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JOHN STONE, MD | POET & CARDIOLOGIST

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
We are fortunate to have speakers of national prominence and local talent who will present a wide range of subjects encompassing literature and the history of medicine. For those of us who went to Emory School of Medicine, it is instructive to examine our roots. To that end, Mary Horton will talk about the early days of the Emory medical school. Dr. Paul Mueller from the Mayo Clinic will give a fascinating talk on Dr. Moonlight Graham, a professional baseball player who practiced medicine in Chisholm, Minnesota, and was portrayed in the movie Field of Dreams. Dr. Mueller has done extensive research and produced a one-hour documentary about the inspiring Dr. Graham. The value of reading literature and poetry in studying medicine is underappreciated. Sally Wolff-King, an authority on Southern literature, will give us unprecedented insight into the heart metaphors of John Stone, Emory's well known poet and cardiologist. Medical student Divya Kishore will talk about cancer and how politics was involved in the Laetrile controversy and the treatment of cancer. Dr. Timothy Olsen, an ophthalmology professor will give some special and colorful insight into the history of color vision deficits. We encourage everyone to think about a case in which you made a diagnosis aided by your knowledge of the history of medicine.

Goals, thoughts, and lessons we hope participants will achieve include:

- Literature as a teaching tool for developing clinical competencies is underappreciated. A look at John Stone’s poetry with attention to his metaphors of the heart shows us that knowledge of literature is a powerful tool for understanding and analyzing the human condition. As Rita Charon has written: “The study of literature calls for the exercise of skill in observation and interpretation and develops clinical imagination.”

- The remarkable story of Thomas Hodgkin will remind us of the need for careful observation and the power of the physical exam.

- Can politics possibly play a role in healthcare? Recognize how politics have affected medical care with 2 examples: (1) Laetrile for treating cancer (2) Insight from values, football, and color vision deficits.

CREDIT
The Emory University School of Medicine has approved this activity for 3.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Credit will be awarded to each physician based on completion of a short questionnaire.

The Emory University School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

REGISTRATION & SYMPOSIUM LOCATION
The symposium tuition is complimentary, but PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUESTED. You may register at http://www.emory.edu/homecoming/, or by contacting Ruthy Cunningham at medicalalumni@emory.edu, 404-727-0462.

All sessions will be held in the Emory Medical School Building, Room 110, 100 Woodruff Circle, NE, Atlanta, GA 30322. It is located directly across the street from Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. You may park in the Michael Street or Lowergate parking decks. For specific directions, visit: http://transportation.emory.edu/visitors/index.html.

The program is held in conjunction with Emory University Medical School Alumni Weekend. A full schedule of the events of the weekend may be found at: http://www.emory.edu/homecoming/

AGENDA
Saturday, September 24, 2016

7:30 AM - 8
COFFEE AND BREAKFAST
Courtesy of Emory Medical Alumni Association

8 - 8:10
INTRODUCTORY REMARKS
Clyde Partin, MD - Moderator

8:10 - 8:40
“VALENTINE ALIVE:” THE HEART METAPHORS OF JOHN STONE, MD – EMORY POET AND CARDIOLOGIST
Sally Wolff King, Ph.D.

8:40 - 9:20
BEYOND FIELD OF DREAMS: THE REAL DR. ARCHIBALD “MOONLIGHT” GRAHAM
Paul S. Mueller, M.D., M.P.H.

9:20 - 10
THOMAS HODGKIN: MEDICAL IMMORTAL AND UNCOMPROMISING IDEALIST
Marvin J. Stone, MD, MACP

10 - 10:10
SPECIAL PRESENTATION
Sandra Franklin

10:10 - 10:30
BREAK AND SNACKS
Courtesy of Emory Medical Alumni Association

10:30 - 11
APRICOTS, CANCER, AND THE POLITICS OF CHOICE: THE LAETRILE CONTROVERSY
Divya C. Kishore, M2

11 - 11:30
COLORS, VALUES, AND VISION
Timothy W. Olsen MD

11:30 - 12 PM
THE EARLY DAYS OF THE EMORY UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE: A SCHOOL TO KEEP
Mary E. Kollmer Horton, MPH, MA