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2023 TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENTS NAMED

Washington, DC, April 15, 2023 – The recipients of AUPHA’s 2023 Teaching Excellence Awards have been selected. The recipients of the Teaching Excellence Award for Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Belonging, and Social Justice, sponsored by the “Better Together” collaboration – the American College of Healthcare Executives (ACHE); the American Hospital Association’s Institute for Diversity and Health Equity (AHA’s IFDHE); the National Association of Health Services Executives (NAHSE); the National Association of Latino Healthcare Executives (NALHE); and AUPHA, are Stephan Davis, DNP, MHSA, FACHE, FAAN, Virginia Commonwealth University, and Darren Liu, DrPH, FGSA, West Virginia University.

The recipient of the Teaching Excellence Award for Health Policy, sponsored by the American Hospital Association is Courtney Haun, PhD, Samford University.

The recipients of the Teaching Excellence Award in Healthcare Management and Leadership, sponsored by the American College of Healthcare Executives (ACHE) are Michael Matthews, PhD, MHA, Winthrop University, and Michael Rozier, SJ, PhD, Saint Louis University.

The recipient of AUPHA’s newest award, the Teaching Excellence in Practice Management and Ambulatory Care Award, sponsored by the Medical Group Management Association (MGMA) is Cristian Lieneck, PhD, FACMPLE FACHE, FAHM, CPHIMS, Texas State University.
“Teaching is at the heart of the healthcare management and leadership and health policy academy. By definition, our field is interdisciplinary,” said Dan Gentry, PhD, MHA, President and CEO of AUPHA. “AUPHA’s Board and leadership are pleased and proud to be able to recognize our accomplished and valued colleagues across management and leadership, policy, ambulatory care and practice management, and diversity, equity, inclusion, and social justice who have excelled in teaching at the undergraduate, masters, and doctoral levels.

The recipients of the above awards will be recognized on July 1, 2023, during the awards presentation session at AUPHA’s Annual Meeting in National Harbor, Maryland.

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