

# VALERIE D. CALLENDER, MD, FAAD

## VICE PRESIDENT-ELECT

### SUB-SPECIALTY(S)

Medical:	50%
Surgical:	40%
Pediatrics:	10%

### ALLOCATION OF TIME

Academic Practice:	10%
Clinical:	10%

Private Practice:	90%
Clinical:	80%
Administrative:	10%



### EDUCATION

Howard University College of Medicine  
Howard University Hospital - Dermatology

### CERTIFICATION

Diplomate American Board of Dermatology

### AREAS OF INTEREST

Pigmentation Disorders  
Hair/Scalp Disorders

### ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

Howard University College of Medicine

### CLINICAL AFFILIATIONS

Callender Dermatology & Cosmetic Center  
Howard University Hospital  
Washington Hospital Center

### PRESENT ACADEMIC POSITION

Professor of Dermatology

### ACADEMY INVOLVEMENT

2020-2021	Council on Practice Management
2019-2021	Council on Education
2019-2021	Executive Committee
2019-2021	Budget Committee
2019	ILDS Delegate
2018-present	JAAD Editorial Board
2019-2020	Intersociety Diversity Workgroup/Task Force
2018-2021	Council of Community, Corporate & Philanthropic Relations
2018,2019,2020	Legislative Conference
2018-2019	JAAD Mentorship Program
2018	Diversity in Dermatology Task Force
2017	President's Conference on Diversity in Dermatology
2017-2021	Board of Directors
2017,2018	Skin Cancer Screening at US Senate
2016-2019	Coding & Reimbursement Task Force
2016-2019	Core Curriculum Work Group Task Force
2015	Mastery Level Physician's Leadership Program
2015-2018	International Affairs Committee
2014	Intersociety Liaison Committee
2014,2018,2019	Skin Cancer Screening at the Maryland Senate
2012	Dermatology Research Consensus Conference
2011-2012	AHTF on Election Oversight
2010-2011	Membership Committee
2007-2010	Healthcare Delivery Committee
2007-2011	Chair, Diversity Task Force
2003-2011	Diversity Task Force
2003-2007	Women's Health Task Force
2002	Forum for Future Leaders in Dermatology

### ELECTED AND APPOINTED POSITIONS

#### WDS

President  
Secretary  
Board of Directors  
Associate Editor IJWD  
Chair Fundraising Committee  
Chair Website Committee  
Legacy Council

#### SOCS

President  
Treasurer  
Board of Directors  
Chair Development Committee

#### NMA Dermatology

Chair  
Vice Chair  
Secretary-Treasurer

### HONORS AND AWARDS

Noah Worcester Society  
American Dermatologic Association  
Clark W. Finnerud Award  
WDS Mentor of the Year  
AAD Presidential Citation  
WDS President's Award  
AAD Members Making a Difference Award  
AOA Voluntary Award

### PUBLICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

Publications:	76	Textbooks:	1
Book Chapters:	23	Presentations:	290

### RESPONSE TO THE QUESTION POSED BY THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

#### How would you advance the priorities of the Academy and the president?

My candidacy for Vice President-Elect of the American Academy of Dermatology is predicated on my commitment to the broad-spectrum of interests in the Academy and to the verities of inclusive leadership-inclusive in gender, race, generation, and sub-specialty. The current environment dictates that we engage our members in order to meet our challenges.

The rate of change in the healthcare environment is occurring at an alarming rate. There are multiple and ever-increasing proposed changes in the regulatory framework, serious and debilitating changes between the insurance companies and our members with respect to reimbursements, and destabilizing changes in the ownership structure of practices that have a profound impact on young dermatologists. However, we can concentrate our efforts on managing these continuing changes with efficiency and education. This will require a leadership that is dedicated, experienced, flexible, responsive, and thoughtful.

Because all elected leadership positions within the Academy are fugacious, it is very important that members who are elected to these positions understand the Academy and its membership and can work in a cohesive team environment dedicated to the Academy's goals and priorities as promulgated by the President. The function of the Vice President is to assist the Board, Executive Committee and management in formulating and executing policies, to provide a supporting role to the President in managing the strategic plan and acting as an Ambassador for the Academy.

I believe that my broad experience, commitment to the Academy and Panglossian outlook for our specialty have uniquely prepared me to undertake this role.