



Did you know – Clinical Associate Professor **Julie Ann Justo** is the only pharmacist in the nation invited to serve on the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Remdesivir Consultative Committee? In recognition of her accomplishments, Justo was presented with the UofSC Presidential Coin of Excellence. [Read the story here](#)

From the Dean's Desk

Given the recent unimaginable challenges, have you noticed how refreshing it is to receive good news? In that spirit, I am delighted to share that The Fullerton Foundation, based in Gaffney, S.C., recently announced a COVID-19 Rapid Response Grant Award supporting the creation of the **S.C. COVID-19 Statewide Patient Outcomes Registry** led by Associate Professor and Director of Residency and Fellowship Training **P. Brandon Bookstaver** (2004 Pharm.D.) The registry will collect and provide important data for use by clinicians, regulatory agencies and scholars. Congratulations to Dr. Bookstaver and his investigative team!



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KPIC Names James Lindsay Cobbs as Chair

Cobbs brings a wide array of career experiences to KPIC, from clinical pharmacy to global policy development in the pharmaceutical industry.

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Pharmacy Alum Tackles Medical Riddle of COVID-19

Mediwala credits the education she received at UofSC in providing her the background needed to be successful both as a clinician and a mentor.

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A Year in Review – Student Government Association

Asia Johnson, president of the Student Government Association, highlights their successes from the year and gives a glimpse at what's in store for 2020-21.

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Alumnus Honored by USPHS Pharmacists

Commander Ryan Buff was recognized for his efforts to improve pharmacy services at the Northern Navajo Medical Center in Shiprock, New Mexico.

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Around the College

- [Jill Michels, director of the Palmetto Poison Center, appointed to serve a three-year term on the American Board of Applied Toxicology Board of Directors](#)
- [Ellis Ann Frank shares a student's perspective on the community pharmacy response to COVID-19 with Flip the Pharmacy.](#)
- Associate Professor [Kevin Lu](#) selected as a Fellow of the International Society of Pharmacoepidemiology (ISPE)
- Now accepting application for Fall 2021 admission into the [Doctor of Pharmacy program](#)



Providing white coats to our incoming pharmacy students has been an annual tradition for many years.

As we continue to navigate the COVID-19 pandemic, supporting our newest students is more important than ever. For a donation of only \$45, you can purchase a white coat for an incoming first-year pharmacy student.

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