

## **Dr Cristian Vera Honored with SCANS Service Award in Neurosurgery**

On November 15, 2008 Dr Cristian Vera was honored with the SCANS service award in neurosurgery for his lifetime contribution to the education of neurosurgeons in South Carolina. SCANS also made a \$5,000 donation to the MUSC Foundation for the establishment of an endowed lectureship in neurosurgery in Dr. Vera's honor.