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Susan B. Promes, MD Named Editor-in-Chief of Academic Emergency Medicine Education and Training Journal



DES PLAINES, IL — The Society for Academic Emergency Medicine (SAEM) has named Susan B. Promes, MD, MBA, editor-in-chief of *Academic Emergency Medicine Education and Training* (AEM E&T) journal effective June 1, 2019. She had been serving as editor for the journal since its founding in 2017.

AEM E&T is dedicated to emergency care educational research and training methodology and is the sister publication to *Academic Emergency Medicine*, the Society's flagship journal.

"Our society is fortunate to have Susan as editor-in-chief of the premier journal for education and training in emergency care. On a personal level, I am thrilled to have the privilege to work with Susan," said Jeffrey A. Kline, MD, editor-in-chief of *Academic Emergency Medicine*.

Dr. Promes is professor and chair of the Department of Emergency Medicine at Penn State University, Hershey Medical Center. She was previously professor and vice-chair in the Department of Emergency Medicine at the University of California San Francisco (UCSF), where she also served as the director of curricular affairs, director of graduate medical education, and acting designated institutional official (DIO).

In addition to starting two emergency medicine residency programs (at Duke University and UCSF), Susan has significant experience in curriculum design and learner assessment at the undergraduate medical education, graduate medical education, and continuing medical education levels.

"We are ecstatic to have such an accomplished leader in emergency medicine medical education at the helm of AEM E&T journal. I am confident that Dr. Promes will continue to grow the journal's reach, readership, and impact," said SAEM President Ian B.K. Martin, MD, MBA, professor and system chair, Department of Medicine, The Medical College of Wisconsin School of Medicine

Dr. Promes has received numerous awards and honors for excellence in teaching, leadership, and service and brings years of experience in medical education to her role as editor-in-chief. She is a graduate of the UCSF Teaching Scholars Program and a member of the UCSF Academy of Medical Educators. She was honored with the Academy's Teaching Excellence Award and the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) Courage to Teach Award. She serves as course director for the American College of Emergency Physicians Teaching Fellowship and served for several years as a member of the ACGME Emergency Medicine Residency Review Committee. She also served on the editorial board for the *Journal of Graduate Medical Education*.

A graduate of Washington University in St. Louis, Dr. Promes received her MD from Pennsylvania State University School of Medicine. She did her residency training at Alameda County Medical Center – Highland General Hospital where she served as a chief resident.

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