

ACOEM Lectureships

Sappington and Gehrman Lecturers

C. O. Sappington Memorial Lecture

Presented at ACOEM's annual spring American Occupational Health Conference, this lecture was created to honor Clarence Olds Sappington, MD, DrPH (1889-1949), who was a noted consultant in occupational diseases and industrial hygiene and the first American to hold a DrPH degree.

- 1953 **REESE TAYLOR** – Industrial Medicine As It Looks to Management
- 1954 **EDWARD J. STIEGLITZ, MD** – Constructive Health: Management's Stake in Industrial Health Programs
- 1955 **E. DWIGHT BARNETT, MD** – Administrative Medicine: A Necessary Component of Industrial Health
- 1956 **EDWARD L. BERNAYS, BS** – The Engineering of Consent
- 1957 **FRANK CURTIS** – The Problem of Producing Engineers
- 1958 **C.W. SHILLING, MD** – Everybody's Business: The Problem of Fall Out and Radiation
- 1959 **CAREY P. MCCORD, MD** – Scurvy As an Occupational Disease
- 1960 **WILLIAM P. SHEPARD, MD** – The Practice of Industrial Medicine: What It Takes
- 1961 **RUTHERFORD T. JOHNSTONE, MD** – Occupational Medicine: The Captive Specialty
- 1962 **JAMES H. STERNER, MD** – The Industrial Physician and the Adaptation of Medicine to an Industrialized Society
- 1963 **ALBERT H. SCHWICHTENBERG, MD** – Aerospace Medicine and Bioastronautics
- 1964 **ROBERT B. O'CONNOR, MD** – The Challenge of Industrial Medicine
- 1965 **L. HOLLAND WHITNEY, MD** – Do We Measure Up?
- 1966 **LEON J. WARSHAW, MD** – Patterns and Prospects
- 1967 **LEMUEL C. MCGEE, MD** – Training for Occupational Medicine
- 1968 **JEAN SPENCER FELTON, MD** – Care, Compassion and Confrontation: The Correctives in the Occupational Mental Health of the Future
- 1969 **ROBERT A. KEHOE, MD** – The Role of Occupational Medicine in Modern Society
- 1970 **The Honorable WILLIAM A. STEIGER** – Occupational Health and Safety Legislation
- 1971 **IRVING R. TABERSHAW, MD** – Occupational Medicine: The Search for Identity
- 1972 **PAUL M. ELLWOOD, JR., MD** – Health Care: Should Your Company Buy or Sell It?
- 1973 **CHARLES L. DUNHAM, MD** – Industrial Medicine and the Environment
- 1974 **ROBERT MURRAY, MD** – Transatlantic Occupational Health
- 1975 **HENRY R. HERBERT, JR., MD** – Pros and Cons of Relicensure and Recertification
- 1976 **MILES O. COLWELL, MD** – The Elements of Credibility: Changing Perceptions
- 1977 **IRVING R. TABERSHAW, MD** – The Health of the Enterprise
- 1978 **LASALLE D. LEFFALL, JR., MD** – Smoking and Health
- 1979 **PAUL KOTIN, MD** – In the Workplace: Crisis, Crusade or Crucible
- 1980 **LLOYD B. TEPPER, MD** – The Right to Know: The Duty to Inform
- 1981 **MARCUS M. KEY, MD** – Criteria Documents Revisited
- 1982 **BRUCE W. KARRH, MD** – The Influence of Government Regulation: Past and Present
- 1983 **BRUCE E. DOUGLASS, MD** – The Size of Medicine
- 1984 **C. CRAIG WRIGHT, MD** – 1984 and Beyond
- 1985 **BRUCE N. AMES, PhD** – Carcinogens, Anti-carcinogens, and Cancer Causation
- 1986 **DUANE L. BLOCK, MD** – How Will We Be Remembered?
- 1987 **DIANE CHAPMAN WALSH, PhD** – The Vanguard and the Rearguard: Occupational Medicine Revisits Its Future
- 1988 **ART ULENE, MD** – Occupational Medicine: Whose Doctor Are You Anyway?
- 1989 **WAYNE N. OUTTEN** – Confidentiality of Employee Medical Records: Legal Standards and Considerations
- 1990 **DENTON A. COOLEY, MD** – The Economics of Cardiovascular Disease: Implications for American Industry
- 1991 **GEORGE D. NELSON, PhD** – The Challenge of Medicine in the Final Frontier
- 1992 **STUART F. SCHLOSSMAN, MD** – The Impact of Immunology in Occupational and Environmental Medicine

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- 1993 **DIXIE E. SNIDER, JR., MD** – The Epidemiology of Tuberculosis in the United States: Implications for Occupational and Environmental Health
- 1994 **JAN WITOWSKI, PhD** – The Human Genome
- 1995 **M. ROY SCHWARZ, MD** – The Environment and Medicine: How They're Changing, and What That Means to America
- 1996 **EDWARD L. BAKER, MD** – Occupational and Environmental Health: Providing Leadership in the Information Age
- 1997 **C. ARDEN POPE III, PhD** – Epidemiological Evidence of Health Effects of Ambient Particulate Air Pollution
- 1998 **MARCIA ANGELL, MD** – How Do We Know What's Risky
- 1999 **JOSEPH M. CANNELLA, MD** – Occupational Medicine – Our Past, Present and Future
- 2000 **SAMUEL BRODER, MD** – The Impact of the Complete Human Genome Sequence on the Field of Medicine
- 2001 **LAWRENCE J. FINE, MD** – Progress, Persistent Hazards, and Proactive Approaches to New Challenges
- 2002 **THOMAS V. INGLESBY, MD** – Bioterrorism and Public Health Preparedness
- 2003 **MARC L. BERGER, MD** – Investing in Health-related Productivity: The Next Frontier of Enhancing ROI
- 2004 **DENNIS E. RICHLING, MD** – Occupational Health: Leading the Transformation of the Health System
- 2005 **ARTHUR L. FRANK, MD** – Global Aspects of Asbestos Exposure
- 2006 **PAUL W. BRANDT-RAUF, MD** – Meeting the Global Challenge of Sustainable Development: Environmental Medicine without Borders
- 2007 **LAURA PUNETT, PhD, ScD** – Inequitable Distribution of Workplace Risks: Insights from Studying Musculoskeletal Disorders
- 2008 **HOWARD FRUMKIN, MD, MPH, DRPH** – Climate Change – The Public Health Response
- 2009 **KEN DYCHTOWALD, PHD** – How the Age Wave Will Transform Health and Healthcare
- 2010 **MICHAEL GRUNWALD** – The Swamp: The Everglades, Florida, and the Politics of Paradise
- 2011 **Mark R. Rosekind, PhD** – Fatigue Management: Embrace Change to Enhance Safety and Health
- 2012 **Arthur L. Kellermann, MD, MPH** – Personal and Population Health in the 21st Century
- 2013 **Paul Grundy, MD, MPH** – Patient Centered Medical Home
- 2014 **Molly Coye, MD, MPH** – No title
- 2015 **Professor Ewan B. MacDonald** – No title

George H. Gehrman Memorial Lecture

Presented annually at the College's fall State-of-the-Art Conference (SOTAC), until SOTAC was discontinued in 2008, the lecture was created in 1956 to honor George H. Gehrman, MD (1890-1959), a founder of the American Academy of Occupational Medicine (one of ACOEM's parent organizations) and its first President (1946-1949).

- 1956 **EMIL F. DUPONT** – (Topic not in program)
1957 **LEROY E. BURNEY, MD** – (Topic not in program)
1958 **VERNON W. LIPPARD, MD** – (Topic not in program)
1959 **PHILLIP DRINKER, ScD** – (Topic not in program)
1960 **WILLIAM P. SHEPARD, MD** – (Topic not in program)
1961 **THEODORE C. WATERS** – Occupational Disease and Compensation
1962 **ROBERT ANDERSON, MD** – A National Environmental Health Program
1963 **KARL MENNINGER, MD** – The Ecology of Soldiers: Observations and Reflections
1964 **LEO WADE, MD** – Occupation and Cancer
1965 **THEODORE F. HATCH, ScD** – Conditions of Work and Man's Health: Tomorrow's Problems
1966 **ALLAN J. FLEMING, MD** – Industrial Dermatitis: Detection and Control
1967 **ENRICO D. VIGLIANI, MD** – Practice of Occupational Medicine: European Viewpoint
1968 **JOHN L. NORRIS, MD** – Alcoholism in Industry
1969 **AARON BENDICH, PhD** – Cell Transformation and the Genesis of Cancer
1970 **HENRY F. SMYTHE, PhD** – (Topic not in program)
1971 **KATHERINE R. BOUCOT, MD** – Air Pollution Control in Industry: A Model for the Community
1972 **WILLIAM A. STEIGER** – Occupational Safety and Health in the 70s
1973 **LEONARD J. GOLDWATER, MD** – (Topic not in program)
1974 **CLIFFORD H. KEANE, MD** – (Topic not in program)
1975 **HAROLD J. MAGNUSON, MD** – The Right to Know
1976 **JEAN SPENCER FELTON, MD** – Health Education
1977 **RAYMOND R. SUSKIND, MD** – Occupational Health Education: Transition and Challenge
1978 **ROBERT E. ECKARDT, MD** – Occupational Medicine as a Specialty
1979 **JAMES P. HUGHES, MD** – (Topic not in program)
1980 **SIR RICHARD DOLL** – Relevance of Epidemiology to Policies for the Prevention of Cancer
1981 **PAUL KOTIN, MD** – Carcinogenesis: Problems and Paradoxes
1982 **BERTRAM D. DINMAN, MD** – Development of Public Policy in the Face of Ambiguity
1983 **GILBEART COLLINGS, JR., MD** – Examining the "Occupational" in Occupational Medicine
1984 **MARCUS M. KEY, MD** – State and Local Health Departments: Forgotten Resources in Occupational Safety and Health
1985 **ERNEST MASTROMATTEO, MD** – Occupational Medicine: The Tools of the Trade
1986 **LLOYD B. TEPPER, MD** – The Strategic Dimensions of Occupational Medicine
1987 **BRUCE W. KARRH, MD** – Occupational and Environmental Health: Learn from the Past: Look to the Future
1988 **ROBERT A. NEAL, PhD** – Understanding Mechanisms of Chemical Toxicity: Implications for Occupational Medicine
1989 **GERARD F. SCANNELL** – The Occupational Health Challenge: Your Critical Role and Involvement
1990 **GERSHON FISHBEIN** – Occupational Health: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow
1991 **JUNE E. OSBORN, MD** – The Second Decade of AIDS
1992 **SIDNEY PELL, ScD** – Epidemiologists in Industry: Past Achievements, Unexplored Opportunities and Future Needs
1993 **E. DONALD ELLIOTT, JR., JD** – Public Health and the Environment: Beyond Legalism
1994 **JONATHAN E. FIELDING, MD** – Healthcare Reforms: Political AND Economic Implications for Prevention and Occupational Medicine
1995 **MICHAEL A. SILVERSTEIN, MD** – Developing the Scientific Basis for Policy
1996 **DAVID B. NASH, MD** – Accountability, Managed Care and the Future of Occupational Medicine
1997 **DAN M. SPENGLER, MD** – Industrial Low-Back Injury: Perspectives of an Orthopaedist
1998 **J. STEVEN MOORE, MD** – In Search of Truth in Occupational Medicine

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- 1999 **HERMAN STAUDENMAYER, PhD** – Idiopathic Environmental Intolerances: Myth and Reality
- 2000 **MARCUS G. WILSON, MD** – New Strategies for the Recognition of Occupational and Environmental Disease
- 2001 **ANTHONY SEATON, MD** – *De Sedibus et Causis Morborum* (On the Sites and Causes of Disease)
- 2002 **ALFRED SOMMER, MD** – Epidemiology, the Environment, and Post-genomic Health
- 2003 **STANLEY J. BIGOS, MD** – Using Reliable Evidence in Making Clinical Decisions
- 2004 **PETER SPENCER, PhD** – Neurotoxicology: Past, Present, and Future
- 2005 **JONATHAN BORAK, MD** – Science, Evidence, and the Future of OEM
- 2006 **ALFRED JAY BOLLET, MD** – Impact of Human History on Epidemic Disease
- 2007 **JORMA RANTANEN, MD, PHD** – Challenges to Ethics in Occupational Health in the Globalizing World

Note: This Lecture is no longer presented.