

Welcome to the 92nd
ASCLS Annual Meeting
Awards Ceremony

Wednesday, July 10, 2024



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Constituent Society
Membership Awards



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Constituent Society Membership Awards

Greatest Membership Growth

2nd Place – Capitol Area Society with four members
Cliff Cymrot, President
Yousif Barzani, Membership Chair



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Constituent Society Membership Awards

Greatest Membership Growth

1st Place – ASCLS-New Jersey with 29 members
Linda Sherman-Atkins, President
Lucia Wang, Membership Chair



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Constituent Society Membership Awards

Greatest Percentage Member Retention

3rd Place – ASCLS-Kansas with 87.37% retention
Beckie Hetrick, President
Renee Hodgkins, Membership Chair



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Constituent Society Membership Awards

Greatest Percentage Member Retention

2nd Place – ASCLS-North Dakota with 89.47% retention
Tammy Windish, President
Sharon Reistad, Membership Chair



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Constituent Society Membership Awards

Greatest Percentage Member Retention

1st Place – ASCLS-Hawaii with 89.53% retention
Charmaine Kuehne, President
Michael Lieberman Membership Chair



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Constituent Society Publication Awards



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Constituent Society Publications

3rd Place: ASCLS-New York
Bench Notes
Editor: Carol Golyski



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Constituent Society Publications

2nd Place: ASCLS-Michigan
NEWSLINKS
Editor: Paul Guthrie



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Constituent Society Publications

2nd Place: ASCLS-Oregon
The Centrifuge



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Constituent Society Publications

1st Place: ASCLS-Minnesota
e-Laborate
Editor: Deb Rodahl



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Constituent Society Website Awards





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Constituent Society Website Award

3rd Place – ASCLS-Montana
Webmaster: Anna Adams







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Constituent Society Website Award

2nd Place – ASCLS-Minnesota
Webmaster: Jenna Amundson






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Constituent Society Website Award

1st Place – ASCLS-Illinois
Webmaster: Darby Naheedy







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Political Action Committee Awards



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Political Action Committee Award

Constituent Society Most Contributed per Member

Honorable Mention: ASCLS-Montana, \$10.06 per member
Jennifer Wolcott, President



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Political Action Committee Award

Constituent Society Most Contributed per Member

3rd Place: ASCLS-Minnesota, \$10.97 per member
Galina Dronova, President



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Political Action Committee Award

Constituent Society Most Contributed per Member

2nd Place: ASCLS-Hawaii, \$11.04 per member
Charmaine Kuehne, President



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Political Action Committee Award

Constituent Society Most Contributed per Member

1st Place: Louisiana Society for Clinical Laboratory Science,
\$14.69 per member

Melonie Falcon, President
Judy Garic, PAC Chair



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Keys to the Future



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Omicron Sigma



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Golden Service Awards 50 Year Members



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Golden Service Award
50 Year Members



Suzanne Butch, OH Janice Conway-Klaassen,
OR



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Golden Service Award
50 Year Members



Carol Golyski, NY Karen Griffin, OK



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Golden Service Award
50 Year Members

Duncan Samo, TX



Suzanne Abraham, AK

Shirley Adams, SC



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Golden Service Award
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Julie Brownie, ME Elaine Keohane, NJ



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Golden Service Award
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Janice Kinsinger, IL



Louann Lawrence, TX

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Lynn Maedel, CO



Betty Martin, KY

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Shirlyn McKenzie, TX

Patricia Meunier, MA

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Rick Panning, MN



Sheila Ramerman, OR

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Golden Service Award 50 Year Members



Joyce Tolerton, OH



Phyllis Toups, LA



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Golden Service Award 50 Year Members



Mary Ann Valentine, WI



Rebecca Walters, SC



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Major Membership Milestones 60 Year Members



Kathleen Hansen, MN



Jean Garza, MI



Charles King, AK



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ASCLS Membership Milestones



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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarship Awards





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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships

Eleanor Parchman Memorial
Scholarship



Mark De Luna, FL

Ida & May Reilly Memorial
Scholarship



Matthew Nguyen, TX





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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships

John P. Smith Scholarship



Jonathan Buckendorf, UT

Dorothy Morrison Memorial
Scholarship



Katherine Guise, FL





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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships

James Holley Memorial
Scholarship



Kayla Kruk, MI

Martha Winstead Memorial
Scholarship



Chandler Deaton, OH






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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships

Roma E. Brown Memorial/
Nellie M. Berings Scholarship



Grace Tooke, MT

Ruth M. French Memorial
Scholarship



Leah Louise Guillama, VA

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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships

Ruth M. French Memorial
Scholarship



Mikey Kieu, TX


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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships-Undergraduate



Jessica Davis, KS



Victoria Foster, NE

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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships-Undergraduate



Shelby Shoemaker, NE



Miriam Shofner, WI

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Alpha Mu Tau Scholarships-Undergraduate



Krista Watson, OR





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Education & Research
Scholarship and Grants
Awards





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E & R Scholarships and Grants

Edward C. Dolbey Graduate Scholarship	Edward C. Dolbey MLS Scholarship
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Elizabeth Stepp, GA **Maisy Lindseth, ND**





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E & R Scholarships and Grants

Bernadette F. "Bunny" Rodak
Memorial MLS Scholarship



Kylie Mons, OR

Past Presidents Graduate
Scholarship

Janeesa Stancil, NE





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Developing and Ascending Professionals Travel and Registration Scholarships

30 Developing and Ascending Professionals were awarded 2024 Joint Annual Meeting registration and travel scholarships, totaling \$17,400.





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2024 Participants

- Houston Methodist Hospital
- LSU Health Shreveport
- Oregon Institute of Technology
- Otero College
- PCOM-Georgia MLS Program
- University of Nebraska Medical Center #1
- University of Nebraska Medical Center #2
- Wichita State University #1
- Wichita State University #2





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2024 Finalists

- Houston Methodist Hospital
- Nebraska Methodist MLS program






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2024 Winner

Houston Methodist Hospital






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Developing Professional Leadership Award



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Developing Professional Leadership Award Nominees



Damien Garza, WI



Katherine Guise, FL



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Developing Professional Leadership Award Nominees



Aditi Sarkar, NJ



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Developing Professional Leadership Award Winner:



Aditi Sarkar, NJ



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Ascending Professional Leadership Award



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Ascending Professional Leadership Award Nominees

Clayton Fraker, WI



Sydney Klausing, MI



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Ascending Professional Leadership Award Nominees



Jeremiah Oh, GA



Doryan Redding, VA



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Ascending Professional Leadership Award Nominees



Emily Woten, FL



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Ascending Professional Leadership Award
Winner:






Doryan Redding, VA



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Voices Under 40 Awards



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Voices Under 40 Awards



Jenna Amundson, MN



Leah Daily-Palmer, WA



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Voices Under 40 Awards



Ellis McVoy, AR



Darby Naheedy, IL



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Voices Under 40 Awards



Ogechi Ohaeto, FL Nicholas Steder III, IL

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Voices Under 40 Awards



Elizabeth Stepp, MS Alese Thompson, MO

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Annual Meeting Poster Competition Awards

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Annual Meeting Poster Competition



Professional
Grace Leu Burke
Carbapenem-resistant, ESBL producing Enterobacterales Isolated in Urban Moose

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Annual Meeting Poster Competition

Graduate
April Nelsen
Identification of pulmonary infection with Porcine Rotavirus A in pigs with respiratory disease





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Annual Meeting Poster Competition

Undergraduate
Chloe Philippe
Improving the understanding of transgender-specific patient needs in the clinical laboratory via undergraduate student education



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Education & Research Fund Joseph J. Kleiner Memorial Award



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Joseph J. Kleiner Memorial Award

Kaitlin Walsh, Tara C. Moon, Troy Dang, and Caroline Immel
Development of a Procedure to Resolve Daratumumab Interference in Pretransfusion Testing



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Education & Research Fund Member Research Grant



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Member Research Grant

Adeyemi Olanrewaju
*Discovery of Novel
Therapeutics/Vaccine Against
Dengue Virus*



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Scientific Research Award



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Scientific Research Award

Cara Bushmaker
*Comparative aerosol and surface
stability of SARS-CoV-2 Variants of
Concern*



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Theriot Award



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Theriot Award

Honorable Mention
Mary Louise Turgeon
Discovery and Promotion of Diversity in Clinical Laboratory Science



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Theriot Award

Winner
Christine Maleck
Personal Protective Equipment Safety Protocols for Laboratory Service Dogs in a Student MLS Laboratory



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CLEF Student Case Study Award



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CLEF Student Case Study

Cole Royer for Case of Disseminated Blastomycosis in New England



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Constituent Society Member of the Year Recognition

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Constituent Society Member of the Year



Audrey Folsom,
Arkansas



Leslie Martineau,
Central New England

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Constituent Society Member of the Year



Ayla Alvalos-Morales,
Colorado



Kyle Riding,
Florida

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Kemorine Roberts,
Georgia

Lynn Nakahara,
Hawaii



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



Karen Campbell,
Iowa

Letycia Nuñez Argote,
Kansas





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Constituent Society Member of the Year



Mary Rauvola,
Minnesota

Rana Walley,
Mississippi



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



Danyel Anderson,
Missouri

Jennifer Wolcott,
Montana



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



**Marietta Tomlin,
New Jersey**



**Jessica Fry,
North Dakota**



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



**Heather Strange,
Ohio**



**Laura Sage,
Oregon**



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



**Travis Bicher,
Pennsylvania**

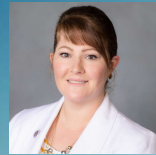


**Kassi Erickson,
South Dakota**



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



**Heather Phillips,
Tennessee**



**Debbie Faubion,
Texas**



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



**Briana Shelton,
Virginia**

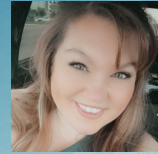


**Samantha Salm,
Wisconsin**



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Constituent Society Member of the Year



**Franki-Marie Orr,
Wyoming**



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Lifetime Achievement Award



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Lifetime Achievement Award Nominees



Janice Conway-Klaassen, OR



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Lifetime Achievement Award Nominees



Teresa Nadder, VA



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Lifetime Achievement Award Nominees




Yasmien Simonian, UT


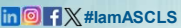



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Lifetime Achievement Award Nominees



Sharon Strauss, Pennsylvania



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Lifetime Achievement Award **Winner**



Janice Conway-Klaassen, OR



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This concludes our awards ceremony for this evening.

See you next year in Sacramento, CA, June 8-12, 2025!

