Where your story began...

JOAN C. EDWARDS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
HOMECOMING WEEKEND
SEPTEMBER 29 & 30, 2023

Celebrating the Classes of  
Together, we return to where your story began and celebrate the reunion classes of:

1983: **40 YEARS**
1988: **35 YEARS**
1993: **30 YEARS**
1998: **25 YEARS**
2003: **20 YEARS**
2008: **15 YEARS**
2013: **10 YEARS**
2018: **5 YEARS**

Whether you’re hoping to reconnect with your classmates, hear presentations from graduates or share a piece of your alma mater with your family, this year’s Homecoming Weekend has something for everyone. Plus, you’ll have the opportunity to meet Dr. David Gozal, the School of Medicine’s sixth dean.

It’s also a beautiful time of year in Huntington, West Virginia. See you

Adam Franks, MD, ‘99
President, School of Medicine Alumni Association

Linda S. Holmes
Director, Development & Alumni Affairs

Register today at jcesom.marshall.edu/homecoming or by calling 304-691-1701.
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29
Noon to 1 p.m.
Student-Alumni Networking Lunch
Erma Ora Byrd Clinical Center, Rooms 1020/1021
1249 15th Street (former Fairfield Stadium site)

This is your opportunity to impart your words of wisdom on current medical students in this casual networking lunch.
Cost: Complimentary

1:15 to 2 p.m.
The Art of Healing and Leading:
Shaping the Future of Healthcare
Erma Ora Byrd Clinical Center, Auditorium
J. Greg Rosencrance, MD, ’88
President and CEO, WVU Medicine/Thomas Hospitals

Dr. Rosencrance will discuss his journey from physician to a leader shaping healthcare.

2:15 to 3 p.m.
Re-emerging Infectious Diseases: West Virginia’s Epidemics Within the Waning Pandemic
Erma Ora Byrd Clinical Center, Auditorium
Jacob T. Kilgore, MD, MPH, FAAP,’13
Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Division of Pediatric Infectious Diseases

Dr. Kilgore will review West Virginia’s changing infectious diseases landscape through a lens of epidemiology, management, and resource allocation.

3:15 to 4 p.m.
The Business of Medicine: A Physician Primer
Erma Ora Byrd Clinical Center, Auditorium
Jerry G. Blackwell, MD, MBS, FACC, ‘83
President and CEO of MedAxiom

Contemporary healthcare organizations are focused on increasing “value” for patient and society. Controlling costs while maintaining quality is a team sport requiring engagement of both physicians and business experts. This talk will provide insights into key non-clinical competencies physicians must become familiar with in order to add value.
6 to 7 p.m.
**Homecoming Happy Hour**
Touma Museum of Medicine | 314 9th Street, Huntington

The perfect time to unwind and reconnect with your classmates. Hors d’oeuvres, beer and wine will be served.
**Cost:** Complimentary

7 to 8:30 p.m.
**Reunion Banquet**
Touma Museum of Medicine | 314 9th Street, Huntington

Join us as we celebrate the classes of 1983, 1988, 1993, 1998, 2003, 2008, 2013 and 2018 and present the 2023 Distinguished Alumnus Award to Dr. J. Greg Rosencrance, Class of 1988, at our annual reunion dinner and banquet. This event is open to all alumni.
**Cost:** Complimentary to members of 1983, 1988 and 1993; all other attendees, $35 per person. *(Business casual)*

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

10 to 11 a.m.
**Mimosas and Mingling with the Dean**
Hosted by Dr. Greg (‘91) & Patti Bell | 700 North Boulevard, Huntington

Join homecoming attendees for an informal mix and mingle gathering for a mimosa brunch and meet the School of Medicine’s sixth dean, Dr. David Gozal.

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. *(subject to change based on game time)*
**Tailgate Party**
Marshall Sports Medicine Institute
2211 3rd Avenue, Huntington

It’s Herd game day! Wear your green and white and join us for the School of Medicine Tailgate Party. Children and families welcome.
**Cost:** Complimentary

3:30 p.m. *(subject to change)*
**Marshall vs. Old Dominion University**
Joan C. Edwards Stadium

Limited complimentary game tickets are available first come first serve. Call Linda Holmes at 304-691-1711. For football tickets use promo code HERDSOM23 or call the Marshall ticket office at 800-THE-HERD or 304-696-HERD and ask for the School of Medicine block of tickets
**Cost:** Special discount - $20 per ticket
CAN’T ATTEND?
We’d still love to hear from you. Use the registration form to update your contact information or send us a message to share with your classmates. **Those requiring assistance to attend please notify Alumni Affairs regarding available meeting venue accommodations.**

A lot has changed since you were a medical student. If you’re interested in a tour of our medical school facilities while you’re in town, please contact: **Linda Holmes at 304-691-1711 or holmes@marshall.edu**

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PLAN YOUR STAY

**DOUBLETREE BY HILTON**
1001 3RD AVENUE, HUNTINGTON

For your convenience, a block of rooms is **reserved for the School of Medicine until September 21, 2023, at the DoubleTree by Hilton.**

Call **304-525-1001 to reserve your room.** Ask for the Marshall School of Medicine Homecoming reservation or book now by scanning the QR code.
HOMECOMING WEEKEND REGISTRATION
September 29 & September 30, 2023
All alumni & milestone reunion classes welcome.

Name__________________________________________ Class Year__________

Address______________________________________________

City________________________ State_________ Zip__________

Mobile ______________ Email ________________________________

Guest Name(s)__________________________________________

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