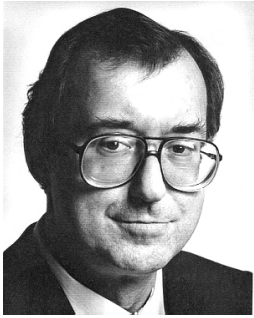


The Jerry Dolovich Memorial Lectureship



Born in the small town of Minitonas, Manitoba, Canada, Dr. Jerry Dolovich attended medical school at the University of Manitoba, where he graduated with Honors and the Bronze medal for the Highest Standing in Surgery. His interests, however, were in Internal Medicine and he undertook his Internship and Specialty training in Winnipeg and Montreal, with a brief stint in Philadelphia. While in Montreal, he met and married Myrna Gersovitz, an Electrical Engineering student at McGill University, and had three daughters.

It was during his medical training at the Montreal General Hospital that Dr. Dolovich was introduced to the field of Allergy and Clinical Immunology. He worked for a year with Dr. Sam Freedman and then went to Buffalo where he had the further good fortune to work at the Buffalo General Hospital with Drs. Carl Arbesman and Robert Reisman. In 1968, Dr. Dolovich and his family moved to Hamilton, where he joined the Department of Pediatrics of the newly-formed Faculty of Health Sciences at McMaster University.

Dividing his professional work between clinical allergy and allergy-related research and teaching, Dr. Dolovich's main initial research interest was late allergic responses. He concentrated his research on practical problems encountered in the clinic, including the identification of ethylene oxide as an allergen. His later research interests were in the study of nasal polyps.

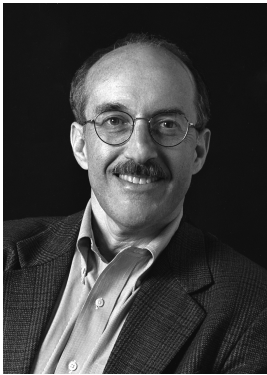
In the course of his career, Dr. Dolovich achieved several important distinctions – the Queen Elizabeth II Scientist Award (1970), the Annual Research Award of the Canadian Society of Allergy and Clinical Immunology (1987), the Riva Cohen Award from the Canadian Society of Allergy and Clinical Immunology (1989), and the Distinguished Clinician Award of the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (1997). In 1996, the Canadian Society of Allergy and Clinical Immunology renamed its Annual Research Award as the Jerry Dolovich Award for contributions in Allergy and Clinical Immunology in Canada.

Dr. Dolovich's personal and professional characteristics endeared him to many, and facilitated the process of discovery in his science. He was known for his broad interests and curiosity in the world around him, an encyclopedic memory, humility, honesty, and a gracious consideration of other people. As such, he was valued and beloved by his patients, colleagues and students. He knew and never forgot his facts, and he never forgot his patients.

For the last fourteen years of his life, Dr. Dolovich battled scleroderma and persevered in the face of his own progressive illness and increasing disability with stoicism and unassuming demeanor. Unlike his health, his good humor never failed him. He finally succumbed to his illness and died in June, 1997 in his 62nd year. He was a friend and mentor to many, and left a great legacy.

2012 marks the fourteenth year of the Jerry Dolovich Memorial Lectureship. **It will be presented at Plenary Session 4101: Anaphylaxis in the New Millennium on Monday, March 05, 2012 from 8:15am - 9:45am in Orlando, Florida.**

The Jerry Dolovich Memorial Lecturer - Stephen J. Galli, MD



Stephen J. Galli, MD, has been chair of the Department of Pathology, the Mary Hewitt Loveless, MD Professor, and a professor of pathology and of microbiology and immunology at Stanford University School of Medicine, and chief of the pathology service at Stanford Hospital & Clinics, since February, 1999.

In 2009 he became the Co-Director of the Stanford Center for Genomics and Personalized Medicine, and also is a member of the Executive Committees for the Stanford Institute for Immunity, Transplantation and Infection and the Stanford Cancer Center.

Dr. Galli received a BA in biology in 1968 from Harvard College, a BMS in 1970 from Dartmouth Medical School (then a two year school) and the MD in 1973 from Harvard Medical School (HMS), and completed a residency in Anatomic Pathology at Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) in 1977. After postdoctoral training with Harold F. Dvorak at MGH, he joined the HMS faculty in 1979 as assistant professor of pathology, became professor of pathology in 1993, and, until moving to Stanford in 1999, served as director of the Division of Experimental Pathology at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and a member of the HMS Committee on Immunology. Dr. Galli's research focuses on the development and function of mast cells and basophils (the major effector cells of asthma and anaphylaxis) and the development of new animal models for studying the roles of these cells in health and disease.

He serves on the editorial boards of *The Annual Review of Pathology: Mechanisms of Disease* (as one of the three Co-Editors), *Allergology International*, and *Laboratory Investigation*, is an Associate Editor for *International Immunology*, and was an Advisory Editor for the *Journal of Experimental Medicine* from 1993-2011. Dr. Galli has organized or co-organized four Keystone Symposia in the fields of mast cells, allergy, allergic inflammation, and asthma, as well as a Novartis Symposium on anaphylaxis and four international conferences on the biology of mast cells and basophils.

Dr. Galli received a MERIT Award from the NIAID/NIH (1995) and Scientific Achievement Awards from the *International Association of Allergy & Clinical Immunology* (1997) and the *World Allergy Organization* (2011). He has given many named lectures, including three awarded by the *American Academy of Allergy Asthma and Immunology*: the C. Warren Bierman Lectureship (1992), the Jerry Dolovich Memorial Lectureship (2004), and the 44th Robert Cooke Memorial Lectureship (2006).

Dr. Galli was president of the *American Society for Investigative Pathology* (2005-2006) and has been elected to the *Pluto Club (Association of University Pathologists)*, the *Collegium Internationale Allergologicum* (he is serving as president from 2010-2014), the *American Society for Clinical Investigation*, the *Association of American Physicians*, and the *Institute of Medicine of the National Academies*. Dr. Galli is also a foreign member of the *Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei* (National Academy of the Lynxes) in Rome, regarded as the oldest secular scientific society in the Western World.

In 2006-2007, the last year of a three year elected term, Dr. Galli was the Chair of the Advisory Board to the President and Provost of Stanford University. Among other responsibilities, the Advisory Board makes final recommendations on all faculty appointments and promotions in the tenure or research lines throughout Stanford University.