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News from the Division of Infectious Diseases

December 2018

## In the News



**Charlotte Gaydos, DrPH, MPH** and colleagues are spearheading efforts to raise awareness about [mycoplasma genitalium](#) (Mgen), recognized by the CDC as a STD in 2015. Mgen is possibly linked to pelvic inflammatory disease and infertility and may be more common than gonorrhea. Currently there is no FDA approved Mgen test, but the JHU team is analyzing a test used in Europe. Read the article and watch the video in the Baltimore Sun.

**Cynthia Sears, MD** wrote an opinion piece for The Hill, [Antimicrobial Resistance is An Urgent, Global Crisis](#). Per Dr. Sears, "At least 23,000 people die from antibiotic-resistant infections every year in the United States and many more die because of complications from those infections." Expanded efforts are necessary to educate the public on the appropriate use of antibiotics.



**Lisa Maragakis, MD** was quoted in a BuzzFeed online article about recent fatalities in NJ and MD associated with [Adenovirus](#), "Unfortunately, there are a bunch of different strains and some are more virulent than others."



## Congratulations



Congratulations to **Sutthichai Sae-Tia, MD, PhD** on his completion of a clinical fellowship in transplant and oncology infectious diseases (TOID). Dr. Sae-Tia has accepted the position of Assistant Professor at Stony Brook University.

## ID Division Holiday Party

All Faculty and Staff are Invited  
 December 19, 3:30-5 PM  
 Rangos 590



## Adult ID Fellowship Match

We are absolutely THRILLED to announce the results of our fellowship Match. Joining us in July 2019 will be:

### Dr. Walid El-Nahal

MD from University of Virginia  
 Residency and Chief Residency at University of Virginia

### Dr. Stela Karanika

MD from University of Athens (Greece)  
 Residency at Boston University

### Dr. Sonya Krishnan

MD from George Washington University  
 Residency at Johns Hopkins

### Dr. Lauren Smith

MD from Howard University  
 Residency at Jackson Memorial Hospital/  
 University of Miami



*Wishing you a very happy and healthy holiday season*

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Our goal is to disseminate information among faculty, staff and students of the Division of Infectious Diseases.

**Submission deadline December 20, 2018.** Please submit items for publication via email to the Editor, **Yvonne Higgins, MAS, MS**

## Upcoming Events

### Johns Hopkins Bayview Research Symposium

Friday, December 7, 8 AM – 1 PM

Grossi Auditorium, Johns Hopkins Asthma & Allergy Center

### Johns Hopkins Biostatistics Center Celebration

Friday, December 7, 12-5 PM

West Hall, Basic Science Building

### CFAR Mini-Symposium, Machine Learning

Using Big Data as an Epidemiologic Tool

Tuesday, December 11, 12-1:30 PM

BSPH, W1214

### Guidelines for Preparing an NIH Budget

The Center for AIDS Research invites you to attend this training with Joy Bolden, Grants and Contracts Manager with the Division of General Internal Medicine

Wednesday, December 12, 12-1 PM

BSPH W3030

### Email Software Update

JH email accounts are migrating to MS Exchange 2016 on Wednesday, December 5. For Mobile device access, please visit [Intune Service Now](#).



## Join the CEPAR Roster

Johns Hopkins Office of Critical Event Preparedness and Response (CEPAR) is compiling a roster of professionals with subject matter expertise who have the experience and ability to respond to humanitarian crises and public health emergencies globally. If interested, visit the [Humanitarian Response Roster Survey](#). For more information, visit the [Johns Hopkins Office of Critical Event Preparedness and Response](#).

## Welcome to ID

Margaret Abaandou	Sr. Research Nurse
Omolola Akolo	Clinical Nurse Manager
Karen Alston	Clinical Nurse Case Manager
Kaitlyn Clark	Research Technologist
Donna Greaves	Medical Training Program Administrator
Gaurav Kumar	Post Doc
Kim Kutchins	Financial Manager
Steven McDonald	Case Manager
Douglas Montague	Sr. Administrative Coordinator
Alison Pack	Program Administrator
Brenda Robles	Research Specialist
Alejandra Salinas	Research Program Coordinator
Amani Yamani	Post Doc

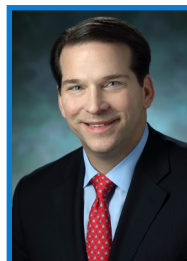
### Update your faculty profile

Input your name into the [search box](#). On the results page, click the *View Full Profile* button. To edit the information, click the *Edit Profile* button at the bottom of the page.



### eViral Hepatitis Review

Subscribe to [eViralHepatitis Review](#) and learn from expert faculty in this topic-focused newsletter and podcast program that curates and condenses the most relevant HCV and HBV literature. **Mark Sulkowski, MD** and **Taryn Haselhuhn, CRNP** are course directors.



## ID Calendar

### Standing Meetings, ID

ID Case Conference, 8:30-9:30 AM, Every Tuesday, Cader Room, Harvey 508

ID Faculty Meeting, 9:30-10:30 AM, Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday, Cader Room, Harvey 508

ID Clinical and Research Topics Meeting, 12-1 PM, 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, Fisher Center, PCTB 211

Hepatitis Group Lab Meeting, 12:30-1:30 PM, Every Tuesday, Rangos 539 or 590

Hepatitis Group Journal Club, 2:00-3:00 PM, Every Tuesday, Rangos 590

Hepatitis C Genetic Meeting, 11:00 AM-1:00 PM, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday, Fisher Center 212

ID Management Conference, 12-1 PM, Every Thursday, Rangos 5

TB Clinical and Epidemiology Lunch Meeting, 12:20-1:20, Every Thursday, Center for TB Research, CRB 2, IM.13

Department of Medicine, Medical Grand Rounds, 8-9 AM, Every Friday, Hurd Hall

HIV Providers Meeting, 12-1 PM, Every Friday, Rangos 590

### Upcoming Dates

Date, 2018	Meeting or Event
December 3	CFAR Scholar Grant: Award Announcement
December 3	JHCRN Research Accelerator and Mentorship program LOI deadline
December 5	JH email accounts migration to MS Exchange 2016
December 7	Johns Hopkins Biostatistics Center Celebration, West Hall, Basic Science Bld., 12-5 PM
December 7	Johns Hopkins Bayview Research Symposium, Asthma & Allergy Center, 8 AM-1 PM
December 11	CFAR Machine Learning Symposium, 12-1:30 PM, BSPH W1214
December 12	Guidelines for Preparing an NIH Budget, 12-1 PM, BSPH W3030
December 19	ID Division Holiday Party, 3:30-5 PM, Rangos 590
December 20	ID Insider (divisional newsletter) submission deadline
December 24	JHU Holiday
December 25	JHU Holiday
December 31	JHU Holiday
January 1	JHU Holiday



Open Staff Positions		<a href="https://jobs.jhu.edu/">https://jobs.jhu.edu/</a>			
13037	Sr. Research Prog. Coordinator	12527	Admin Manager (Clin Pharm)	11856	Grants & Contracts Manager
12758	Nurse Practitioner	12461	Research Assistant (9 positions)	11601	Nurse Practitioner
12750	Research Program Coordinator	12358	Clinical Nurse Case Mgr (HIV)	11595	Clinical Nurse Case Manager
12634	Sr. Admin Coordinator	12308	Case Manager	11440	Financial Manager
12619	Community Outreach Specialist	12271	Research Technologist	11202	Research Assistant
12569	Substance Abuse Counsellor	12240	Research Specialist	11169	Nurse Practitioner
12555	Research Program Coordinator	12055	Research Program Coordinator	10400	Sr. Research Prog Coordinator
12554	Sr. Research Prog. Coordinator	12001	Research Program Assistant II	10243	CO Clinic Manager