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Passing the Gavel

Issam A. Awad, MD &
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2001 Distinguished Service Award
6 Years Ago…

Francis H.C. Crick, PhD
Emeritus Special Lecturer
“Consciousness and Neurosurgery”

Only two weeks after September 11…
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Mark N. Hadley, MD & Michael L. J. Apuzzo, MD
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H. Hunt Batjer, MD & John M. Tew, Jr., MD
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Albert L. Rhoton, Jr., MD
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Walter Dandy, Jr, Stephen Ambrose, MD, Mary Ellen Dandy Marmaduke, Polly Marmaduke and Issam Awad, MD

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Walter Dandy, Jr.,
Mrs. Walter Dandy, Jr. and
John Morgan Thompson, MD, MD

Issam Awad, MD,
Poet Laureate Robert Pinsky, and
Catherine Awad
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John R. Russell, MD and A. Roy Tyrer, Jr., MD
6 Years Ago…

Michael L.J. Apuzzo, M.D.
2001 Honored Guest
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Lycurgus M. Davey, Michael L.J. Apuzzo, MD
and Jacques Brotchi MD
John Morgan Thompson, MD
Former CNS Past President & Historian

Identity
Method
Purpose
Mission of the CNS History and Archives Committee:

To Preserve the CNS Legacy

and to Showcase its Lore

Current CNS Historian and Archivist, Issam Awad,
with the late John Thompson, Founding Historian
CNS History and Archives
Goals

Preservation  Retrieval  Consistency

IMPACT
CNS History and Archives
Tasks at Hand

- Electronically scan and catalogue current archives for preservation, access and retrieval.
- Select future content for archives maintenance.
- Webcast “Selected CNS e-Archives” materials from each year (past and present).
- Present History Exhibit at the CNS Annual Meeting
- Liaise with Past-Presidents.
CNS History and Archives Committee Structure

- Historian and Archivist (chairman).
- CNS Past President, CNS Secretary.
- Chairs of Information & Technology and Publications Committees.
- Executive Director, Webmaster (ex officio).
Preserving the CNS Legacy

CNS Historian and Archivist Issam Awad with CNS Archives Team in Schaumburg, IL: Preparing for electronic scanning and cataloguing
Preserving CNS History: 
Reinventing the CNS Archives