

**JUNIOR OFFICER ADVISORY GROUP (JOAG)**  
UNITED STATES PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

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DATE: August 2011  
TO: Pharmacist Professional Advisory Committee  
FROM: LCDR Yvette Waples  
SUBJECT: JOAG Liaison Report – INFORMATION

- On **Friday, 5 August at 1300 EDT**, we are *honored* to have **RADM Scott Giberson** speaking on a timely and important professional development topic, ***Officership: Building Successful Professional Partnerships***.

**Call in:** 1-218-936-4700

**Access Code:** 791-9605

*\*\*Note: this is a toll line and long distance charges apply*

For more information on Journeyman Speaker Series, visit the JOAG Website:

[http://www.usphs.gov/corpslinks/JOAG/index\\_files/Meetings\\_JourneymanSeries.htm](http://www.usphs.gov/corpslinks/JOAG/index_files/Meetings_JourneymanSeries.htm)

- Please join us in congratulating the following recipients of the JOAG awards, which were presented at the 2011 USPHS Scientific and Training Symposium.

2011 JOAG Excellence Award  
*LTJG Tracy Tilghman, Health Services Officer*  
*FDA, Rockville, MD*

2011 JOAG Junior Officer of the Year Award  
*LCDR Mahyar Mofidi, Dental Officer*  
*HRSA, Rockville, MD*

2011 JOAG VADM Richard H. Carmona Inspiration Award  
*CDR Heidi Blanck (EPPed to CAPT as of 1 JUL), Scientist Officer*  
*CDC, Atlanta, GA*

- JOAG is pleased to announce that the following officers have been selected for JOAG voting membership (pending CPO & Agency Liaison concurrence and OSG approval) for the Oct 2011 – Sep 2013 membership cycle.

LCDR Latonia Ford – At-Large Member (Nurse)  
LT Mitchel Holliday – Dietitian PAC Liaison  
LCDR Heidi Hudson – At-Large Member (HSO)  
**LCDR Liatte Krueger – Pharmacy PAC Liaison**  
LCDR William Lanier – Veterinary PAC Liaison  
LCDR Eva McLanahan – EHO PAC Liaison

LT Krista Pihlaja – At-Large Member (Engineer)  
LCDR Kate Sawyer – Medical PAC Liaison  
LCDR Scott Steffen – Scientist PAC Liaison  
LTJG Tracy Tilghman – At-Large Member (HSO)  
LT Scott Williams – Dental PAC Liaison

- The latest edition of The JOAG Journal can be found by clicking on the following link:  
[http://www.usphs.gov/corpslinks/joag/Docs/JOAG\\_Journal/JOAG\\_Journal\\_Summer\\_2011.pdf](http://www.usphs.gov/corpslinks/joag/Docs/JOAG_Journal/JOAG_Journal_Summer_2011.pdf)

**NEXT JOAG MEETING:**      **Journeyman Series Meeting August 5, 2011; 1300 - 1400 EST.**  
   **General Member Meeting August 12, 2011; 1300 - 1500 EST.**

Call-in information will be provided via JOAG listserv prior to the meeting.