

## **Featured News**

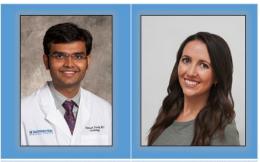
#### ASE Legends Silent Auction raises almost \$10,000

We are proud to announce that the ASE Legends Silent Auction raised **\$9,720** towards our 2020 Annual Appeal! We would like to extend a HUGE thank you to our legends who volunteered their time and expertise: David Adams, ACS, RCS, RDCS, FASE; Piers Barker, MD, FASE; Meryl Cohen, MD, MSEd, FASE, FACC, FAHA; Keith Collins, MS, RDCS, FASE; Linda Gillam, MD, MPH, FASE; Peg Knoll, RDCS, RCS, FASE; Jonathan Lindner, MD, FASE; Leo Lopez, MD, FASE; Alina Nicoara, MD, FASE; Jae K. Oh, MD, FASE; Alan Pearlman, MD, FASE; Harry Rakowski, MD, FASE; Vera Rigolin, MD, FASE; Madhav Swaminathan, MD, FASE; James Thomas, MD, FASE; and Neil Weissman, MD, FASE. Thank you to everyone who placed bids. Your support of ASEF is outstanding and means the world to us, especially in such uncertain times.

## Announcements

#### **Research Competition Winners**

Please join us in congratulating the winner of this year's Arthur E. Weyman Young Investigator's Award competition: **Ambarish Pandey, MD, MSCS**, **University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX**, and the winner of the Brian Haluska Sonographer Research Award Competition: **Courtney Cassidy, RDCS, FASE**, **Children's Hospital Colorado, Denver, CO**. To all of this year's finalists, we know you have a bright future in echo!



Ambarish Pandey, MD, MSCS Courtney Cassidy, RDCS, FASE

#### ASE Foundation Lectures at ASE 2020

We hope you had a chance to listen to the ASE Foundation lecturers: **Brian Fowlkes**, **PhD**, who presented the Kalmanson Lecture; **Julius Gardin**, **MD**, **FASE**, who presented the Richard E. Kerber Ethics/Humanitarian Lecture; and Laurie Yoler who presented the Gardin Lecture. Their presentations along with all the <u>ASE 2020 Virtual Experience</u> content is available to view through November 10.

#### **Cardiovascular Challenge Winners**

Congratulations to this year's Cardiovascular Challenge top steppers. Vincent Sorrell, MD, FASE, took first place with an impressive 77,299 steps! Sharon Mulvagh, MD, FASE, came in second with 50,207 and Erin Michos, MD, MHS, FASE, took third with 40,883 steps. Special thank you to Dr. Mulvagh who pledged \$100 for the first 50,000 steps – she covered that threshold herself! There were 12 total challengers who took a combined total of **415,889 steps**. That's quite remarkable when you consider this year's challenge took place during our virtual Scientific Sessions. We're so proud of you for getting up and moving.

### **Images from the Heart Photo Exhibit**

The Images from the Heart photo display will be available to view at the virtual Foundation booth within the ASE 2020 platform through November 10 as well as on the ASEF website here. The exhibit first debuted in 2016 to give visibility to the good works of our members but has grown into a revenue source for ASEF through photo sales, already generating \$1,100 towards our 2020 annual appeal. If you're interested in any of the images, please contact Mary Carmody at <u>MCarmody@ASEcho.org</u>. Thank you to **David Adams**, ACS, **RCS**, **RDCS**, **FASE**, **Michael Picard**, **MD**, **FASE**, **Rhonda Price**, and **Vincent Sorrell**, **MD**, **FASE**, for your purchases! This year's exhibit features photographers from the following ASE members: Robin Billman, RN, BS, RDCS, CHFN; Barry Canaday, MS, **RN**, **RDCS**, **RCS**, **FASE**; **Greg Frary**, **BS**, **RDCS**, **FASE**; **Sheila Klassen**, **MD**, **FRCPC**; **Jose Donato A**. Magno, MD, **FASE**; Carlene McClanahan, **RDCS** (AE/PE), **FASE**; **Vincent L**. Sorrell, MD, FACP, FACC, FASE; Melissa Wasserman, RDCS, RCCS, **FASE**; and Neil Weissman, MD, FASE.

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