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## **AMERICAN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES**

### **BOARD CHANGES**

DECEMBER 18, 2013

Bethesda, Maryland – Subsequent to its corporate meeting held on November 19, 2013, the Board of Directors of the American Occupational Therapy Foundation elected two new directors and took other actions pertaining to board governance.

Carolyn Baum, PhD, OTR, FAOTA of St. Louis, Missouri and Emily Kringle, MOT, OTR/L, of St. Paul, MN, were elected as new directors. Martha Kirkland of Baltimore, MD; Wendy Coster, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA of Boston, MA, and Kinsuk Maitra, PhD, OTR/L, of Miami, FL were re-elected for additional terms. Ms. Kirkland was also elected to serve as treasurer, and Dr. Coster was re-elected as vice-president. Terms for the new directors and officers begin January 1, 2014.

The board recognized directors and officers who are completing terms of service, including public member Adam Drobot, PhD, of Dallas, Texas and Piscataway, New Jersey; Aaron Eakman, PhD, OTR/L of Fort Collins, Colorado; and Kim Schoessow, OTD, OTR/L of San Francisco, California. “We are fortunate to benefit from the dedicated work of outstanding public and professional board members. We salute the work of our board members completing terms and we welcome our new officers and directors,” said current board President Diana Ramsay, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The American Occupational Therapy Foundation is a 501(c) 3 charitable, scientific and educational organization established in 1965. Its mission is to advance research, education, and public awareness for occupational therapy so that all people may participate fully in life regardless of their physical, social, mental or developmental circumstances. To learn more about AOTF, visit us at [www.aotf.org](http://www.aotf.org).