

**MINUTES**  
**Meeting**  
**MEDICAL LICENSURE COMMISSION OF ALABAMA**  
**Meeting Location: 700 Monroe Street,**  
**Huntsville, Alabama 35801**  
**Meeting Room One**

**April 28, 2023**

**MEMBERS PRESENT IN PERSON**

Craig H. Christopher, M.D., Chairman  
Kenneth W. Aldridge, M.D.  
Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.

**MEMBERS NOT PRESENT**

Jorge Alsip, M.D., Vice-Chairman  
Howard J. Falgout, M.D.  
Gary Hill, D.O.

**MEMBERS PRESENT VIRTUALLY**

L. Daniel Morris Esq.  
Pamela Varner, M.D.

**MLC STAFF**

Aaron Dettling, General Counsel, MLC  
Rebecca Robbins, Operations Director (Recording)  
Nicole Hardy, Administrative Assistant (Recording)

**OTHERS PRESENT**

**BME STAFF**

Amy Dorminey, Operations Director  
Greg Hardy, Investigator  
Chris Hart, Technology

Call to Order: 5:00 p.m.

Prior notice having been given in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act, and with a quorum of five members present, Commission Chairman, Craig H. Christopher, M.D. convened a specially called meeting of the Alabama Medical Licensure Commission.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Full License Applicants**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Medical School</u></b>	<b><u>Endorsement</u></b>
1. Betty Gingold Acker	Georgetown University School of Medicine	NBME/MD
2. Folasade Aderibigbe	Augusta University	USMLE
3. Fahad Uddin Ahmed	Dow Medical College, University of Karachi	USMLE/CT
4. Aya Al-Noubani	Jordan University of Science & Technology	USMLE/MI
5. Rebecca Marie Aleck	Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MO
6. Eli Jackson Allen	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/PA
7. Edilberto Raul Alvarez	St. Matthew's University	USMLE/FL
8. Fernand Rene Alvarez	Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine	USMLE/CA
9. Saminathan Anbalagan	P S G Inst Med Science, Bharathiar University	USMLE/DE
10. George Michael Anderson	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE/MS
11. Annie Andrews	William Carey University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/AZ
12. Kayla J Arthur	New York College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
13. Dorian Christine Bonam	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Med, Carolinas Campus	COMLEX/NC
14. James Brewster Caldwell	Kansas City University of Medicine & Biosciences	COMLEX/VA
15. Kenneth Robert Challener	Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine	FLEX/PA
16. Maithreyi Chappidi	M S Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore University	USMLE/GA
17. Raghuram Chava	Osmania Medical College	USMLE/MD
18. Venkatesh G Cheetirala	Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad	USMLE/PA
19. Harry Chiang	Louisiana State University Medical Center in Shreveport	USMLE
20. Nefertiti Childrey	Rowan University School of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/PA
21. Christopher Ching	Texas Tech Univ Health Sciences Center School of Medicine	USMLE/LA
22. Henry Heechang Cho	Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine	USMLE/VA
23. Chad Fredrick Claus	Western Univ of Health Sciences, College of Osteo Med	COMLEX/MI
24. Thomas Clayton Coleman	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE/SC
25. Coleman Scott Cowart	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Med, Carolinas Campus	COMLEX/CA
26. Caroline K Crabtree	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/MS
27. Reaves Monroe Crabtree	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/MS
28. Thai Son Dang	Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/CA
29. Rajan P Dang	Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai	USMLE/MO
30. James Edward Darnley	Ohio State University College of Medicine & Public Health	USMLE/OH
31. Natalie Anne Debernardi	University of Chicago, Pritzker School of Medicine	USMLE/MI
32. Steven Richard Debiase	University of South Florida College of Medicine	USMLE



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33. Nicholas Jesus Delgado	University of Illinois College of Medicine - Rockford	NBME/IL
34. Maria G S Devanesan	American International School of Medicine	USMLE/IL
35. Lawrence Devereux	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE/TN
36. Lindsay Haynes Devereux	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE
37. Nathan William Dewitt	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE/TX
38. Megan Faye DeWitt	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE/TX
39. Kushaljit Singh Dhesi	Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine	USMLE/PA
40. Katelyn J Donaldson	University of Vermont College of Medicine	USMLE/SC
41. Garret William Duron	Mercer University College of Health Professions	USMLE/GA
42. Gabriella Regina Edington	Florida State University College of Medicine	USMLE
43. Ibrahim El Halabi	American University of Beirut	USMLE/MI
44. Said El Zein	American University of Beirut	USMLE/MI
45. Diane Elizabeth Ellis	Univ of Med & Dentistry NJ Robert Wood Johnson Med School	USMLE/OR
46. James Corbin Ferguson	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
47. Jennifer Anne Forsyth	St. George's University School of Medicine, Grenada	USMLE/KS
48. William Charles Gambla	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
49. Nicole Danielle Garber	Saint Louis University School of Medicine	USMLE/GA
50. Johnny Manoon Gibbs	University of South Florida College of Medicine	USMLE/TX
51. Clarence Daniel Gill	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/TX
52. Steven Leon Gitarts	American University of Antigua	USMLE
53. Connor Patrick Glair	Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University	USMLE/SC
54. Behiye Goksel	Pamukkale University	USMLE/OH
55. Mustafa Goksel	Pamukkale University	USMLE/OH
56. Andrew William Gore	Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	USMLE/FL
57. Jaime Susan Green	University of Medicine & Dentistry of New Jersey	USMLE/CA
58. Yosef Yoshua Greenspon	George Washington Univ School of Med and Health Sciences	USMLE/MD
59. Tanner George Greiving	University of Kansas School of Medicine	USMLE/KS
60. Jonathan Mark Hardin	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/SC
61. James Joseph Harrigan	Sidney Kimmel Med College at Thomas Jefferson University	USMLE/PA
62. Caroline Kiteley Heideman	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Med, Carolinas Campus	COMLEX/MI
63. Irmanie Hemphill	Florida State University College of Medicine	USMLE/FL
64. William Preston Hewgley	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE
65. Benjamin Allen Hewitt	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/UT
66. Elizabeth Ernstberger Hiltz	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE
67. Alison Adams Hollis	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
68. Rachel Elizabeth Honan	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE
69. Zafar Hussain	Allama Iqbal Medical College, University of the Punjab	USMLE/FL
70. Anthony Jerard James	Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine	USMLE
71. Jay Babu Jarodiya	Wayne State University School of Medicine	USMLE
72. Justin Kung Jong	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
73. Wassem Yousry Juakiem	Uniformed Services University of Health Sciences	USMLE/VA
74. Christopher Patrick Julien	FIU Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine	USMLE/PA
75. Brian Kassa	Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	USMLE/MI
76. Mark David Kaufmann	New York University School of Medicine	NBME/NY

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77. Ahmad Yousef Khalil	Hashemite University Faculty of Medicine	USMLE/MI
78. William Hardy Kinney	Touro University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/AR
79. Chandra K M Kodavanti	Konaseema Institute of Med Sciences and Research Foundation	USMLE
80. Beulah Jyothy Koduru	Konaseema Institute of Med Sciences and Research Foundation	USMLE/NM
81. John Olumide Kolawole	University of Ghana Medical School	USMLE/MS
82. Dalton James Lohsandt	University of Missouri School of Medicine Columbia	USMLE/MO
83. Evelyn Meyers Lorents	University of Oklahoma Health Science Center	USMLE/OK
84. Jessica Marie Lowther	Sidney Kimmel Med College at Thomas Jefferson University	USMLE/MD
85. Taylor Ray Macdonald	Edward Via Virginia College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
86. Robert T MacDonell	Augusta University	USMLE
87. Richard Gavin MacNeil	Nova Southeastern University College of Medicine	COMLEX/FL
88. Malika Madhava	Sidney Kimmel Med College at Thomas Jefferson University	USMLE/NY
89. Abdullah K Mahmood	Allama Iqbal Medical College, University of the Punjab	USMLE/NY
90. John P Malone	Lincoln Memorial Univ Debusk College of Osteo Medicine	COMLEX/WI
91. Stephen M Mills Maurer	University of Vermont College of Medicine	USMLE/MI
92. Randall Levin McGill	Mercer University School of Medicine	USMLE/GA
93. Eric John McLaine	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Med, Carolinas Campus	COMLEX/SC
94. David Lee McMillan	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE/TN
95. Ethan Paul McMoran	University of Arkansas College of Medicine	USMLE/VT
96. Huda Motiwala	University of Seychelles American Institute of Medicine	USMLE/OK
97. Elizabeth Ann Mulhern	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE
98. Samih J Nassif Abudinen	Boston University School of Medicine	USMLE/FL
99. Alexia Powers Novara	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/LA
100. Sandra Obianuju Okoli	Olabisi Onabanjo Univ, Obafemi Awolowo Col of Health Sci	USMLE/PA
101. Thomas Adam Oliver	Louisiana State University School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE/FL
102. Brittany Summer Panico	Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/IL
103. Devansh Himanshu Patel	N H L Municipal Medical College, Gujarat University	USMLE/OH
104. Ashley Noel Pickering	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE
105. Ross Franklin Pinson	Texas A&M Univ Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE/VA
106. Katarzyna M Pisarewicz	American University of The Caribbean	USMLE/KY
107. Wally Jamie Plante	Medical University of the Americas (Nevis)	USMLE/FL
108. Maura Caroline Porto	University of New England College of Osteopathic Medicine	USMLE/MA
109. Michael Len Psikogios	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	FLEX/FL
110. Katelyn M Ragland	University of Arkansas College of Medicine	USMLE
111. Stephen F Revilla	Ohio State University College of Medicine & Public Health	USMLE
112. Mark Paul Rheume	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE/GA
113. Lauren C Robinson	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
114. Sarah Katherine Romero	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine	USMLE/FL
115. Jarrad Wyche Rowse	Georgia Regents University	USMLE/GA
116. Fatima Shabbir Saherwala	Dow Medical College, University of Karachi	USMLE/TX
117. Ahmed Bassam Salem	Campbell Univ Jerry M. Wallace School of Osteopathic Med	COMLEX/VA
118. Kiyoshi C Scissum	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE/NC
119. Andrew Sephien	University of South Florida College of Medicine	USMLE/FL
120. Price O'Neal Sessums	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE/NM

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121.Christine Marie Shaw	Med U of SC Col of Med /Meharry Med College Sch of Med	USMLE/LA
122.Michael Shin	University of Oklahoma Health Science Center	USMLE/HI
123.Jennifer Joan Silk	Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/OH
124.Steven Howard Snyderman	State University of New York Upstate Medical University	USMLE/PA
125.Caitlin Roach Spivey	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine-Auburn campus	COMLEX/KY
126.Stevie-Jay Marie Stapler	University of Michigan Medical School	USMLE/MI
127.Andrew William Steele	University of South Florida College of Medicine	USMLE
128.Claire Smith Sutter	University of Missouri School of Medicine Columbia	USMLE/TN
129.Jason Edward Szymala	Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine	USMLE/FL
130.Meagan Carney Taylor	William Carey University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MS
131.Marina Ashlyn Tipold	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine-Auburn campus	COMLEX/IN
132.Ann Kennon Ulicny	Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/OH
133.Vivian Valcarce Luaces	Zaragoza University	USMLE/FL
134.Allison Marie Valentine	Univ of North Carolina School at Chapel Hill School of Med	USMLE/VA
135.Carmela A Paleracio Ver	University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio	USMLE/NC
136.Stephen Allen Walker	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/MO
137.Charles Alexander Wanna	University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas	USMLE
138.Sara-Bethany Smith Weir	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MI
139.Connor Bradley Weir	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MI
140.Casey Sean West	University of Texas - Houston Medical School	USMLE/OH
141.Ethan Jacob White	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE/KY
142.Neda E Mitkova Wick	University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas	USMLE/TX
143.Brittney Williams	University of Utah School of Medicine	USMLE/FL
144.John Tilton Willingham	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine-Auburn campus	COMLEX/LA
145.Anna Nanigian Witt	St. George's University School of Medicine, Grenada	USMLE/CA
146.Su Xu	Shanghai Second Medical University	USMLE/NY
147.Mounzer Yassin-Kassab	University of Tishreen	USMLE/MI
148.Bradley Lane Young	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/GA
149.Taylor Whitman Young	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
150.Diana Zhong	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine	USMLE/MO
151.D'Lisa Ann Bitterly	Univ of Texas Medical School at San Antonio	USMLE/NE
152.Charles Thomas Dean	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE/LA
153.Bilen Kassu	University of Florida College of Medicine	USMLE/GA
154.Mohammed M Qureshi	Univ of North Texas Health Science Center	COMLEX/TX
155.*Luke Bishop	UAB	USMLE/GA
156.*Michael Joseph Feldman	University of Rochester School of Medicine	USMLE
157.*Gerard Dayle Henry	UNC at Chapel Hill School of Medicine	USMLE/NC
158.*Michael R Holland Jr.	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/SC
159.*Gloria Storm McWhorter	UAB	USMLE
160.*Clinton David Morgan	Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	USMLE
161.*Rushil Virendra Patel	North Carolina Medical College	USMLE/NY
162.*Jill Marie Shea	St. George's Uni School of Medicine, Grenada	USMLE/FL
163.*Erin N Lambert Thrasher	UAB	USMLE/VA
164.*Susie Mao	Touro U College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MS

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165.*Tharun Paruchuri	St. George's Uni School of Medicine, Grenada	USMLE/WV
166.*Abdelrahim Asfour	University of Jordan	USMLE/MI
167.Justin Michael Garzone	Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/NJ
168.Robert Alan Wians	UAB	USMLE
169.*Sammie O Searcy	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine	USMLE

*\*Approved pending acceptance and payment of NDC issued by BME.*

A motion was made by Commissioner Aldridge with a second by Commissioner Nagrodzki to approve applicants numbers one through one hundred and sixty-nine (1-169) for full licensure. A roll call vote was taken. The votes were: Christopher, aye; Nagrodzki, aye; Aldridge, aye; Morris, aye; and Varner, aye.

### Limited License Applicants

<u>Name</u>	<u>Medical School</u>	<u>End.</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Type</u>
1. Kunj Arun Gor	Smt. N.H.L. Municipal Medical College	LL-AL	UAB Montgomery IM Res Pro	R
2. Divya Karanam	Vinayaka Mission's Medical College	LL-AL	UAB Montgomery IM Res Pro	R
3. Ommaya Maimoona	Alfaisal University COM	LL-AL	UAB Montgomery IM Res Pro	R
4. Prathisha Manicka Vinoth	Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical Univ	LL/AL	UAB Montgomery IM Res Pro	R
5. Rasha M H Mohammed	Ain Shams Uni Faculty of Medicine	LL/AL	USA Pathology	R
6. Areej Rahman	Alfaisal University COM	LL/AL	UAB Montgomery IM Res Pro	R
7. Unknown Ritika	Maharashtra Univ of Health Sciences	LL/AL	UAB IM Res Pro	R
8. Shuk Ming Tso	Zhengzhou University Medical School	LL/AL	UAB Montgomery IM Res Pro	R
9. Ronit Wollstein	Hadassah Med School, Hebrew Univ	LL/AL	UAB Bham Specialty Professor	SP
10. Xuan Zhou	First Military Medical University	LL/AL	UAB Montgomery IM Res Pro	R

A motion was made by Commissioner Aldridge with a second by Commissioner Morris to approve limited license applicants numbers one through ten (1-10). A roll call vote was taken. The votes were: Christopher, aye; Nagrodzki, aye; Aldridge, aye; Varner, aye; and Morris, aye.

### ADMINISTRATIVE FILINGS

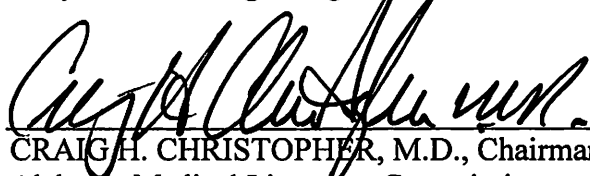
Andre' V. Haynes, M.D.

The Commission received an Administrative Complaint filed by the Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners. A motion was made by Commissioner Nagrodzki with a second by Commissioner Aldridge to defer any action on the Administrative Complaint until the May 24,

2023, Commission meeting. A roll call vote was taken. The votes were: Christopher, aye; Nagrodzki, aye; Aldridge, aye; Morris, aye; and Varner, aye.

Meeting adjourned at 5:13 p.m.

**PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE:** The next meeting of the Alabama Medical Licensure Commission was announced for Wednesday, May 24, 2023, beginning at 9:00 a.m.



CRAIG H. CHRISTOPHER, M.D., Chairman  
Alabama Medical Licensure Commission



Rebecca Robbins, Director of Operations  
Recording Secretary  
Alabama Medical Licensure Commission

05/24/2023

Date Signed

