

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER  
SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

## COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY



May 23, 2022  
Lubbock, Texas  
United Supermarkets Arena



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## Commencement Program Order

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Presiding	Steven L. Berk, M.D.
Introductions	James Bunch, MBA President, SOM Class of 2022
Remarks	Steven L. Berk, M.D.
MD/Ph.D. Recipients	Steven L. Berk, M.D.
Family Medicine Accelerated Track	Betsy Jones, Ed.D. Co-Director, Family Medicine Accelerated Track
MD/MBA Recipients	Simon Williams, Ph.D.
MD/MPH Recipients	Steven L. Berk, M.D.
Alpha Omega Alpha	Steven L. Berk, M.D. ΑΩΑ Faculty Counselor
Gold Humanism Honor Society	Elisabeth Conser, M.D. GHHS Faculty Advisor
Student Recognitions	Simon Williams, Ph.D.
Graduation Awards	Steven L. Berk, M.D.
Presentation of Graduates	Amarillo, Covenant, Lubbock & Permian Basin
Oath of Hippocrates	Class of 2022
Presentation of Class of 2022	Steven L. Berk, M.D.
Conferring of Degrees	Lori Rice-Spearman, Ph.D.
Ceremony Closing	Steven L. Berk, M.D.

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## **Campus Hooders**

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Amy Stark, M.D. - Amarillo

Brian Pomeroy, M.D. - Covenant Branch

Shaughn Nuñez , M.D. - Covenant Branch

Lauren Cobbs, M.D., M.Ed., FACP - Lubbock

Elisabeth Conser, M.D. - Lubbock

Martin Ortega, M.D. - Permian Basin

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## **Campus Readers**

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Kristin Stutz, M.S. - Amarillo

Rachel Forbes, M.B.A. - Covenant Branch

Simon Williams, Ph.D. - Lubbock

Christopher Maguire, M.D. - Permian Basin

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## **MD/PhD Recipients**

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Timothy Brown, Ph.D.

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## **MD/MBA Recipients**

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Destiny Anamege  
Rohan Anand  
Patrick Bettiol  
James Bunch  
Victoria Chu  
Callie Fort  
Caroline Freedle  
Anastazia Gilman

Brianna Hope  
Landon Hope  
Srinidhi Marka  
Lexi Neighbors  
Jessica Solis  
Preston Weaver  
Justine Yamashiro

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## **MD/MPH Recipients**

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Hijab Ahmed  
Brianna Hope  
Jessica Lovelace  
Colin Telchik  
Caroline Thompson

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## **Family Medicine Accelerated Track Recipients**

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Katie Alex  
Brooklyn Anderson  
Jeanette Cala  
Kristine Chen  
Chase Griffin  
Thomas Jarman  
Dallin Low  
Kaitlyn Moseley

Regina Moyana  
Denise Naudé  
Dalena Nguyen  
Ben Sheets  
Aaron Thomas  
Gene Thompson  
Brock Walker  
Brandon Ximenez

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## Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society

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Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society, a professional medical organization, recognizes and advocates for excellence in scholarship and the highest ideals in the profession of medicine. Alpha Omega Alpha is to medicine what Phi Beta Kappa is to letters and the humanities and Sigma Xi is to science. Our values include honesty, honorable conduct, morality, virtue, unselfishness, ethical ideals, dedication to serving others, and leadership. Members have a compelling drive to do well and to advance the medical profession and exemplify the highest standards of professionalism.

The top 25 percent of a medical school class is eligible for nomination to the society, and up to 16 percent may be elected based on leadership, character, community service, and professionalism. Members may also be elected by chapters after demonstrating scholarly achievement and professional contributions and values during their careers in medicine. Distinguished professionals may also be elected to honorary membership.

More than fifty Nobel Prize winners in Physiology or Medicine, and in Chemistry, have been AΩA members. More than thirty of those were elected to AΩA prior to winning the Nobel Prize.

AΩA annually grants more than \$1.75 million to medical students, residents, fellows, mid-career physicians, and faculty for awards, projects, and prizes that recognize outstanding commitment and dedication to caring for others and providing high quality health care.

### Class of 2022

Mahmud Alkul	Landon Hope
Layan Al-Sukhni	Rebecca Kernen
Destiny Anamege	Avery Kopacz
Sabiha Armin	Hunter Miears
Amanda Bell	Nitish Mittal
Patrick Bettiol	Abhilash Moolupuri
Timothy Brown	Laren Pert
James Bunch	Joshua Peterson
Nathan Chow	Kyla Petrie
Jared Covell	Alexsandra Rojas
Abbie Evans	Hana Setterquist
Joshua Frost	Annie Snitman
Paul Gaschen	Seth Swinney
Derrick Graham	Jacob Tauferner
Frances Hanson	Ellen Wilson
Emily Hecox	Justine Yamashiro

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## The Gold Humanism Honor Society

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Gold Humanism Honor Society (GHHS) honors senior medical students, residents, role-model physician teachers and other exemplars recognized for “demonstrated excellence in clinical care, leadership, compassion and dedication to service.” Organized to elevate the values of humanism and professionalism within the field of medicine and its constituent institutions, the Society continues to be integrated into the medical education environment.

GHHS is a steadfast advocate for humanism through activities on campus and has ongoing involvement with its inclusive membership. Moreover, it helps to establish relationships with practicing physicians. Election of exemplars to Gold Humanism Honor Society makes a significant statement to medical school faculty, students, and the public that an institution places high value on the interpersonal skills and attitudes that are essential for excellent patient care.

Inspiration for GHHS began in the late 1990s, when medical educators and residency program directors expressed the need for a mechanism to identify applicants for internships and residencies who have both outstanding clinical and interpersonal skills. Currently, 170 medical schools and 14 graduate medical education programs have GHHS chapters.

### Class of 2022

Angela Abraham	Briget Hyde
Amanda Bell	Mia Ivos
Patrick Bettiol	Rebecca Kernen
Summre Blakely	Sydney Loy
Kimberly Burbank	Hunter Miears
Nathan Chow	Nitish Mittal
Caitlyn Cloy	Andrea Nguyen
Amy Davis	Lauren Pert
Paul Duggan	Annie Snitman
Derrick Graham	Seth Swinney
Frances Hanson	Justine Yamashiro
Brianna Hope	

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**Dean's Ambassadors  
Class of 2022**

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Angela Abraham	Franckiana Lormeus
Callie Adams	Jonathan Martin
Summre Blakely	Farah Mechref
Alex Branson	Alexandria Murphy
Kimberly Burbank	Denise Naudé
Caitlyn Cloy	Saleena Ramzanali
Kyle Drinnon	Mark Reno
Paul Gaschen	Jacqueline Rios
Grant Gideon	Sterling Rosqvist
Nathan Hallier	Samir Sherali
Konner Hamous	Annie Snitman
Frances Hanson	Seth Swinney
Emily Hecox	Ilina Terzyski
Briget Hyde	Frank Wathen
Avery Kopacz	

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**Global Health Certificate**

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Sarah Bayless

Amy Davis

Mary Girgis

Andrea Nguyen

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**The John P. McGovern, M.D.**  
**Certificate Program in Medical Humanities and Ethics**  
**Medical Humanities and Ethics Scholars, 2022**

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“The practice of medicine is an art, not a trade; a calling, not a business; a calling in which your head will be exercised equally with your heart.”

~ Sir William Osler

Medicine must be viewed as both art and science. It is the art of understanding humankind in the context of disease-not just recognizing or diagnosing the pathological condition, but seeing how an individual's disease is a product of his or her whole life. By exploring medicine through the lenses of medical humanities, ethics, spirituality, narrative, law, and the arts, students gain insights into the nature of the human condition, human suffering, personhood, and the responsibilities of individuals to one another in sickness and in health.

Taken together, these disciplines offer physicians-in-training an enriched understanding of the dynamic relationship between medicine and the larger social world of which it is a part. The very technology that advances the science of medicine places new demands on the physician to address quality of life and complex ethical issues that represent new challenges to the field of medicine. Never before has the art of medicine been so important.

The following Class of 2022 graduates have distinguished themselves as John P. McGovern, M.D., scholars in Medical Humanities and Ethics.

Hijab Ahmed  
Layan Al-Sukhni  
Mahmud Alkul  
Amanda Bell  
Summre Blakely  
Karen Castañeda  
Sheila Chandrahas  
Amy Davis  
Sarah Day  
Abbie Evans  
Paul Gaschen

Elizabeth Hart  
Srinidhi Marka  
Megan Mikkelsen  
Bianca Patel  
Christopher Peterson  
Ryan Poch  
Sterling Rosqvist  
Daniel Truesdale  
Nkemjika Uke  
Brandon Wei  
Samuel Yang

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**Military Commissioning and Promotion Graduates  
Class of 2022**

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**Air Force**

Captain Jonathan Martin

Captain Michael Ramirez

**Army**

Captain Sarah Bayless

Captain Paul Duggan

Captain Avery Kopacz

Captain Alexandria Murphy

Captain Vivian Yim

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**Match Day Awards**

**Amarillo Campus**

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**Outstanding Student in Pediatrics  
Maurice Dyer, M.D. Memorial Scholarship Endowment**  
Angela Abraham

**Department of Pediatrics  
Naqvi Family Scholarship Award**  
Mary Girgis

**Gerald Holman, M.D. Pediatric Scholarship Award**  
Alexis Schuck, MSIII

**Department of Family Medicine  
Outstanding Student**  
Tierney Phillips

**Chairman's Award**  
Angela Abraham

**Department of Internal Medicine**  
Abbie Evans

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**Match Day Awards**  
**Amarillo Campus**

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**Outstanding Student in Obstetrics & Gynecology**  
**Benjamin V. Salazar, M.D. Memorial Award**

Raina Kishan

**Department of Psychiatry**

Hanna Setterquist

Ethan Evans

**Department of Surgery**

**Outstanding Student**

Emily Hecox

**Chairman's Award**

Ellen Wilson

**Steven L. Berk, M.D. Overall Outstanding Student**

Angela Abraham

**J. Rush Pierce, M.D. Medical Student Leadership Award**

Angela Abraham

**Mitchell Jones Medical Student Endowed Scholarship**

Brianna Taylor, MSIII

**Bernie Mitemeyer, M.D. Medical Student Award**

Abbie Evans

**E.K. Jones, M.D. Award**

Callie Todd

**Potter Randall Medical Alliance Scholarship**

Katie Alex

Kaitlyn Moseley

Denise Naudé

Brock Walker

**Mario Feola, M.D. Outstanding Faculty Award**

David Vineyard, M.D.

**Outstanding Resident Award**

Joshua Sorenson, M.D.

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**Match Day Awards**  
**Covenant Branch Campus**

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**Outstanding Student in Family Medicine**

Hunter Miears

**Outstanding Student in Internal Medicine**

Megan Mikkelson

**Outstanding Student in Obstetrics & Gynecology**

Nathan Hallier

**Outstanding Student in Pediatrics**

Rachel Lowe

**Outstanding Student in Psychiatry**

Tate Leatherwood

**Outstanding Student in Surgery**

Abhilash Moolupuri

**Outstanding Faculty Awards**

**Family Medicine**

Kerry Hendershot, M.D.

**Internal Medicine**

Brad Snodgrass, M.D.

**Obstetrics & Gynecology**

Noelle Zavala, M.D.

**Pediatrics**

Shaughn Nunez, M.D.

**Surgery & Overall Outstanding Faculty of the Year**

Robert Gaines, M.D.

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**Match Day Awards  
Lubbock Campus**

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**Outstanding Student in Anesthesiology**

Craig Peiris

**Outstanding Student in Family Medicine Accelerated Track**

Dalena Nguyen

**Outstanding Student in Family Medicine**

Daniel Truesdale

**Outstanding Student in Internal Medicine**

Craig Peterson

**Outstanding Student in Obstetrics & Gynecology**

Ilina Terzyiski

**Outstanding Student in Ophthalmology**

Rebecca Kern

**Outstanding Student in Orthopedics**

Patrick Bettiol

**Outstanding Student in Pediatrics**

Amy Davis

**Outstanding Student in Psychiatry**

Diana Vo

**Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award**

Robby Scott, M.D.

**Outstanding Resident Teaching Awards**

Ann Erickstad, M.D.

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**Match Day Awards**  
**Permian Basin Campus**

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**Department of Family Medicine**

Kimberly Burbank

**Department of Internal Medicine**

Obianuju Okoye

**Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology**

Jessica Solis

**Department of Pediatrics**

Kimberly Burbank

**Department of Psychiatry**

Amanda Bell

**Department of Surgery**

Stanley Eboh

**Outstanding Faculty**

Christopher Maguire, M.D.

**Outstanding Resident**

Suna Burghul, D.O.

**Outstanding Staff**

Kristin Sumuel

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**Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center**  
**School of Medicine Awards**  
**Class of 2022**

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The John Aure Buesseler, MD  
Founding Dean Memorial Award  
for Teaching Excellence, Basic Sciences Faculty



The John Aure Buesseler, MD  
Founding Dean Memorial Award  
for Teaching Excellence, Clinical Faculty



The John Aure Buesseler, MD  
Founding Dean Memorial Award  
for Student Excellence



Dean's Highest Academic Achievement Award



Dean's Resiliency Award



Dean's Recognition Award



Gold Headed Cane

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## Gold Headed Cane Award

### Class of 2022

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The Gold Headed Cane Award is a long-standing tradition in medicine begun by the Royal College of Physicians in London. The College selected a physician they deemed to be an outstanding practitioner to carry the cane. Dr. John Radcliffe was the first documented physician to carry the Gold Headed Cane in England from 1689 to 1714. Between 1689 and 1825, the cane was presented to five distinguished British physicians: Radcliffe, Mead, Askew, Pitcairn, and Baille. None of these men made contributions to the medical literature, but all were outstanding clinicians, who exemplified the ultimate in consideration for patient care. The Gold-Headed Cane carried by these men now rests in the Museum of the Royal College of Physicians in London.

The American Association of Pathologists and Bacteriologists brought the tradition to America in 1919, presenting the award to Dr. Harold Ernst, Professor of Pathology at Harvard. From Harvard the Cane tradition was picked up by societies in California, Pennsylvania, and Texas. Dr. William J. Kerr, who initiated the awarding of the Gold Headed Cane at the University of California in 1939, felt that while the science of medicine had been appropriately recognized and rewarded, the art of medicine “should be more forcibly brought to the attention of students, faculty, and to all those concerned with the care of patients.” A number of medical schools in the United States have since adopted the symbol to recognize excellence in clinical medicine.

The Gold Headed Cane was first presented at the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Medicine in 1977. The recipient is selected jointly by students and faculty as the individual who best exemplifies those attributes that are most desirable in the competent and caring physician. A gold band with the recipient’s name is added each year to the shaft of the cane, which is kept on display in the Preston Smith Library of the Health Sciences.

### Past Recipients of the Gold Headed Cane:

1977	William E. Bode, M.D.	2001	Glena Dru Pointer, M.D.
1979	William F. Davitt, III, M.D.	2002	Jacky Dwayne Shannon, M.D.
1980	Phillip Samuels, M.D.	2003	Laurie Ladawn Marbas, M.D.
1981	Mitchell J. Farrell, M.D.	2004	Jay Deep Sengupta, M.D.
1982	Mark W. Sciolli, M.D.	2005	Lesley Crowley Motheral, M.D.
1983	Frederick L. Bishop, M.D.	2006	Brianna Leigh Kirk, M.D.
1984	David L. Lindzey, M.D.	2007	Christopher Dwight Souder, M.D.
1985	Timothy G. Cornitius, M.D.	2008	Benjamin Aaron Hirsch, M.D.
1986	Philip Augustus Deffer, Jr., M.D.	2009	Katie Brading, M.D.
1987	Carl David Rowlett, M.D.	2010	Kelsey Renae Kelso, M.D.
1988	William Bradley Snodgrass, M.D.	2011	Jamie Wilkerson, M.D.
1989	Douglas Roy Klepper, M.D.	2012	Wesley Lane, M.D.
1990	John David Hernreid, M.D.	2013	Jason P. Cooper, M.D., PhD
1991	Tina Sue Haynes, M.D.	2014	Meera Subash, M.D.
1992	Sue Scher Bornstein, M.D.	2015	Krystine Guerra, M.D.
1993	Patrick William Shovline, III, M.D.	2016	Feba Thomas, M.D.
1994	Patricia Riley Arledge, M.D.	2017	Ryan Balko, M.D.
1995	Jeffrey Drayton Kerr, M.D.	2018	Jarrod Tunnell, M.D.
1996	Michael Allen Loden, M.D.	2019	Andrew Dewayne Hudson, M.D.
1997	Floyd E. Pirtle, M.D.	2020	Katelyn Macleay Light, M.D.
1998	Michael Patrick Steinmetz, M.D.	2021	Ganesh Bala Maniam, M.D.
1999	James M. Ross, M.D.		
2000	Kellie Jean Nazemi, M.D.		

## Special Recognition of Student Mentors

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“In honor of, and thanks to, our personal and professional mentors in helping guide and support us to this day.”

### **Callie Adams**

Mom, Dad, Mimi, Ryan  
TTUHSC EM Faculty

Thank you- fam, for believing in me since '93. Ryan, for the hugs that kept me going. Drs. Morris, Xu, Piel & Kendall, for guiding me on this journey.

### **Hijab Ahmed**

Aba and Ami

Thanks for loving me, thanks for feeding me, and thanks for supporting me throughout this journey! I hope you're happy!

### **Katie Alex**

Family  
Friends

Thank you for the incredible love and support you have given me. I love you all so much!

### **Destiny Anamege**

Family  
Friends

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### **Rohan Anand**

Parents  
Mentors

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### **Brooklyn Anderson**

Family  
Friends

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### **Sabiha Armin**

Mom & Sibbs  
Dr. E. Islam & Dr. Nugent

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**Sarah Bayless**  
My Family

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**Amanda Bell**  
Mom  
Dad

My diploma today reads my name alone, but it wouldn't be there at all without every late night, every sacrifice, & every bit of love you've given me.

**Summre Blakely**  
Mom & Dad  
Husband Luis

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**Joshua Brock**  
Parents  
Wife, Hannah

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**Ellen Brown**  
My parents  
Jan

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**James Bunch**  
Mom, Dad, & Kate  
Kenzie

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**Kimberly Burbank**  
Mom, Dad, Matt  
Dr. Nicola

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**Blair Buschmann**  
My husband, Tanner,  
My parents

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**Karen Castañeda**  
Guadalupe Castañeda  
Reyes Castañeda

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**Sheila Chandrahas**  
My Parents- Sanjay and Bina Chandrahas  
My Sister- Anita Chandrahas and my extended family

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**Kristine Chen**  
Mom and Dad  
Friends

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**Nathan Chow**  
Family  
Mentors

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**Victoria Chu**  
Mom  
Dad

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**Caitlyn Cloy**  
Family  
Friends

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**Jared Covell**  
Family  
Friends

Love ya bunches!

**Amy Davis**  
My family

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**Abbie Evans**  
My family and friends  
Amarillo IM Department

Thank you for your guidance and encouragement that anything is possible. And to Josh, thank you for making everything possible.

**Chih Fang**

Family  
Mentors

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**Nicolas Garza**

Family  
TTUHSC SOM

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**Grant Gideon**

Mom  
Dad

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**Anastazia Gilman**

Family  
Friends

Together we knocked it out in fifteen minutes. Go Team Gilman! Love you all! Thank you for all the support! Special thank you to Adam for everything!

**Mary Girgis**

Mom  
Dad

Thank you for your constant love and support! I couldn't have done it without you! Love you both so much!

**Derrick Graham**

Brianne Graham  
Dr. Kelly Mitchell

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**Vasu Gupta**

Mom  
Dad

Thank you for dedicating your entire lives to make my dream a reality, for being my biggest supporters ensuring I live life smiling ~ I love you.

**Nathan Hallier**

My wife Tyler  
My family

Thank you all for your amazing support. I wouldn't be here without you!

**Elizabeth Hart**

Mom

Dad

Thank you for all your love and support! I love you both so much and could not have done any of this without you.

**Emily Hecox**

Family

Friends

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**Briget Hyde**

Family, friends, and mentors

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**Crystal Ike**

Mommy

Daddy

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**Brendalyn Iweh**

Family

Friends

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**Marco Jauregui**

Family

Cassie

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**Brooke Jensen**

Family

Friends

Thank you for your love and support throughout this journey!

**Andrew Jones**

Maddie Jones

My family

I want to give a huge thank you to my wife, Maddie, and my family. I would never have made it here without all the support you have given me!

**Cimron Kashyap**

Mama

Papa

Mama, papa, Gugu, & Alisha, thank you for being my greatest inspirations and cheerleaders. Every achievement of mine is dedicated to you. I love you!

**Rebecca Kernen**

Family

The Lord

No words can describe how thankful I am for everything you have done for me. I love you so much, and I couldn't have done this without you!

**Samuel Kim**

Mom

Dad

Thank you for your prayers and support, I couldn't have done it without you.

**Raina Kishan**

Mom

Dad

Thank you for everything -- I love you very much!

**Rebecca Kusko**

Dr. Strawn and Dr. Cornwall

Mom and Dad

Dr. Strawn and Dr. Cornwall, thank you for clinical and research mentorship, respectively. Thank you to my parents for their kindness and support.

**Franckiana Lormeus**

Family

Friends

Thank you for continuously being my support system and lifeline! I'm so thankful for you all and I pray that I continue to make everyone proud!

**Dallin Low**

Teesha Low

Thanks for being there through all the ups and downs. I appreciate all of your support and sacrifice. Love you!

**Sydney Loy**

Family

Friends

Thank you so much for all the support and guidance throughout the years! I couldn't have done it without you guys!

**Farah Mechref**

Parents

Sister

Thank you for being my constant support system throughout these last four years. Alhamdulillah for the best Family a girl could ask for!

**Megan Mikkelson**

My amazing family

My wonderful friends

Thanks for all the love, support, and for always picking up the phone when I cried! OK to D/C, thank you for this interesting consult!

**Daniel Moreno**

Mom

Family

Mom, everything I've accomplished in life is because of the love you've put into raising me. Family, you all are so special to me. I love all of you.

**Kaitlyn Moseley**

Family

Cruz

You all have sacrificed so much for me to be where I am. I love you and I couldn't be more grateful for the love and support you have shown me.

**Regina Moyana**

Dad &amp; Mom

Family &amp; friends

Your love and support have been my backbone throughout this journey. I could not have done this without you. Thank you so much for everything!

**Alexandria Murphy**

Family

Friends

Thank you for always being there to support and help me through this journey. I am forever grateful for all of you! Wreck 'em!

**Andrea Nguyen**

Ba Me

Family

Thank you for the love & support you have given me. I love y'all so much!

**Dalena Nguyen**

Mom

Family, friends

Thank you Mom for all your love! Cảm ơn mẹ đã nuôi con. Con sẽ nhớ đây không có mẹ. Con thu'ong mẹ rất nhiều. I wouldn't be here without you! Thank you amazing family & friends! You are beyond funny.

**Tam Nguyen**  
To my family  
Friends

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Dad

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Friends

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**Jessica Shepherd**

Mom

Dad

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Dad

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**Callie Todd**  
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Family

Friends

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## Oath of Hippocrates

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*I do solemnly swear by that which I hold most sacred,  
that I will be loyal to the Profession of Medicine and  
just and generous to its members.*

*That I will lead my life and practice my art in uprightness and  
honor.*

*That into whatever house I will enter, it shall be for the good of the  
sick to the utmost of my power.*

*I, holding myself aloof from wrong, from corruption,  
from the tempting of others to vice, that I will exercise  
my art solely for the cure of my patient and will give  
no drug, perform no operation for a criminal purpose,  
even if solicited, far less suggest it.*

*That whatsoever I shall see or hear of the lives of men or women  
which is not fitting to be spoken, I will keep inviolably secret.*

*These things do I promise. And in proportion as I am  
faithful to this, my oath, may happiness and good  
repute be ever mine. In the opposite if I shall be  
foresworn.*