

*With sincere gratitude and esteem*

President

**Dr. Ross Zafonte**

*cordially invites you to join*

## **THE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL**

**at Spaulding Rehabilitation Network**



*Recognizing annual leadership giving  
that helps patients and families find their strength  
on the journey to recovery*



**I**t is my honor to invite you to consider becoming a member of our new annual leadership giving society, **The President's Council**. We are so proud to have you join this special group as we commemorate the 50th anniversary of Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital and expand our circle of support for our *Campaign for Spaulding Research Institute*—a landmark five-year, \$75 million fundraising effort to grow our research enterprise four-fold by 2021.

The President's Council represents a distinguished group of individuals, families, and institutions whose yearly generosity of \$20,000 or more shapes and sustains the life-changing mission of Spaulding Rehabilitation Network. Our members are united in a singular vision to make the world a better place for people recovering from and living with disability and disease—a calling that has become even more imperative as we respond to the devastating COVID-19 pandemic and urgent issues of health equity.

Your dedicated support as a President's Council member can help transform the ways in which we deliver exceptional care, advance pioneering research, and promote innovative education in the field of rehabilitation medicine. Thank you on behalf of the entire Spaulding network for your consideration to join such an extraordinary cadre of generous leaders.

Warm regards,

**Ross Zafonte, D.O.**  
President



## PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL MEMBERS ARE...

- ☞ recognized for **yearly cumulative giving of \$20,000 or more to any and all Spaulding programs**—from advancing our *Campaign for Spaulding Research Institute*, to aiding our Strength After COVID/Emergency Response efforts, to investing in our clinical programs, to contributing to our myriad special events, to supporting our Annual Fund.
- ☞ invited to our **annual President's Council Celebration**, which provides an opportunity to hear from and engage with Spaulding's leaders and faculty experts about the latest frontiers of rehabilitation medicine—including research and recovery care for COVID-19—in the company of other generous individuals committed to our mission.
- ☞ eligible to receive **the latest updates on emerging work** from Spaulding, including (but not limited to) virtual briefings on key topics, news about research grants and publications, personalized tours and meetings, nurse-led "Idea Incubators," and our Grand Rounds series of educational programs.
- ☞ offered **timely support and guidance** to navigate the health system and facilitate access to care.

Participation or inclusion in any of the Council's activities is **at the member's interest and convenience**.



Left to right: President's Council Co-Chairs Ralph & Janice James and Judith Fong & Dr. Mark Wheeler at the Annual Celebration of the President's Council in 2019

# THE 2020 PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL

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“ Like many others, we have experienced firsthand Spaulding's commitment to personalized and compassionate care. So making it possible for more families to share in what this exceptional institution offers was an easy decision. It was a given.”

—*Judith A. Fong, President's Council Co-Chair*

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 Spaulding possesses all  
 the qualities of the kind of  
 organization we choose to support  
 philanthropically—history,  
 leadership, excellence, execution,  
 and impact. We are so proud to  
 be a part of this extraordinary  
 community.”

*—Ralph M. James,  
 President's Council Co-Chair*

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<sup>Ω</sup> President's Council Lifetime Members

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**We are grateful for your interest in  
The President's Council. For questions or to learn more  
about becoming a member, please contact:**

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