



January is Cervical Cancer Awareness Month – While early detection is key to successfully treating cervical cancer, the ability to prevent it from developing would save even more lives. Assistant Professor Tessa Hastings is leading research aimed at expanding statewide access to the human papillomavirus vaccine. [Read more...](#)

From the Dean's Desk

As we begin the start of a new semester, we often look forward to what the new year will bring each of us. As is customary for this time of year, many of us have made resolutions – a focus on improving and bettering some part of our lives. It is that very word, 'resolution,' that inspires me for 2021. I am resolute that our College will continue its work to help bring an end to the COVID-19 pandemic and will provide the best possible learning environment for our students as they prepare for their future roles as pharmacists.

Welcome to 2021!

Dean Stephen J. Cutler
College of Pharmacy



Joyner Chosen as Student Intern of Leadership Society

Leigh Joyner, Class of 2022, has been named as the new student intern for the national office of Phi Lambda Sigma, the Pharmacy Leadership Society.

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Pharmacy Faculty, Staff and Students Share Resolutions for 2021

The beginning of a new year brings with it many opportunities. We asked our pharmacy community to share some of their resolutions for 2021...

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Support the Annual Gamecock Pharmacy Career Expo

As supporters of the college, you can play a significant role in our students' education by sharing your expertise at this year's virtual career expo.

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Q&A with Assistant Professor Caitlin Mardis, 2011 Pharm.D.

Assistant Professor Caitlin Musgrave Mardis shares her path to pharmacy and how she brings a little "magic" to the classroom in our latest alumni Q&A.

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Around the College

- Alumna **Dana Nelson** (2020), community pharmacy resident at Medicine Mart in West Columbia, receives [2021 APhA Foundation Incentive Grant](#)
- Alumna **Nicole Bookstaver** (2009) provides [Columbia Fire Chief Aubrey D. Jenkins with his COVID-19 vaccine](#)
- Alumnus **Bradley White** (2006) presented with the [2020 South Carolina AHEC Health Careers Program Gateway Award](#)
- Graduate students **Biyun Celia Cui**, **Sarah Davis**, and **Xiaokai Ding** selected to receive [2020-2021 SPARC Grants](#)
- **The Gamecock Pharmacist has landed!** A special COVID-19 edition of the College of Pharmacy alumni magazine hit mailboxes over the holidays. Email us at alumni@cop.sc.edu if you didn't receive your copy. [Browse the digital edition here.](#)

Events & Opportunities



PHARMACISTS ON THE FRONT LINES

We're so proud to see UofSC pharmacy students, faculty and alumni leading the charge to vaccinate our state and nation against COVID-19. Help us recognize this work by sharing your vaccine photos and stories.

Tag us on social media [@UofSCPharm](#) or reach out to alumni@cop.sc.edu to let us know how you - or any Gamecock Pharmacists you know - have been involved in the COVID-19 vaccine rollout in your community.

Let's Stay in Touch

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