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JONES ELECTED TO LEADERSHIP POSITION IN EMERGENCY MEDICINE SOCIETY

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JACKSON, Miss. – Dr. Alan Jones, professor of emergency medicine at the University of Mississippi Medical Center, has been elected 2012-13 president-elect of the Society for Academic Emergency Medicine.

Jones attended the organization's leader orientation and town hall forum May 8 in Chicago.

SAEM, which supports high-quality research and educational innovation in emergency care, is dedicated to the improvement of care of the acutely ill and injured patient by improving research and education.

Formed in 1989, the organization's mission is to lead the advancement of emergency care through education and research, advocacy and professional development in academic emergency medicine.

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