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Important Society Transitions



After 10+ years as AMDA's Executive Director, Christopher Laxton, CAE stepped down in April 2023 to retire from full-time work. We thanked Chris for his decade of service at the PALTC23 Annual Meeting in Tampa.

After an extensive search, the Board appointed Michelle Zinnert, CAE as AMDA's new Executive Director. She comes to us after 16 years with the American Uro-Gynecological Society (AUGS). Michelle started with us at the end of April 2023.



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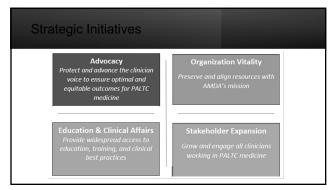


- Completed a search for a new JAMDA Editor-in-Chief team, naming Barbara Resnick, PhD, RN and Paul Katz, MD, CMD
- AND A is now online-only, with many points of access:

 AMDA website:
 https://profile.pallc.org/jamda
- JAMDA website: www.jamda.com
 AMDA app (free download for Apple or Android)



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Emerging Issues

- Workforce/Staffing physician, APP, medical director
 Transparency focus on medical director transparency (e.g. H.R. 177)
 COVID/RSV/Infection control
 Equity, inclusion, and belonging
 Telehealth for medical care and medical direction

- medical direction Schizophrenia diagnosis and antipsychotic measure



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Big Future Goal – Membership Growth

- Guided by members' needs, providing relevant and timely resources
 Transform our structures and
- procedures to be nimble and responsive to member's needs



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Big Future Goal – Workforce Expansion

- Attract the next generation of clinicians-in-training to PALTC medicine and
- Continue to grow and enhance the Futures Program
- Develop trainee/student specific educational resources to develop a
- stronger pipeline of clinicians working in PALTC medicine

 More of a Good Thing Series returns with roundtable discussions focusing
- To the role of leadership in retention and recruitment of PALTC staff.

 Bleadership modules led by JoAnne Reifsnyder, PhD, MSN, MBA, Professor of Health Services and Leadership Management, Univ. of Maryland School of Nursing



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