



2025 ACSM Honors Program

Signia By Hilton Atlanta-Room: Triumph Ballroom E

Friday, May 30, 2025, 5:45 p.m.

Presented by



Wolters Kluwer

Presidential Welcome and Recognitions

Stella L. Volpe, PhD, RDN, FACSM, ACSM-CEP
2024-2025 ACSM President

Presentation of New ACSM Fellow Members

Presentation of Staff Presidential Award

Presentation of Honor and Citation Awardees

[Read more about the awardees here.](#)

2025 Citation Awardees

Nancy Clark, RD, FACSM
Jos J. de Koning, PhD, FACSM
Joseph A. Houmard, PhD, FACSM
Sandra K. Hunter, PhD, FACSM
Arthur Weltman, PhD, FACSM
Nancy I. Williams, ScD, FACSM

2025 Honor Awardee

Stanley A. Herring, MD, FACSM

Gavel Transfer

Stella L. Volpe, PhD, RDN, FACSM, ACSM-CEP to Carrie A. Jaworski, MD, FACSM

Introduction of President-elect

Karin A. Pfeiffer, PhD, FACSM

Closing Comments

Carrie A. Jaworski, MD, FACSM
2025-2026 ACSM President

Open Reception / Food Service begins

Congratulate awardees

Event Close

8:30 p.m.

*Subject to change

2025 New ACSM Fellow Members

Arnel Aguinaldo, PhD
Amy Bantham, DPH
Ali Boolani, PhD
Franz Burini, MD
Katherine Collins-Bennett, PhD
Scott Crawford, PhD
Katharine Currie, PhD
Racine Emmons-Hindelong, PhD
Julie Greeves, PhD
Garett Griffith, PhD
Christopher Harnish, PhD
Kristen Koltun, PhD
Robert Kowalsky, PhD
Karl Kozlowski, PhD
Martin Lindley, PhD
Jill Maples, PhD
Lee Margolis, PhD

Scott McLean, PhD
Vicki Nelson, MD, DO
Jennifer Oberstar, MD
Thomas O'Leary, PhD
Erika Rees-Punia, PhD
Nicole Rendos, PhD
Leanna Ross, PhD
Jonathon Senefeld, PhD
Pragya Sharma Ghimire, PhD
Jeremy Steeves, PhD
Daniel Trone, PhD
Floris Wardenaar, PhD
Erin White, PhD
James Whitworth, PhD
Kathryn Wilson, PhD
Amanda Zaleski, PhD

2025 ACSM Diversity, Research & Training Awards

Charles M. Tipton Student Research Award

Jordan Parks, Mayo Clinic and Sophie Miller,
Michigan State University

GSSI-ACSM Young Investigator in Sports Nutrition Award

Abbie Mclellan, Loughborough University;
Erica Tourula, Indiana University; Marissa
Ramirez, University of New Mexico

GSSI-ACSM Young Scholar Professional Development Grant

Kelly Hines, Texas A&M University and
Madison Fry, Indiana University Indianapolis

GSSI Diversity in Sports Science Award – Ph.D.

Bianca Alvarenga Rambo Galletti, University
of Oklahoma and Cristal Benitez, University
of Alabama

GSSI Diversity in Sports Science Award - Master's

Christiana Donkor, Central Michigan
University and Antonio Leija, University of
Minnesota

New Investigator Award

Jeann Sabino-Carvalho, Emory University and
Malia Blue, University of North Carolina at
Chapel Hill

Science Integration & Leadership Committee Basic Science Award

Sarah Brownstein, Springfield College

Visiting Scholar Award

Huimin Yan, University of Massachusetts
Boston

2025 ACSM Research & Program Grants

Carl V. Gisolfi Memorial Fund

Ziba Taherzadeh, University of Texas at Arlington

Clinical Sports Medicine Endowment

Chelsea Martin, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill

Franklin EIM-OC Microgrant

PA Assessment and Referral Grant

Saori Ishikawa Braun, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire

PA Screening and Education Grant

Emily Sauers, Our Lady of the Lake University

PA Promotion Grant

Robert Herron, University of Montevallo

Paffenbarger-Blair Fund for Epidemiological Research

Julie Rekant, University of Maryland, Baltimore and Caitlin A. Cheruka, University of Central Florida

Raymond A. Weiss Research Endowment

Shawn Allen, Oklahoma State University and Gabriela Pontes, University of Utah

Research Endowment

Ryan Montalvo, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

World Athletics Research Grant

Thomas Madden, Montana State University

Xero Shoes' Minimal Footwear Research Grant

Marni Wasserman, Indiana University

2025 ACSM Foundation Travel, Research & Leadership Awards

Barbara Campaigne Women's Health, Sport & Physical Activity Travel Award

Ana Carla Salamunes, Pennsylvania State University; Christin Domeier, Florida State University; and Jennifer Rice, University of Limerick

Drinkwater Leadership Award in Women's Health, Sport & Physical Activity

Margie Davenport, University of Alberta

Gail E. Butterfield Nutrition Travel Award

Jesse Sims, Kent State University and Grace Zimmerman, University of Utah

Howard G. "Skip" Knuttgen International Scholar Award

Andrea Pilotto, University of Pavia

International Student Award

Alicia Kells, University of Western Ontario; Kotaro Nakao, Ritsumeikan University; and Sindre Midttun, Norwegian University of Science and Technology

Jack Wilmore Legacy Travel Award

Emily Grammer, University of Virginia and Jessh Mavoungou, University of Tennessee at Knoxville

Jim and Linda Pivarnik Women's Health, Sport & Physical Activity Travel Award

Jordyn Cox, University of Alberta; Lauren Bates-Fraser, American Cancer Society; and Lee J Hinkle, Brigham Young University

Joseph Hamill Access to Science Award

Anabel Groskopf, Concordia University Chicago; Elizabeth Bjornsen, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Ephrem Mekonnen, Simon Fraser University; Francesca Di Rocco, University of Cassino and Lazio Meridionale; Jiaqi Wang, University of Southern California; Keven Santamaria-Guzman, Auburn University; Kristen Quigley, University of Nevada-Reno; Quinlan Thompson, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Ryan Evans, Western University; Shraddha Sudhir, University of Illinois Chicago

Lisa S. Krivickas Clinician/Scholar Travel Award

Abena Tannor, Ghana College of Physicians and Surgeons

Michael L. Pollock Student Scholarship

Ashley Carlisle, Mayo Clinic and Monica Teegardin, Indiana University Indianapolis

Priscilla Clarkson Undergraduate Travel Award

Heidi Deuel, St Olaf College

Steven M. Horvath Travel Award

Carly Williamson Rogers, University of Pittsburgh and Jonathan Cerna, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Leadership & Diversity Training Program Participants

Level 1

Angelique Luna
Bria Smith
Christian Corral

Level 2

Rafael Alamilla
Alexa Krause
Diana Morales
Timber Terrell
Tony Harris
Manuel Gomez
Christian Burke
James White
Manuel Muñoz II
Bethany Guerra

Level 3

Xavier Thompson, PhD
Chloe Jones, PhD
Morgan Smith, PhD
Mai Wageh, PhD
A’Naja Newsome, PhD
Sarah Deemer, PhD
Mayrena Hernandez, PhD
Drew Gonzalez, PhD



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