

GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION

Resident and Fellow of the Month: November 2020



Seung Eun (Grace) Lee, MD

Resident (PGY3), Internal Medicine
Mount Sinai Hospital

Service to Peers/Service to Patients: "Grace is a true role model and advocate for patient-centered care in our residency program. She recently initiated a pilot "Morbidity and Mortality Conference" for IM residents to use as a safe space to discuss the effect of difficult cases on the emotional and physical wellbeing of the house staff caring for these patients and a place to brainstorm creative solutions. This is the first of its kind in our program and a step towards the type of work we need towards managing the changes we have all faced in the months following COVID-19." "While many people work hard, Grace has a demeanor that commands respect and attention of all hospital staff. She does not use this in any haughty manner but rather is so humble but staunch in her advocacy for patients that it shines through that she knows the correct management plans for our patients and will make sure that they are able to get care whether by coordinating amongst many consultants or by making decisions herself. She made sure to not only teach about medicine, but candidly share emotional experiences and create a space for myself and other residents to do as well. If I or my family were sick, I would absolutely want Grace to care for us."



Hannibal Person, MD

Fellow (PGY8), Pediatric Gastroenterology
Mount Sinai Hospital

Service to Peers: "While many of us wanted to do something to address racism, the path forward was not clear. Committees to end racism formed and cultural discussion groups were launched, yet many of us questioned how to connect our anti-racist values with meaningful action to end racism at Mount Sinai. Without being asked, with no promise of any reward, and on top of his other duties as a fellow, Hannibal stepped forward and developed a comprehensive anti-racism educational program for our division using his background in psychiatry. His program employs techniques from skill-based psychotherapies partnered with individual anti-racism goals to allow us to make our ideals actionable. He has now enacted the program with both the Divisions of Pediatric Hepatology and Pediatric Gastroenterology, and we have all benefited from this unique opportunity to develop our anti-racism skill set and apply these skills to our interactions with colleagues and patients. I, personally, have enjoyed the opportunity to practice new anti-racist techniques in my work, and I feel more confident in the care I am delivering having completed this program."

Resident and Fellow Peer Nominees for November

Amna Aijaz, MBBS MSBI Internal Medicine	Rocco Ferrandino, MD, MSCR MSH Otolaryngology	Renita Kim, MD, MPH MSH Min Invasive Gyn Surg	Jhanna Moore, MD MSMW Diagnostic Radiology	Guilherme Sacchi De Camargo Correia, MD MSMW Internal Medicine
Katherine Allyn, MD MSH Internal Medicine	Anne Frisse, MD MSH Complex Family Planning	Susan Kim, MD MSMW Psychiatry	Lauren Nagy, MD MSH Psychiatry	Shravan Savant, MD NYEIMS Ophthalmology
Sarah Alsamarai, MD MSH Infectious Disease	Justin Gasper, MD MSBI Internal Medicine	Rebecca Kosciak, MD, MS MSMW Anesthesiology	Roberto Ochoa Jimenez, MBBS MSMW Internal Medicine	Amy Schlaugh, DO MSH Family Medicine
Tauhid Awan, MBBS MSMW Pathology	Carolina Gonzalez-Lopez, MD MSBI Internal Medicine	Caitlyn Kuwata, MD MSH Geriatric Medicine	Makoto Ogawa, MBBS, MS MSMW Diagnostic Radiology	Ohaib Shoaib, MD MSH Interventional Radiology-Int
Nikhil Bachoo, MBBS MSMW Internal Medicine	Trevor Hardigan, MD, PHD MSH Neurological Surgery	Christopher LaChapelle, MD MSH Surgery	Derek Pan, DO MSBI Internal Medicine	Aryeh Stock, MD MSH Pathology
Sheena Bhalla, MD MSH Hematology-Oncology	Jasmin Harounian, MD MSH Physical Medicine and Rehab	Andrew Lee, MD MSH Diagnostic Radiology	Bijal Parkih, MD MSMW Obstetrics/Gynecology	Katheryn Whitelaw, MD MSH Orthopaedic Surgery
Katrina Brakoniecki, MD MSH Anesthesiology	Isaak Heon, DO MSMW Pathology	Volha Lenskaya, MD MSH Pathology	Sarah Park, MD MSH Internal Medicine	Lesley Wu, MD MSBI Internal Medicine
David Cisewski, MD, MS MSH Emergency Medicine	Gurpreet Johal, MD MSH Interventional Cardiology	Yuan Liu, MD MSH Psychiatry	Kevin Rabii, DO MSMW Cardiovascular Disease	Sara Zalcgandler, MD MSMW Internal Medicine
Jeffrey Epstein, MD MSH Emergency Medicine	David Kestenbaum, MD MSH Interventional Radiology-Int	Yuying Luo, MD MSH Gastroenterology	Myladis Reyes, MD MSBI Internal Medicine	
Douglas Farrell, MD MSH Internal Medicine	Melanie Kier, MD, MBA MSH Hematology-Oncology	Kavya Minama Reddy, MD MSH Family Medicine	Frances Rusnack, DO MSMW Emergency Medicine	