



# LKSOM Honor Roll of Women



# Honorable Mentions for Women in Medicine Mentoring Award

- Stephanie Barbetta, MD Emergency Medicine, Dean Student Affairs
- Megan Healy, MD Emergency Medicine
- Gail Herrine, MD OB-GYN and Reproductive Services
- Karen Houck, MD OB-GYN and Reproductive Services
- T Dianne Langford, PhD Neuroscience Asst Dean Research
- Mary Morrison, MD Psychiatry
- Pamela Rohm, MD, PhD Otolaryngology



# Jill Allenbaugh, MD

Assistant Professor, Medicine



- National Workshop: “Utilizing Health Literacy Communication Techniques for Patient Satisfaction” - American College of Physicians National Meeting. April 2019, Philadelphia, PA
- Publications:
  1. Allenbaugh J, Spagnoletti CL, Rack L, Rubio D, Corbelli J. Health literacy and clear bedside communication: a curricular intervention for internal medicine physicians and medicine nurses. MedEdPORTAL. 2019;15:10795. [https://doi.org/10.15766/mep\\_2374-8265.10795](https://doi.org/10.15766/mep_2374-8265.10795)
  2. Allenbaugh J, Spagnoletti CL, Berlacher K (2019) Effects of a Flipped Classroom Curriculum on Inpatient Cardiology Resident Education. Journal of Graduate Medical Education: April 2019, Vol. 11, No. 2, pp. 196-201. <https://doi.org/10.4300/JGME-D-18-00543.1>
  3. Allenbaugh, J., Corbelli, J., Rack, L. Spagnoletti CL. A Brief Communication Curriculum Improves Resident and Nurse Communication Skills and Patient Satisfaction. J GEN INTERN MED (2019). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11606-019-04951-6>
- - Got Temple GIM and faculty into Twitter!
- - Finished her first half marathon!

# Mary F. Barbe, PhD

Professor, Anatomy and Cell Biology  
Professor, Center for Substance Abuse Research



- Elected as a Fellow of the American Association of Anatomists (FAAA), Feb 2019
- Temple University Faculty Research Award for 2018-2019
- Winner, Women in Medicine Mentoring Award - Basic Science 2019

# Stephanie Barbetta, MD

Assistant Dean, Student Affairs

Associate Professor, Clinical Emergency Medicine



- Promoted to Associate Dean of Student Affairs
- Promoted to Professor of Clinical Emergency Medicine, July 2019
- selected by the Class of 2018 as the Yearbook Dedicatee and delivered an acceptance speech at the graduation ceremony, May 2018.
- It was an unbelievable experience to have the opportunity to speak to the class during their ceremony—very humbling and motivating at the same time!
- Nominated for Women in Medicine Mentoring, 2019

# Jessica H. Beard, MD, MPH

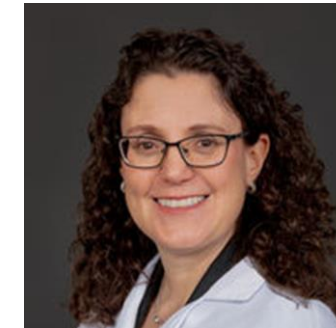
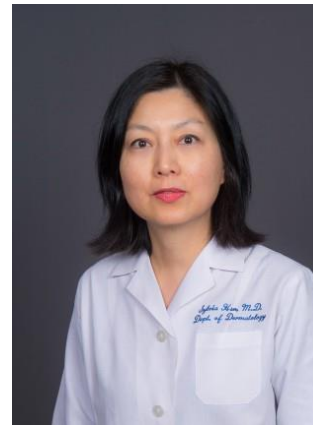
Assistant Professor, Surgery (Division of Trauma & Surgical Critical Care)



- recently featured on NBC @Issue and in the Philadelphia Inquirer regarding her research on gun violence in Philadelphia. Her study, which was published in the Journal of the American College of Surgeons, demonstrated that mass-shooting type events occur once every three months in Philadelphia.
- invited by the Ghana Ministry of Health to lead training for medical doctors in mesh inguinal hernia repair in July 2019.
- In addition, she is currently working on a nationwide roll out and impact evaluation of an inguinal hernia training and capacity building program she developed with colleagues from the University of Ghana.

# Chairpersons in LKSOM

- **Amy Goldberg**, MD, FACS, Chair, Department of Surgery
- **Margot Savoy**, MD, MPH, Chair, Department of Family Medicine
- **Cecelia Schmalbach**, MD, MSc, FACS  
The David Myers, MD Professor and Chair, Department of Otolaryngology – Head & Neck Surgery  
Director, Temple Head & Neck Institute
- **Sylvia Hsu**, MD, Chair, Department of Dermatology





# Heather Clauss, MD

Associate Professor, Clinical Medicine  
Director, Infectious Diseases Fellowship Program



- Appointed Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs
- Promoted to Professor of Clinical Medicine, July 2019



# Elizabeth D. Dauer, MD

Assistant Professor, Clinical Surgery

Associate Program Director, General Surgery Residency Program



- Named the Associate Program Director of the Surgery Residency at LKSOM
- Promoted to Associate Professor of Clinical Surgery, July 2019

# Toby Eisenstein, PhD

Professor, Microbiology and Immunology  
Co-Director, Center for Substance Abuse Research



- As of September 2019, 50 years on the faculty at Temple, fully funded for 47 of those years, Acting Chair of Micro/Immuno for 2 years
- Co-Director of CSAR for 20 years.

# Cherie P. Erkmén, MD

Professor, Thoracic Medicine and Surgery

Professor, Center for Asian Health

Director, Lung Cancer Screening Program

Director, Thoracic Surgery Residency Program, Temple University Hospital



- Promotion to Full Professor of Thoracic Medicine and Surgery
- Participation in the NIH U54 grant with Dr. Grace Ma.
- Screening over 700 patients for lung cancer and bringing all patients found with cancer to treatment-mostly with robotic resection.

# Diana Feinstein, DO

Assistant Professor Clinical Anesthesiology



- named as honorable mention for physician leadership academy
- <https://www.anesthesiologynews.com/Clinical-Anesthesiology/Article/05-19/Headache-in-a-Postpartum-Patient/54930>
- Headache in a Postpartum Patient, (co-written with Ellen Hauck, D.O.)
- -Started Temple Anesthesia Instagram and Face Book pages
- can be found at Temple\_Anesthesia (IG), and Temple Anesthesia (FB)
- -Made Director of Residency Wellness for Anesthesiology Department, in addition to being Director of Obstetric Anesthesiology

# Ana M. Gamero, PhD

Associate Professor, Medical Genetics and Molecular Biochemistry  
Associate Professor, Fels Institute for Cancer Research and Molecular Biology  
Associate Professor, Microbiology and Immunology



- Grant recipient from the Department of Defense Peer Reviewed Cancer Research Program (PRCRP) Idea Award with Special Focus
- Named Faculty Advisor for the Latinx Medical Student Association at LKSOM
- Appointed to the Editorial Board of the journal Signals
- 2 publications in press: Oncotarget and PlosPathogens
- 2018 AACR Annual Meeting Minority Faculty Scholar in Cancer Research Award
- 2018 AACR Special Conference on Colon Cancer Minority Faculty Scholar in Cancer Research Award

# Jamie Garfield, MD

Associate Professor, Thoracic Medicine and Surgery, Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University

Co-Director, Invasive Pulmonary Procedures Laboratory, Temple University Hospital

Director of Quality and Improvement and Patient Safety, Internal Medicine Residency, Temple University Hospital

Core Leadership Faculty, Internal Medicine Residency, Temple University Hospital

Core Clinical Educator, Pulmonary Clinical Liaison, Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University



- 2019 Recipient of the LKSOM Golden Apple Teaching Award.
- 2019 Recipient of the Women in Medicine Mentoring Award.
- 2019 National Media Representative for the American Lung Association.
- 2019 Medical Faculty Senate, Dean's Advisory Committee.
- 2019 Quality Improvement and Patient Safety Healthcare Hackathon for the Internal Medicine Residents, Creator and Host.

# Nina Gentile, MD

Professor, Emergency Medicine



- Completed her fellowship in Hedwig van Ameringen Executive Leadership in Academic Medicine<sup>®</sup> (ELAM) program.



# Susan Gersh, MD, FACP, DBHIM

Professor , Clinical Medicine



- Recipient of the 2018 ACP PA-SE Chapter Clinical Practice Award for her commitment to her patients, community, and profession
- Named 2019 Philadelphia Magazine Top Doc

# Amy J. Goldberg, MD, FACS

Professor and Chair, Surgery  
Surgeon-in-Chief, Temple University Health System



- Presented with the Jacobi Medallion, the Mount Sinai Alumni Award in March 2019
- Presented with CeasefirePA “Lighting the Way Forward Award” in April 2019.
- Diamond Award Honoree, TUH Acres of Diamonds Gala 2019

# Nicole L. Griffin, PhD

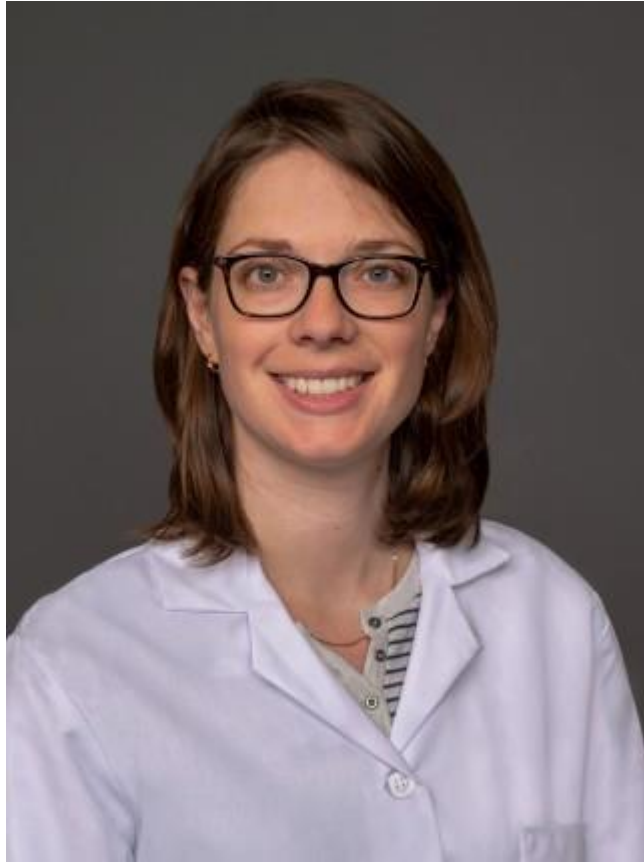
Associate Professor, Anatomy & Cell Biology



- Teacher of the Year, Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine (TUSPM)

# Ksenia Guvakova, MD

Assistant Professor, Clinical Anesthesiology



- -Named Associate Clerkship Director for the Anesthesia Clerkship for LKSOM.
- -Have become a mentor for medical students interested in matching into Anesthesiology Residency
- -Starting the group and gathering momentum for Women in Anesthesiology, Philadelphia Chapter.
- -Co- authoring a chapter in Cardiac Anesthesia-Basic Evaluation and Management, Springer

# Ellen Hauck, DO, PhD

Department of Anesthesiology



- July, 2019 promoted to full professor
- Appointed Vice Chair for Research in the Department of Anesthesiology.

# Megan Healy, MD

Associate Professor, Clinical Emergency Medicine



- served on the Board of Directors of our national EM organization, AAEM (American Academy of Emergency Medicine).
- Nominated for Women in Medicine Mentoring Award 2019

# Brenda Horwitz, MD

Professor, Clinical Medicine  
Director, Fellow Outpatient Continuity Clinic



- I have built an incredibly successful Women's Health Practice in the Fort Washington location.
- I was recently named "Top Doc" for the second year in a row by Philadelphia Magazine.
- In addition I was recently named Co-Chair of the Temple Health LGBTQ Alliance Task Force - something that I am very proud of and feel very strongly about.



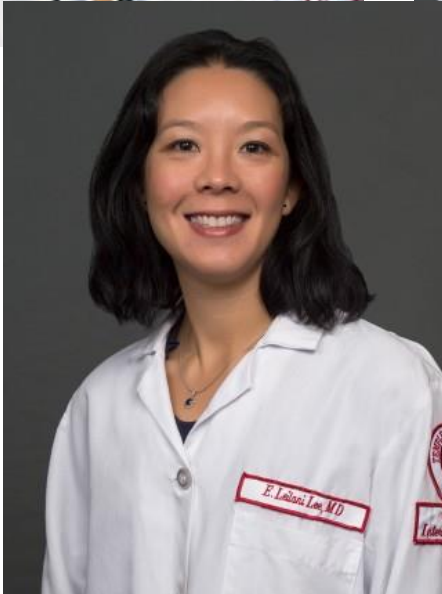
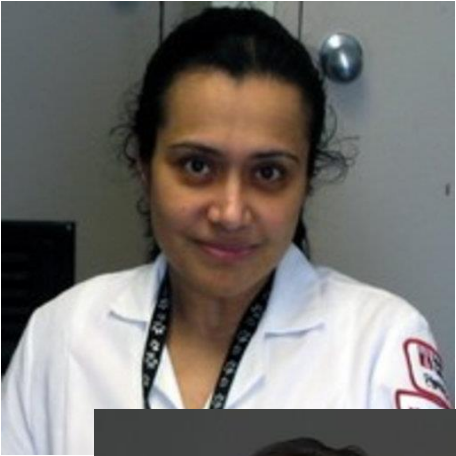
# Vanneta G. Hyatt, MD, FACP

Associate Professor, Clinical Medicine



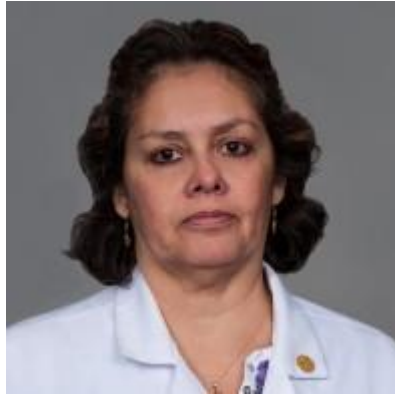
- 1). Marks Doctoring College Director Elect
- 2). Co-chair Curriculum Committee IM residency Program
- 3). Member of the Health Equity Commission (SGIM)
- (This was formerly the disparity task force which I have been a member for several years)

# Internal Medicine – from Residency Director, Marissa Blum, MD



- For **Bizath Taqui** - An IM residency program APD and expert on curricular issues who has revived morning report and infused more curiosity and passion into resident education!
- For **Leilani Lee** - An IM residency program APD and organizational phenom who is an outstanding coach for time management and leadership potential, role model for residents!
- For **Erin Narewski** - An IM residency program new APD who has stepped into the most challenging role of clinical competency chair and has proven herself to be an expert leader in this role to the benefit of our residents clinical performance development!
- For **Vanneta Hyatt** - An IM residency core faculty who has led implementation and oversight of our geriatric curriculum and completed a huge overhaul of elective curricular administration for 107 IM residents!

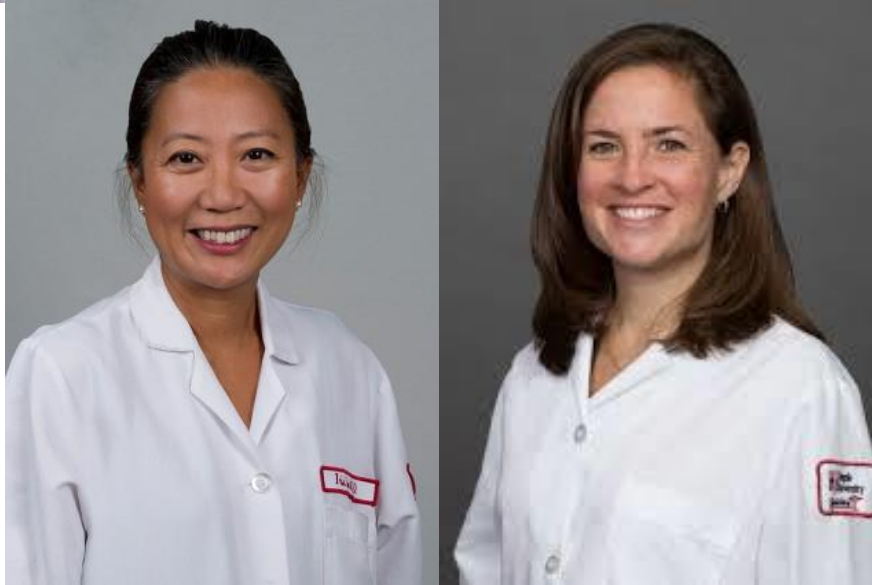
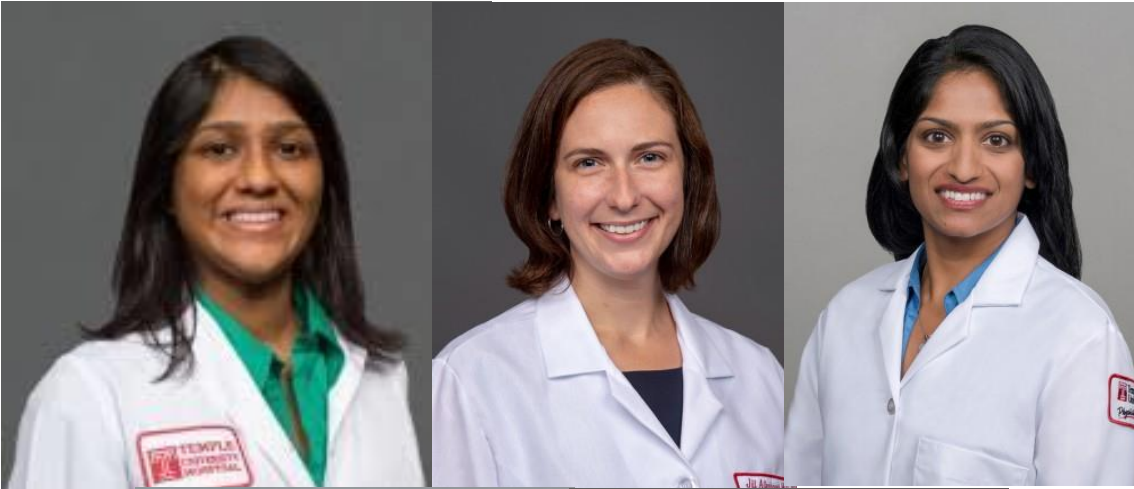
# Internal Medicine – 2



- For **Sue Gersh** - An IM residency core faculty who has championed resident well being and worked with Chief residents on cheerleading resources for burnout and mindfulness, working with Mary Kraemer to bring narrative medicine to IM residents as a part of this charge!
- For **Giuliana DeFrancesch** - An IM residency faculty who has reinvigorated passion into global health rotations for IM residents, leading a global health pot-luck to education residents on the benefits and opportunities within global health, and serving as a faculty advisor in medicine for her colleagues in Peru at Cayetano University!
- For **Megan Ward** - An recent IM Chief Resident and woman leader who has taken on charge of our the IM residency diversity task force and has championed recruitment efforts and relationships to enhance diversity in medicine!
- For **Kathleen Coppola** and **Monica Buisiouc** -Two hospitalist faculty who have generously helped to create faculty development opportunities for junior faculty to enhance teaching and feedback methods for IM residency education!



# Internal Medicine – 3



- For **Dharmini Pandya** - A hospitalist key faculty for the IM residency who has helped co-create a QI leadership faculty development curriculum and pioneer patient safety and transitions of care curriculum in record time with Jamie Garfield, a core faculty for the IM residency, who has created a three year overhaul of the IM residency program's quality improvement curriculum doing the work of three people in one person!
- For **Regina Jacob** – IM residency program director of social determinants of health curriculum
- For **Jill Allenbaugh** - who has educated everyone to engage in the Twitter-sphere!
- For **Iris Lee** - A core faculty and director of resident research for increasing the total amount of resident research being done within the department in 3 years and show-casing it at Sol Sherry Research Symposium!
- For **Hannah Raverby** - for successfully directing residents as teacher and leader curriculum, elevating the teaching and feedback skillset of our residents and inspiring teams of soon to be internists.



# Internal Medicine – 4



- For Women Leaders on campus, especially Karen Lin, Rachel Rubin, Susan Coull, Susan Wiegers, Anu Paranjape, Alisa Peet, Ellen Tedaldi, and Heather Clauss who role model for aspiring women faculty and trainees and students.

# Regina Jacob, MD, MSCE

Assistant Professor, Clinical Medicine

Director, Social Determinants of Health Curriculum, Internal Medicine Residency Program



- LKSOM delegate to the 2019 AAMC Early Career Women Faculty Professional Development Seminar
- Named Medical Director for Temple Internal Medicine Associates
- Bought a house

# Laurie Kilpatrick, PhD

Professor, Physiology  
Professor, Sol Sherry Thrombosis Research Center  
Professor, Center for Inflammation, Translational and Clinical Lung Research  
Professor, Thoracic Medicine and Surgery



- Scientific Program Chair – 42nd Annual Conference on Shock, June 8-11, 2019, Coronado, CA
- Invited symposium speaker - 17th Annual "ADVANCES IN INFLAMMATION RESEARCH" Symposium, RI Hospital-Brown University, September 26th & 27th, 2019
- President-Elect of Shock Society, 2019



# Beata Kosmider, PhD

Associate Professor, Physiology

Associate Professor, Thoracic Medicine and Surgery

Associate Professor, Center for Inflammation, Translational and Clinical Lung Research



- Second Place Award for poster presented at Respiratory Research Retreat at the University of Pennsylvania in 2018
- Invitation to give a talk at Respiratory Research Retreat at University of Pennsylvania in 2019

# Jessica Kovach, MD

Associate Professor, Clinical Psychiatry and Behavioral Science  
Director, Residency Training



- Received the 2018 Philadelphia Psychiatric Society Outstanding Educator Award
- 2018 LKSOM Faculty Educational Excellence Award for the GME Program
- The Recruitment Diversity & Inclusion clause proposed out of the Recruitment Committee (which she has chaired since 2017) of the American Association of Directors of Psychiatric Residency Training was adopted into the ACGME Common Program Requirements (I.C.).

# Mary Kraemer, MD

Professor, Medicine

Director, Palliative Care Education and Practice

Co-Director, Palliative Care Team, Temple University Hospital

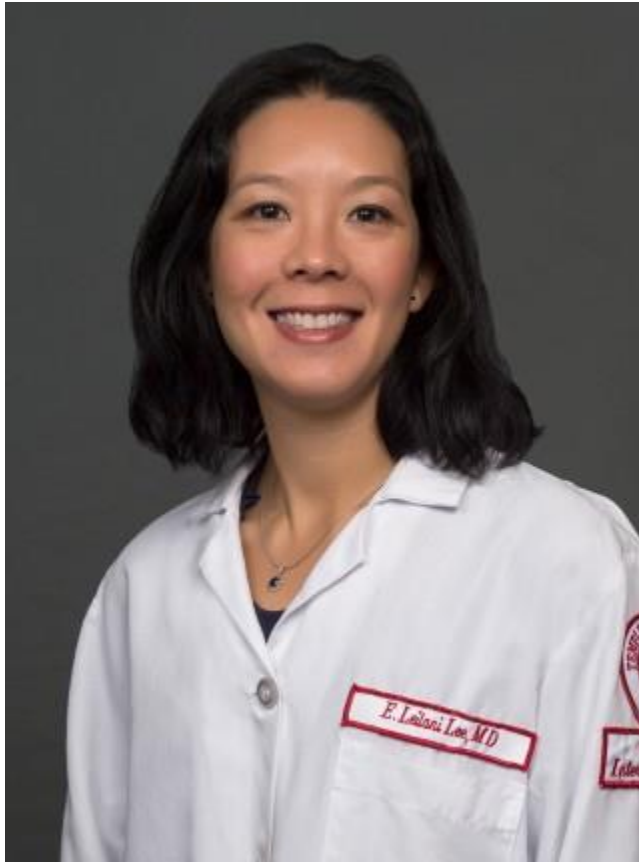
Honored to have my story printed in Philly Mag!  
And elected as officer at large to medical staff.



# Elizabeth Leilani Lee, MD, MBS, FACP

Associate Professor, Clinical Medicine

Associate Program Director for Ambulatory Medicine, Internal Medicine Residency Program



- 2019 faculty inductee for AOA Epsilon Chapter

# Iris Lee, MD

Associate Professor, Medicine



- coauthored an original peer reviewed article entitled, "Targeted Inhibition of Axl Receptor Tyrosine Kinase Ameliorates Anti-GBM – induced Lupus Nephritis"
- invited to be guest editor for the journal Advances in Chronic Kidney Disease, Special Issue on Lupus Nephritis.
- PI for two clinical lupus nephritis trials.

# Karen Lin, MD, MPH, FACP, DABMA, DABIHIM

Chief, Section of General Internal Medicine

Professor, Clinical Medicine

Medical Director, Temple Internal Medicine Associates

Director, Acupuncture Program at Temple General Internal Medicine



- Named Section Chief of General Internal Medicine
- Recipient of the 2019 Russell and Pearl Moses Memorial Award for excellence in clinical teaching
- Completed a 10 mile, 25 obstacle full Tough Mudder!

# Grace Ma, PhD.

Associate Dean, Health Disparities  
Director, Center for Asian Health  
Laura H. Carnell Professor  
Professor, Clinical Sciences



- Awards & Honors
- Grace X. Ma, PhD, Awarded Yamasaki Prize Medal for Visionary Leadership at College of William & Mary (Yamasaki is W & M's first female student of color and leader, Class of 1937), 2019
- Grace X. Ma, PhD, Designated as a History Maker in Minority Health and Health Disparity
- Research by NIH's National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities, 2019
- Grace X. Ma, PhD, contact Principal Investigator of NCI/NIH funded \$13.5 million U54 Grant Award, "TUFCCC/HC Regional Comprehensive Cancer Health Disparity Partnership"



# Erin R. Narewski, DO

Assistant Professor, Thoracic Medicine and Surgery



- the new Medicine Residency Associate Program Director
- now a proud Member of the American Thoracic Society Med Ed Committee (International Committee recognition, y'all!)

# Narrative Medicine - the Storytellers

- Martha C. Concha, Medical Interpreter...A Voice
- Nonye Acholonu, M4...Superheroes
- Dr. Erin Narewski, Pulmonary and Critical Care...Room 201
- Caroline MacGillivray, M2...Feeling Enough
- Hena Cebeci, M3, St Luke's...Operating Room Circus
- Elise Beckman, Post-bac Student...Interrupted Breathing
- Jessica Gude, M1...Hands



# More Storytellers



Dr. Jocelyn Edathil, Clinical Medicine

Dr. Ellen Tedaldi, Medicine

Dawn Beaty-Edwards, RN

Maria Sierra-Ortiz, Neonatal social worker

Madeleine Carroll, third year medical student

Katya F. Ahr, second year medical student

Ghazal Khorrami, second year medical student

Amanda Foote, first year medical student

Khyati Somayaji, Postbac student

# Michelle Noreski, DO

Assistant Professor, Orthopaedic Surgery and Sports Medicine



- Elected Fellow of the American Osteopathic Academy of Sports Medicine (FAOASM) at the annual conference in Austin, TX on 5/3/19.



# Major Awards and Promotions

- Dianne Langford, PhD, announced as Assistant Dean of Research at LKSOM
- Judith Litvin Daniels, PhD, Recipient Lindback Distinguished Teaching Award
- Mary Barbe, PhD, Recipient Temple University Faculty Research Award
- Heather Clauss, MD, announced as Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs
- Susan Wiegers, MD, the inaugural CEO Temple Faculty Practice Plan
- Stephanie Barbetta, MD promoted to Associate Dean of Student Affairs





# 2018 Promotions

## **To Professor:**

- Dr. Dione Cash
- Dr. Cherie Erkmen
- Dr. Mary Kraemer
- Dr. Karen Lin
- Dr. Alisa Peet
- Dr. Bizath Taqui

## **To Associate Professor**

- Dr. Emily Cuthbertson
- Dr. Kathleen Fane
- Dr. Carol Ann Glowacki
- Dr. Ellen Gluzman
- Dr. Nicole Griffin
- Dr. Megan Healy
- Dr. Sara Peterson
- Dr. Jennifer Repanshek
- Dr. Rachel Rubin
- Dr. Cagla Tukul
- Dr. Anjali Vaidya
- Dr. Ingre Walters



# Anuradha Paranjape, MD, MPH, FACP

Vice Chair, Clinical Affairs, Department of Medicine  
Professor, Medicine  
Professor, Clinical Sciences



- Named Vice-Chair of Clinical Affairs, DOM
- Named 2019 Philadelphia Magazine Top Doc
- ACLGIM Secretary Treasurer
- Publications
  - 1. Kalokhe, AS, Iyer, S, Katendra, T, Keshav, G, Kolhe, A, Paranjape, A, del Rio, C, Stephenson, R, Sahay, S. Primary prevention of intimate partner violence among recently-married dyads residing in the Slums of Pune, India: Development and rationale of a dyadic intervention. JMIR research protocols, 2019. 8(1):e11533. PMID [30664483]
  - 2. Sciamanna C, Ballentine, NH, Bopp, M, Brach, JS, Chinchilli, VM, Ciccolo, JT, Conroy, MB, Fisher, A, Fox, EJ, Greenspan, SL, Jan De Beur, SM, Kearcher, K, Krachnewski, JL, McTigue, KM, McAuley, E, Morone, NE, Paranjape, A, Rodriguez-Colon, S, Rosenzweig, A, Smyth, JM, Stewart, KJ, Stuckey, HL. Working to increase stability through exercise (WISE): Study protocol for a pragmatic randomized controlled trial of a coached exercise program to reduce serious fall-related injuries. Contemporary Clinical Trials 2018; 74(1-10) PMID [30261294]
  - 3. Kalokhe, AS, Iyer SR, Gadhe, K, Katendra T, Paranjape A, del Rio C, Stephenson R, Sahay, S. Correlates of Domestic Violence Perpetration Reporting Among Recently-married Men Residing in Slums in Pune, India, PLOS ONE, 2018. 13(5):e0197303. PMID [29771949]
  - 4. McTigue, KM, Hartelius, J, Anderson TS, Allsup, AP, Alston, T, Chuang, CH, Dillon, S, Ford, DE, Gunturi, N, Hess, R, Kirchner, HL, Larson, SL, Leon-Jhong, AB, McCoy, DR, Paranjape, A, Uhrig, JR, Waheed, AA, Mitchell, GR. Using a deliberative forum for engaging health system and health plan leaders to prioritize research topics, European Journal for Person Centered Healthcare, 2018; 6(4).



# Helen Pearson, PhD

Associate Professor of Anatomy and Cell Biology



- LKSOM Mary DeLeo Prize for excellence in Basic Science Teaching.

# Rebecca Petre Sullivan, Ph.D.

Associate Professor, Physiology



- Invited to serve as the basic science Faculty Marshal at LKSOM Commencement 2019
- Inducted into AOA Temple Epsilon chapter as an alumnus induction

# Suzanne Pascarella, MD

Assistant Professor, Clinical Radiology



- Goldbach AR, Hava S, Malik A, **Pascarella S.** (2019). Bilateral Breast Adenopathy – A Rare Presentation of Peripheral T-cell Lymphoma. Breast J. doi/10.1111/tbj.13313
- Goldbach A, Gupta Y, Caroline D, Malik A, **Pascarella S.** (2019). Granular Cell Tumor: The Great Mimicker. Breast J. 25(3): 521-522. PMID: 30955209
- Goldbach AR, Hava S, Caroline DF, Zhao X, Bains A, **Pascarella S.** (2019). Rosai-Dorfman Disease of the Breast: A Potential Marker of Systemic Disease. Breast J. 25(1): 134-137. PMID: 30488580

# Umadevi Sajjan, PhD

Associate Professor, Physiology

Associate Professor, Center for Inflammation, Translational and Clinical Lung Research

Associate Professor, Thoracic Medicine and Surgery



- Obtained a grant from NIH to conduct clinical trials with quercetin in patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (2018)
- Recognized and invited to give a talk at National Jewish Health as an accomplished scientist (2018)
- Invited to give a talk at COPD Symposium as a Keynote Speaker to be held in Spain in October (2019)

# Denise Salerno, MD, FAAP

Associate Dean, Academic Affiliations

Professor, Clinical Pediatrics

Director, Pediatric Clerkship

Director, Pediatric Weight Management Program



- President of the Pennsylvania American Academy of Pediatrics 2016-2018
- Selected and Participated in Temple's Provost Teaching Academy in 2018

# Cecelia E. Schmalbach, MD, MSc, FACS

The David Myers MD Professor and Chair, Department of Otolaryngology – Head & Neck Surgery  
Director, Temple Head & Neck Institute



- invited to serve on the inaugural Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) National Awareness Task Force for North America. She coordinated efforts of the American Head & Neck Society, American Academy of Otolaryngology, Head & Neck Cancer Alliance, and HPV Round Table to culminate in a webinar series during the first ever HPV awareness week in our country which reached over 400 viewers from 32 states.



# Kraftin Schreyer, MD

Assistant Professor, Clinical Emergency Medicine



- Promoted to the Director of Clinical Operations of the Emergency Department on the Episcopal Campus 2018
- I've introduced a medication dispensing program to provide pre-packaged antibiotics to patients with significant social barriers to care, including access to a pharmacy and funds to obtain medications. So far, this program has prevented repeat ED visits and subsequent hospital admissions. It is one of the only programs like this in the country.
- I also developed a new fellowship for Administration in Emergency Medicine at Temple and successfully launched the fellowship with our inaugural fellow this year.

# Gina Simoncini, MD, MPH, FACP, AAHIVS

Associate Professor, Clinical Medicine  
Associate Professor, Center for Asian Health  
Deputy Director, Comprehensive HIV Program



- Emma 3/11/18
- Appointment as Associate Professor, Clinical Medicine and Associate Professor, Center for Asian Health
- Presentations
  - Jackson J, Schreyer KE, Simoncini GM, Fleece DM. Human Immunodeficiency Virus and Hepatitis C Virus: Improving Diagnosis through Electronic Medical Record-Driven Emergency Department Testing. Poster session at: Pennsylvania Patient Safety Authority Patient Safety Summit. Seven Springs, PA, May 2019.
  - Simoncini GM, Chisty A, Lee, EL. Preparing a New Generation of Internists with HIV Prevention Tools: An Ambulatory Internal Medicine PrEP Curriculum. Poster session at: Academic Internal Medicine Week 2019. Philadelphia, PA. April 14-17,
  - 2019. Wick JM, Oyola-Jimenez J, Singleton D, Webster S, Fleece DM, Volgraf J, Goldberg AJ, Simoncini GM. Reducing Missed Opportunities in a Vulnerable Population: HIV testing of Trauma Surgery Patients. Poster session at: 2019 National HIV Prevention Conference (NHPC). Atlanta, GA. March 18-21, 2019.
  - Wick JM, Oyola-Jimenez J, Singleton D, Webster S, Fleece DM, Volgraf J, Goldberg AJ, Simoncini GM. Hepatitis C Testing of Trauma Surgery Patients: Incidence, Prevalence & Care Cascade. Poster session at: Conference on Retrovirals and Opportunistic Infections (CROI). Seattle, Washington. March 4-7, 2019.
  - Koren DE, Nichols JS, Simoncini GM. HIV Pre-Exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) and women: Survey of the knowledge, Attitudes and beliefs among an all-female family planning population. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Exposition, November 13, 2018, San Diego, CA.
- Publications
  - Simoncini GM & Koren DE. Hepatitis C Update and Expanding the Role of Primary Care. Am Board Fam Med May 2019. 32 (3) 428-430.
  - Simoncini GM, Oyola-Jimenez J, Singleton D, Volgraf J, Ramsey F, Goldberg A. HIV and HCV Screening among Trauma Patients. International Journal of STD & AIDS. 2019 Apr 8. E pub ahead of print.
  - Koren DE, Nichols JS, Simoncini GM. HIV Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) and Women: Survey of the Knowledge, Attitudes, and Beliefs in an Urban Obstetrics / Gynecology Clinic. AIDS Patient Care and STDs. 2018 Dec;32(12):490-494.

# Bizath Taqui, MD

Professor, Clinical Medicine



- working with Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine ,
- Awarded participation in Improving Diagnosis Through Education Learning Collaborative (DxLC)
- I also was a Co-Author on a publication this year, as well as two educational innovation posters (ACP and SHM national meetings).
- • Michelle Daniel, Jennifer Stojan, Margaret Wolff, Bizath Taqui, Tiffany Glasgow, Susan Forster, Todd Cassese. Applying four-component instructional design to develop a case presentation curriculum. Perspectives in Medical Education. August 2018. Volume 7 (4).
- • Dharmini Shah Pandya MD FACP, Paul Williams MD FACP, Rachel Rubin MD, Bizath Taqui MD; From Hospital to Home: Creating Care Transitions Standards from Consensus Using Nominal Group Technique. Poster 2019 ACP National Conference, Philadelphia PA
- • Dharmini Shah Pandya MD FACP, Paul Williams MD FACP, Rachel Rubin MD, Bizath Taqui MD; From Hospital to Home: Creating Care Transitions Standards from Consensus Using Nominal Group Technique. Poster SHM National Conference
- Associate Program Director of IM Residency Program.

# Ellen Tedaldi, MD, MACP

Professor, Medicine

Director, HIV Program, Temple University Hospital



- 4 publications; 1 abstract including Paper on Sleep Disturbances in HIV patients with IM resident mentee published after 5 journals and 4 year attempt!!
- Coordinated 2<sup>nd</sup> TUH Physician Leadership Academy
- Top Doc Philadelphia—16<sup>th</sup> time
- Story Slam-LKSOM

# Top Docs 2019



- Penny R. Anderson, MD – Radiation Oncology (FCCC)
- Cynthia A. Bergman, MD – Gynecologic Oncology (FCCC/TUH)
- Marissa A. Blum, MD, MSHPR – Rheumatology (TUH)
- Alison E. Branigan, MD, FACC – Cardiovascular Disease (Jeanes/TPI)
- Aaila I. Chaudhry, MD – Ophthalmology (Jeanes)
- Christina S. Chu, MD – Gynecologic Oncology (FCCC)
- Deborah L. Crabbe, MD – Cardiovascular Disease (TUH)
- Mary B. Daly, MD, PhD, FACP – Medical Oncology (FCCC)
- Hormoz Ehya, MD – Pathology (FCCC)
- Cherie P. Erkmén, MD – Thoracic & Cardiac Surgery (TUH)
- Susan S. Gersh, MD, FACP, DABIHM – Internal Medicine (TUH)
- Carol Ann Glowacki, MD, FACOG – Urogynecology/Female Pelvic Medicine & Reconstructive Surgery (TUH/Jeanes)
- Amy J. Goldberg, MD, FACS – Surgery (TUH)
- Lori J. Goldstein, MD, FASCO – Medical Oncology (FCCC)
- Shelly Hayes, MD – Radiation Oncology (FCCC)
- Gail M. Herrine, MD, FACOG, IBCLC, FABM – Obstetrics & Gynecology (TUH)

# Top Docs 2019



- Sharon J. Herring, MD, MPH – Internal Medicine (TUH)
- Brenda J. Horwitz, MD – Gastroenterology (TUH)
- Karen L. Houck, MD, FACOG – Gynecologic Oncology (TUH)
- Mercedes P. Jacobson, MD – Neurology (TUH/Jeanes)
- Stephanie A. King, MD – Gynecologic Oncology (FCCC/Jeanes)
- Miriam N. Lango, MD, FACS – Otolaryngology (FCCC/TUH)
- Minhuyen T. Nguyen, MD, AGAF, FACP – Gastroenterology (FCCC)
- Anuradha S. Paranjape, MD, MPH, FACP – Internal Medicine (TUH)
- Rosaleen B. Parsons, MD, FACR, FSAR – Diagnostic Radiology (FCCC)
- Elizabeth R. Plimack, MD, MS – Medical Oncology (FCCC)
- Natasha Pollak, MD – Otolaryngology (TUH/Jeanes)
- Pamela C. Roehm, MD, PhD – Otolaryngology (TUH/Jeanes)
- Lauren Rosenberg, MD – Family Medicine (Jeanes/TPI)
- Denise A. Salerno, MD, FAAP – Pediatrics (TUH)



# Top Docs 2019



- Aditi G. Satti, MD – Pulmonary Disease (TUH)
- Bindi K. Shah-Johnson, MD, FACC – Cardiac Electrophysiology (TUH/Jeanes)
- Elin R. Sigurdson, MD, PhD, FACS – Surgery (FCCC/Jeanes)
- Irene J. Tan, MD – Rheumatology (TUH)
- Ellen M. Tedaldi, MD, MACP – Internal Medicine (TUH)
- Elina M. Toskala, MD, PhD, MBA – Otolaryngology (Jeanes/TUH)
- Audrey B. Uknis, MD – Rheumatology (TUH)
- Anjali Vaidya, MD, FACC, FASE, FACP – Cardiovascular Disease (TUH)
- Margaret von Mehren, MD – Medical Onc
- Sheila E. Weaver, DO – Pulmonary Disease (TUH)
- Stephanie E. Weiss, MD – Radiation Oncology (FCCC)
- Susan E. Wieggers, MD, FACC, FASE – Cardiovascular Disease (TUH)

# TUH Physician Leadership Academy



- Suzanne Pascarella - Radiology
- Bizath Taqui - Medicine
- Angela Barbera - Ophthalmology
- Janelle Wagner - Plastic Surgery
- Efran Dotat - Oncology
- Heidi Taylor - Pediatrics
- Vanetta Hyatt - Medicine
- Dianna Feinstein - Anesthesiology
- Natalia Ortiz - Psychiatry
- Alexandra Schreiber - Family Med
- Pamela Rohm - Otolaryngology
- Heather Clauss - Medicine/ID/Dean
- Kraftin Schreyer - Emergency Med
- Sarah Park - OB/Gyn
- Leslie Barnes - Orthopedics

# Audrey Uknis, MD

Professor, Medicine



- American College of Rheumatology ACCME Reaccreditation Committee, Member
- American College of Rheumatology Past-Presidents Working Group, Member
- Rheumatology Research Foundation Ambassador
- Castle Connelly Regional Top Doctors and Philadelphia Magazine Top Doctors 2019
- Best Doctors in America 2019

# Anjali Vaidya, MD, FACC, FASE, FACP

Associate Director, Pulmonary Hypertension, Right Heart Failure & CTEPH Program and Pulmonary Thromboendarterectomy Program  
Associate Professor, Medicine



- Completed travel to all 50 states of the USA
- Promoted to Co-Director of the Pulmonary Hypertension, Right Heart Failure, and CTEPH Program at Temple
- Recognition as a “Philadelphia Top Doctor” by Castle Connely in Philadelphia Magazine 2019
- Named Associate Program Director of the Cardiology Fellowship Training Program
- Promoted to Associate Professor of Medicine

# Cherie L. Vaz, MD

Assistant Professor, Medicine



- Successfully completed a randomized controlled clinical trial on weight loss and metabolic health - Data was presented at the ADA 2018 and additional data on prediabetes to be presented at ADA 2019

# Susan E. Wiegers, MD, FACC, FASE

Senior Associate Dean, Clinical Affairs  
Senior Associate Dean, Faculty Affairs  
Professor, Medicine



- Appointed CEO Temple Faculty Practice Plan - Inaugural



# Marla R. Wolfson, MS, PhD, FCPP

Professor and Associate Chair, Department of Physiology  
Professor, Center for Inflammation, Translational and Clinical Lung Research  
Professor, Thoracic Medicine and Surgery  
Professor, Pediatrics  
Professor, Medicine



- The recipient of “Temple University President’s Innovation Award-Inaugural Award”
- Published 6 manuscripts in peer-reviewed journals
- Invited speaker at the US Army Laboratory (2x) as well at the Department of Defense Traumatic Brain Injury Symposium at Temple University
- Participated as session moderator and presenter of 4 original research projects at the Annual Meeting of American Thoracic Society, for platform and poster symposia
- 4 active grant funded projects of which she is the PI/MPI on 3, co-investigator on 1.
- She continues to participate in large and small group education activities in the Medical School and Biomedical Graduate Sciences programs at Lewis Katz School of Medicine as well as research facilitator in the Pulmonary and Critical Care Fellowship and General Surgery programs of our institution and Neonatology Fellowship Programs of Thomas Jefferson University and A.I.duPont Hospital.