

SCPS Election 2018-2019 Candidate CVs

Erick H. Cheung, M.D.

President-elect

Primary Professional Activities: Chief Quality Officer, Department of Psychiatry, 2016-; Medical Director and Attending Physician, UCLA Psychiatric Emergency Services, 2007-; Assistant Clinical Professor, 2007-; Committee Member, UCLA Health System Compliance and Privacy Committee, 2012-15. Board Member, UCLA NPBHS Practice Plan Board, 2016-. Committee Member, Residency Oversight Committee, 2014-. Psychiatric Consultant, Airport Marina Counseling Service, 2009-11.

Medical Specialty / Organized Medicine: SCPS: Treasurer 2016-, Secretary 2014-16, WLA Counselor 2013-14, Chair, Conflicts of Interest Committee 2011-. ECP Rep 2011-13, MIT Rep 2008-09. Association of American Medical Colleges: National Medical Student Chair/Executive Council, 2004-06; Committee Member, Task Force on Industry Funding of Medical Education, 2006-08; Committee Member, National Board of Medical Examiners / Federation of State Medical Boards liaison committee, 2004-06. Member, AMSA Universal Health Care Task Force, 2004-05.

LA County Commission & Committee Activities: Chair, LA County EMS Commission, 2017-; Vice Chair 2016-17, Committee member 2011-. Co-Chair, Ad Hoc Committee on pre-hospital care of mental health emergency care, 2015-. Chair, DMH LPS Review Committee 2, 2017. Advisory Board Member, LA County Measure B Advisory Board, 2018 -.

Education/Fellowship: UCLA/NPI Psychiatry Residency, 2007-2011. Chief Resident, 2010-11. Ginsberg/AADPRT Fellow 2011. American Psychoanalytic Fellow 2010-11. Albany Medical College, M.D., with distinction in Bioethics, 2007. Gold Humanism Honor Society, 2006. UCSD Neuroscience B.S., Psychology B.S., 2000.

Professional Income: 100% UCLA Faculty

Ijeoma Ijeaku, M.D.

Secretary

Certification: Diplomate, General Psychiatry; ABPN; 2013; Diplomate, Child/Adolescent Psychiatry; ABPN; 2014

Education: Medical School; University of Port Harcourt, Nigeria; General Psychiatry; Loma Linda University; Child/Adolescent Psychiatry; USC

Professional Activities:

Chair SCPS Membership Committee; 2017 - ; Assistant Clinical Professor; UCR School of Medicine; 2016 -; Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist; Riverside University Health System; 2014 -; Independent Contractor; S and L Medical Group; 2012 -; Inland Empire Regional Councilor; 2013 - 2018; Member in training Representative; 2012 - 2013; Member; SCPS Women's Committee; 2010 -

Professional Associations: AACAP, SCSCAP, AMA, ANPA

Professional Income: 90% RUHS-BH, 10% Sand L Medical Group

Michelle Furuta, M.D.

Treasurer-elect

Certification: Diplomate, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology

Education: University of California, Berkeley, B.A.; University of California, Los Angeles Geffen School of Medicine, M.D.; Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, Psychiatry Residency

Professional Activities: Clinical Instructor, UCLA Voluntary Clinical Faculty Association; Member, Harbor-UCLA Professional Staff Association; SCPS Positions: Early Career Psychiatrist Representative; Member, Program Committee; Chair, Art of Psychiatric Medicine Committee and Volunteerism and Service Committee

Professional Associations: Psychiatric Education and Research Foundation (PER), CPA, APA, SCPS

Professional Income: 100% Private Practice

PK Fonsworth, M.D., MBA

Early Career Psychiatrist Deputy Representative

Certification: Board Certified in General Adult Psychiatry Oct. 2017, Board eligible for Addiction Psychiatry in Oct. 2018.

Education: UC Berkeley, Molecular Biology/Spanish, graduated with honors, UC Irvine School of Medicine, MD, UC Irvine Paul Merage School of Business, MBA, Harbor-UCLA Adult Psychiatry Residency, UCLA Addiction Psychiatry Fellowship

Professional Activities: UC Irvine School of Medicine PRIME-LC Community Board Member, APA/SAMHSA Fellow, APA Minority Summer Program Resident Mentor, UCLA Addiction Psychiatry Fellow, Primero Tú Foundation Board Member, Cal Alumni of Long Beach Board Member, SCPS UCLA Liaison

Professional Associations: SCPS, APA, AAAP, Committee of Interns and Residents

Professional Associations: APA, AAAP, ASAM, CSAM.

Professional Income: 100% UCLA Resident

Michelle Meshman, M.D.

Early Career Psychiatrist Deputy Representative

Education: Northwestern University, B. S. Cum Laude; UC Irvine School of Medicine, M. D.; UCLA San Fernando Valley, Psychiatry Residency

Awards: UC Irvine Award for Excellence in Psychiatry (2014), Honors in Psychiatry Clerkship (2013)

Leadership Experience: SCPS Resident and Fellow Member Representative (2017-2018), President of Psychiatry Interest Group (2013-2014), Medical Ethics Committee at UC Irvine Medical Center (2013-2014)

Professional Income: 100% UCLA San Fernando Valley Resident

Katherine Unverferth, M.D.

Resident-Fellow Member Representative

Education: UCLA Semel Institute, Psychiatry Residency; Georgetown University School of Medicine, M.D., Alpha Omega Alpha; Duke University, B.A. Chemistry, Phi Lambda Upsilon

Professional Activities: SCPS RFM Representative 2017-; Mental Health Author, www.doctorkatiemd.com, 2015-; Duke Alumni Advisory Committee, 2011-; UCLA Residency Oversight Committee, 2015-2017; UCLA Psychiatry Recruitment Committee, 2015-2017; Georgetown Enhanced Experience in Psychiatry, 2014-2015; Hoyas Interested in Psychiatry, Executive Committee, 2011-2015; Mind-Body Medicine Course, 2011-2015

Professional Associations: APA, SCPS

Professional Income: 100% UCLA NPI

Eric Wagreich, M.D.

Resident-Fellow Member Representative

Education: University of California Los Angeles - B.A. Psychology; Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine - M.D.; LAC + USC Psychiatric Residency Training Program - Psychiatry Intern, 2017 - present

Awards: Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine Excellence in Psychiatry Award, 2017; Gold Humanism Honor Society Leonard Tow Humanism in Medicine Award, 2017; Betty Ford Clinic Summer Institute for Medical Students, 2014

Professional Memberships: Southern California Psychiatric Society, 2017 to current; American Psychiatric Association, Resident Member, 2017 to present; Gold Humanism Honor Society, 2016 to present.

Professional Income: 100% LAC+USC Resident Program

David Seigler, M.D.

Inland Region Councillor

Certification: Diplomate, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.

Education: University of California, Riverside, B. S. Summa cum Laude; University of California, Los Angeles David Geffen School of Medicine, M. D.; UCLA San Fernando Valley Psychiatry Residency.

Professional Activities: Assistant Clinical Professor, UCR, 2015 -; Associate Medical Director, Emergency Psychiatry RUHS Behavioral Health 2015-2017; Staff Psychiatrist RUHS BH 2015-; Telepsychiatrist, CEP America 2018-

Professional Associations: APA, SCPS, CPS

Professional Income: 80% Riverside Staff Psychiatrist, 20% Partner of CEP America

Zaheib Idrees, D.O.

San Gabriel/East L.A. Region Councillor

Certification: Diplomate, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.

Education: University of California San Diego, B.S., Provost Honors; Touro University Nevada School of Medicine, D.O.; Keck USC & LAC+USC Medical Center, Psychiatry Residency, Chief Resident.

Professional Activities: Inpatient psychiatry at Aurora Charter Oak Hospital in Covina, CA & Parkside West at Intercommunity Hospital in Covina, CA. Geriatric psychiatry at Glendora Community Hospital Gero-psychiatry unit in Glendora, CA. Addiction psychiatry at Social Model Recovery Systems in Azusa, Covina and El Monte, CA. Outpatient practice and main office in Glendora, CA.

Professional Associations: AOA, AMA, APA, SCPS, CPS, AAAP, AAPL

Professional Income: 100% Private Practice

Leb Little, M.D.

West L.A. Region Councillor

Certification: Diplomate in Psychiatry and Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.

Education: The Ohio State University B.S.; Northeastern Ohio University College of Medicine M.D., Ph.D.; University of California Los Angeles: Psychiatric Residency and Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Fellowship

Professional Activities: Assistant Clinical Professor, UCLA Semel Institute 2010-; Executive Director Psychiatric Clinical Faculty Association 2005-; Course Director Clinical Practicum 2011-; UCLA Child Fellow Supervisor 2006-Current

Professional Associations: Fellow APA, AACAP, AMA, Cal ACAP

Professional Income: 100% Private Practice

Samuel Miles, M.D., Ph.D.

APA Representative

Education: B.S. CCNY, 1970; MD New York Medical College, 1974; Medical Intern, Georgetown Service DC General Hospital 1974-75; Psychiatry Residency Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, 1975-78; Ph.D. Psychoanalytic Training, SCPI, 1977-1986.

Academic Appointment: Associate Clinical Professor of Psychiatry, UCLA

Certification: ABPN, General Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, and Addiction Psychiatry

Professional Activity: Private practice; Attending psychiatrist, Cedars Sinai Medical Center; Member, Medical Evidence Evaluation Advisory Committee, California Dept. of Industrial Relations.

Past Professional Activity: Clinical Chief, Department of Psychiatry, Cedars Sinai Medical Center, 2011-2014. Interim Chair, January 2012; Member Medical Executive Committee, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, 2001-2005, 2011-2014.

Professional Association Activities: Distinguished Fellow, APA; SCPS Program Committee; Previous Treasurer, Secretary, Council Representative, Chair of Private Practice Committee, Medicare Task Force; CMA, Council on Legislation 2014-2018, Council on Ethical, Legal & Judicial Affairs, 2015 – 2018; American College of Psychiatrists; American Academy of Psychiatry and Law; American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry

Professional Income: 100% Private Practice

Heather Silverman, M.D.

APA Representative

EDUCATION: Psychiatry Residency Training Program, Stanford University School of Medicine, Palo Alto, CA, 2001-2003 and Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA, 2000-2001. Psychoanalytic Training Program, Canadian Institute of Psychoanalysis, Quebec English Branch, Montreal, Canada 1992-1999. Rotating Internship, Sir Mortimer B. Davis Jewish General Hospital, McGill University, Faculty of Medicine, Montreal, Canada, 1986-1987. Medical School, McGill University, Faculty of Medicine, Montreal, Canada 1982-1986. Undergrad, McGill University, Faculty of Science, Montreal, Canada 1978-1981.

APPOINTMENT: Clinical Assistant, Department of Psychiatry, Sir Mortimer B. Davis Jewish General Hospital, McGill University, Faculty of Medicine, Montreal, Canada 1993-1999.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY: Private Practice Psychiatrist and Psychoanalyst, West Los Angeles, CA.

Professional Income: 100% Private Practice