

## CURRICULUM VITAE

**William Schaffner, MD**

## PRESENT POSITIONS

**Professor of Preventive Medicine**  
*Department of Health Policy*  
 and  
**Professor of Medicine**  
*Division of Infectious Diseases*  
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## EDUCATION, TRAINING, SELECTIVE SERVICE

<b>B.S.</b> Yale University, New Haven, CT	1953-1957
<b>Fulbright Scholar</b> Albert-Ludwigs University, Freiburg, Germany	1957-1958
<b>M.D.</b> Cornell University Medical College, New York, NY	1958-1962
<b>Intern in Medicine</b> <b>Resident in Medicine</b> Vanderbilt University Hospital	1962-1963 1963-1964
<b>Fellow in Infectious Diseases</b> (Dr. David E. Rogers and Dr. M. Glenn Koenig) Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	1964-1966
<b>Epidemic Intelligence Service Officer</b> National Communicable Disease Center, USPHS Assigned as Acting Chief, Division of Epidemiology, Rhode Island Department of Health	1966-1968
<b>Chief Medical Resident</b> Vanderbilt University Hospital	1968-1969

## CERTIFICATION

<b>National Board of Medical Examiners</b>	1963
<b>Medical Licensure: Tennessee No. MD6260</b>	1969
<b>American Board of Internal Medicine</b> <i>Internal Medicine</i>	1970

*Subspecialty of Infectious Diseases* 1972

**American Board of Preventive Medicine**  
*Public Health and General Preventive Medicine* 1982

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

**Teaching Assistant** 1961-1962  
Tropical Medicine and Parasitology  
Cornell University Medical College

**Instructor in Medicine** 1964-1966  
Vanderbilt University School of Medicine

**Lecturer in Epidemiology and Microbiology** 1967-1968  
Brown University School of Medicine

**Instructor in Medicine** 1968-1969

**Assistant Professor of Medicine** 1969-1973

**Associate Professor of Medicine** 1973-1979

**Associate Professor of Preventive Medicine** 1974-1979

**Professor of Medicine and Preventive Medicine** 1979-1982

**Chief, Division of Infectious Diseases, Department of Medicine** 1982-1989

**Chairman, Department of Preventive Medicine** 1982-2013  
Professor of Preventive Medicine and Medicine

**Professor of Preventive Medicine, Department of Health Policy** 2013-present  
**Professor of Medicine**

## VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

**Hospital Epidemiologist** 1969-2006

**Associate Hospital Epidemiologist** 2006-present

**Director, Clinical Microbiology Laboratory** 1969-1979

**Director, Special Infectious Diseases Laboratory** 1986-1989

## PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

1. **American College of Physicians**  
**Fellow** 1971  
**Master** 2004  
  
Sub-committee on Immunizations 1985-1987  
Task Force on Adult Immunization 1987-1996  
Adult Immunization Initiative, Physician Advisory Board 2001-2011  
Immunization Technical Advisory Committee 2011-2015
  
2. **American College of Epidemiology, Fellow** 1981
  
3. **American College of Preventive Medicine, Fellow** 1984  
Representative to National Coalition for Adult Immunization 1990-1997
  
4. **Infectious Diseases Society of America, Fellow**  
**Councilor** (Board of Directors) 2000-2003  
**Secretary** (Board of Directors) 2007-2010  
  
Student Summer Fellowship Committee 1987-1988  
Awards Committee (**Chair**, 1991) 1987-1991  
2004-2007  
2011-2014  
Public Policy Committee 1994-1997  
Public Health/Preventive Medicine Committee, **Chair** 1995-1999  
Provider-based Emerging Infections Sentinel Network, Scientific Advisory Committee 1995-1999  
National Network for Immunization Information, Steering Committee 1997-2014  
Publications Committee 2000-2003  
Search Committee for Editor, Journal of Infectious Diseases 2001  
Search Committee for EIN Project Director, **Chair** 2005  
Immunization Workgroup (**Chair**, 2008-2009) 2006-2009  
National and Global Public Health Committee 2007-2009  
Special Task Force on Publishing 2008  
IDSA/SHEA Work Group 2008-2009  
Swine Flu Leadership Response Team 2009  
Joseph E. Smadel Lecture 2011  
Walter E. Stamm Mentor Award 2011  
Immunization Advisory Group 2012
  
5. **American Society for Microbiology, Division of Nosocomial Infections**  
**Chairman-elect** 1982-1983  
**Chairman** 1983-1984  
**Division Councilor, Alternate** 1986-1987  
**Division Councilor** 1988-1989
  
6. **Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America (SHEA), Fellow**  
(formerly Society of Hospital Epidemiologists of America)  
**Vice President** 1981  
**President-elect** 1982  
**President** 1983  
  
Education Committee 1979-1981  
Liaison to WHO 1979-1986  
Publications Committee 1985-1988  
Liaison to International Federation of Infection Control 1985-1989  
Annual Meeting Program Committee 1989  
Liaison to American Hospital Association 1992-2001  
Aid to Russia Committee; International Assistance Committee 1993-1996  
Liaison to Tennessee 1993-1995  
Public Policy Committee 1994-1995  
SHEA Lecturer, Annual Meeting 1996

Liaison to Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, CDC	1996-2000
Public Policy and Governmental Affairs Committee	2004-2007
Past Presidents' Council	2008-present
5 <sup>th</sup> Decennial Meeting, Steering Committee and Scientific Program Committee	2008-2010
<b>7. National Foundation for Infectious Diseases</b>	
<b>Vice President</b>	2006-2008
<b>President-Elect</b>	2008-2010
<b>President</b>	2010-2012
<b>Past President</b>	2012-2014
Board of Directors	2001-2014
Executive Committee	2004-2014
Nominating Committee, <b>Chair</b>	2008-2010
Awards Committee, <b>Chair</b>	2008-2010
<b>Medical Director</b>	2015-present
<b>8. American Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</b>	1962-2013
<b>9. American Public Health Association</b>	1988-present
<b>10. Association for Prevention Teaching and Research</b> (formerly Association of Teachers of Preventive Medicine)	1993-2013
<b>11. Society for Epidemiologic Research</b>	1974-2013
<b>12. American Epidemiological Society</b>	1976-2014
<b>13. International Epidemiological Association</b>	1977-2006
<b>14. The John Snow Society</b>	1993-present
<b>15. The Jenner Society</b>	2011-2014
<b>16. American Federation for Medical Research</b> (formerly American Federation for Clinical Research)	1964-2007
Committee on the Role of Women	1976-1977
<b>17. Southern Society for Clinical Investigation</b>	1972-2014
<b>18. International Society for Infectious Diseases</b>	1999-2003
<b>19. Nashville Academy of Medicine</b>	1983-present
Committee on AIDS	1985-1994
Nominating Committee	1989
<b>20. Tennessee Medical Association</b>	1983-present
Committee on HIV Infection and AIDS	1986-1993
Infectious Diseases Committee	1993-1996
Special Medical Issues Committee	1996-1999
<b>21. Tennessee Public Health Association</b>	1988-present
<b>22. Infectious Diseases Society of Tennessee, Founding Member</b>	1988-2010

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

### General

<b>1. Tennessee Department of Health</b>	
Consultant in Epidemiology	1970-present
Commissioner's Advisory Group on Infectious Waste	1986-1987

	Commissioner's AIDS Advisory Committee	1987-1988
	HIV/HBV Confidential Review Panel	1992-1993
	Tuberculosis Control Advisory Committee	1997-2004
	Hospital Acquired Infection Study Committee	2005-2007
	Multidisciplinary Advisory Group on Healthcare-Associated Infections	2010-present
2.	<b>Epidemic Intelligence Service Alumni Association</b>	
	Alumni Committee ( <i>Chair</i> , 1974-1976)	1973-1976 1984-1987
	Iain R. Hardy Memorial Award Committee	1996-2003
	Paul C. Schnitker Award Committee	2005-present 2008-2011
3.	<b>National Coordinating Committee on Large Volume Parenterals</b>	
	Expert Advisory Panel on In-Use Sterility Testing	1974-1976
4.	<b>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CDC Contract: "Feasibility Study to Evaluate the Impact of Surveillance Information on Local and State Health Departments"</b> <i>School of Public Health, University of Washington</i> Expert Advisory Panel</li> </ul>	1975-1976
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CDC Working Group to Review Abortion Mortality</b></li> </ul>	1976
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>DHEW Conference on Preventing Disease/Promoting Health – Objectives for the Nation</b> Expert Group on Surveillance</li> </ul>	1979
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CDC, Center for Infectious Diseases: Establishing Goals and Objectives for the 1980s</b> Consultant Group</li> </ul>	1981
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CDC, Childhood and Respiratory Diseases Branch, Division of Bacterial and Mycotic Diseases</b> Program Planning Review Group</li> </ul>	1993
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CDC, Foodborne and Diarrheal Diseases Branch, NCID</b> <i>Prevention Program for Non-typhoidal Salmonellosis</i> External Program Review Group</li> </ul>	1999
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Emerging Infections Program Cooperative Agreement</b> <i>California Emerging Infections Program, On-Site Review Group</i> <i>Tennessee Department of Health-Vanderbilt University School of Medicine</i> <b>Co-Principal Investigator</b> <i>Emerging Infections Program (EIP) Steering Committee</i> <i>Active Bacterial Core Surveillance (ABCs) Steering Committee</i></li> </ul>	1998 1999-present 2000-present 2001-present
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CDC, SARS "B Team"</b></li> </ul>	2003
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CDC, Pandemic Influenza Operative Plan</b> Executive Steering Committee</li> </ul>	2006
5.	<b>Department of Health and Human Services</b>	
	Assessing Core Capacity for Infectious Disease Surveillance Expert Panel	1999-2000
6.	<b>American Red Cross, Blood Services, Tennessee Valley Region</b>	
	Consultant in Epidemiology	1976-1987
	Board of Directors	1994-1995
7.	<b>World Health Organization</b>	
	Expert Advisory Panel on Acute Bacterial Diseases	1984-2012

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| 8.  | <b>Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)</b><br>Residency Review Committee for Internal Medicine<br>Pre-review Group for Infectious Disease Training Programs<br>Panel for Accreditation Appeals | 1985-1995<br>1992-2000   |
| 9.  | <b>U.S. Pharmacopeia – National Formulary</b><br>Advisory Panel on Parasitic Disease Therapy  | 1981-1985  |
| 10. | <b>Fogarty International Center, NIH</b><br>Study of Antibiotic Use and Antibiotic Resistance Worldwide, Task Force 5   | 1983-1986  |
| 11. | <b>Pew Charitable Trusts</b><br>Pew Health Professions Commission Advisory Panel for Public Health  | 1991-1992  |
| 12. | <b>American Lung Association of Tennessee</b><br>Tennessee Task Force on Tuberculosis   | 1992-1995  |
| 13. | <b>Department of Defense – Armed Forces Epidemiological Board,</b><br>Disease Control Subcommittee, <i>Chair</i><br>Consultant  | 1993-1997<br>1996-1997<br>1997-1998                                    |
| 14. | <b>Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)</b><br>Committee on Judicious Antibiotic Use   | 1996-1997  |
| 15. | <b>The Elephant Sanctuary in Hohenwald, TN</b><br>Advisory Board<br>Board of Directors<br>TB Advisory Committee<br><i>Treasurer</i><br><i>President</i>   | 1999-2005<br>2005-present<br>2007-present<br>2007-2010<br>2010-present |
| 16. | <b>Medicine for Peace</b><br>Advisory Board<br>Executive Board  | 1999-present<br>2014-present   |
| 17. | <b>The Wellness Network, The Patient Channel</b><br>Medical Advisory Board  | 2011-present   |
| 18. | <b>Stakeholders Task Force on Management and Research<br/>Priorities of Tuberculosis in Elephants</b><br>Invited participant  | 2016   |

Hospital Epidemiology/Infection Control

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| 1. | <b>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention</b>  |  |
|    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Training Course: “Surveillance, Prevention, and Control of Nosocomial Infections (1200 G)”</b><br/>Teaching Faculty</li> <li>• <b>Second International Conference on Nosocomial Infections, CDC, Atlanta</b><br/>Scientific Steering Committee</li> <li>• <b>Hospital Infections Program</b><br/><i>Isolation Techniques for Use in Hospitals</i>, Revision Working Group</li> <li>• <b>Injection Safety: Best Practices for Public Health Patient Notifications</b><br/>Consultation group participant</li> </ul> | 1976-1982<br>1980<br>1981-1983<br>2009 |

2. **American Hospital Association**  
Advisory Committee for Disease Prevention and Health Care Epidemiology 1980-2001  
(formerly Advisory Committee on Infections Within Hospitals; Technical Panel on Infection Within Hospitals)  
Liaison to Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, CDC 1989-2001
3. **First International Symposium on Infection Control in Hospitals, Vienna, Austria**  
Scientific Committee 1983
4. **Hospital Infection Society, London, England**  
*First International Conference of the Hospital Infection Society*  
International Advisory Panel 1987  
*Second International Conference of the Hospital Infection Society*  
International Advisory Panel 1990
5. **Kellogg Foundation, Wisconsin Hospital Infection Control Project**  
Advisory Board 1983-1985
6. **International Federation of Infection Control**  
Board of Directors 1985-1990

#### Immunizations

1. **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**
  - **Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP)**  
Member 1982-1986  
Liaison Representative, *American College of Physicians* 1986-1989  
Liaison Representative, *American Hospital Association* 1989- 2001  
Liaison Representative, *Infectious Diseases Society of America* 2002- 2011  
Liaison Representative, *National Foundation for Infectious Diseases* 2003-present
  - **CDC Contract: “Estimation of Community Immunization Levels”**  
*Department of Preventive Medicine, University of Iowa College of Medicine*  
Expert Advisory Panel 1974-1975
  - **Task Force on Community Preventive Services**  
Consultation Team on Preventing Immunizable Diseases 1996-1998  
2001- 2003
  - **Objective Reviews for Immunization Prevention Research**  
Grant Application Review Panel 1999
  - **Anthrax Vaccine Human Clinical Trial (CDC)**  
Data and Safety Monitoring Board (DSMB) 2001- 2009
  - **Special Emphasis Panel, Office of Public Health Research**  
*Emerging Infections Sentinel Network Research*, Review Panel, **Chair** 2006
  - **Immunization Safety Office**  
External Scientific Consultancy 2007
2. **Department of Health and Human Services**  
National Vaccine Advisory Committee (NVAC) 1988-1990  
2001-2005
3. **PPS, Inc. DuPont Pharmaceuticals**  
*Influenza Education Program: “Prevention, Management, and Control of Influenza: A Mandate for the 80s”*, Advisory Board 1986-1988
4. **Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) and CDC**  
*Influenza Vaccine Demonstration*, Advisory Group 1988
5. **American College of Physicians**  
Sub-committee on Immunizations 1985-1987

	Task Force on Adult Immunizations	1987-1994
	Adult Immunization Initiative, Physician Advisory Board	2001- 2011
	Immunization Technical Advisory Committee	2011- 2015
	I Raise the Rates Initiative to Raise the Adult Immunization Rates in Primary Care, <b>Co-Chair</b>	2013 - Present
6.	<b>National Coalition for Adult Immunization</b>	
	Hepatitis B Action Group	1990-1999
	Influenza and Pneumonia Action Group	1992-1994
	Steering Committee, <b>Vice-Chair</b> 1995-1999	1991-1999
	Executive Committee, <b>Vice-Chair</b>	1995-1999
7.	<b>National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)</b>	
	• <b>Pertussis Task Force</b>	1996
	• <b>NIH Trial to Evaluate Acellular Pertussis Vaccine Efficacy in Adolescents and Adults and to Characterize the Epidemiology and Clinical Spectrum of Pertussis Infection and Diseases (APERT)</b> , Data Monitoring and Safety Committee	1997-2001
	• <b>A/H5N1 Influenza Vaccine Trials</b> , Data and Safety Monitoring Board	2005-2006
8.	<b>Merck Research Laboratories</b>	
	Safety Evaluation Committee, <b>Back-up Chairman</b>	2005-present
	<i>Phase 1 Studies, Infectious Diseases/Vaccine Departments</i>	
9.	<b>Sanofi-Pasteur</b>	2011-2012
	Data Monitoring Committee	
10.	<b>Agence de Médecine Préventive (AMP), Institut Pasteur, Paris, France</b>	
	Scientific Advisory Board, <b>Co-Chairman</b>	1997-present
11.	<b>Immunization Action Coalition</b>	
	Advisory Board	1998-present
12.	<b>Institute of Medicine</b>	
	Committee on Dissemination of the Immunization Finance Report	2001-2002
13.	<b>National Influenza Vaccine Summit</b>	2003-2012
	<b>National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit</b>	
	Executive Steering Committee	2012-present
14.	<b>VZV (Varicella Zoster Virus) Research Foundation</b>	
	Scientific, Medical and Public Health <b>Senior Fellow</b>	2006-2008
15.	<b>Every Child By Two</b>	
	Scientific Advisory Board	2011-present
16.	<b>Gerontological Society of America</b>	
	National Adult Vaccination Program, Workgroup	2012-present
	Immunization Champions, Advocates and Mentors Program (I-CAMP)	2014-present
17.	<b>RAND Corporation</b>	
	National Adult Immunization Plan, Advisory Group	2013-2015
18.	<b>Voices for Vaccines</b>	
	Scientific Advisory Board	2014-present
19.	<b>Pharmacy Quality Alliance (PQA)</b>	
	Adult Immunization Task Force	2014-2015



20. **National Foundation for Infectious Diseases**  
Pneumococcal Disease Advisory Board, **Co-Chair**  
Campaign for Adult Immunization, Advisory Board, **Chair**  
Family Vaccine Program, **Moderator** 2010-present  
2011-present  
2012
21. **Danish National Research Foundation**  
Center of Excellence for Vitamins and Vaccines (CVIVA)  
External Evaluation Review; Copenhagen, Denmark 2016

#### AIDS

1. **Vanderbilt AIDS Project**  
Executive Committee 1986-1991
2. **University School of Nashville**  
Ad hoc Committee on AIDS 1987-1988
3. **Third International Conference on AIDS Education, Nashville, TN**  
Program Committee, **Chairperson** 1988-1989
4. **Tennessee Department of Health**  
*Commissioner's AIDS Advisory Committee*, **Chairman**, Policy Sub-Committee 1987-1988  
HIV/HBV Confidential Review Panel 1992-1993
5. **Nashville Academy of Medicine**  
Committee on AIDS 1985-1994
6. **Tennessee Medical Association**  
Committee on HIV Infection and AIDS 1986-1993  
Infectious Diseases Committee 1993-1996  
Special Medical Issues Committee 1996-1999
7. **Nashville Mayor's Task Force on AIDS** 1992-1993
8. **Meharry Medical College/Vanderbilt University School of Medicine**  
**AIDS Clinical Trials Unit**  
Scientific Advisory Board 1993-1997
9. **The Nashville Health Management Foundation and Comprehensive Care Center**  
Board of Directors, **Vice-Chairman** 1996-1997 1994-1997
10. **The White House Conference on HIV and AIDS**  
Invited participant 1995

#### ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL DISTINCTIONS

1. **Ford Foundation Scholar**, Yale University 1953-1957
2. **Fulbright Scholar**, Albert-Ludwigs University, Freiburg, Germany 1957-1958
3. **Student Fellow, Inter-American Program in Tropical Medicine**, Louisiana State University, Guatemala 1962
4. **Alpha Omega Alpha**, Elected as a faculty member 1991
5. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
**Distinguished Friend of the Epidemic Intelligence Service Award** 1985

	<b>CDC Honor Award:</b> “For adding substantially to the body of scientific and public health knowledge regarding avian influenza”, Asian Avian Influenza Response Team, National Center for Infectious Diseases, Co-awardee.	2006
	<b>Charles C. Shepard Science Award</b> , Best manuscript in Prevention and Control, 2006, Co-awardee	2007
	<b>2008 Award of Excellence:</b> “Recognition of the Human Rabies Vaccine Shortage Prevention Group Partners and their Outstanding efforts with CDC to avert a shortage of human rabies vaccine”, Partners in Public Health Improvement, External Group, National Center for Zoonotic, Vector-Borne and Enteric Diseases, Co-awardee	2009
	<b>CDC Honor Award.</b> “For work on evidence-based modification of the vaccine schedule for rabies post-exposure prophylaxis”, ACIP Rabies Vaccine Workgroup, National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases, Co-awardee	2010
	<b>Philip S. Brachman Award</b> For “valued contribution to excellence in teaching epidemiology to EIS officers”	2011
6.	American College of Physicians <b>Master (MACP)</b> , elected by Board of Regents <b>James D. Bruce Memorial Award</b> for “distinguished contributions in preventive medicine” <b>Laureate Award</b> , Tennessee ACP Chapter	2004 2009 2014
7.	<b>VZV (Varicella Zoster Virus) Research Foundation Medal</b>	2007
8.	American College of Preventive Medicine <b>Ronald Davis Special Recognition Award</b> “in recognition of leadership and outstanding contributions to the field of preventive medicine”	2010
9.	American Public Health Association <b>Sedgwick Memorial Medal</b> “for distinguished service in public health and the advancement of public health knowledge and practice”	2010
	Epidemiology Section, American Public Health Association <b>John Snow Award</b> “for distinguished service to the health of the public through outstanding contributions to epidemiology”	2015
10.	Association for Prevention Teaching and Research <b>Duncan Clark Award</b> “for a lifetime of distinguished service and contribution to prevention education and public health”	2011
11.	T. J. Martell Foundation <b>Lifetime Medical Achievement Award</b>	2011
12.	Infectious Diseases Society of America <b>Walter E. Stamm Mentor Award</b>	2011
13.	American College of Epidemiology <b>Abraham Lilienfeld Award</b> “in recognition of outstanding contributions and leadership in the discipline of epidemiology”	2012
14.	Tennessee Medical Association <b>TMA Quarterly Public Health Champion</b> “for outstanding public health contributions across the state of Tennessee”	2012
15.	National Foundation for Infectious Diseases <b>John P. Utz Leadership Award</b>	2013
16.	National Meningitis Association <b>Health Achievement Award</b>	2013

17. Nashville Business Journal  
**Health Care Heroes – Lifetime Achievement Award** 2013
18. American Pharmacists Association  
**Immunization Champion Award – Friend of Pharmacy** “in recognition of support for pharmacists’ role in immunization and for extraordinary contributions toward improving the health of our nation” 2014
19. Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America  
**Barry Farr Award** for the best article submitted to Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology in 2013 (co-awardee) 2014
20. Tennessee Public Health Association/Tennessee Medical Association  
Established the **Dr. William Schaffner Award**. “Joint award to be presented annually to an individual who has demonstrated extraordinary efforts in the advancement of public health in Tennessee”. The initial award presented to Dr. Schaffner 2014
21. Tennessee Hospital Association  
**Meritorious Service Award** 2014
22. Harris County Medical Society/Houston Academy of Medicine  
**John P. McGovern Compleat Physician Award** “A national award to recognize a physician who exemplifies the ideals of Sir William Osler” 2016
23. Weill Medical College of Cornell University  
**Alumni Award of Distinction** 2010
24. Vanderbilt University  
**Harvie Branscomb Distinguished University Professor Award** 2010
25. Vanderbilt University School of Medicine  
**The Shovel Award**: “In recognition of teaching excellence in both word and gesture” 1987  
  
**The William Schaffner Teaching Award in Infectious Diseases**, established by the Division of Infectious Diseases, Department of Medicine 1999  
  
**William J. Darby Award**: “For translation research that has changed the practice of medicine world wide” 2005  
  
**Academy of Excellence in Teaching**, Elected as Founding Member 2007  
  
**Robert D. Collins Award**: “For teaching medical or graduate students or practicing physicians in the lecture setting” 2008  
  
**Distinguished Alumnus Award**, Vanderbilt Medical Alumni Association 2010  
  
**Schaffner Society**, established by the Department of Medicine to support the career development of clinician educators in the department 2011  
  
**Frank H. Boehm Award**, “For contributions to continuing medical education” 2013  
  
**Levi Watkins, Jr Faculty Award** for “outstanding contributions in fostering opportunities for underrepresented minorities in our educational and/or research programs” 2015

#### NAMED INVITED LECTURES, PROFESSORSHIPS

1. **National Foundation for Infectious Diseases Lecturer, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual** 1980  
Association for Practitioners in Infection Control (APIC) International Meeting, San Francisco, CA

- "Infection Control: Old Myths and New Realities"*
2. **Herman Cone Lecture, 29<sup>th</sup> Annual** 1992  
Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital and Greater Greensboro Society of Medicine,  
Greensboro, NC  
*"HIV and the Health Care Worker: An Ongoing Dilemma"*
  3. **Society of Healthcare Epidemiology of America (SHEA) Lecturer** 1996  
SHEA Annual Scientific Meeting, Washington, DC  
*"Infection Control: Ruminations and Challenges"*
  4. **Harris D. Riley, Jr. Pediatric Society Lecturer** 1997  
Department of Pediatrics, University of Oklahoma School of Medicine,  
Oklahoma City, OK  
*"The National Immunization Program: Past Triumphs and Current Challenges"*
  5. **M. Glenn Koenig Memorial Visiting Professor, 25<sup>th</sup> Annual** 1997  
Division of Infectious Diseases, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine,  
Nashville, TN  
*"Immunizations: Past Triumphs and Future Challenges"* and *"The Epidemic Chase"*
  6. **Alpha Omega Alpha Distinguished Visiting Professor** 1998  
University of Tennessee College of Medicine, Memphis, TN  
*"Immunizations: Past Triumphs and Future Challenges"*
  7. **David E. Rogers Health Policy Colloquium Speaker** 2003  
New York Weill Cornell Medical Center, New York, NY  
*"Smallpox Vaccination: A Mélange of Science and Politics"*
  8. **Vaughn Science Lecture** 2006  
Belmont University, Nashville, TN  
*"Bird Flu on the Wing"*
  9. **Maurice C. Pincoffs Visiting Professor and Lecturer, 51<sup>st</sup> Annual** 2007  
Department of Medicine, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD  
*"Adult Immunization: Opportunities and Challenges"*
  10. **Flexner Dean's Lecture Series**  
**Philip W. Felts Lecture in the Humanities**  
Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN  
*"Communicating Medical Information to the Public Through the Media"* 2008  
*"Public Health Policy and the Media: Lessons from Ebola"* 2014
  11. **Jonathan Mann Memorial Lecture** 2008  
Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists, Annual Meeting, Denver, CO  
*"Public Health and the Media: Teaching for Health"*
  12. **Sommer Memorial Lectures, 104<sup>th</sup> Lecture Series** 2011  
Ernst Sommer Memorial Trust and the  
Oregon Health and Science University School of Medicine, Portland, OR  
*"The Making of National Immunization Policy – How does it Happen?"*  
*"Adult Immunization – An Unexpected Opportunity for Prevention"*  
*"Immunization and the Media: Friends or Foes?"*
  13. **Graduation Speaker, The CDC Experience: Applied Epidemiology Fellowship** 2011  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA  
*"Clinical Medicine and Public Health: Bridging the Gap"*
  14. **Lifepath Lecturer** 2011  
Tennessee Public Health Association. Annual Meeting, Franklin, TN  
*"The Evolution (Revolution?) in Public Health over the Past 50 Years."*

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| 15. | <b>Joseph E. Smadel Lecture</b><br>Infectious Diseases Society of America. Annual Meeting, Boston, MA<br><i>"The Media and Infectious Diseases"</i>   | 2011 |
| 16. | <b>Plenary Speaker</b><br>Tennessee Public Health Association. Annual Meeting, Franklin, TN<br><i>"Vaccines: Triumphs and Tribulations"</i>   | 2012 |
| 17. | <b>Invited Speaker</b><br>Vaccinology 2012, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil<br><i>"Influenza Vaccine: The Need for Age Extension Recommendation in Children and Adults"</i>  | 2012 |
| 18. | <b>Invited Speaker</b><br>16 <sup>th</sup> Panamerican Infectology Congress, Santiago, Chile<br><i>"Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccines"</i>  | 2013 |
| 19. | <b>Alfred S. Evans Lecture</b><br>48 <sup>th</sup> Graduate Summer Session in Epidemiology<br>University of Michigan School of Public Health, Ann Arbor, MI<br><i>"Public Health and the Media: Teaching Opportunities for Better Health"</i> | 2013 |
| 20. | <b>Aaron Feder Visiting Professor</b><br>Department of Medicine, Weill Cornell Medical College, New York, NY<br><i>"Adult immunization: An Unexploited Opportunity for Prevention"</i>  | 2013 |
| 21. | <b>Invited Speaker</b><br>Healthcare Ethics and Law Institute (HEAL) Annual Conference<br>McWhorter School of Pharmacy, Samford University, Birmingham, AL<br><i>"Adult Immunization: Do Disparities have Ethical Implications?"</i>          | 2014 |
| 22. | <b>Keynote Speaker</b><br>Tennessee Public Health Association, Annual Meeting, Franklin, TN<br><i>The Ebola Virus Epidemic: Current Status and Future Prospects</i>   | 2014 |
| 23. | <b>Jeryl Lynn Hilleman Endowed Lectureship</b><br>2014 National Immunization Conference, Atlanta, GA<br><i>"Adult Immunization: Large Opportunities, Large Challenges"</i>  | 2014 |
| 24. | <b>Marlene V. Shaw Annual Biology Lecture</b><br>University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, IN<br><i>"Emerging Infectious Diseases: A Global Challenge"</i>  | 2015 |
| 25. | <b>Leon G. Smith Honorary Lecture, 11<sup>th</sup> Annual</b><br>Infectious Disease Care, New Jersey<br><i>"Medicine, Public Health and the Media: Teaching for Health"</i>   | 2015 |
| 26. | <b>Plenary Speaker</b><br>Tennessee Public Health Association. Annual Meeting, Franklin, TN<br><i>"Infectious Disease Update"</i>   | 2016 |

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