

**Carol B. and Jerome T. Loeb Teaching Fellows Program**

**2015 CALL FOR APPLICATIONS**

Applications are being accepted **until August 21, 2015 at 5 pm** via email ([witzelc@wusm.wustl.edu](mailto:witzelc@wusm.wustl.edu)) for the Carol B. and Jerome T. Loeb Teaching Fellows program at Barnes-Jewish Hospital (BJH) and Washington University School of Medicine (WUSM).

**Background:** The Loeb Teaching Fellows program was established in 2004 by a generous gift from Mr. and Mrs. Loeb to honor and thank BJH voluntary clinical faculty and WUSM clinical and or investigator track faculty committed to clinical excellence and innovation, and to encourage teaching that excellence and innovation to residents and students. Applicants to the Loeb Teaching Fellows program must have a record of excellence in patient care and clinical teaching. Additional consideration will be given to candidates who include, as part of their application, a plan for project sustainability following completion of their Loeb Teaching Fellowship.

**Two** (2) Loeb Teaching Fellowships will be available this term and will be supported jointly by the Barnes-Jewish Hospital Foundation and WUSM. Loeb Teaching Fellows will receive \$50,000 per year for two years *for salary compensation only* to enable Fellows to dedicate a significant portion of their time to teaching clinical medicine to residents and medical students.

**Loeb Teaching Fellows will be appointed to a two-year term beginning November 1, 2015 and ending on October 31, 2017.** A mid-term review and renewal is required in 2016. Loeb Teaching Fellows funds are not transferable and may not be used beyond the originally-stated Loeb Teaching Fellows award dates.

<b>Eligibility:</b>	<b>Barnes-Jewish Hospital voluntary clinical faculty, and Washington University School of Medicine clinical and or investigator track faculty are eligible to apply.</b>
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<b>Selection Criteria:</b>	<b>Loeb Teaching Fellows will be selected based on the following criteria:</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Loeb Teaching Fellows shall meet new or unmet clinical teaching needs for residents and/or students.</li> <li>Loeb Teaching Fellows shall invest time both in direct teaching of medical students and/or residents and in program/curriculum development. Direct teaching should be a substantial portion of designated Loeb fellowship time.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A demonstration of innovative teaching methodologies or programmatic development is desirable.</li> <li>Particular consideration will be given to those candidates who include a plan for project sustainability following completion of their Loeb teaching fellowship term.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Faculty members who already have a substantial teaching commitment (clerkship directors, program directors, etc.) shall describe plans to improve or expand their current educational activities.</li> </ul>	

<b>Application information:</b>	<b>To apply for a Loeb Teaching Fellowship, interested faculty members must submit the following 3 items in PDF format, via email to <a href="mailto:witzelc@wusm.wustl.edu">witzelc@wusm.wustl.edu</a> by 5 pm on August 21, 2015:</b>
	1. <b>Brief project description</b> (two-page limit) of the applicant's planned teaching and curriculum development addressing the selection criteria; the number of learners expected to benefit; and a description of the outcomes expected at the end of the two-year fellowship term. Inclusion of a plan for project sustainability following the Loeb fellowship term will be particularly helpful.
	2. <b>Curriculum vitae</b> that includes information on the applicant's excellence in clinical care and teaching.
	3. <b>Letter from the applicant's department head</b> outlining delineation of the time to be made available to the faculty member to pursue his/her Loeb teaching fellowship activities.

<b>Submission Information:</b>	<b>Please email your application materials as a PDF to: <a href="mailto:witzelc@wusm.wustl.edu">witzelc@wusm.wustl.edu</a> by 5 p.m. on August 21, 2015; no exceptions please.</b> (For questions, call Celeste at 362-7800.)
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<b>Selection Process:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All applications will be reviewed and applicants selected by the Loeb Teaching Fellows Selection Committee. The committee is appointed by the Washington University School of Medicine dean in consultation with the Barnes-Jewish Hospital chief medical officer and includes representatives from: WUSM and BJH full-time and voluntary clinical faculty; resident and clerkship teachers; the senior associate dean for education; and the associate dean for medical student education.</li> <li>Loeb Teaching Fellows will be announced school-wide in late fall.</li> </ul>
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<b><i>Carol B. and Jerome T. Loeb Teaching Fellows:</i></b>	
<b><i>2005 – 2007</i></b> Elliot E. Abbey, M.D., BJH, Voluntary Faculty Martin I. Boyer, M.D., M.Sc., FRCS, Orthopaedic Surgery Jane Loitman, M.D., M.S., BJH Palliative Care Mary E. Klingensmith, M.D., Surgery	<b><i>2008 – 2009</i></b> Thomas M. De Fer, Internal Medicine James J. Fehr, M.D., Anesthesiology and Pediatrics Mary E. Klingensmith, M.D., Surgery
<b><i>2010 – 2012</i></b> Michael Awad, MD, PhD, Surgery Joan Rosenbaum, MD, Pediatrics Gladys Tse, MD, Obstetrics & Gynecology	<b><i>2012 – 2014</i></b> Nigar Kirmani, M.D., Medicine Douglas Larsen, M.D., Neurology & Pediatrics
<b><i>2014 – 2016</i></b> Ellen Binder, M.D., Internal Medicine Krikor Dikranian, M.D., Ph.D., Anatomy & Neurobiology	

<b><i>2015 Loeb Teaching Fellows Selection Committee – Representing BJH and WUSM:</i></b>	
Michael Awad, MD, PhD Melvin Blanchard, MD William Bowen, MD Michael Brunt, MD Erika Crouch, MD, PhD	Thomas De Fer, MD Sandor Kovacs, MD John Lynch, MD / Katherine Henderson, MD Deborah Rubin, MD Alison Whelan, MD (chair)