

Medical Student Program at MultiCare Good Samaritan **2010-2011**



GOOD SAMARITAN 2010

As of July 1, 2010, MultiCare Good Samaritan Hospital has become an academic teaching facility. Because Good Samaritan Hospital is committed to serving our patients, the decision was made to invest in the training of physicians to meet the needs of our growing community. Good Samaritan was chosen by Pacific Northwest University to be a site for medical student training; as of July 2010, ten osteopathic medical students will be training in the hospital and throughout East Pierce County in both community and MultiCare clinics. Becoming an academic teaching facility brings Good Samaritan one step closer to realizing the vision of becoming a Regional Medical Center.



Dr. Al Fink

Regional Dean of the Southwest campus

Dr. Fink has been a member of Mt. Rainier Emergency Physicians, and MGS Medical Staff since 2004; he brings to this position a multitude of academic teaching experiences, including a current appointment as Clinical Instructor at Madigan Army Medical Center.



Jennifer Maya Lakose

Student Program Coordinator

Jennifer has worked with MHS since 2006 coordinating the Medical students and Visiting Residents. Development of the Graduate Medical Education Coordinator role has grown MultiCare's awareness and commitment to education of our future physicians.

For more information regarding the GME program please contact Jennifer at jennifer.maya@multicare.org or 253.403.1848.



Hanh Hoang

*Bachelors of Science in Biochemistry
University of Washington*

Hanh's family came over to the US in April 1991 through a program called Humanitarian Organization. This program was designed for veterans of the Vietnam War and their families to provide them with the opportunity to start a better life in the States, and escape the communist government in Vietnam.

Hanh worked, did research, and volunteered during college. During her year off before medical school, she worked part time, went back to Vietnam for the very first time, coached tennis, and continued volunteering. During the past two years in medical school, Hanh has been challenged physically, mentally, and spiritually. She is interested in specializing in Internal Medicine, sub-specializing in geriatrics.

"I love working and talking with the elderly population because I find them fascinating and enjoy hearing their stories. I'm ecstatic to start rotations and work with patients!"



Jason P. Hogaboam

*Summa cum laude Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry,
Masters in Biochemistry
Washington State University*

Jason graduated from Gig Harbor High School and enlisted in the U.S. Navy and traveled extensively. He attended Washington State University where he earned his degrees. His research focused on the toxicological effects of dioxins on the developing immune system leading to a first and second author paper published in the *Journal of Toxicology*, as well as a poster presentation at the Society of Toxicology meeting in San Diego in 2006.

Working with two other PNWU students, Jason helped re-start the free clinic at the Union Gospel Mission in Yakima to provide medical services for those without insurance. As the primary author on the AAMC Caring for Community grant, he assisted in helping PNWU obtain \$30,000 in funding for the free clinic starting in 2008.



Courtney Kennel

*Bachelor of Arts in psychobiology
Occidental College*

Courtney grew up in Lakewood, WA, and attended Bellarmine Preparatory School. After graduation from Occidental, she moved to Durham, NC, where she assisted Dr. Richard Keefe, PhD with his research regarding cognition in patients with schizophrenia at Duke University. In collaboration with Dr. Keefe, some of her research was published in Schizophrenia Research.

Courtney was actively involved in Student Government at Pacific Northwest University, holding the position of Executive Secretary. She was also the chairperson of the Public Relations and Special Events Committee and enjoyed organizing various events for students.

She realized her desire to pursue medicine in high school, so as an undergrad, she spent her summers volunteering in various hospital departments. In May 2006 she went on a medical mission trip to Iquitos, Peru with The Hope Alliance. Her ultimate goal is to practice primary care in Washington.



Erica Lilleness

*Bachelor of Science in Physiology
University Of Washington*

During Erica's undergraduate studies, she worked as a research assistant for the UW Psychiatry department. There she worked on several studies with a focus on suicide prevention, substance abuse, and clinical therapy for Borderline Personality Disorder. She gained experience in clinical settings, interviewing research participants and working with both paper and electronic medical records.

Erica currently resides with her husband and their two cats in Issaquah, WA. In her free time, Erica enjoys downhill skiing, hiking and traveling.



Ngoc Quoc Luu "Jade"

*Bachelor of Science in Microbiology
University of Washington*

Jade was born and raised in Seattle. Her parents fled Vietnam when the Communists took over, survived pirate raids and dangerous sea storms to come to the US and rebuild their lives. They worked hard to put their children through school. With their help, Jade was able to pursue her dreams and plans on helping people who need healthcare.

Jade says medicine is not easy, nor should it be, but what drives her every day are the amazing patients and physicians she's met, as well as her family history of overcoming hardships.

"I am so happy to be where I am today - on my way to achieving my dream of becoming a physician."



John Ngo

*Bachelor of Science in Biology
Seattle Pacific University*

John is the first chapter president for the Sports Medicine Club (SMC), and is also involved with the student leaders of the Christian Medical and Dental Association (CMDA). He was part of the development of a sports physiology activity for high school students and establishing learning opportunities for medical students at sporting events. He accepted an opportunity to become co-director for a medical clinic at the Union Gospel Mission in Yakima, where students re-established free medical care for the uninsured. John's involvement with these organizations and other activities portrays his heart's desire to serve those in need.

John married his wife, Grace, in 2007. They recently had their first child, in February, 2010, a healthy baby girl named Genesis.



Keith Petersen

*Bachelor of Science in biology and minor in chemistry
Pacific Lutheran University*

Keith was born and raised in Tacoma, WA. After graduating, Keith spent the next year and a half as a clinical research coordinator at Charles River in Tacoma, where he helped plan and execute phase one clinical trials. Keith is also a second lieutenant in the US Army Reserves. Keith's medical interests are not yet determined, but he is looking forward to experiencing as much as he can to formulate his career goals. His hobbies include spending time with his wife and friends, exercising, watching movies, traveling, experiencing great food and restaurants, and following sports - especially his Seattle Seahawks, who he sadly admits is far too important to him.



Aaron Rhyner

*BS in Molecular and Cellular Biology
University of Washington*

Aaron has lived all over the world, with Saudi Arabia and Australia two of the more interesting stops. He went to high school in Anchorage, Alaska. He chose PNWU because he wants to stay in the Pacific Northwest.

At PNWU, Aaron participated in the Sports Medicine, EM, Family Practice, and Global Health clubs. He served as secretary of the Osteopathic Medicine club for the first year and a half at PNWU. Outside of school, he worked in a free clinic with the Union Gospel Mission of Yakima.

"I look forward to the journey I will take on my rotations and look forward to the challenge."



Angela Sabra

*University of Washington
Bachelor of Science in Nursing*

While at PNWU, Angela has been an active member of the student body as an editor for the first year student newsletter 'The Beating Heart', and is a member of several medical associations.

Angela has participated in medical missions and her last trip involved working for a summer at the Langan Rural Clinic in Ethiopia under the guidance of an American Nurse Practitioner. Angela comes from a multicultural background and is proficient in the Portuguese, Arabic, and Spanish languages. In her spare time, she enjoys writing poetry, long walks outdoors, and time spent with family and pets.



Vlada Vasilyeva

*Bachelor of Science in Neurobiology
University of Washington*

Vlada was born in Riga, Latvia and moved to the United States with her family at the age of fourteen. While at the University of Washington, she conducted research at the Medical Genetics Laboratory and was a part of a research project that focused on development and differentiation of hemoglobin molecules.

At PNWU, Vlada was Treasurer of the Osteopathic Student Family Medicine Club. Some of her duties as an officer included organizing monthly events and student activities, as well as fostering interest in primary care among medical students.

Vlada is excited about beginning her clinical rotations at MultiCare Good Samaritan Hospital. She has many hobbies include playing piano and ballroom dancing, travelling and reading. She has many interests in medicine and is looking forward to her clinical experiences.

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