

# UCI Family Medicine

## Class of 2023



**Peter Azzam**  
Loma Linda University



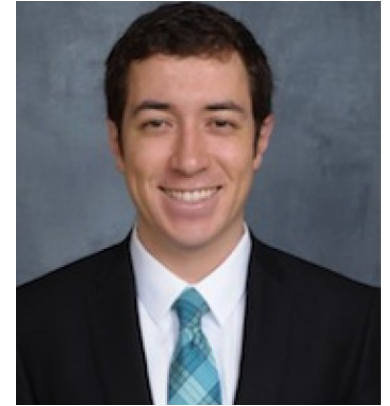
**Chris Chang**  
Virginia  
Commonwealth  
University



**Ryan Chen**  
Saint Louis University



**Jennifer Kim**  
Thomas Jefferson  
University



**George Lewis**  
Universidad Peruana  
Cayetano Heredia



**Chhai Meas**  
Quinnipiac University



**Puja Patel**  
Touro University Nevada



**Andrew Phan**  
University of Texas  
Health Science Center  
at Houston



**Cindy Yang**  
Boston University



**Florence Yuan**  
Quinnipiac University

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**Peter Azzam**

Loma Linda University  
School of Medicine

- Undergrad: UCLA—B.S. in Physiological Science with a minor in Biomedical Research
  - Graduate School: USC—M.A. in Gerontology
- Hobbies: Freestyle soccer, volunteering with Soul Care, and attending Young Adult Community Group
  - Interested in Sports Medicine
    - Speaks some Spanish
    - From Los Angeles, CA

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**Chris Chang**

Virginia Commonwealth University  
School of Medicine

- Undergrad: Claremont McKenna College—B.A. in Science and Management with a focus in Biotechnology
- Hobbies: Reading, crafts, baking, and ice skating
- Participated in a medical mission trip to Honduras
- Studied public health in South Africa for a semester
  - Speaks some Korean
  - From San Bernardino, CA

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**Ryan Chen**

Saint Louis University  
School of Medicine

- Undergrad and Graduate School: USC—  
B.S. and M.A. in Industrial and Systems  
Engineering
- A member of the Gold Humanism Honor  
Society (Member of GHHS)
- Hobbies: Biking, reading, yoga, and  
gardening
- Has backpacked and camped at  
numerous sites
  - Speaks advanced Chinese
  - From Los Angeles, CA

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**Jennifer Kim**

Sidney Kimmel Medical College at  
Thomas Jefferson University

- Undergrad: Cornell University—B.S. in Human Development
- Hobbies: Mountaineering, paddle boarding, dog sitting, and eating Korean barbecue
  - Interested in geriatrics
- Volunteered as a refugee patient navigator to assist newly resettled refugee groups in Philadelphia.
  - From Laurel, Maryland and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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**George Lewis**

Universidad Peruana  
Cayetano Heredia Facultad de  
Medicina Alberto Hurtado

- Part of the UCLA International Medical Graduate (IMG) program
  - Hobbies: Soccer, hiking, paddle boarding, painting, meditating, poetry, and playing the electric guitar
- Worked as a physician in Peru before starting his training at UCLA
- At the age of 7 he performed clown skits at a children's hospital in Peru
  - Native Spanish Speaker
- Originally from Los Angeles, CA, but grew up in Peru

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**Chhai Meas**

Frank H. Netter MD  
School of Medicine at  
Quinnipiac University

- Undergrad: UC San Diego—B.S. in Physiology/ Neuroscience and Psychology
- Hobbies: Half-marathon running, music performance (ukulele, trombone), and writing Yelp reviews
- Worked as a chemist before starting medical school
- Speaks some American Sign Language
  - From Riverside, CA
  - Couples Match ❤️

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**Puja Patel**

Touro University Nevada  
College of Osteopathic Medicine

- Undergrad: UC Irvine—B.S. in Biological Sciences
- Graduate School: USC— M.A. in Global Medicine
- Hobbies: Competitive Swimming, fitness, hiking, cooking, reading, and painting
- Speaks native Gujarati, advanced Hindi, and some Spanish
- Participated in a medical mission trip to South Africa
- Part of the osteopathic honor society, Sigma Sigma Phi
  - From Orange County, CA



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**Andrew Phan**

McGovern Medical School at  
the University of Texas Health Science  
Center at Houston

- Undergrad: The University of Texas Dallas—B.S. in Biochemistry with a minor in music
- Hobbies: Studying different languages, singing, and cooking European and Asian cuisines
  - Speaks advanced French and fair Spanish and Vietnamese
- interested LGBTQIA+ care and global health
  - From Grand Prairie, Texas

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**Cindy Yang**  
Boston University  
School of Medicine

- Undergrad: UC San Diego-B.S. in Human Biology
- Hobbies: Art, food photography, board games, card games, karaoke, hiking, indoor cycling, and traveling
  - Speaks some Chinese
- Created a Heal Through Art program to teach first-graders in underserved communities about health and nutrition.
- Worked as a medical scribe in the UCI ED
  - From Orange County, CA

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**Florence Yuan**

Frank H. Netter MD  
School of Medicine at  
Quinnipiac University

- Undergrad: UC Berkeley– B.A. in Integrative Biology and Psychology
- Hobbies: Playing and performing music, reading, solving puzzles, video production, traveling, running, trying new restaurants, and listening to podcasts
- Created educational videos about evolutionary medicine to help patients understand important concepts
  - Speaks native Chinese
  - From San Diego, CA
  - Couples Match ❤️