

## UAMS COLLEGE OF MEDICINE PROMOTION & TENURE 2023

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Pediatrics  
Promotion to Professor

**Travis R. Eastin, M.D.**  
Emergency Medicine  
Promotion to Professor

**Eylem Öcal, M.D.**  
Neurosurgery  
Promotion to Professor

**Omar T. Atiq, M.D.**  
Internal Medicine  
Tenure

**Ricky D. Edmondson, Ph.D.**  
Biochemistry and Mol. Biology  
Promotion to Professor

**Burcu Z. Ozdemir, M.D.**  
Internal Medicine  
Promotion to Professor

**Debra D. Becton, M.D.**  
Pediatrics  
Promotion to Professor

**William E. Fantegrossi, Ph.D.**  
Pharmacology and Toxicology  
Promotion to Professor

**Craig Porter, Ph.D.**  
Pediatrics  
Promotion to Professor and  
Tenure

**Bobby Boyanton Jr., M.D.**  
Pathology  
Tenure

**Jennifer L. Gess, Ph.D.**  
Psychiatry  
Promotion to Professor

**Roopa Ram, M.D.**  
Radiology  
Promotion to Professor

**Ronald K. Brimberry, M.D.**  
Family and Preventive Medicine  
Promotion to Professor

**Sarah M. Greenberger, M.D.**  
Emergency Medicine  
Promotion to Professor

**Julie Riley, M.D.**  
Urology  
Promotion to Professor

**Thomas Andrew Burrow, M.D.**  
Pediatrics  
Promotion to Professor

**Andy James, Ph.D.**  
Psychiatry  
Promotion to Professor

**Eric R. Rosenbaum, M.D., MPH**  
Pathology  
Promotion to Professor

**Elton R. Cleveland, M.D., D.V.M.**  
Family and Preventive Medicine  
Promotion to Professor

**Nirvana A. Manning, M.D.**  
Obstetrics and Gynecology  
Promotion to Professor

**Thea Rosenbaum, M.D., MBA**  
Anesthesiology  
Promotion to Professor

**Michael A. Cucciare, Ph.D.**  
Psychiatry  
Promotion to Professor

**Nikhil K. Meena, M.D.**  
Internal Medicine  
Promotion to Professor

**Debopam Samanta, M.D.**  
Pediatrics  
Promotion to Professor

**Abdallah Dalabih, M.D.**  
Pediatrics  
Promotion to Professor and  
Tenure

**Gregory R. Mehaffey, M.D.**  
Anesthesiology  
Promotion to Professor

**Michael H. Stroud, M.D.**  
Pediatrics  
Promotion to Professor

**Romona L. Davis, M.D.**  
Ophthalmology  
Promotion to Professor

**Glenn R. Mesman, Ph.D.**  
Psychiatry  
Promotion to Professor

### DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR

**Alan Tackett, Ph.D.**  
Biochemistry and Molecular Biology  
Promotion to Distinguished Professor

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Pediatrics/Graduate School  
Dean Emeritus

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Pediatrics  
Professor Emeritus

**W. Brooks Gentry, M.D.**

Anesthesiology  
Professor Emeritus

**Robert W. Seibert, M.D.**

Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery  
Professor Emeritus

## ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS

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Anesthesiology  
Promotion to Associate Professor

**Subhi J. Al'Aref, M.D.**

Internal Medicine  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

**Jason Arthur, M.D.**

Emergency Medicine  
Promotion to Associate Professor

**Gitanjali Bajaj, M.D.**

Radiology  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Pediatrics  
Promotion to Associate Professor

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Pediatrics  
Promotion to Associate Professor

**Sushma Bhusal, M.D.**

Internal Medicine  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Internal Medicine  
Tenure

**Vikas Chowdhary, M.D.**

Pediatrics  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Pediatrics  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Physiology and Cell Biology  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Psychiatry  
Promotion to Associate Professor

**Emmanouil Giorgakis, M.D.**

Surgery  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Internal Medicine  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Promotion to Associate Professor

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Surgery  
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Promotion to Associate Professor

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Internal Medicine  
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Internal Medicine  
Promotion to Associate Professor

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Urology  
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Pediatrics  
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Anesthesiology  
Promotion to Associate Professor

**David Matlock, M.D.**

Pediatrics  
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Pediatrics  
Promotion to Associate Professor

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Promotion to Associate Professor

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Pharmacology and Toxicology  
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Internal Medicine  
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Surgery  
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Orthopaedic Surgery  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure

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Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery  
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Biomedical Informatics  
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Surgery  
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Anesthesiology  
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Pediatrics  
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Psychiatry  
Promotion to Associate Professor and Tenure