



Dates and Reminders:

Live OMM Grand Rounds – February 10, 2009
OGME – February 17, 2009
ACOFM Convention – March 4-8, 2009
LECOM Hospital Day, April 2, 2009
Tennessee Osteopathic Medical Association (TOMA)
Convention – June 3-7, 2009



Residency Spotlight: Spartanburg Regional Family Practice Residency Program

- ☞ From Januchowski, Ronald, DO, DME and PD of the Spartanburg Regional Practice Residency Program:
- ☞ I am truly excited to be the Osteopathic Director of the only dually accredited residency program in South Carolina. Spartanburg already had a great program present and with the addition of osteopathic residents and students, it has been made even better.
- ☞ Having the Family Medicine Program accredited by both the AOA and ACGME means that we get to draw from the best students that medical education has to offer. As a community based, unopposed FM program, our residents get the full scope of Family Medicine as well as direct teaching from specialists. Patient volume and diversity seems to bring in at least one “board question” patient each day!
- ☞ Training is further highlighted by a level one trauma center, high level NICU and a world class Family Medicine outpatient clinic in the Regional Outpatient Center.
- ☞ As a D.O., your OMT skills will not be wasted or forgotten in Spartanburg. Our monthly OP&P lab and constant exposure to osteopathic students will keep your skills honed.
- ☞ Other didactic training is emphasized at the daily noon conferences as well as on rounds. An additional one year fellowship in high risk and surgical obstetrics is available.
- ☞ Overall, Spartanburg Regional Family Medicine Program is the premier training site for Osteopathic physicians in the southeast!



The following link will take you to the Spartanburg program website for additional information that pertains to the program itself:
<http://www.spartfam.org>

This link takes you to the page on the AOA website listing the vital statistics of Spartanburg's residency program:
http://opportunities.osteopathic.org/search/search_details.cfm?program_id=169602&hosp_id=119202&returnPage=1

Hub-Bub, offers more than 100 nights of art, culture and entertainment a year in the Showroom Gallery and Performance Hall.

Check out the **BMW Zentrum**, a state of the art visitor's center. Take virtual or actual tours of the assembly line, plus see the historic cars and motorcycles.

Local Links:

- City of Spartanburg
<http://www.cityofspartanburg.org/>
- Spartanburg Area Chamber of Commerce
<http://www.spartanburgchamber.com/>
- Chapman Cultural Center
<http://www.visitnc.com/?gclid=CNDs49L5-pcCFQJvswod1HZYDg>
- Spartanburg Convention and Visitor Bureau
<http://www.visitspartanburg.com/>
- South Carolina Tourism
<http://www.discoverouthcarolina.com/>



Around A-OPTIC:

Our website, <http://www.aoptic.org> will be experiencing some construction/reconstruction downtime over the next couple of weeks and your ability to connect might be a little splotchy. We hope to have it fully functional with more to offer soon. In the meantime, please be patient. You should still have access to videos there if you are registered at the site.

Dues are due. If you need to make payment arrangements and have not already done so, please contact our office.

If you have announcements, kudos, or reminders to add to the A-OPTICgram, please e-mail them to Brad Marcum at marcumb@pc.edu.

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