown, MD and Jason Byrd, PhD. I'm excited to see this collaborative presentation and learn more ways we can work together.



The new Chair of the NAME Foundation, Dr. Kim Collins.

The NAME Foundation and Academic Forensic Pathology Journal

If you are currently a NAME Foundation member, you have free access to AFP. Moving forward beyond 2022, SAGE, the publisher of the journal, will continue to provide this benefit to NF members in good-standing. The scope and the focus of APFj fits-in nicely with that of the NAME Foundation, and the Foundation is optimistic that its relationship with APFj is successful for both the Foundation and AFP.

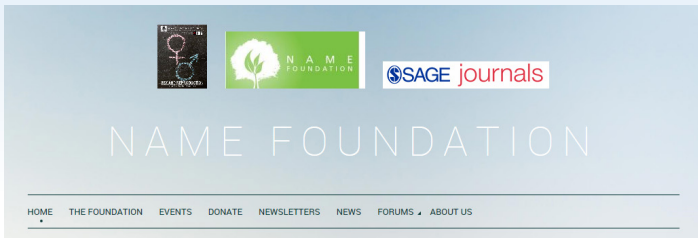
We had a lot of good discussions at the NAME business meeting. Voting was deferred for the standard allowing external examinations with toxicology testing on apparent drug related deaths. After many pros and cons were discussed, the standards addressing the use of Pathologist Assistants (PA) did not pass. The thoughtful comments and suggestions given could be used to provide the framework for a standard that addresses the concerns voiced, but also allow for the use of PA's for those offices that choose to do so. Hearing the discussions after the meeting, I anticipate we may see a different version next year. Congratulations to the newly elected NAME officers and Board of Directors!! In a little over a month, I will be turning over my duties as President to the incoming President Joyce DeJong, DO. This is the first time the gavel has been passed between females and Joyce will be the first DO President! NAME continues to move forward, and I can't wait to see what other 'firsts' we can accomplish. Congratulations to Keith Pinkard, MD PhD, the incoming Vice President and to Scott Denton, MD who will remain our steady guide as Secretary-Treasurer. I'd like to recognize the new members of the Executive Committee: Ponni Arunkumar, MD, Jan Gorniak, DO and Michelle Jordan, MD. Welcome also to the new members of the Board of Directors: Jonathan Eisenstat, MD, Kristinza Giese, MD, Tasha Greenberg, MD, Katherine Maloney, MD, Edward Mazuchowski, MD PhD, Brandi McCleskey, MD, Catherine Miller, MD MA, Bryan Platt, MD, and Affiliate Investigator: Kelly Keyes, ABMDI. Retiring members of the Board of Directors are: Kent Harshbarger, MD, JD, Owen Middleton, MD, Reade Quinton, MD, Robert Stoppacher, MD, Barbara Wolf, MD and Thomas Hensley, F-ABMDI (Affiliate Investigator). Many thanks for your contributions and assistance over the years.

In light of recent events in the forensic pathology community, I'd like to take a moment to reflect on what NAME and forensic pathology has meant to me. Every day I wake up, I am honored to serve the individuals whose lives have ended suddenly, unexpectedly and/or violently and provide

answers and offer support to the surviving family members and relatives. Despite my love and dedication to them, these are very challenging duties to be tasked with. NAME is a community of unique medical providers, death investigators, forensic consultants and administrators. No one knows our struggles, our stresses and our exhaustion like those who share our career choice and work alongside us. Forensic pathology has been a grounding point for me through many dark times in my life. How odd to say that dealing with death and dying on a daily basis would be a source of comfort - but it is and has been for me and perhaps for others as well. I know some of you understand. If tragedy were to strike my office, such as happened in Dallas with the loss of Beth Frost, DO, who was a wonderful, kind and uplifting person and an excellent forensic pathologist, it would take away more than a friend and co-worker. It would destroy a place of comfort and the other main foundation in my life besides my family. I'm not sure how I would get through it, but I know it wouldn't be possible without the love and support, not only of my family and friends, but also of NAME members and the forensic pathology community. We have to be here for each other – not only through this intense tragedy – but for the future. We are all in this together, the good and the bad. We can disagree, but not be disagreeable – something that was very apparent at the business meeting this year with civil discussions on somewhat polarizing topics. Let's continue to work together and be supportive and I know we will continue to accomplish great things.

With peace,

Kathryn Pinneri, MD
2022 NAME President



NAME Foundation Website!

<https://namefoundation.wildapricot.org/>
(see below for details)

Journal Access

To access the AFPj (if you are already a Foundation member), simply to the website at <https://namefoundation.wildapricot.org/>. After you log in, go to the “AFP JOURNAL” tab at the top of the page to find further instructions.

To Join the Foundation or to Renew Your Membership

You can join (or renew your Foundation membership) via the new NAME Foundation web site.

If you are a NAME Foundation member but have never been to the site, here is how to get on:

- Go to <https://namefoundation.wildapricot.org/>
- Click “Log in” at the top right.
- Enter your e-mail address and password. If you forgot or don’t know your password, click on “Forgot password”.
- If you are in the system, you will receive a link to enter a new password.

If you are not yet a Foundation member (you will get an “Email not found” message when you enter your e-mail on the “Forgot password” page):

- Go to <https://namefoundation.wildapricot.org/>
- Navigate to the “Donate” tab.
- Enter the requested information and choose a donation amount (minimum of \$50 for individuals, \$250 for institutions to obtain benefits of membership, such as the journal).
- If you wish to designate your donation to a specific category, please do so. If you want to donate to multiple categories, you will need to make multiple separate donations.
- Once your donation is processed you will have access to the site and the journal.

Any Foundation member who donates the required minimum donation will have their membership expiration date extended by one year from the date of the donation. Alternatively, any member may go to their profile (click on your name in the upper right corner) and then click on the “Renew to mm/dd/yyyy” button in the center of the form. If you are making an institutional donation, please check the box at the bottom of the donation form.

If you have any problems with the above, or if you feel that you are a Foundation member and the system does not recognize you, please send an inquiry to the Secretary:
greg@urbandaleforensics.com

Please also check the Foundation Website for information regarding the AFP journal and any special events which are planned.

**** Special thanks to Greg Schmunk who provided a majority of the photographs within this Newsletter.**

Future NAME Meeting Locations

2023 Annual Meeting

San Jose, CA

October 13-17, 2023

2024 Annual Meeting

Denver, CO

September 19-23, 2024



**National Association
of Medical Examiners**

2022



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

NAME Foundation Board of Trustees (2022)

Chair – Joseph A. Prahlow

Vice Chair – Chris Milroy

Secretary – Gregory A. Schmunk

Treasurer – Michael Graham

Founding Director – Thomas Noguchi

Trustees: John Butts, Kim Collins, Joe Felo, Jan Gorniak, Jim Luke, Frank Miller, Keith Pinckard, Michael F. Rieders, Joel Sexton, Samantha Wetzler; Ex-Officio (non-voting): Jim Gill, Kathy Pinneri, Joyce deJong

NAME Foundation Membership Criteria

The NAME Foundation is proud to offer membership to any member of the National Association of Medical Examiners who makes an annual contribution to the NAME Foundation. The following minimal annual contribution qualifies membership in the NAME Foundation:

NAME Members:	\$50.00
NAME Affiliates:	\$50.00
Non-NAME Individual:	\$50.00
Corporate/Institution:	\$250, \$500, \$1000