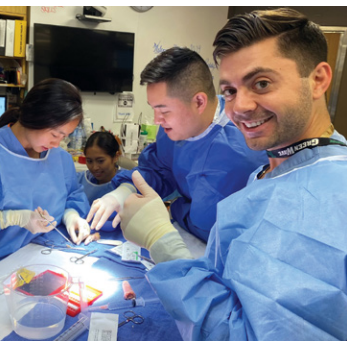




# Meet Our Residents

ACADEMIC YEAR  
**2024|2025**







#### FRONT COVER

**Row one:** Raylin Xu, MD, Michelle Zabat, MD, Brian Yang, MD, Mark Megerian, MD; Taylor Stauffer, MD, and Prerana Katiyar, MD; Raylin Xu, MD, Branden Sosa, MD, Kristin Halvorsen, MD, Jennifer Kunes, MD, Prerana Katiyar, MD, Michelle Zabat, MD, Rajiv Reddy, MD, MS, Mark Megerian, MD, Taylor Stauffer, MD

**Row two:** Braden Sosa, MD, Mark Megerian, MD, Jennifer Kunes, MD, Raylin Xu, MD, Michelle Zabat, MD

**Row three:** Yusef Jordan, MD, Brian Yang, MD, Tyler Uppstrom, MD, Kyle Kunze, MD, Karthik Nathan, MD, Francesca (Frannie) Coxe, MD, Scott LaValva, MD, Blake Meza, MD, Alexander White, MD, Heather Haeberle, MD, Gregory Kazarian, MD, Vincentius (Jeremy) Suhardi, MD, PhD, Julia Retzky, MD

#### INSIDE COVER

**Row one:** Don Li, MD, Austin Kaidi, MD, MSc, Tyler Uppstrom, MD, Rafa Rahman, MD, MPH, Troy Amen, MD; Brittany Ammerman, MD; Kristin Halvorsen, MD and Rajiv Reddy, MD, MS

**Row two:** Taylor Stauffer, MD, and Jennifer Kunes, MD; PGY1s hosted PGY3s for a chili dinner; Kyle Kunze, MD, Douglas E. Padgett, MD, Alex Anatone, MD

**Row three:** Jennifer Kunes, MD, Rajiv Reddy, MD, MS, Mackenzie Grasso, MD; Fun at the Annual Skate Night at Wollman Rink in Central Park; Raylin Xu, MD





**Kristin Halvorsen, MD, MBA**, grew up in Connecticut and Vermont. She attended Williams College where she received her undergraduate degree in biology and was a member of the varsity nordic ski team. After college, she completed a post-baccalaureate program and worked as a neurology research coordinator at HSS. Afterwards, she joined Palantir Technologies as a deployment strategist. From there, she completed her medical degree at the Stanford University School of Medicine and her MBA at the Stanford Graduate School of Business. In her free time, Kristin enjoys skiing, running, painting, traveling, and spending time with family and friends.



**Prerana Katiyar, MD**, grew up in northern Virginia. She attended Carnegie Mellon University for her undergraduate studies, where she majored in neuroscience, minored in chemistry, and was part of a nationally ranked competitive dance team. Following graduation, Prerana worked as a consultant to the Center for Medicare/Medicaid Services (CMS), working on optimizing health policy and infrastructure using data analytics. She then attended Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City for medical school. In her free time, Prerana continues to dance, and also enjoys calligraphy, spending time with friends and loved ones, and exploring new coffee shops in NYC.



**Jennifer Kunes, MD**, grew up near Boston, Massachusetts. She attended Harvard University for her undergraduate education, where she studied biomedical engineering with a minor in English literature. While there, she was a coxswain on the varsity men's heavyweight crew team. After graduating, she spent a year at Brigham and Women's Hospital conducting research on focused ultrasound for non-invasive neuromodulation. She then attended medical school at Columbia Vagelos College of Physicians & Surgeons in New York City. In her free time, she enjoys finding new restaurants in the city, leatherworking, and designing aquariums.



**Mark Megerian, MD**, was born in Boston, Massachusetts, and grew up in Shaker Heights, Ohio. He attended Tulane University in New Orleans, Louisiana, for his undergraduate studies, where he majored in neuroscience and played club ice hockey. Upon graduation, Mark matriculated to Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine for his medical degree, where he pursued clinical research in sports medicine, shoulder/elbow, and orthopaedic trauma. During medical school, Mark also served as the head coach for a local youth ice hockey team and took on extracurricular studies focusing on healthcare entrepreneurship and surgical innovation. In his free time, he enjoys playing ice hockey and pickleball, skiing, watching Cleveland sports, and spending time with family, friends, and his two dogs.



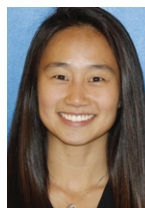
**Rajiv Reddy, MD, MS**, grew up in Alpharetta, Georgia. He attended the University of Pittsburgh as a part of the 8-year BS/MD program, where he majored in biology and philosophy. In undergrad, he served as a squash coach for middle and high school students and competed on his undergraduate Bollywood dance team. Rajiv completed his medical degree at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine as part of the Clinical Scientist Training Program, where he conducted research on shoulder pathology and received a master's degree. In his free time Rajiv enjoys street photography, playing pickleball, and trying new restaurants with friends.



**Branden Sosa, MD**, grew up in the Bronx, New York with his family who immigrated from Puerto Rico and the Dominican Republic. He attended CUNY-Hunter College for his undergraduate studies, where he majored in biochemistry and minored in economics. After graduating, he completed the HSS PostBac Research Training Program which influenced his passion for translational orthopaedic research. During medical school at Weill Cornell Medicine, Branden founded Code BLOOM, a mentorship program for underrepresented pre-medical students at his alma mater. In his free time, Branden enjoys playing basketball, traveling, and spending time with family.



**Taylor Stauffer, MD**, grew up in Cheshire, CT and completed her undergraduate education at the University of Connecticut and Boston College. At UCONN, she was a member of the alpine ski team before transferring to Boston College where she studied biology and Hispanic studies. After graduation, she was awarded a Fulbright predoctoral research fellowship in Barcelona, Spain, where she conducted research on a novel nanotherapeutic for Crohn's disease at Hospital Clinic. Taylor earned her medical degree from Duke University. In her free time, she enjoys skiing, running, and spending time with her twin sister and older sister.



**Raylin Xu, MD**, grew up just outside of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She attended Harvard for her undergraduate studies, where she majored in molecular and cellular biology and minored in global health and health policy. After college, she spent a year in Germany as a U.S. Fulbright Research Fellow before moving back to Boston for medical school at Harvard. In her free time, she enjoys climbing, hiking, and spending time with family and friends.



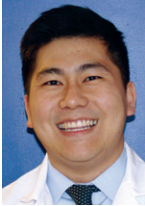
**Michelle Zabat, MD**, was born and raised in Rochester Hills, Michigan. She graduated from Brown University with an undergraduate degree in health and human biology and food studies. After college, she served as a U.S. Fulbright Fellow to the Philippines, conducting research on the microbiology of food fermentation; subsequently, she moved to Boston to work as a strategy consultant to the pharmaceutical and biotech industries. Michelle completed her medical degree at the NYU Grossman School of Medicine. She currently sits as co-chair of the Associate Board for the Joyce Ivy Foundation. In her free time, she enjoys long-distance running and cycling, fly fishing in upstate New York, and fermenting sourdough in her tiny NYC kitchen.



**Lina Ibrahim, MD, MSc**, grew up in Chicago, Illinois. She attended Stanford University for her undergraduate studies, where she majored in mechanical engineering, and received her Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering from MIT. She completed her post-baccalaureate pre-health studies at Loyola University in Chicago and then received her medical degree from the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. In her free time, Lina enjoys exploring restaurants in NYC, growing her plant collection, and spending time with her family in Cairo, Egypt.



**Nicolas Pascual-Leone, MD**, grew up in Valencia, Spain and Wayland, Massachusetts. He attended Amherst College for undergrad, where he majored in chemistry and played varsity soccer. Following graduation, he moved to Spain to pursue a career in professional soccer. He earned his medical degree from Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. He spent an additional year during medical school completing the Leon Root Research Fellowship at HSS. He enjoys playing soccer, training for triathlons, and trying new restaurants with his wife, Safi.



**Seong Jang, MD**, was born in Seoul, South Korea and grew up in northern Virginia. He attended Princeton University for his undergraduate studies and graduated with a thesis focused in computational cognitive neuroscience. He then received his medical degree at Weill Cornell Medical College in NYC. There, he spent an additional year conducting research at HSS focusing on the applications of deep learning in orthopaedic surgery. In his free time, Seong enjoys playing soccer, exploring city eateries and coffee shops, and spending quality time with loved ones.



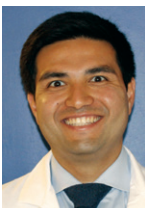
**Nnaoma Oji, MD**, was born and raised in New Brighton, Minnesota. He attended Stanford University for his undergraduate studies, where he majored in biological sciences and spent time abroad caring for patients with traumatic injuries and limb deformities. After graduating, he worked at a health technology startup in San Francisco before receiving his medical degree from the University of California San Francisco (UCSF). Nnaoma enjoys spending time with his family, traveling, exercising, and watching sports.



**Gaby Joseph, MD, MBA**, grew up just outside of Seattle, Washington. He attended Princeton University where he was a member of the varsity soccer team and received his undergraduate degree in molecular biology. Following graduation, Gaby moved to California where he became a part of Stanford University's inaugural class of Knight-Hennessy Scholars. He completed his medical degree at the Stanford University School of Medicine, and his MBA at the Stanford Graduate School of Business. In his free time, he enjoys playing soccer and golf, watching most all sports, and cooking.



**Andrew Sama Jr., MD, MBA**, was born in Miami, Florida and grew up in Connecticut. He attended Cornell University, where he studied Biology and Society. After graduation, Andrew moved to New York City to work at a medical technology startup that focused on using deep learning in musculoskeletal imaging before attending the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine for his medical degree. During his time at Miami, Andrew also obtained his Master of Business Administration at the Herbert School of Business. In his free time, he loves fishing, cooking, spending time with his wife and dachshund, cheering on the New York Giants, and exploring restaurants in NYC.



**Tyler Khilnani, MD**, was born and raised in New York City. He attended Cornell University for his undergraduate degree, where he majored in biological sciences with a concentration in human nutrition and played club ice hockey for four years. Following a year in New Haven where he performed clinical research in psychiatry at Yale, he returned home to complete his medical degree at Weill Cornell Medicine. In his free time, Tyler enjoys spending time with his friends and family, cooking, and watching the New York Rangers and Arsenal.



**Amy Li Xu, MD**, was born in Galveston, Texas but considers Riverside, California her hometown. She attended Stanford University, where she majored in human biology and captained the cheerleading team, concluding a 12-year competitive career in the sport. After graduation, Amy spent a year working at a community health nonprofit called Project Horseshoe Farm in rural Alabama. She received her medical degree from Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. In her free time, she enjoys watching college football (GO CARD), listening to country music, and going to [solidcore].



**Billy Kim, MD**, was born in Seoul, South Korea and grew up in Los Angeles, California. He attended Johns Hopkins University and graduated with a degree in biophysics. He then spent two gap years at the NIH prior to attending Duke for medical school, where he had formative experiences working with orthopaedic residents and attending mentors. In his free time, he likes spending time with his family and friends, exercising, eating/grilling Korean BBQ, and watching the Los Angeles Lakers.



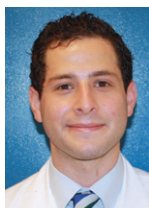
**Brittany Ammerman, MD, MBS**, grew up in River Vale, New Jersey. She attended the University of Wisconsin, where she majored in Women's Studies and Global Health. She was a member of the Wisconsin Badgers ice hockey team, where she was part of the 2011 National Championship-winning team, competed in four NCAA Frozen Fours, and was nominated as a Patty Kazmaier Memorial

Award finalist. She also was a member of the USA Women's National Team throughout her career. Brittany founded the Nikumbuke Soccer League, a nonprofit organization which provides women and girls in remote Kenya the opportunity to participate in sport and receive an education. She was awarded the NCAA Hockey Humanitarian Award for her efforts. Following her undergraduate degree, Brittany completed her Masters of Biomedical Sciences at Rutgers University. She then spent a year as a research assistant in the HSS Women's Sports Medicine Center. Brittany received her medical degree from Penn State College of Medicine. Outside of the hospital, Brittany enjoys working out, pickleball, golfing, and spending time with her family and husband.



**Olatunde Badejo, MD**, was born in Nigeria and grew up in both the Kingdom of Eswatini and Dallas, Texas. He attended Harvard College where he was a Jackie Robinson Foundation scholar and graduated cum laude with a degree in molecular and cellular biology, and a secondary field in the history of science. Following graduation, he returned to Dallas to earn his medical degree from UT Southwestern

Medical Center. In his free time, he enjoys traveling, cooking new recipes, and cheering on the Dallas Cowboys.



**Samuel Robert Boas, MD**, grew up in Connecticut. He attended Tufts University where he studied biology. After graduating, he worked in Brooklyn, New York in a pain management clinic. Sam received his medical degree from Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. In his free time, he enjoys running in Central Park and spending time with friends and family.



**Taylor Cogsil, MD**, was born and raised in the small town of Stuart, Florida. For undergraduate studies, she attended Yale University where she received her degree in the history of science, medicine, and public health. After graduation, Taylor moved to New York and worked as a research coordinator in the neurology department at HSS. From there, she made her way to the

Midwest and completed her medical education at Washington University in St. Louis. When she isn't at the hospital, she enjoys rollerblading, playing pickleball, desserts, game nights, and watching true crime documentaries with her husband, Jeremy.



**Mihir Dekhne, MD**, grew up in Detroit, Michigan. He attended the University of Pennsylvania, where he received his bachelor's degree in biochemistry and master's degree in chemistry. Following graduation, he moved to Boston and earned his medical degree from Harvard Medical School. In his free time, he enjoys lifting weights, watching Michigan football, and finding new places to eat.



**Mitchell Alan Johnson, MD**, was born and raised in the suburbs of Detroit, Michigan. He received his undergraduate degree from the University of Michigan where he studied biomedical engineering. After graduation, Mitch attended the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania where he spent an additional year completing the Benjamin Fox Orthopaedic Research Fellowship at

the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. In his free time, he enjoys playing basketball, pickleball, hiking, and trying new restaurants with his fiancé.



**David Andrew Kolin, MD, MSc**, was born and raised in Los Angeles, California. For his undergraduate education, he attended Pomona College, where he majored in chemistry. After graduating, David spent a year at the National Institutes of Health completing a year-long research fellowship. He subsequently received a master's in epidemiology from the London School

of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine. David then moved to New York to obtain his medical degree from Weill Cornell Medicine. When he's not working, David enjoys playing tennis, exploring New York's restaurant scene, and cheering on Tottenham Hotspur.



**Yousi (Josey) Oquendo, MD, MSE**, grew up in Syracuse, New York. She attended the University of Pennsylvania for her undergraduate studies, where she majored in bioengineering and minored in mechanical engineering and applied science. She was also a three-year captain of the Penn Women's Club Lacrosse team and played for the Penn Women's Rugby team. After graduating she

remained at the University of Pennsylvania for an additional year to pursue a master's degree in robotics engineering. Josey received her medical degree from Stanford University. During her medical training, she worked as a Clinical Development Engineering Intern at Intuitive and later spent a year conducting orthopaedic trauma and spine research between her third and fourth years of medical school. In her free time, Josey enjoys boxing, finding new brunch spots, playing pickup soccer, playing her viola, traveling, and spending time with her corgi pup, Toki.



**Ericka von Kaeppler, MD, PhD**, grew up in Portola Valley, California. She earned her undergraduate degree in biology from Yale University where she played on the women's basketball team and discovered her passion for musculoskeletal science and medicine. After graduating, she returned to the Bay Area earning her MD and PhD in Stem Cell Biology & Regenerative Medicine

from Stanford University's Medical Scientist Training Program. During medical school, she also worked in Tanzania as a research fellow with UCSF's Institute for Global Orthopaedics and Traumatology. In her free time, she is an avid women's college basketball fan and enjoys exploring new restaurants and spending weekend getaways on the coast.





**Troy Amen, MD, MBA**, grew up on the Florida-Georgia line in Tallahassee, Florida. He attended Columbia University, where he studied philosophy. After graduating, he worked as a high school teacher in Chicago teaching 9th grade biology. Troy received his medical degree from Harvard Medical School and completed an MBA at Harvard Business School. In his free time, he enjoys shooting hoops, watching Fresh Prince, mentoring his former students, and attending church-related activities with his wife, Lauren, and his son, Theo.



**Joshua Turner Bram, MD**, was born and raised in State College, Pennsylvania. He received his undergraduate degree from Penn State University, where he studied biology and immunology. After graduation, Josh moved to Philadelphia to attend the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. While there, he spent an additional year as a Benjamin Fox Orthopedic

Research Fellow at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. In his free time, Josh enjoys hiking, biking, cheering on Penn State football, and trying new restaurants with his wife, Michelle.



**Ryann Davie, MD**, was born and raised in the suburbs of Atlanta, Georgia. She attended the University of Oregon for undergraduate studies, where she concentrated in human physiology and chemistry. There, she was the captain of the varsity women's soccer team. After graduation, she spent two years working at Emory Sports Medicine and coaching soccer. Ryann earned her

medical degree from the Medical College of Georgia. In her free time, she enjoys playing golf and exploring the city with her fiancé, Kegan. She is an avid Oregon Ducks fan and supports all Atlanta sports teams.



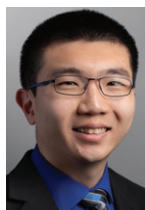
**Hailey Paige Huddleston, MD**, was born and raised in New York City. She completed her undergraduate education at Brown University, where she concentrated in neuroscience and fenced epee for Brown's varsity fencing team. Following a year conducting neurology research at Mt. Sinai Hospital, Hailey completed her medical degree at SUNY Downstate in Brooklyn. During

her medical training, Hailey spent an additional year performing research within the Sports Medicine Division of Midwest Orthopedics at Rush in Chicago. In her free time, Hailey enjoys sketching, hiking in state parks, and finding the best pizza in New York City.



**Austin Camron Kaidi, MD, MSc**, grew up in Orange County, California. For his undergraduate education he attended the University of California, Los Angeles, where he received his degree in microbiology, immunology, and molecular genetics. Following graduation, he received a master's in public health from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.

Austin then moved to New York and earned his medical degree from the Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons. In his free time, he enjoys playing tennis, visiting museums, and finding new favorite restaurants with his fiancé.



**Don Tianmu Li, MD, PhD**, was born in China but grew up in the suburbs of Philadelphia. He attended Yale for college and stayed there for the MSTP program. His clinical research during medical school was focused on adolescent idiopathic scoliosis and his PhD was in cell biology. In his free time, Don enjoys watching Broadway shows, playing board games, and traveling with his wife.



**Jung Kee (Anthony) Mok, MD**, was born in South Korea and raised in Atlanta, Georgia. He attended Georgia Tech, where he earned his undergraduate degree in biology. After graduation, he spent one year working at a basic science research lab at Georgia Tech, studying molecular mechanisms of bioremediation. He then moved to New York City to receive his medical degree from Weill Cornell

Medicine. In his free time, he enjoys playing basketball, cheering for the Atlanta sports teams, and spending time with his family and friends.



**Rafa Rahman, MD, MPH**, was born in Dhaka, Bangladesh and grew up in northern Virginia. She attended Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) for her undergraduate studies, where she majored in biological engineering and minored in public policy. She received her medical degree from the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and her Master of Public Health from

the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. In her free time, Rafa enjoys hiking, reading, traveling, and spending time with her husband, Eric, and cat, Percy.



**Sreetha Sidharthan, MD**, was born in Kerala, India, and grew up in Seattle. She attended the University of Washington and majored in biochemistry. Upon graduating, Sreetha spent two years at the National Institutes of Health managing clinical drug trials for hepatitis C treatment. She received her medical degree from David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, during

which time she spent an additional year performing research with the pediatric orthopaedic department at HSS. Outside of the hospital, Sreetha enjoys going for walks in Central Park with her dog, Milo, and husband, Demetri, exploring museums, and spending time with friends and loved ones.



**Nathan Varady, MD, MBA**, grew up in Fayetteville, Arkansas. He attended the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for his undergraduate studies, where he majored in mechanical engineering and was captain of the varsity football team. Nathan received his medical degree from Harvard Medical School and earned an MBA from Harvard Business School. In his free time, he

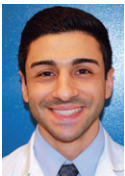
enjoys cheering on the Arkansas Razorbacks, listening to music, and spending time on the lake or in the mountains.



**Francesca (Frannie) Coxe, MD**, grew up in Southern California in the small beach town of San Clemente. Frannie attended Yale University where she majored in psychology and played varsity soccer. After graduating, she completed a post-baccalaureate program at Goucher College. She earned her medical degree at Weill Cornell Medicine. For fun, Frannie enjoys playing soccer, basketball, and golf, cheering on Manchester United, cooking, traveling, and spending time with her husband, Alex, and their dog, Bernie. Frannie will remain at HSS to complete an adult reconstructive surgery fellowship.



**Heather Haeberle, MD**, was born and raised in Houston, Texas. She attended the University of Texas at Austin for her undergraduate studies, where she majored in biomedical engineering. Heather earned her medical degree from the Baylor College of Medicine. In her free time, she enjoys running outdoors, skiing, watching Texas Longhorns football, traveling, and spending time with friends and family. Heather will complete an orthopaedic trauma fellowship at UTHealth Houston McGovern School of Medicine following graduation.



**Gregory Kazarian, MD**, was born and raised in Worcester, Massachusetts. He received his undergraduate degree from Princeton University, where he majored in molecular biology. During college, he also worked in the CD Diagnostics laboratory on the development of a biomarker assay for the detection of periprosthetic joint infection (Synovasure). Following graduation, he spent two years performing orthopaedic research at the Rothman Institute in Philadelphia. Greg received his medical degree from Washington University in St. Louis School of Medicine. In his free time, he enjoys spending time with family, friends, his dog, Henry, and his fiancée, Catherine. After graduation, he will remain at HSS to do a spine surgery fellowship.



**Kyle Kunze, MD**, grew up in Collings Lakes, New Jersey. He attended the University of Chicago where he received a bachelor of science degree with honors in the biological sciences and played varsity football. He received his medical degree from Rush Medical College in Chicago, Illinois. In his free time, Kyle enjoys weightlifting, traveling, cooking, and spending time with his wife, Samara, and their Corgi, Cooper. Following residency, Kyle will complete a sports medicine fellowship at Midwest Orthopaedics at Rush.



**Scott LaValva, MD**, grew up in Bangor, Pennsylvania. As an undergraduate at Franklin & Marshall College, he studied biochemistry and played running back on the varsity football team. He received his medical degree from the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, where he spent an additional year as a clinical research fellow at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. He enjoys playing with his dog, Mickey, pick-up basketball, and home brewing beer. After graduation, Scott will do a fellowship in adult reconstruction at the University of Utah Health School of Medicine.



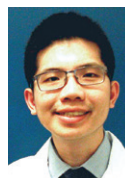
**Blake Meza, MD**, grew up in Denville, New Jersey, and attended Georgetown University, earning a bachelor's degree in human science. After graduation, he attended the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. There, Blake spent an additional year completing the Benjamin Fox Orthopaedic Research Fellowship at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. In his free time, Blake enjoys running, playing basketball, passionately cheering on the Yankees and Georgetown Hoyas, and seeking out new cuisines with his wife, Katie, their son, Marshall, and their dog, Danny. After residency, Blake will complete a sports medicine fellowship at Massachusetts General Hospital.



**Karthik Nathan, MD**, grew up in Atlanta, Georgia, and went to college at Georgia Tech, where he studied biomedical engineering and German. He attended medical school at Stanford University. He played and coached club ultimate frisbee during college and medical school and is also an avid golfer and tennis and basketball player. When he's not working, Karthik tries not to miss a single Georgia Tech football or basketball game and loves supporting his hometown Atlanta sports teams (though they tend not to love him back)! Outside of sports, he loves exploring New York City with his wife, Mythilee, trying new restaurants and bars, and flying around the country and world to visit friends and family. Karthik will complete a sports medicine fellowship at NYU Grossman School of Medicine after residency.



**Julia Retzky, MD**, grew up in the northern suburbs of Chicago. She attended Northwestern University, where she studied biology and psychology and also played varsity field hockey. After graduating from college, she spent one year as a pre-med intern at Stetson Powell Orthopedics in Los Angeles, California. She earned her medical degree from the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. In her free time, she enjoys working out, watching Northwestern sports, and trying new restaurants. Julia will remain at HSS to do a sports medicine fellowship.



**Vincentius (Jeremy) Suhardi, MD, PhD**, was born and raised in Surabaya, Indonesia. He attended California Institute of Technology, where he earned a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering and a master's degree in chemistry. Afterward, Jeremy moved to Boston to join the Harvard Medical School-Massachusetts Institute of Technology Medical Scientist Training Program where he completed a PhD in medical engineering and medical physics from Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In his free time, Jeremy enjoys listening to music, playing badminton, and spending time with family. He will complete an adult reconstructive surgery fellowship at NYU Grossman School of Medicine following graduation.



**Alexander White, MD**, was born and raised in Summit, New Jersey and attended Delbarton School for his high school years. Alex completed his undergraduate education at Harvard University, where he received his bachelor of arts degree in economics. While at Harvard, he was a 4-year member and USILA Scholar All-American on the men's varsity lacrosse team. Alex completed his medical degree at Sidney Kimmel Medical College of Thomas Jefferson University. During his free time, he enjoys spending time with his wife, Una, son Leo, and their dog, Maui, exercising, and rooting for New York sports teams. Alex will stay at HSS to complete a sports medicine fellowship.





**Row one:** Tyler Uppstrom, MD, Gregory Kazarian, MD, Karthik Nathan, MD, Francesca (Frannie) Coxe, MD; Lina Ibrahim, MD, MSc, Seong Jang, MD, Nicolas Pascual-Leone, MD, Amy Li Xu, MD, Andrew Sama Jr., MD, MBA, Gaby Joseph, MD, MBA, Tyler Khilnani, MD

**Row two:** Amy Li Xu, MD, Troy Amen, MD, MBA, Yusef Jordan, MD, Mihir Dekhne, MD, Mitchell Alan Johnson, MD, Nnaoma Oji, MD; Dr. Anne Kelly hosted HSS residents and attendings at the Biannual HSS Women's Dinner.

**Row three:** Mark Megerian, MD and Taylor Stauffer, MD; The HSS Foot & Ankle Department hosted a day of apple picking in Upstate New York.





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