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## ***New Orleans VA physician selected to receive Humanism in Medicine Award***

NEW ORLEANS – Southeast Louisiana Veterans Health Care System physician Dr. Randolph Roig was nominated to receive the 2016 Arnold P. Gold Foundation Humanism in Medicine Award. Roig was nominated by the interning Louisiana State University medical students at SLVHCS because of his positive mentoring skills and his ability to collaborate with them to enhance their learning process.

Roig, a 20-year physiatrist, is currently the SLVHCS associate chief of staff for education, and he is also a medical school faculty member at LSU and Emory and Tulane Universities. As part of his community service, he also serves on the board of reNEW Schools; an organization whose mission is to transform and improve conditions at underperforming schools throughout New Orleans.



The Humanism in Medicine Award is bestowed annually on a physician who exemplifies the best examples of active mentorship and leadership for students enrolled in the medical education process. The award will be presented at a ceremony at LSU on May 26.

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