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New Year, New Changes



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Greetings from the National President



Happy New Year! By the number of project proposals received, I see that our chapters are highly engaged in many great activities that advance the Rho Chi Society and its mission. There are many exciting changes happening in Rho Chi this year! The Rho Chi Society's website will undergo a makeover to include easier use of report forms, online payments, and to launch our social media presence! Our new national office in Ann Arbor, Michigan is fully transitioned and operational.

We are preparing for our Annual Meeting in March 2020 in National Harbor, Maryland – Emmanuelle Schwartzman will become our new president and attendees will learn about and contribute to our plans for the Society's Centennial celebrations. Your chapter representation at the meeting is also very important in order to vote for the incoming president–elect and regional councilors for regions II, IV-E, IV-W, VI, VIII. More information on the candidates can be found in this newsletter and on our website.

On behalf of the Executive Council and the National Office, I wish you success over the remainder of the academic year, and please remember that we all stand ready to assist you as needed.

I look forward to seeing you in March!

-Susan M. Meyer, Ph.D., National President

New National Office

The Rho Chi Society's National Office is now located in Ann Arbor, Michigan!

Our new email address is rhochisociety@umich.edu. Please reach out to us with any questions or concerns, we are here to help make Rho Chi an amazing experience!

Visit our website at rhochi.org. Learn more about Executive Vice President, Karen Farris, PhD, click [here](#)

NEW CHANGES!



Watch for new changes to our website!

We will be upgrading to add online payments, easy updates to your new chapter profiles, user friendly annual chapter reports and election reports and an Events calendar!

An Instagram feed will be featured on our Home page so chapters can tag us and publicize their Rho Chi activities!

Introducing our new social media profiles!

Tag, Follow, Like, and Join us!

#rhochi2020



Rho Chi Society -
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(Group Page)



@RhoChiSociety



A_{Ph}A2020

Annual Meeting & Exposition
Gaylord National Resort | March 20-23



DON'T FORGET! Our annual meeting is held every March during the APhA Conference. You do not have to attend APhA to attend our annual meeting.

The Rho Chi Society's 96th Annual Meeting Sunday, March 22, 2020 at 3pm Potomac Ballroom C

at Gaylord National Resort in National Harbor, Maryland

*Please submit your chapter delegate [online](#) to represent your Chapter and vote at the Rho Chi Society's Annual Meeting. Chapters must attend an annual meeting at least once every three years.

Rho Chi ribbons for your name badge will be available at the ribbon bar near the registration area at APhA and will not be mailed. Available ribbons are Rho Chi Member (purple) and Rho Chi Advisor (white).

Candidates for 2020 Election

Learn more about our candidates for the 2020 Rho Chi Society Election [here](#)



President-elect

- ◆ Lucio Volino (Rutgers)
- ◆ Melody Ryan (University of Kentucky)

Region II

- ◆ Elena Umland (Thomas Jefferson)
- ◆ Thomas Franko (Wilkes University)

Region IV-E

- ◆ Penni Black (University of Kentucky)
- ◆ Lynette Moser (Wayne State University)

Region IV-W

- ◆ Scott Hanes (Rosalind Franklin University)
- ◆ Milena McLaughlin Murray (Midwestern University – Chicago)

Region VI

- ◆ Amy Franks (University of Arkansas)
- ◆ Mallory Turner (Harding University)

Region VIII

- ◆ Jennifer Trujillo (University of Colorado)
- ◆ Jelena Lewis (Chapman University)

Three new chapters have petitioned to join the Rho Chi Society and will be voted on by the chapter delegates. Review chapter information [here](#):

- ◆ University of Texas at Tyler
- ◆ West Coast University
- ◆ Keck Graduate Institute (KGI)

***New Member Submissions for 2019-2020**

Information for new initiates should be submitted at least four weeks prior to the induction ceremony via the Rho Chi website's Members login. Advisors can contact the National Office at rhochisociety@umich.edu for instructions for access.

Fees for newly elected members are \$65.00 per person. This one-time membership fee includes national dues, an official membership certificate, and keypin jewelry.

2020-2021 Clinical Research Scholarship

The recipient for the 2020-2021 Clinical Research Scholarship has been selected. Congratulations!

John Saunders, PharmD
Beta Epsilon Chapter, University of Utah
(Thrombosis Service)

2020 Lecture Award

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Dr. Henry J. Mann, 2020 Rho Chi Society Lecture Award recipient presents:

“Three wishes for your career in Pharmacy”

Henry J. Mann, PharmD, FASHP, FCCP, FCCM
Dean and Professor, College of Pharmacy,
The Ohio State University



Dr. Mann has presented and published widely on the application of pharmacology and pharmacotherapy principles to critically ill patients. His contributions to research and practice have been recognized by election as a Fellow of the American College of Critical Care Medicine, the American College of Clinical Pharmacy, and the American Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists.

He received the Research Award of the ASHP Research and Education Foundation and the Technology Enhanced Learning Award from the University of Minnesota. He also received the University of Minnesota Pharmacy Alumni Society Faculty Recognition Award and the Weaver Medal for Outstanding Contributions to the College. The University of Kentucky selected him to receive the Paul F. Parker Award which is given to recognize a resident of their program who has made outstanding contributions to pharmacy practice.

Dr. Mann was the founding director of the interdisciplinary Center for Excellence in Critical Care at Minnesota and of the national research network Partnership for Excellence in Critical Care.

The Rho Chi Society

Vision: The Rho Chi Society seeks to advance pharmacy through sustained intellectual leadership. View the Strategic Plan [here](#).

Mission: As the academic honor society in pharmacy, the Rho Chi Society:

Goal 1: Encourages and recognizes intellectual achievement

Goal 2: Stimulates critical inquiry to advance pharmacy

Goal 3: Contributes to the development of intellectual leaders

Goal 4: Promotes the highest ethical standards

Goal 5: Fosters collaboration

Important Dates



2020 Deadlines

After Election

Submit New Officer Names

March 1, 2020

Chapter Delegate Report

May 1, 2020

First Year Graduate Fellowship application

May 15, 2020

Annual Chapter Reports due (new form)

June 1, 2020

Project Proposals (second submission)

Be sure to enter your new members into the Rho Chi database four weeks before your initiation ceremony to ensure your jewelry and certificates arrive in time

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