COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

SOUTHWESTERN MEDICAL SCHOOL

OF

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SOUTHWESTERN MEDICAL CENTER

THURSDAY, MAY 12
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DALLAS, TEXAS
ORDER OF EXERCISES

Presiding...........................................................................................................Daniel K. Podolsky, M.D.

President, The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Deans for Student Affairs
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David E. Greenberg, M.D. Mary Jane Pearson, M.D.

The audience is requested to stand as the procession enters and to remain standing for the National Anthem.

Opening Remarks .................................................................Daniel K. Podolsky, M.D.

Commencement Address ..................................................The Honorable Eddie Bernice Johnson, M.P.A.

U.S. Representative of the 30th District of Texas

Presentation of Ho Din Award...........................................James B. Cutrell, M.D.

Associate Professor, Internal Medicine
Division of Infectious Diseases and Geographic Medicine
The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES

Doctor of Medicine.................................................................W. P. Andrew Lee, M.D.

Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost
Dean, UT Southwestern Medical School

Conferring of Degrees.............................................................Daniel K. Podolsky, M.D.

The audience is requested to delay applause until all candidates have received diplomas.

Administration of Physician’s Oath......................................Samuel J. Chantilis, M.D.

President, Dallas County Medical Society

RECESSIONAL

The audience is requested to stand during the recessional and to remain in place until all graduates have exited.
CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF MEDICINE
RESIDENCY APPOINTMENTS 2022

Laila Fatima Abbas, Plano, Texas
HCA Houston Healthcare Medical Center    Transitional Year
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Dermatology

Andrew James Aboujaoude, Ocean Township, New Jersey
New York-Presbyterian Columbia University Medical Center    Anesthesiology

Emmanuel Adetomiwa Adeyemo, Lagos, Nigeria
Detroit Medical Center    Orthopaedic Surgery

Nikita Agarwal, Dallas, Texas
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center    Internal Medicine

Kanwal Jasmien Ahmed, Dallas, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Psychiatry

Murtaza Ahmed, Plano, Texas
Cedars-Sinai Medical Center    Internal Medicine

Gabriela Saidat Alejo, Colorado Springs, Colorado
University of Miami Jackson Health System    Neurology

Ashika Kasturi Angirekula, Odessa, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Ophthalmology

Dhiraj Nitin Ankolekar, Conroe, Texas
McGaw Medical Center of Northwestern University    Internal Medicine

Patrick Nadim Arraj, Dallas, Texas
Emory University School of Medicine    Transitional Year
Emory University School of Medicine    Radiology

Louise Aseye Atadja, Acton, Massachusetts
Graduating with Distinction in Global Health
Yale-New Haven Hospital    Orthopaedic Surgery

Neethu Ann Augustine, Allen, Texas
Virginia Commonwealth University    Pediatrics

Olatunde Badejo, Rowlett, Texas
Hospital for Special Surgery    Orthopaedic Surgery

Rohit Reddy Badia, Dallas, Texas
Graduating with Distinction in Research
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Urology
Coleman Richard Beddingfield, Waxahachie, Texas  
John Peter Smith Hospital    Family Medicine

Cylaina Emmanuelle Bird, Bedford, Texas  
University of Michigan Hospital    Neurological Surgery

Miles Henry Black, New Providence, New Jersey  
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania    Pathology

Evan Daniel Bogdan, Sugar Land, Texas  
Charles R. Drew University    Psychiatry

Seth Reid Bohman, Las Vegas, Nevada  
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Emergency Medicine

Natalie Ann Bonner, Eustace, Texas  
John Peter Smith Hospital    Family Medicine

Caroline Murchison Borie, Knoxville, Tennessee  
University of Miami Jackson Health System    Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
University of Miami Jackson Health System    Ophthalmology

Stanley Kasimir Bradshaw, IV, Dallas, Texas  
Stanford Health Care    Anesthesiology

Samantha Rae Brocklehurst, Austin, Texas  
University of Oklahoma College of Medicine    Obstetrics and Gynecology

Kevin Mark Burningham, Eagle, Idaho  
Kirk Kerkorian School of Medicine at UNLV    Internal Medicine-Preliminary

Nicholas Alfonso Campalans, Caracas, Venezuela  
University of California San Francisco Medical Center    Internal Medicine

Brian Rezel Carr, Mequon, Wisconsin  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Alana Leigh Carrasco, Amarillo, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Surgery

Anjali Ann Chacko, Plano, Texas  
Yale-New Haven Hospital    Anesthesiology

Hellen Yun Chiou, Carlsbad, New Mexico  
Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School    Surgery

Sung Kyung Cho, Houston, Texas  
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania    Internal Medicine-Dermatology
Matthew Brandon Cline, College Station, Texas
Zucker School of Medicine   Internal Medicine-Emergency Medicine

Grayden Samuel Cook, San Antonio, Texas
Brigham & Women's Hospital   Urology

Dominique Danielle Cooper, Houston, Texas
Children's Hospital of Philadelphia   Child Neurology

Julie Louise Cooper, Flower Mound, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center   Internal Medicine

Austin Hardcastle Cottam, North Salt Lake, Utah
Ohio State University Medical Center   Emergency Medicine

Lauren Nicole Day, Houston, Texas
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety
University of Maryland Medical Center   Emergency Medicine

Alejandro De La Torre, Brownsville, Texas
Duke University Medical Center   Internal Medicine

Rafael Debas De Souza, Curitiba, Brazil
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center   Anesthesiology

Palvasha Reddy Deme, Midland, Texas
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center   Plastic Surgery

Brianne Marie Dentel, Wichita, Kansas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center   Child Neurology

Kaley Ann Desher, Milton, Georgia
Emory University School of Medicine   Pediatrics

Meera Devarajan, Houston, Texas
Phoenix Children’s Hospital   Pediatrics

University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center   Neurological Surgery

Kwame Sefah Duah, Kumasi, Ghana
University of Tennessee Health Science Center   Pediatrics

Steven Gary Duncan, Highland, Utah
Graduating with Distinction in Global Health
Christiana Care   Internal Medicine-Pediatrics
Cecilia June Dusek, Dallas, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Pathology

Manasa Dutta, Austin, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Nathan Chandler Egge, Essaquah, Washington
Baylor Scott & White Medical Center  Internal Medicine-Preliminary
Oregon Health & Science University  Dermatology

Tuyet Elan, Houston, Texas
University of Texas at Austin Dell Medical School  Psychiatry

Ethan Matthew Fan, Dallas, Texas
Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas  Internal Medicine

Lilly Beverly Fang, Katy, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Farzam Farahani, Houston, Texas
University of Alabama Medical Center  Orthopaedic Surgery

Rodolfo Manuel Fernandez-Criado, Miami, Florida
Brown University  Obstetrics and Gynecology

Eliza Jane Ferrari, Macon, Georgia
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Surgery-Preliminary

Hector Filizola, Brownsville, Texas
University of California Los Angeles Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Kathryn Elise Gallaway, Huntsville, Alabama
Deferring Residency to Pursue a Master’s of Public Health

Yue Gao, Plano, Texas
Drexel University College of Medicine  Family Medicine

Isabel Cristina Garcia, San Juan, Puerto Rico
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Surgery

Daniel Garza, Harker Heights, Texas
Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas  Internal Medicine-Preliminary
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Radiology

Christopher David Gluckman, Austin, Texas
University of Texas at Austin Dell Medical School  Family Medicine

Roberto Gonzalez, Laredo, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine  Orthopaedic Surgery
Kyle Nicholas Goodman, Cary, North Carolina
Barnes Jewish Hospital  Pathology

Rachel Barnes Green, Dallas, Texas
Vanderbilt University Medical Center  Neurology

Sarah Lairmore Greenfield, Belton, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Pediatrics

Jane Gu, Dallas, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Family Medicine

Henry Monroe Guajardo, Houston, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine  Psychiatry

Paul Arthur Gudmundsson, Dallas, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Orthopaedic Surgery

Fady Faris Guirguis, Kingman, Arizona
Ohio State University Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Joseph Andrew Gulko, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Anurag Gupta, Katy, Texas
Brookwood Baptist Health  Transitional Year
Yale-New Haven Hospital  Radiology

Vishal Gupta, Austin, Texas
NYU Grossman School of Medicine  Internal Medicine-Preliminary
NYU Grossman School of Medicine  Anesthesiology

Deena Akram Habazi, Roanoke, Virginia
Baylor College of Medicine  Psychiatry

Arash Hamvatan, Tehran, Iran
Loma Linda University  Neurology

Anthony Dong Han, Arlington, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Emergency Medicine

Avneet Hans, Keller, Texas
Graduating with Distinction in Research
University of Alabama Medical Center  Neurology

Esha Hansoti, Flower Mound, Texas
Zucker School of Medicine  Psychiatry
Edward Joseph Hauptmann, II, Prairie Village, Kansas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Surgery

Jianing Jenny He, Plano, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Silas Paul Henderson, Atlanta, Texas  
Baylor College of Medicine  Surgery-Preliminary

Khiem Hoai Nguyen Hoang, Thuy Bieu, Hue, Vietnam  
Emory University School of Medicine  Emergency Medicine

Cameron Alden Holmes, Houston, Texas  
Tulane University School of Medicine  Surgery

Sharon Grace Huang, Houston, Texas  
University of Rochester Strong Memorial Hospital  Orthopaedic Surgery

Maria Ilyas, Jacksonville, Florida  
University of Florida Health Shands Hospital  Internal Medicine

Aaron Robert Ireland, Southlake, Texas  
University of Nevada  Internal Medicine

Benjamin Richard Jacob, Provo, Utah  
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety  
Ohio State University Medical Center  Internal Medicine-Pediatrics

Farzan Haider Jafri, Rockford, Illinois  
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety  
Baylor University Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Keri Ann Janowiak, Houston, Texas  
Methodist Hospital Houston  Pathology

Reena Paresh Jasani, Sugar Land, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Surgery-Preliminary  
New York University Grossman School of Medicine  Anesthesiology

Won Jae Jeong, Seoul, South Korea  
Baylor College of Medicine  Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
Baylor College of Medicine  Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

Merin Kunjamma John, League City, Texas  
In His Image Family Medicine  Family Medicine

Adrienne Kamille Joseph, Houston, Texas  
HCA Houston Healthcare Medical Center  Transitional Year  
University of Texas Health Science Center-Houston  Dermatology
Pradyotha Kanchustambham, Euless, Texas  
HCA Las Palmas del Sol Healthcare    Transitional Year  
Rochester General Hospital    Radiology

Ami Kapadia, New City, New York  
George Washington University    Orthopaedic Surgery

Anishka Kappalayil, Frisco, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Internal Medicine

Mehraban Kavoussi, Austin, Texas  
University of Texas Medical Branch-Galveston    Urology

Agnes Kim, Federal Way, Washington  
Valley Medical Center    Family Medicine

Jenny Kyeongmin Kim, San Antonio, Texas  
Indiana University School of Medicine    Internal Medicine-Pediatrics

Tae H. Kim, Maple Glen, Pennsylvania  
Barnes Jewish Hospital    Neurology

Nicholas Charles Kolar, Fort Wayne, Indiana  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Elysha Megan Kolitz, Plano, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Research  
Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas    Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Dermatology

Steve Komorian, Damascus, Syria  
University of North Carolina    Surgery

Madyson Lee Kuo, Sugar Land, Texas  
Methodist Health System Dallas    Obstetrics and Gynecology

Adelaide Jiwon Kwon, Houston, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Medical Education  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Pathology

Gina Maria Milano Lafferty, McAllen, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Pediatrics

Kylan Kade Larsen, Bentonville, Arkansas  
University of New Mexico School of Medicine    Orthopaedic Surgery

Taylor Dean Leavitt, Melba, Idaho  
Baylor College of Medicine    Otolaryngology
Christopher Lee, San Antonio, Texas
John Peter Smith Hospital    Transitional Year
Santa Clara Valley Medical Center    Radiology

Yoon a Lee, Plano, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Neurology

Dlo rean Rae Lemon-Riggs, Houston, Texas
Massachusetts General Hospital    Anesthesiology

Priscilla Helen Liem, Dallas, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine    Internal Medicine-Pediatrics

Isaac David Lill, Austin, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine    Internal Medicine

Emily Elizabeth Limmer, San Antonio, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Internal Medicine-Preliminary

Elisa Lin, Denton, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Pathology

Charles Ruohua Liu, Katy, Texas
Barnes Jewish Hospital    Surgery

Samantha Nicole Lopez, Rockwall, Texas
Baylor University Medical Center    Internal Medicine-Preliminary
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Dermatology

Patrick Thomas Lynch, College Station, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine    Internal Medicine

Rosalind Wu Ma, Plano, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Emergency Medicine

Arti Machchhar, Frisco, Texas
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety
University of Cincinnati Medical Center    Surgery

Abdulah Amer Mahayni, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Alternative Career Path

Rachel Manuel, Carrollton, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Family Medicine

Orlando Martinez Luna, Hutto, Texas
University of Texas at Austin Dell Medical School    Transitional Year
University of Michigan Hospital    Dermatology
Danielle Marie Mathisen, Fort Worth, Texas  
University of Hawaii  Obstetrics and Gynecology-Preliminary

William Elliott McAlpine, Hickory, North Carolina  
Duke University Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Paige Leigh McKenzie, Keller, Texas  
Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas  Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  Dermatology

Noah Aron Mehr, Dallas, Texas  
University of Chicago Medical Center  Pathology

Griffin Samuel Milan, Dallas, Texas  
California Pacific Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Jennifer Saebyoul Min, Austin, Texas  
New York-Presbyterian Weill Cornell Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Ahneesh Jayant Mohanty, Plano, Texas  
University of Michigan Hospital  Plastic Surgery

Alisa Kareem Momin, Houston, Texas  
Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas  Internal Medicine

Benjamin Montañez, Grand Prairie, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Orthopaedic Surgery

Austin Bradley Moore, Austin, Texas  
Boston Children’s Hospital  Pediatrics

Mohammad Imran Murtuza, Coppell, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

Aamer Ali Naofal, Houston, Texas  
Baylor College of Medicine  Internal Medicine

Aman Narayan, Houston, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Micah Joel Newton, Kijabe, Kenya  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Anh Quynh Ngo, Arlington, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Obstetrics and Gynecology

Stephanie Alysse Ngo, Friendswood, Texas  
St. Elizabeth’s Medical Center  Psychiatry
Linh Vivian Ngoc Nguyen, Plano, Texas  
University of Texas Health Science Center-San Antonio  Family Medicine

Eric Nuñez-Lafontaine, Montreal, Québec, Canada  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Mark Nicholas Pernik, Kingwood, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Research  
University of Tennessee Health Science Center  Neurological Surgery

Ashley Laura Phillips, Kingwood, Texas  
Johns Hopkins Hospital  Internal Medicine

Juliana L Pineider, Grapevine, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Internal Medicine-Preliminary

Arifa Plumber, Edison, New Jersey  
Graduating with Distinction in Global Health  
Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas  Internal Medicine

Heather Elizabeth Postma, Dallas, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Research  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Roma Vivek Pradhan, Houston, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Ophthalmology

Courtney Ann Prestwood, Shreveport, Louisiana  
University of Texas Medical Branch-Galveston  Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
Emory University School of Medicine  Dermatology

Cayenne L. Price, McKinney, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Sarah Alexandria Prickett, Kansas City, Missouri  
University of Alabama Medical Center  Pediatrics

Stefan Lucian Prisacaru, Austin, Texas  
Alternative Career Path

Shafeen Saif Qazi, Houston, Texas  
University of California Irvine Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Jenny Nadia Raman, Lake Mary, Florida  
University of Florida Health Shands Hospital  Pediatrics

Melissa Elaine Reynoso, Denton, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Pediatrics
Maxwell Scott Ritzer, Fort Worth, Texas
John Peter Smith Hospital    Psychiatry

Kyle Robbins, Plano, Texas
University of Florida Health Shands Hospital    Internal Medicine-Preliminary
Barnes Jewish Hospital    Radiology

Clifford Rodgers, Dallas, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Emergency Medicine

Alejandro Rodriguez, San Antonio, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

Joel Alberto Rodriguez, Brownsville, Texas
Deferring Residency to Pursue Research

Mathews Francis Roy, Coppell, Texas
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety
University of Texas Medical Branch-Galveston    Internal Medicine

Sanchit Sachdeva, Plano, Texas
Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center-New Orleans    Surgery

Jordan Roshelle Salley, Houston, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Otolaryngology

Collin James Sanderson, Raleigh, North Carolina
Mayo Clinic School of Graduate Medical Education-Arizona    Neurology

Rodrigo Sarmento, Sao Paulo, Brazil
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Kelly Nicole Schostag, Penryn, California
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Obstetrics and Gynecology

Beatrice Secheli, Garland, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center    Obstetrics and Gynecology

Hasan Seede, Santa Clarita, California
HCA Houston Healthcare Medical Center    Transitional Year
Harbor-UCLA Medical Center    Radiology

Ambica Sethi, Houston, Texas
University of Texas at Austin Dell Medical School    Internal Medicine

Neal Sharma, Dallas, Texas
Cook County Health and Hospitals System    Internal Medicine
Isherpreet Singh Shergill, Amritsar, Punjab, India
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Ian Harrison Shields, Daphne, Alabama
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania  Anesthesiology

Mohammad Salman Siddiqi, Dallas, Texas
University of Miami Jackson Health System  Anesthesiology

Prachi Suraj Singh, San Antonio, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Pediatrics

Gabriele Rivas Slaughter, Richardson, Texas
New York-Presbyterian Columbia University Medical Center  Pediatrics

Leah Carter Smith, Fort Worth, Texas
John Peter Smith Hospital  Family Medicine

Madeline Elizabeth Sparks, Baton Rouge, Louisiana
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Pediatrics

Nishith Reddy Sripathi, Austin, Texas
University of New Mexico School of Medicine  Internal Medicine

Chandra L. Subedi, Jhapa, Damak, Nepal
University of Texas Health Science Center-San Antonio  Internal Medicine

Sanaa Tejani, Plano, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Dharani Rohit Thota, Dallas, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine  Surgery-Preliminary

Tabitha Chung-Yan Ting, Aurora, Colorado
Stanford Health Care  Internal Medicine

Joyce Shinhui Tong, Austin, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine  Pediatrics

James Toan Ngoc Tran, Port Arthur, Texas
Baylor College of Medicine  Internal Medicine

Nguyen Thao Tran, Dong Nai, Vietnam
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

Sophia Frances Tran, Houston, Texas
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Obstetrics and Gynecology

Hersh Trivedi, Southlake, Texas
University of North Carolina  Urology
Nita Tunga, San Antonio, Texas  
Loyola University Medical Center  Anesthesiology

Karlyn Rose Tunnell, Las Cruces, New Mexico  
Emory University School of Medicine  Internal Medicine

Brittany Claire Turner, Amarillo, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Psychiatry

Aaron Nathaniel Tverye, Plano, Texas  
University of Kansas School of Medicine  Urology

Andres Caleb Urias Rivera, Arlington, Texas  
Baylor College of Medicine  Internal Medicine

Matthew Jonathan Vachon, Houston, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Research  
Virginia Commonwealth University  Anesthesiology

Erin Michelle Vigil, Amarillo, Texas  
University of Texas Medical Branch-Galveston  Anesthesiology

Chuhan Carey Wang, Houston, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety  
Baylor College of Medicine  Pediatrics

Cameron Dakota Ward, Plano, Texas  
University of Washington  Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
University of Washington  Ophthalmology

Isabel Rose Wees, Fort Worth, Texas  
Graduating with Distinction in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Internal Medicine

Matthew Burns White, Salt Lake City, Utah  
Medical College of Wisconsin  Psychiatry

Kristyn Blaire Williams, Grand Prairie, Texas  
New York University Grossman School of Medicine  Urology

Caitlin Teresa Winebrenner, Houston, Texas  
University of Texas Health Science Center-Houston  Pediatrics

Brandon Kyle Winward, Salt Lake City, Utah  
Maine Eye Center  Ophthalmology Pre-Residency Fellowship

Avery Rose Wolfe-Phipps, Austin, Texas  
University of Oklahoma College of Medicine  Urology
William David Wood, IV, Dallas, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Pediatrics

Jeffrey Thomas Wooliscroft, Abilene, Texas  
Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center  Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center  Ophthalmology

Tianyi Wu, Hangzhou, China  
University of Pittsburgh Medical Center  Pediatrics

Justin Yan, Plano, Texas  
HCA Houston Healthcare Medical Center  Transitional Year  
Baylor College of Medicine  Radiology

Christine Lu Yuan, Plano, Texas  
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center-El Paso  Psychiatry

Julia Zaytsev, Los Angeles, California  
Alternative Career Path

Angela Weishu Zhang, Plano, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Orthopaedic Surgery

Helena Zhang, Dallas, Texas  
Baylor College of Medicine  Internal Medicine

Connie Dongwen Zhao, Cedar Park, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Obstetrics and Gynecology

Haoling Zhu, Plano, Texas  
Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas  Internal Medicine-Preliminary  
New York University Grossman School of Medicine  Radiology

Fatima Zehra Zuberi, Southlake, Texas  
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  Child Neurology
CANDIDATES FOR DUAL DEGREES

Medical Scientist Training Program

*The Medical Scientist Training Program is a program leading to both the Doctor of Medicine and Doctor of Philosophy degrees. The University is pleased to note this significant achievement.*

- Miles Henry Black
- Brianne Marie Dentel
- Nathan Chandler Egge
- Kyle Nicholas Goodman
- Tae H. Kim
- William Elliott McAlpine
- Austin Bradley Moore
- Tabitha Chung-Yan Ting
- Tianyi Wu

Doctor of Medicine/Master of Public Health

*The Doctor of Medicine/Master of Public Health dual degree is a collaborative program between UT Southwestern Medical School and UT Health School of Public Health.*

- Cylaina Emmanuelle Bird
- Alejandro De La Torre
- Ethan Matthew Fan
- Rodolfo Manuel Fernandez-Criado
- Yue Gao
- Daniel Garza
- Khiem Hoai Nguyen Hoang
- Reena Paresh Jasani
- Priscilla Helen Liem
- Jennifer Saebyoul Min
- Linh Vivian Ngoc Nguyen
- Alejandro Rodriguez
- Beatrice Secheli
- Prachi Suraj Singh
- Karlyn Rose Tunnell
- Matthew Burns White
- Caitlin Teresa Winebrenner
THE PHYSICIAN’S OATH

I pledge the following as an expression of the spirit in which I will strive to practice medicine:

To promote health and to relieve suffering in both the living and the dying.

To approach all my patients with integrity, candor, empathy, and respect.

To honor the confidences entrusted to me.

To be a student and a teacher always and to remain conscious of my limitations.

To place the welfare of the patients above personal gain and to protect patients from improper care.

To respond always in an emergency.

To improve health care for the underserved and to work to change those conditions in society that threaten the health of the community.

To withdraw from active practice when I am no longer capable of fulfilling these pledges.

To keep the promise of Hippocrates: “Above all, do no harm.”

I make these pledges solemnly, freely, and upon my honor.
THE HO DIN AWARD

On May 5, 1943, the trustees of the Southwestern Medical Foundation authorized the establishment of an award to symbolize the fundamental concept on which the medical college was based. The award is the Ho Din, which signifies human understanding and medical wisdom and constitutes the highest honor that the Foundation can bestow.

Cayenne L. Price

Cayenne Price graduated summa cum laude from Southern Methodist University in 2017 with a Bachelor of Science in Applied Physiology & Health Management, achieving a GPA of 3.98. After matriculation to UT Southwestern, Cayenne has continued this pattern of academic excellence. She has an outstanding academic record with a GPA of 3.93 and selection into the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society (AOA) as a senior medical student. In addition to her academic excellence, she has fully exhibited the personal attributes embodied in great physicians in multiple domains, including scholarship, service, and leadership.

Cayenne distinguished herself early in clinical rotations and was independently described by evaluators in varied specialties as performing far beyond her stage of training. She earned superlative praise in nearly every regard from her broad medical knowledge to advanced analytical and care coordination skills. She is a natural at the bedside and approaches patients with poise, openly listening to their concerns and cultivating trust. Through these strong connections with her patients, she crafts sophisticated plans that incorporate both the latest evidence as well as her patients’ preferences, values, and needs. She was nominated by her peers for and accepted into the Gold Humanism Honor Society (GHHS).

Cayenne has participated in several scholarly pursuits while a medical student, including a quality improvement project in Interventional Radiology improving efficiency and turnaround time in the angiography suite. She is an aspiring anesthesiologist and has been awarded the Pepper Jenkins Outstanding Student Award in Anesthesiology and Pain Management.

A true servant to others, Cayenne has maintained a steady presence in the community outside of UT Southwestern despite her academic demands from volunteering to assist local health fairs to being the lead speaker during a COVID-19 Vaccine Information Session focused on engaging African American communities regarding the safety and importance of vaccination. Lastly, and perhaps most impressively, she independently produced a systemic racism informational film on what we as individuals can do to initiate social change. The film has reached over 7,000 views.

She has also been an important contributor to the UT Southwestern community as a tutor for peers, a panelist on innumerable admissions weekends throughout medical school, and as a mentor within UT Southwestern’s Health Professions Recruitment and Exposure Program supporting and inspiring high school students from economically disadvantaged regions of Dallas to pursue careers in healthcare and biosciences.

Cayenne has fulfilled leadership roles in numerous student organizations as well. Most notably, she has served as UT Southwestern AOA Gamma Chapter Diversity Committee Chair and GHHS Student Affairs Committee Chair.

The Ho Din Award, unique to UT Southwestern, honors a senior medical student who exemplifies “the unique personal qualities embodied in all great physicians – knowledge, understanding, and, most of all, compassion.” Cayenne fully embodies each of these qualities, which will surely inspire trust and gratitude from future patients and colleagues alike, a standard to which we should all aspire as physicians.
HONORS AND RECOGNITION RECEIVED BY
MEDICAL SCHOOL GRADUATES

Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society

Laila Fatima Abbas*  
Andrew James Aboujaoude*  
Dhiraj Nitin Ankolekar  
Patrick Nadim Arraj*  
Rohit Reddy Badia  
Caroline Murchison Borie*  
Stanley Kasimir Bradshaw, IV  
Grayden Samuel Cook  
Palvasha Reddy Deme  
Manasa Dutta  
Farzam Farahani*  
Eliza Jane Ferrari  
Kathryn Elise Gallaway*  
Roberto Gonzalez  
Kyle Nicholas Goodman  
Rachel Barnes Green  
Sarah Lairmore Greenfield  
Silas Paul Henderson*  
Mehraban Kavoussi*  

Elysha Megan Kolitz*  
Madyson Lee Kuo  
Emily Elizabeth Limmer*  
Charles Ruohua Liu  
Samantha Nicole Lopez*  
Patrick Thomas Lynch  
William Elliott McAlpine*  
Paige Leigh McKenzie  
Ahneesh Jayant Mohanty*  
Austin Bradley Moore*  
Juliana L Pineider  
Heather Elizabeth Postma  
Roma Vivek Pradhan  
Courtney Ann Prestwood*  
Cayenne L. Price  
Madeline Elizabeth Sparks  
Sanaa Tejani  
Dharani Rohit Thota  
Brandon Kyle Winward

*denotes junior AOA

Gold Humanism Honor Society

Nikita Agarwal  
Patrick Nadim Arraj  
Rohit Reddy Badia  
Natalie Ann Bonner  
Nicholas Alfonso Campalans  
Alana Leigh Carrasco  
Grayden Samuel Cook  
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Stephanie Alyssse Ngo  
Cayenne L. Price  
Sarah Alexandria Prickett  
Jenny Nadia Raman  
Alejandro Rodriguez  
Hasan Seede  
Gabrielle Rivas Slaughter  
Leah Carter Smith  
Madeline Elizabeth Sparks  
Hersh Trivedi  
Cameron Dakota Ward
UT Southwestern Medical Center Departmental Awards

American Academy of Neurology Medical Student Prize for Excellence in Neurology
Rachel Barnes Green

Annelle M. Ahmed, M.D., Women's Health Care Award
Beatrice Secheli

Award for Excellence in Dermatology
Laila Fatima Abbas
Adrienne Kamille Joseph

Award for Excellence in Neurology
Dominique Danielle Cooper

Class of 2022 Leadership Award
Rodolfo Manuel Fernandez-Criado

Eliot Goldings Award
James Toan Ngoc Tran

Excellence in Plastic Surgery Award
Ahneesh Jayant Mohanty

Hemphill-Gojer Award in Internal Medicine
Hector Filizola
Ashley Laura Phillips

Iatros Award
This award recognizes an outstanding medical student selected by the graduating class.
Sarah Alexandria Prickett

Pepper Jenkins Outstanding Medical Student Award in Anesthesiology and Pain Management
Cayenne L. Price

Karen Kowalske Outstanding PM&R Undergraduate Award
Won Jae Jeong

Minnie Lancaster, M.D. Scholarship Award in Family Medicine
Merin Kunjamma John

John D. McConnell Award for Excellence in Urology
Rohit Reddy Badia

North Texas Society of Psychiatric Physicians Award for Outstanding Medical Student in Psychiatry
Esha Hansoti

Pediatric Society of Greater Dallas Award for Excellence in Pediatric Medicine
Madeline Elizabeth Sparks
Roland C. Reynolds Pathology Award
Samantha Nicole Lopez

William F. Ross, M.D. Scholarship Award in Family Medicine
Yue Gao

Herbert S. Salomon, M.D. Class of 1967 Memorial Scholarship Award
Nikita Agarwal

Dr. Richard Mays Smith Award in Internal Medicine
Nicholas Alfonso Campalans
Patrick Thomas Lynch
Heather Elizabeth Postma
Sanaa Tejani
Isabel Rose Wees

Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Award
Lauren Nicole Day

Southwestern Gynecologic Assembly Award
Madyson Lee Kuo

Vernie A. Stembridge Scholarship Award in Pathology
Kyle Nicholas Goodman

Lorraine Sulkin-Schein Medical Student Award in Geriatric Medicine
Aman Narayan

Texas Academy of Family Physicians Dallas Chapter Outstanding Graduate Award
Leah Carter Smith

Texas College of Emergency Physicians Award
Anthony Dong Han

Vanatta, Hesser, Schmalstieg Excellence in Tutoring Award
Kathryn Elise Gallaway

Kurt Ian Wey, M.D. Pediatrics Award
Sarah Lairmore Greenfield
Southwestern Medical Foundation Scholarship Recipients

Stuart and Jan Hart Black Scholar
Courtney Ann Prestwood

Dr. E.H. Cary Scholars
Rodolfo Manuel Fernandez-Criado Silas Paul Henderson
Yue Gao Chuhan Carey Wang

Martha C. and Robert R. Click Scholars
Farzam Farahani
Courtney Ann Prestwood

Frances B. Conroy Scholars
Kylan Kade Larsen
Taylor Dean Leavitt
Abdulah Amer Mahayni

Dorothy R. Cullum Scholars
Kevin Mark Burningham Jianing Jenny He
Hellen Yun Chiou Madeline Elizabeth Sparks

Leland Fikes Scholars
Evan Daniel Bogdan
Natalie Ann Bonner
Adrienne Kamille Joseph

Fred F. Florence Scholars
Madeline Elizabeth Sparks Chuhan Carey Wang
Karlyn Rose Tunnell William David Wood, IV
Aaron Nathaniel Tverye Jeffrey Thomas Wooliscroft
Andres Caleb Urias Rivera

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Austin Hardcastle Cottam Shafeen Saif Qazi
Kaley Ann Desher Alejandro Rodriguez
Steven Gary Duncan Mathews Francis Roy
Eliza Jane Ferrari Beatrice Secheli
Daniel Garza Hasan Seede
Anurag Gupta Mohammad Salman Siddiqi

David Crockett Harper, M.D. Scholars
Maria Ilyas
Benjamin Richard Jacob

Charlyne and Bill Henslee Scholars
Matthew Burns White
Brandon Kyle Winward
A.G. Hilley Scholars
Olatunde Badejo
Sung Kyung Cho
Charles Ruohua Liu
Samantha Nicole Lopez
Patrick Thomas Lynch
Rosalind Wu Ma

Griffin Samuel Milan
Jennifer Saebyoul Min
Alisa Kareem Momin
Aamer Ali Naofal
Linh Vivian Ngoc Nguyen

Helen Maurine Jacobs Scholars
Laila Fatima Abbas
Patrick Nadim Arraj
Caroline Murchison Borie
Farzam Farahani
Kathryn Elise Gallaway
Silas Paul Henderson
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Courtney Ann Prestwood
Kristyn Williams
Julia Zaytsev

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Steven Leach, M.D. Scholar
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Elysha Megan Kolitz
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Arifa Plumner
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Kelly Nicole Schostag
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Stanley Kasimir Bradshaw, IV  
Kwame Sefah Duah  
Tuyet Elan  
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**Yuen-Tsai Family Fellowship**

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Student Research Recognition

Alpha Omega Alpha Carolyn L. Kuckein Student Research Fellow
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Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia Research Fellow
Paige Leigh McKenzie

Howard Hughes Medical Institute Research Fellow
Austin Bradley Moore

Sarnoff Cardiovascular Research Fellow
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UT Southwestern Medical Student Research Forum Oral Presenters
Patrick Thomas Lynch
Austin Bradley Moore

Community Action Research Track

The Community Action Research Track (CART) program is an innovative response to the need for integrating community-based participatory research, population medicine, health promotion/disease prevention, and social determinants of health into the medical school curriculum. This experience provides students with the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed to effectively contribute to reducing and eliminating health disparities among the underserved. The CART program prepares future physicians to be aware of social, psychological, economic, and cultural determinants of health by participating in comprehensive service-learning experiences.

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ACADEMIC HERALDRY AND REGALIA

Although the people, the places, and the styles have changed, you are about to participate in a reenactment of a ceremony that has existed for nearly nine centuries: the recognition of academic achievement.

The tradition of recognizing academic accomplishment with ceremony, bright color, and distinctive dress is an exercise that has existed through the ages. Although the commencement ceremony and academic costume of most colleges and universities in the United States today is guided by a twentieth century standard, their roots are found in the development of the universities during the Middle Ages. The medieval universities of Western Europe, such as Paris, Bologna, Cambridge, and Oxford, have provided us with an institutional format -- the university structure; a measure of progress -- degrees; and a ceremony of achievement -- commencement.

The academic hood is derived from the cloak, which in medieval times was worn over the gown. Attached to the cloak at the back of the neck was a cowl hood, which hung down or could be pulled over the head for warmth. After time, this hood became a separate article, worn over the shoulders and hanging down the wearer's back. With the coming into fashion of caps and hats during the fifteenth century, the hoods soon became more ornamental than functional.

Whereas it is generally understood that in Europe gowns were necessary for warmth and hoods covered the academic clerics' tonsured heads, today the American tradition has evolved toward individual expression of the institution. Although the style of the hood is not unique to each institution, the combinations of colors and chevrons have been standardized in the United States for nearly 100 years. The satin colors of the hood lining represent the institution conferring the degree. The academic colors for all components of The University of Texas System are orange and white. The color of the academic hood’s velvet trim is distinctive of the degree earned, as is the tassel on the cap. Historical associations of color continue to signify the various faculties and generally carry the traditions established by their early English counterparts. The green of medicinal herbs immediately identifies a medical degree. Philosophy is signified by dark blue, the traditional color of truth and wisdom. The wealth of information earned through research in science is represented by golden yellow. The arts, letters, and humanity are represented by the purity of white.

Cords worn with academic regalia:
- Green and gold - Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society
- Maroon and gold - Gold Humanism Honor Society
- Red, white, and blue - U.S. Armed Forces, Active Duty and Veterans
- Solid color - Medical School Academic College

Light blue stoles:
- Southwestern Academy of Teachers

Medals:
- The University of Texas Academy of Health Science Educators
- UT System Regents’ Outstanding Teacher Award
Degrees will be officially conferred to candidates for graduation identified in this commencement booklet who have met all requirements on the recommendation of the faculty of UT Southwestern Medical School and by virtue of the authority vested in the faculty and dean by the Regents of The University of Texas.