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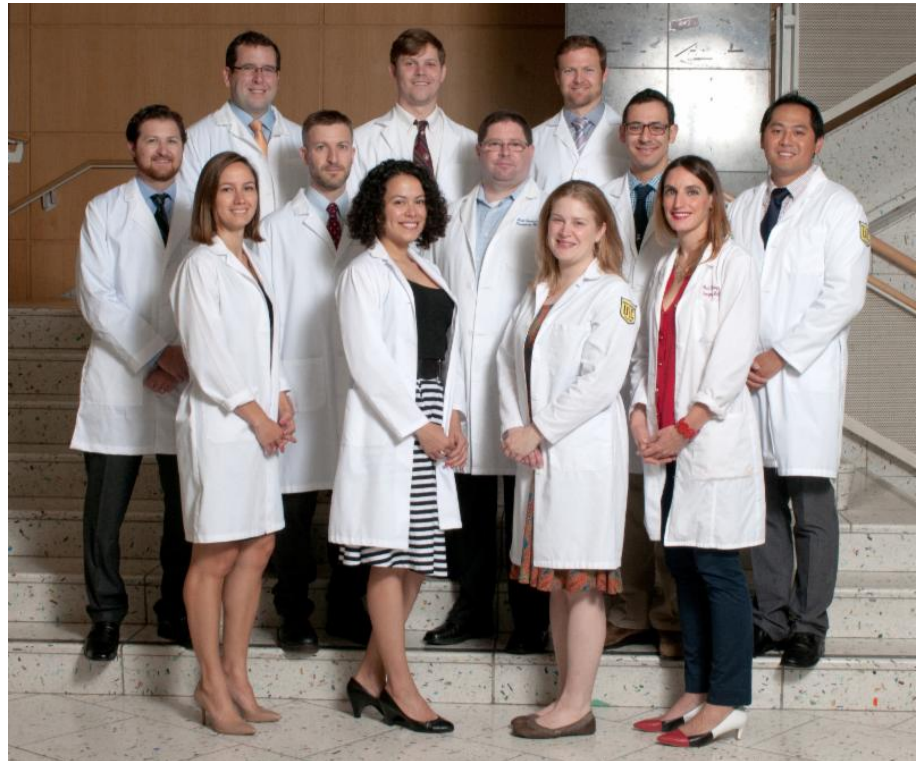
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Class of 2015



Congratulations to all the graduates of the Class of 2015. The graduation ceremony and after party on June 9 were well attended and everyone had a good time.

Graduating from the Emergency Medicine Residency program:

- Alexa Dorothea Bisinger, MD, MBA
- Raphael Falk, MD, MPH
- W. Scott Fischette, MD
- Sean Kivlehan, MD, MPH
- Johnson K. Kwan, MD
- Jennifer Lanning, MD, PhD
- Ross Levin, MD
- Cynthia Maldonado, MD
- Brian Lee Resler, MD
- Julian Villar, MD
- Nathan Wilson, MD, MS
- Lauren E. Wooley, MD

Graduating from the UCSF Fellowship programs:

- Aaron J. Harries, MD - Global Health
- Gary Green, MD, MS - Medical Education
- William Shyy, MD - Ultrasound
- Hallam Gugelmann, MD - Medical Toxicology

Graduating from the UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital Oakland Pediatric Emergency Medicine (PEM) Fellowship program:

- Aaron Kornblith, MD

The following awards were presented:

- SFGH Krevan's Award (voted on by the SFGH ED faculty): Rosny Daniel
- Intern of the Year (voted on by all DEM faculty): Gretchen Fuller
- Graduating Resident of the Year (voted on by all DEM faculty): Sean Kivlehan
- Faculty Teacher of the Year (selected by the residents): Jahan Fahimi
- SFGH RN of the Year (selected by the residents): Elvina Kung
- UCSF RN of the Year (selected by the residents): Eugenio (Geno) Williams
- Medical Consult of the Year (selected by the residents): Jenny Cohen (Internal Medicine R2)
- Surgical Consult of the Year (selected by the residents): Jonathan Overdeest (ENT)

Achievements



Dr. Ralph Wang, Associate Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine, received the Training in Clinical Research (TICR) Program Award for Excellence in Teaching the Methods of Clinical Research.

Dr. Steven Bin, Associate Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine, received the annual Faculty Teaching Award from the pediatric residents.

Dr. Aaron Kornblith, Pediatric Emergency Medicine Fellow, received the Teaching Fellow of the Year Award at UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital Oakland.

Faculty Announcements

Dr. David Duong, Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine, was featured in a statewide TV ad and he emceed a rally of more than 5000 people on June 2nd in Sacramento to advocate for improved funding of MediCal in the state budget. The ad campaign was paid for by the We Care for California coalition. Visit [Medical Matters](#) for the TV ad and more information.



Dr. Jacqueline Nemer, Associate Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine, was a section director for an ACEP Simulation-based Immersive Medical (SIM) Training Course which was held in May at the University of Arizona, Phoenix. She directed the OB and Peds sections and invited DEM colleagues, **Drs. Steven Bin, Evelyn Porter, Aaron Kornblith, and Jeanne Noble**, to co-author SIM cases for this course.

Dr. Jeffrey Tabas, Professor of Clinical Emergency Medicine, was appointed editor of a new department on ECG for *Annals of Emergency Medicine*.

Dr. Andi Tenner, Assistant Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine, will present grand rounds at residency conference on July 2 at 9:00 a.m. at SFGH in Carr Auditorium. She will speak about her experience working in Sierra Leone during the Ebola outbreak from an Emergency Medicine systems and disaster management perspective. The title of her talk is "Managing a Disaster: Lessons Learned from Ebola in Sierra Leone."

Research Abstract Presentations

Beylin M, Polevoi S, Nichols T, Coralic Z, Shochat G. An emergency airway checklist is feasible to implement in the emergency department but does not change self reported first and second pass intubation success rates. Poster presentation at AAMC Integrating Quality Meeting in Rosemont, Illinois, on June 11-12.

Beylin M, Carney D, Huang D, Sills J, Polevoi S, Coralic Z, Shochat G. Improving Post-Intubation Sedation for Patients Intubated in the Emergency Department. UCSF Housestaff Quality Incentive Program Poster Symposium on June 15.

Media Coverage

Dr. Reena Duseja, Assistant Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine, received media attention from [Forbes](#) and the [Associated Press](#) for her article published in *Annals of Internal Medicine* (see publications section below).

Community CPR Events



The first week of June each year is CPR week, an annual celebration of the institution of CPR for the lay rescuer. Over the years, UCSF EM faculty and residents have taught CPR to the community at several "Sidewalk CPR" events. Many thanks to our group of faculty and residents for helping the community in this way. The most recent events were held at SF City Hall and at the SF Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Agency Awards in May.

Resident Announcements

Dr. Sean Kivlehan, PGY4, wrote two chapters, "Resuscitation, Shock, and Blood Products" and "Gastrointestinal and Genitourinary Emergencies," for the upcoming *Critical Care Transport 2nd Edition* textbook to be co-published by Jones & Bartlett and the American

Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons in 2016.

Staff Announcements

Eve Dinh, MEd, Educational Programs Administrator, received the Excellence and Innovation in GME Award for her hard work and dedication to Graduate Medical Education at UCSF.

Annual CME Course

The High Risk Emergency Medicine San Francisco conference, chaired by **Dr. Jeffrey Tabas** and **Dr. Jackie Nemer**, was a smashing success!!! There were 275 paid attendees at the Hotel Nikko on June 11-13. INCREDIBLE cadaver procedures labs which included venous access, cricothyrotomy, chest tubes, fiberoptic and VL intubation, nerve blocks, joint taps, thoracotomy, and lateral canthotomy were directed by **Drs. Guy Shochat, Jeanne Noble, Starr Knight, Charlotte Wills, and Arun Nagdev**. There were more than 20 DEM faculty instructors who collaborated with Highland faculty. We heard lectures by faculty from all three campuses: **Drs. Rachel Chin, Zlatan Coralic, David Duong, Eric Isaacs, Paul Jhun, Judith Klein, Aaron Kornblith, Michelle Lin, Evelyn Porter, Eric Silman, Craig Smollin, Jeff Tabas, Nate Teismann, and Jenny Wilson**. We also heard from visiting faculty including Drs. Amal Mattu, Brian Lin, Nick Villalon, Rob Vissers, and a fascinating lecture on diagnostic excellence from Dr. Goop Dhaliwal.

Publications

Paterson Q, Thoma B, **Lin M**, Chan T. A systematic review and qualitative analysis to determine quality indicators for medical education blogs and podcasts. *Journal of Graduate Medical Education*. 2015; [in press].

Calvello EJB, Skog AP, **Tenner AG**, Wallis LA. Applying the lessons of maternal mortality reduction to global emergency health. *Bulletin of the World Health Organization*. 2015; 93:417-23.

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Shyy W, Knight RS, Teismann NA. [Ultrasound Diagnosis of Adult Intussusception](#). *Journal of Emergency Medicine*. 2015 Jun 5. Epub ahead of print.

Losonczy L, Hsieh D, Hahn C, **Fahimi J**, Alter H. [More than just meds: National survey of providers' perceptions of patients' social, economic, environmental, and legal needs and their effect on emergency department utilization](#). *Social Medicine*. 2015 February; 9 (1):22-28.

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