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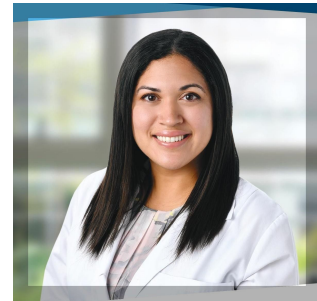
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## January 2022

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### President Message

Greetings colleagues! APAOG is thrilled about all of our upcoming events this year. Today we are launching our inaugural journal, *The Artemis*. In it, you will be immersed in in-depth views from OBGYN PAs. Our [call for authors](#) has been released, and we encourage everyone to submit their manuscripts for each of the separate subcategories. Original research is also encouraged, and we will be looking forward to including them in the following publications. We are also gearing up for our second annual [virtual conference](#) on April 29<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>; this two-day conference will consist of practical patient management for the lifespan. We hope you can join us! Shortly afterward, on May 2<sup>nd</sup>, we are planning to release our inaugural Podcast episode with our host and committee chair, Morgan Bechtle, PA-C. Alongside these many offerings, we will still have our monthly on-demand webinars and e-newsletter. I hope you could view the newly published [OBGYN PA Competency document](#) along with previously released guidelines.



As we advance our role in OBGYN, one tool that will help tremendously will be research. Several manuscripts are being developed regarding OBGYN PAs, including role delineation, landscape, and productivity. We need your help! In April, we will be sending out a survey and request for you to complete it. Additionally, for any outpatient PAs, if you can obtain access to your productivity data (ICD-10, CPT, wRVUs), we ask for your collaboration so that we can make this article significant. Please [reach out to us](#) directly to be included in the study! I hope to hear from you soon. And again, we wish you a happy, healthy, and prosperous 2022.

-Melissa Rodriguez, DMSc, PA-C

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### Journal Release: Winter 2022

APAOG is proud to release the first issue of *The Artemis: The Journal of the Association of PAs in OBGYN!* This is a member-only benefit that is new in 2022. Please click on the image to view. Visit our website for more information, resources, ways to get involved, and to provide your feedback! We look forward to hearing from you in order to make the next issue even better.



**The Artemis:  
The Journal of the  
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## News

- [Maternal Health Awareness Day: January 23, 2022](#)
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- [APAOG Publishes Core Competencies for PAs Practicing in OBGYN](#)
- [Call for Presenters: Now Open!](#)

## Upcoming Events

### APAOG 2022 Virtual Conference - Registration is Open!

APAOG Board of Directors and Conference Planning Committee is very excited to host the virtual conference this year on April 29-30, 2022. This activity will focus on the practical approaches needed to practice in gynecology. We provide tangible information to help guide PAs in the clinical assessment and management process. Topics include conditions related to breast and genital organs across the lifespan. Additionally, professional issues relevant to the OBGYN PA will be addressed. [Visit our website for more information and to register!](#)



**APAOG 2022**  
VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

Practical Patient Care for OBGYN PAs

APRIL 29-30, 2022

### AAPA Conference

Registration for AAPA 2022 is open. "Early Bird" pricing is available until January 31. The website includes information on registration rates, what's included for the conference, cancellation policy, registering a group, discounts & promotions, and how to fund your trip. [Click here for more information.](#)



## Membership

### Time to Renew Your APAOG Membership

To renew your membership, go to the APAOG Website and log-in. If you have questions or issues, please [contact our office](#).

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## Education

### On-Demand Webinars

APAOG is proud to offer members NO COST on-demand CME webinars that can be accessed at your convenience! The APAOG webinar series focuses on topics pertinent to PA's practicing in OB/GYN.

#### 2021

#### **Pelvic Floor and Incontinence - Recognition and Importance in Daily Life**

*Heather Isola, MPAS, PA-C*

#### **Preconception Care: A Provider's Approach to Improve Health Outcomes**

*Heather Adams, MPAS, PA-C*

#### **Beyond the Baby Blues: An Overview of Perinatal Mental Health,**

*Viraj Parikh, PA-C*

#### **APAOG Advocacy**

*Dave Mittman, PA-C*

#### **Female Sexuality**

*Christina Saldanha, PA-C*

#### 2022

#### **Pathophysiology and Management of Abnormal Fetal Heart Rate Tracings**

*Elijah A.J. Salzer, DMSc, PA-C, NYSAFE, C-EFM*

[Access All Webinars](#)

## Conference Recordings

APAOG's 2021 Virtual Conference session recordings are available to all. Members only pay \$95 and student members pay only \$25. The on-demand recordings are approved for CME credit through the AAPA Review Panel. [Register now to access the recordings.](#)



## Career Center Resources

### Career Center

APAOG's career center may be the place for you to start your search for a new career, build your resume or post any current opening(s). The easy-to-use website has a variety of different options depending on what you are looking for. Click one of the buttons below to begin using the resources available to help both employers and job seekers.



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