



Research

The academic year may have just begun, but our residents and medical students are fully engaged in research. Pictured here: Daud Lodin, with MS-4's, Alex Young and Sam Caballero, presented at the Florida Medical Association in July. Upcoming presentations: Matt Gatewood at South Florida Society for Vascular Surgery and Stephanie Yakoubovitch at Association of Women Surgeons.



We're growing

We are excited to welcome three new mid-level residents to our program this year! Fauzi Feris-Jassir will round out our PGY-2 year; he joins us after completing an intern year at Mount Sinai, Miami. You will notice two new faces in the PGY-3 year. Sana Aksas completed her first two years of training at Larkin Community Hospital. Prashansa Vaidya trained at Montefiore Medical Center and Ohio State University for her PGY-1 and PGY-2 years.

All-Site M&M

Thank you to Laura Christopher for presenting M&M on behalf of West Boca Medical Center. There was a lively discussion.

The next All-Site M&M is scheduled for September 28, 5:30 PM at the FAU College of Medicine. Boca Raton Regional Hospital will be presenting.



Congratulations to our Chiefs in the Match



Mike Dedwylder, MD
Surgical Critical Care
Univ of Tennessee
Memphis, TN



Max Jackson, MD
Surgical Critical Care
UT Southwestern
Dallas, TX



Daud Lodin, MD
Surgical Critical Care
NYU Langone
New York, NY



Roberto Lorenzi, MD
Burn Surgery
Akron Children's Hospital
Akron, OH



Fred Qafiti, MD
Bariatric Surgery
East Carolina Univ
Greenville, NC

Upcoming Events

- All-Site M&M: Sep 28, 5:30 PM, FAU College of Medicine
- Grand Rounds, Dr. Gonzalez: Oct 13, 8:00 AM, FAU Clinical Skills Simulation Center
- SIITRAL: Oct 19-20, FAU Executive Education - Schmidt Family Complex
- American College of Surgeons, Clinical Congress: Oct 22-25 [PGY-5 traveling]
- da Vinci Bootcamp: Nov 2, 8:00 AM, BRRH Dawson Theatre
- Mock Orals: Nov 10, 8:00 AM [In need of faculty participation, contact Hillary]
- Resident candidate interviews: Oct 30 - Jan 18 [In need of faculty participation, contact Hillary]

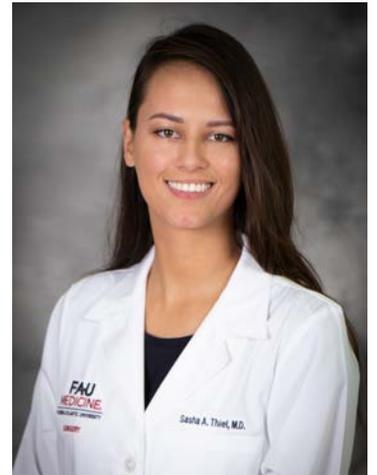
New Faculty

Harold Huss, DO joins Lynn Cancer Institute, part of Baptist Health, at Boca Raton Regional Hospital, as a specialist in surgical oncology. Dr. Huss will join the Red Service at BRRH.

Props!

We are proud of our graduates for passing the written boards. We continue to have a 100% program pass rate for the boards.

Sasha Thiel, PGY-4 has been selected for induction to the College of Medicine $\alpha\Omega$ Chapter. Sasha will be honored at an $\alpha\Omega$ banquet in the Spring.



Resident Council

The residents have appointed Kendra Batey, PGY-4 and Fauzi Feris-Jassir, PGY-2 as this year's representatives for the Graduate Medical Education Resident Council. The council is made up of representatives from all FAU residencies and fellowships.

Sasha Thiel, PGY-4 has been selected to serve on the Executive Board of GME Resident Council.

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Recent Resident Publications

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