

EXCEPTIONAL MOMENTS IN TEACHING



The College of Medicine recognizes exceptional teachers with the monthly “Exceptional Moments in Teaching” program. Honorees are selected via student assessments from courses and clerkships. Recognized teachers—including medical faculty, residents, nurses and other educators—are those who challenge students and provide an exceptional learning experience.

Jennifer Moffat, PhD, is an associate professor of Microbiology and Immunology at SUNY Upstate Medical University. She is the **December 2020** Recipient of the **Exceptional Moments in Teaching Recognition**.

COMMENTS FROM DR. MOFFAT’S STUDENTS:

“Dr. Moffat is an absolutely wonderful lecturer — she is kind and engaging and puts fascinating stories in her lectures that help me to remember the content. I’m grateful that I got to have her as a professor.”

“Dr. Moffat did an outstanding job teaching us this unit. She explains things very clearly and enthusiastically. It is clear she cares deeply about her students and is passionate about the subject. We love the personal stories about her daughters!”

“Dr. Moffat is incredibly responsive and willing to provide various explanations when asked. She did an exceptional job at making the material feel relevant to me and her funny stories made it impossible for me to forget certain details of certain viruses.”

“Dr. Moffat seems genuinely excited to teach us and always goes out of her way to make sure that we understand the information. She gives clinical vignettes throughout her lectures that are interesting and relevant. She is always open to answer our questions and the way she presents her lectures makes it is easy to understand what she wants us to know. An all-around fantastic person.”