

# Department of Medicine Trainee Research Symposium Winners

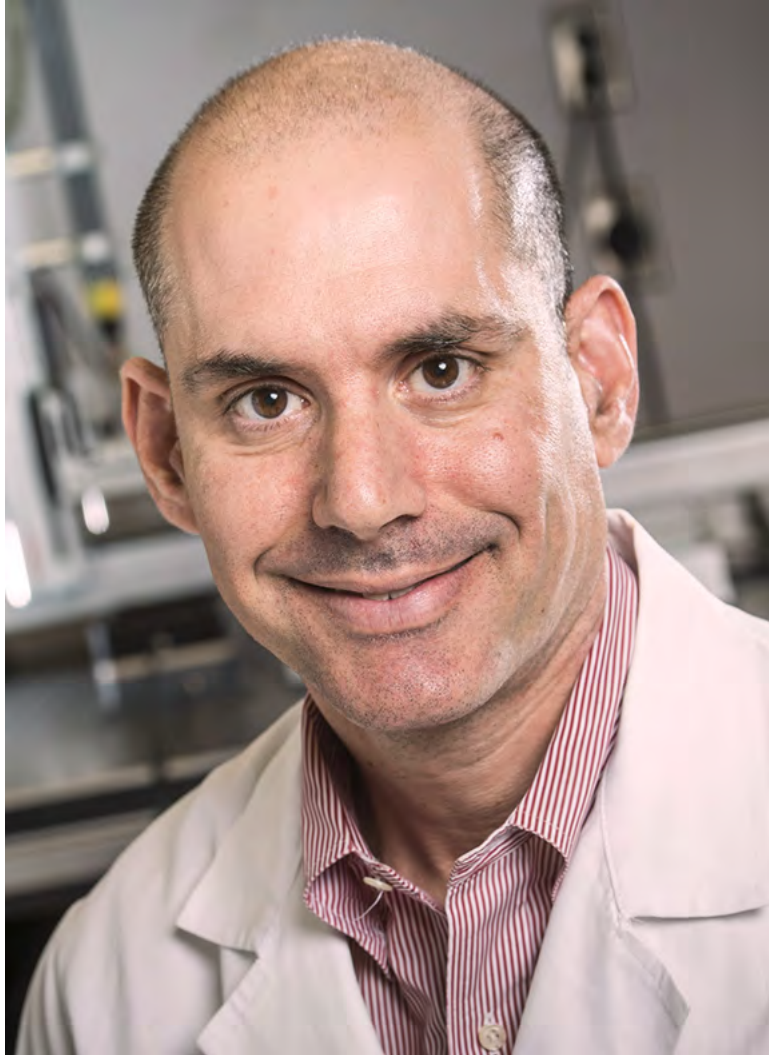
L to R: Qing Zhao, PhD, Nirav Patel, MD, Courtney Petty, and James Hollier, MD



## Video Highlight: Lifesaving Bronchoscopy Procedure

The Interventional Pulmonology and Pleural Disease Program gives hope and health to UAB Nurse Barbara Frey after an annual physical revealed spots on both her lungs. Catch the video feature story on UAB Medicine's YouTube channel!





## SOM Featured Discovery

The UAB School of Medicine recently highlighted Rowe's research—originally reported in *The New England Journal of Medicine* that combination drugs improve lung function for people with Cystic Fibrosis.

**Steve Rowe, MD, MSPH**

Professor, Pulmonary, Allergy, and Critical Care



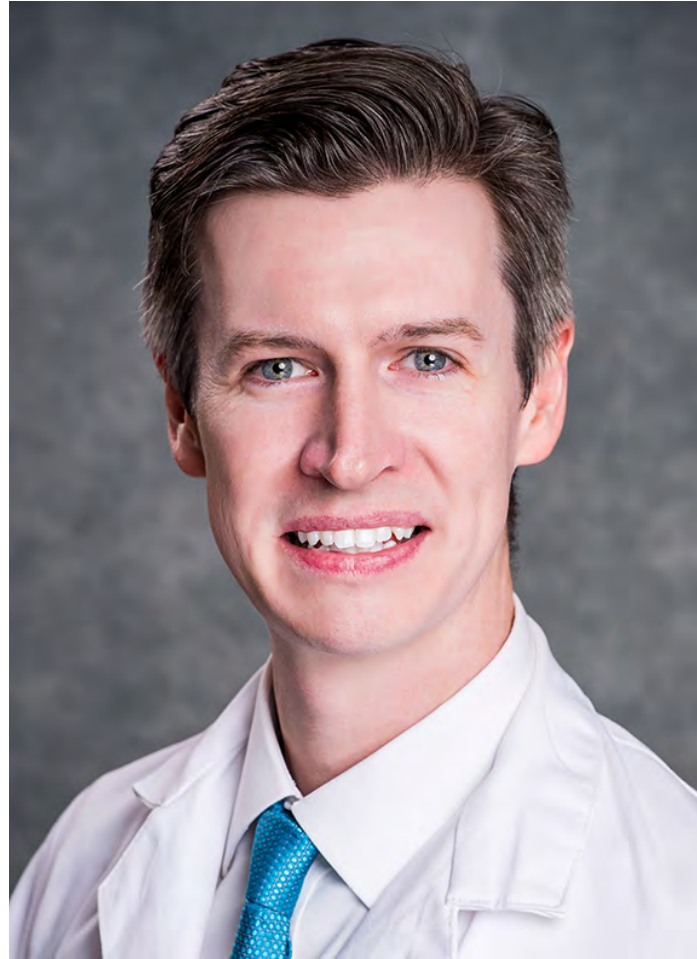
## Pollock Awarded \$642,000 NIDDK Pre-Doctoral T-32 Grant

Predoctoral Interdisciplinary Training in Renal Physiology and Medicine (PRIME) will be funded for five years beginning in July 2018.

**Jennifer Pollock, PhD**  
Professor, Nephrology

Fellowship  
Fundraising  
Guide offers  
clinicians sound  
methodology for  
cultivating  
philanthropy in  
palliative care.

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Palliative Medicine*



**Michael Barnett, MD, MS**  
Assistant Professor,  
Gerontology, Geriatrics, and  
Palliative Care



**Christian Smith, MPA**  
Director of Development,  
Department of Medicine





In Memoriam: UAB Anesthesiologist Bill O'Byrne, MD

# Medical Grand Rounds

Wednesday,  
March 21, 2018

12:00 P.M. in  
Margaret Cameron  
Spain Auditorium

## What Do Long-Term Trends in U.S. Healthcare Financing Tell Us about Future Reforms?



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**Troy Brennan, MD, MPH**

Executive Vice President  
and Chief Medical Officer,  
CVS Health

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