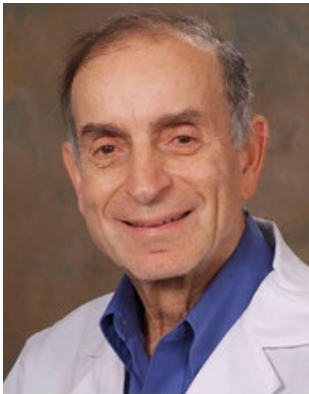


Monday, December 18, 2017

**1. Ezra A. Amsterdam honored as nation's top cardiologist.** Dr. Amsterdam, who



is a nationally recognized heart disease expert, has been added to *Forbes* list of top cardiologists! Amsterdam has been at the University for over 40 years and specializes in acute ischemic syndrome, heart failure, post-myocardial infarction and heart-disease risk factors. Dr. Amsterdam was one of the first to receive a National Institutes of Health grant to enrich medical training with instruction on preventive cardiology and also helped launch the first academic journal.

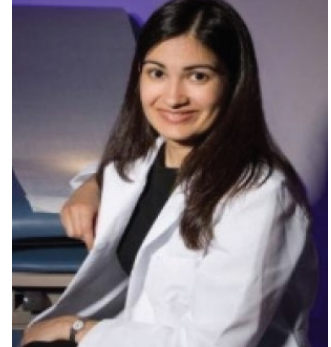
**2. 2018 Call for Applications – Clinical and Translational Science Center (CTSC), TL1 Post-doctoral Clinical Research Training Program –** The UC Davis Clinical and Transitional Science Center is pleased to announce a call for Post-doctoral applicants to receive research funding from the National Institutes of Health (NIH) sponsored program. The CTSC training program will help scholars in preparing for successful careers in translational research relevant to human health. Post docs scholars pursuing health related research are urged to apply. **Deadline to submit an application is February 8, 2018.**

For more information on eligibility and the application process please visit the [website](#).

**3. What Mentors Wish Their Mentees Knew –** The mentor-mentee relationship is a tango between a more senior person and a junior one. Just as in dance, coordination and orchestration between parties is necessary for grace and success. And while we and others have [written about](#) what makes the ideal mentor, comparatively less attention has been given to the other partner. This gap is unfortunate because, like mentorship, mentee's requires specific behaviors — without which the mentee's success may be threatened. In this article, we outline six habits of ideal mentees and provide anecdotes and views from our combined years of academic experience. While we focus on the relationship in academic medicine, the takeaways apply to most any field.

Read more [here](#).

- 4. Special Guest Reshma Jagsi, to Speak at WIMHS Speaker Series Event** – Reshma Jagsi, M.D., DPhil will be discussing sexual harassment in Academic Medicine at the WIMHS Speaker Series event on Friday, **January 19<sup>th</sup> from 12-1pm at CHT 1341**. Jagsi of Michigan University School of Medicine is Professor and Deputy Chair of the Department of Radiation Oncology, Director of Center for Bioethics and Social Sciences in Medicine and co-author of *It is Time for Zero Tolerance for Sexual Harassment in Academic Medicine*. A panel discussion will follow after Dr. Jagsi's presentation.



For more info on how to register for this event click [here](#).

- 5. CALL FOR NOMINATIONS: 2017-18 Academic Federation Awards** – The Academic Federation calls for nominations for the following three awards.

The award for Excellence in Research recognizes the vital role that Academic Federation researchers play in developing the growing reputation for research at the University of California, Davis. All members of the University community (students, faculty, staff, and alumni) are invited to nominate a member of the Academic Federation for this award.

**Nominations are due 5:00 p.m. Friday, January 19, 2018.**

The awards (2) for Excellence in Teaching identify Academic Federation members who hold at least a fifty percent teaching appointment at UC Davis and have demonstrated teaching excellence in a broad range of teaching activities, including mentoring.

**Nominations are due 5:00 p.m. Friday, January 19, 2018.**

The new award for Excellence in Graduate and Professional Teaching recognizes the significant contributions of an Academic Federation member who has demonstrated excellence in mentoring, training and/or teaching graduate and/or professional students at UC Davis.

**Nominations are due 5:00 p.m. Friday, January 19, 2018.**

More information and nomination forms can be found [here](#).