

Psychiatric Residency at Mount Sinai Morningside/West



OUR RESIDENTS – PGY1



Emily Aledort

Hometown: Los Angeles

Undergrad: University of Chicago

Med School: George Washington School of Medicine

Hobbies: dumplings (eating and trying to make them), talking, an occasional legos project

Professional Interests: Consult Liaison, Emergency, Forensic

Favorite part of our residency:

IT department here is really fast! (a change for me) also, always having someone willing to talk to/listen to me at all times.



Liam Butchart

Hometown: Needham, MA

Undergrad: Colby College (music major)

Med School: Renaissance School of Medicine at Stony Brook University

(Grad School): MA in Medical Humanities, Compassionate Care, and

Bioethics from the Graduate School, Stony Brook University

Hobbies: Music (vocal performance, liturgical, EDM), medical humanities education, going to the gym.

Professional Interests: I have particular interests in psychotherapy, transitional age patients and patients with eating disorders.

Favorite part of our residency:

The opportunities available. Through this program and its connections to the larger Mount Sinai system, there are opportunities to train in so many different sub-fields of psychiatry. This provides a breadth of training that is available almost nowhere else.



Linda Chamberlin

Hometown: San Jose, CA

Undergrad: USC

Med School: Drexel

Hobbies: travel, yoga, baking, hanging out with my cat, knitting, reading, going to the ballet

Professional Interests: Global mental health, neuroscience research, child & adolescent psychiatry

Favorite part of our residency:

My co-residents! I've worked with some great teams on my medicine rotations so far, and still get together with my cohort of psych interns.



Marla Renee Fisher

Hometown: Sheridan, WY and San Francisco, CA

Undergrad: Mills College

Med School: Albert Einstein College of Medicine

Hobbies: biking, reading, taking care of my 54 houseplants, spending time with my girlfriend and 2 cats

Professional Interests: psychotherapy, psychedelics, LGBTQIA+ mental health, health equity research

Favorite part of our residency:

My co-interns!



Raj Gadhe

Hometown: Yorba Linda, CA

Undergrad: University of California, Los Angeles

Med school: Western University of Health Sciences, College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific

Hobbies: watching sports, playing tennis and basketball, biking around NYC, chess, card games, traveling, binge-watching reality TV

Professional interests: general adult psychiatry

Favorite part of our residency:

My co-residents, living and training in NYC



Fred Heller

Hometown: Caldwell/ Chatham NJ

Undergrad: Duke University

Med School: Duke University

Hobbies: I enjoy staying active via running/biking or else lounging on my couch with a book or television program. I'm also a big fan of brunch.

Professional Interests: I have tentative professional interests in addiction psychiatry, mood and anxiety disorders, working with LGBTQ populations, as well as psychotherapy.

Favorite part of our residency:

So far, my favorite part of residency is the supportive training community at MSMW. I also love the location; I have spent my evenings exploring local eateries as well as biking up the Hudson river.



Rachel Koreen

Hometown: Cold Spring Harbor, NY

Undergrad: Emory University

Medical School: TouroCOM

Hobbies: I enjoy hanging out with my dog, exploring different neighborhoods in NYC, and trying various cuisines! I also love to travel and am hoping to make it to every continent by age 30 (maybe not Antarctica lol).

Professional Interests: Not sure yet-- maybe a combination of inpatient and outpatient

Favorite part of our residency:

My incredible, fun, and kind co-residents! And the diverse learning opportunities NYC has to offer 😊



Hillary Landsman

Hometown: Woodbury, New York

Undergraduate: Cornell University

Med School: University of New England College of Osteopathic Medicine

Hobbies: Hiking, Traveling, Broadway, Running, Cooking, Exploring the city

Professional Interests: Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Developmental Disabilities

Favorite part of our residency:

Spending time with my co-residents!



Wei (William) Miao

Hometown: Toronto, Canada

Undergrad: University of Toronto

Med School: NYU Grossman School of Medicine

Hobbies: classic novels, cooking, board games

Professional Interests: addiction psychiatry, geriatric psychiatry, psychedelic research

Favorite part of our residency:

My co-residents who comprise the most diverse, empathetic, supportive and down-to-earth group I've ever had the pleasure to be a part of!



Landon Presnall

Hometown: Muenster, TX

Undergrad: Boston College

Grad school: University of Texas Health Sciences Center at Houston – School of Public Health (MPH)

Med School: Baylor College of Medicine

Hobbies: I really enjoy sports, reading books, cooking, and watching TV and movies with friends and family. You may also find me salsa dancing on the weekends with my girlfriend!

Professional Interests: I am still exploring various fields of psychiatry, but currently have interests in public mental health and inpatient psychiatry. I would also like to get more experience in consult-liaison psychiatry as well as neuromodulation (ECT, TMS, etc.).

Favorite part of our residency:

So far, my favorite part of residency is the great relationships I've made with my co-interns. From orientation onward, we've made it a point to get together often for dinners, happy hours, and other activities! Being a part of a close group like this has made the transition to residency feel seamless!



Melissa Prusky

Hometowns: Rye Brook, NY and Lower Merion PA

Undergrad: Brown University

Medical School: Rush Medical College

Hobbies: spending time with family and friends, traveling, camping (up for grabs whether my dog or I enjoy this particular hobby more), musical theatre

Professional Interests: psych-onc, psychotherapy, child and adolescent psychiatry

Favorite part of our residency:

My co-interns. Even though I'm on medicine and we're only a month into intern year I've spent a ton of time with them, which is a testament to how much everyone already cares about each other. It's a group of such thoughtful, smart, interesting, and fun people I feel lucky to be a part of!



Carla F. Rivera

Hometown: San Juan, Puerto Rico

Undergrad: University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras

Med School: University of Connecticut School of Medicine

Hobbies: interior decorating, kickboxing, dancing, finding the best shopping deals and eating my way through the city

Professional Interests: Emergency Psychiatry but also very excited to learn more about C/L psych

Favorite part of our residency:

My co-residents and how diverse and supportive our program is! I have had an amazing experience so far and not once have I felt alone or unsupported. Also, having the opportunity to live in such a fun and vibrant city!