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***Happy New Year!***  
***Wishing Everyone a Healthy and Successful 2023***

## Scenes from the National SCC Meeting in California



***Our own Bart Maxon received the SCC Merit Award in recognition of his many years of service to the SCC. He was instrumental in the founding of the SCC Michigan Chapter in 2013***



***Caryn Weiss, Treasurer and past SCC MI Chair, moderated the Innovations in Skin Care Panel***



***SCC President Dr. Michelle Hines presided over the first Annual Scientific Meeting & Showcase held outside of New York City***

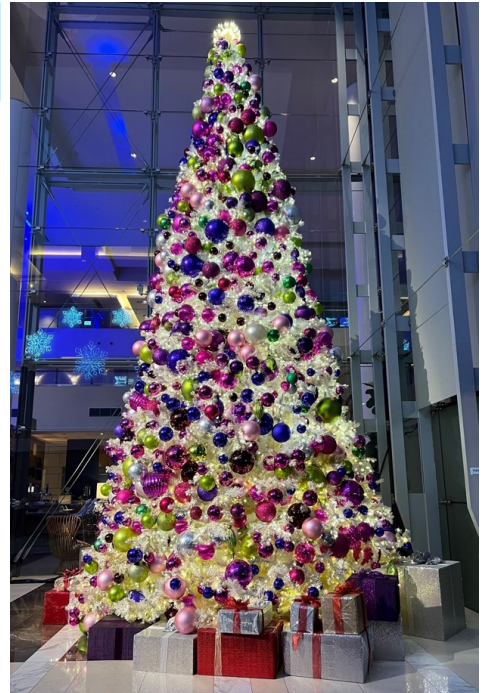


***Amway Fellow Dr. Amit Chandra presented at the SCC Opening Session, Future of Beauty Panel, on personalized beauty through natural ingredients***

# More Scenes from California



**Amway Scientist and 2022 SCC Michigan Chair, Rong Kong, presented a talk “A New Look at Skin Cell Turnover” in the future of Skin Care session**



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## SCC Michigan Best Speaker Award Announced

*Herve Offredo, Chief Science Officer at Barnet, gave a presentation entitled “Neurocosmetics” at our November Chapter Meeting. He reviewed the role of Cutaneous Peripheral Nervous system in various aspects of skin health. Over the past 15 years, Barnet has developed a number of ingredients based on molecules found in nature that are designed to provide benefits such as skin-brightening, anti-wrinkling, delay of skin aging, anti-inflammation, and reducing the effects of air pollution on skin. Herve’s lively and informative talk was voted the best presentation of the year by board members.*



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### Our last Meeting of 2022 was held in Grand Rapids



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Sam Costanzo

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Beth Swansegar

**Treasurer-Elect**  
Caryn Weiss

**Treasurer**  
Tori Guglielmi

**Secretary**  
Beth Kaczanowski

Chapter Officers for 2023 were installed by Area II Director Sophie Bonham



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Unusually warm weather for November allowed for socializing on the deck



## Save the Dates for our 2023 Chapter Meetings

Date	Time	Location	Speaker	Company	Meeting
March 9th	3:30 pm - 7 pm	Grand Rapids Area	TBD	TBD	Technical Meeting
May 11th	3:30 pm - 7 pm	Mt. Pleasant/Frankenth	TBD	TBD	Technical Meeting
September 20th	4 pm - 8 pm	Grand Rapids Area	TBD	TBD	Social Event
September 21st	9 am - 5 pm	Grand Rapids Area	TBD	TBD	CEP Course
November 9th	3:30 pm - 7 pm	Grand Rapids Area	TBD	TBD	Technical Meeting & Officer Installation

### From the Editor

I am always looking for content for our next issue. Please help by sending information about upcoming events, member news, or other potential content. Contact me at: [newsletter@sccmi.org](mailto:newsletter@sccmi.org)