



**IN HIS
IMAGE**
FIRST YEAR RESIDENTS



Anca Dauer, DO
Edward Via (Virginia)
Blacksburg, VA

I was born in Romania around the time communism fell. After immigrating to the U.S., my (non-believing) parents placed me in a Christian middle school. It was there that I surrendered my life to Him and heard my first mission stories. God has taken me on trips to India, Brazil, Cambodia, Ethiopia, and the jungles of Guyana. I have a thirst for front-line medical missions and am excited to train among the mission-minded at IHI! My husband and I love traveling, cooking, the outdoors, and game nights!



Daniel Shields, DO
Lake Erie College
Erie, PA

I grew up in Florida in a Christian home. My faith was nominal until the Lord revealed himself to me while in middle school. My wife, Melissa (a nurse), and I are captivated by His love and feel compelled to tell people about His grace and mercy. We are incredibly honored to be a part of the IHI team. Other than medicine, we enjoy cycling, running, outdoor activities, board games, coffee, and simply doing life with people. We are excited for wherever God takes us in this adventure of life!



Jazzmine Hernandez, DO
Edward Via (Virginia)
Blacksburg, VA

I was born in Chicago, but raised near Disney World in Orlando, FL. Then I moved to Virginia to attend medical school. When I am not surrounded by medicine, I strive to stay connected in scripture, enjoy bike riding, playing with my pup named Luna, and spending time with my husband Kenneth (wed May '17!). Mission medicine was placed on my heart even before med school, and I hope to grow in understanding of the Lord's calling for my career through my training at IHI.



Hunter Southerland, MD
TX A&M
College Station, TX

My wife Kelsey and I, along with our young boys Walker and Joel, are grateful God has brought us to IHI. Both Kelsey and I entered our adult professional lives apart from the Lord - Kelsey working in D.C. and me in the Army, but by God's grace we are now His children. I am excited about Family Medicine and the opportunities it creates for forming relationships with patients that go beyond physical ailments to sharing God's love. I hope to further the Kingdom with work in rural NY and abroad.



Samuel Kammerzell, DO
Western Univ
Pamona, CA

I'm a small town guy with big city experiences who loves God and loves people. I grew up in a farming town in eastern Washington and hope to someday live and practice in a similar rural setting. Living and working in Shanghai, China for 2 ½ years allowed me to experience life, education, and medicine in an overseas metropolitan area. It was in China that I met my beautiful wife, Peach. We are blessed with two active children: Maisy (4) and Otis (3).



Sotheavy Vann, MD
Morehouse
Atlanta, GA

I was born in Cambodia and grew up in Atlanta, Georgia. My ultimate pursuit and desire is God. My vision is to make disciples of Christ, build schools and health facilities, and improve the quality of life of underserved people. My goals are to practice missional living in North Tulsa during residency and then become a medical missionary in an impoverished country. I enjoy nature, laughing, cooking/baking, and reading (currently attempting to finish The Lord of the Rings).



Liza Kessling, DO
Campbell Univ
Buies Creek, NC

I am from a small farming community in central Pennsylvania. Accepting Christ as a young child and surrendering to God's will for me in medical missions as a teenager, I started by attending Pensacola Christian College (nursing) and then Campbell Univ School of Osteopathic Med. Having met IHI through CMDA and GMHC conferences, I felt God's leading to seek out this opportunity that is now a reality. I look forward to amazing preparation for full-time missions after residency!



Tyler Verdell, MD
Univ of TN
Memphis, TN

I am from rural West Tennessee, where I met my high school sweetheart - now wife, Kelsey. After we graduated college and married, we spent a year doing college ministry at UT Knoxville. We then moved to Memphis for med school (and seminary for Kelsey). Throughout this process, God has shown us the incredible needs both globally and locally and has called us to serve His kingdom with faithful obedience. We're so blessed to join the IHI family in advancing the Gospel of Christ!



David McVay, DO
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

I'm from Tulsa, graduated from OK State Univ undergrad and med school, and have felt led to be a missionary family doctor since the first grade. Jesus is the delight of my life and I can't sleep sometimes thinking there are entire people groups and bunches of families yet to enjoy His passionate love and unshakable peace. I'm always up for sharing one of His miracle stories with a neighbor or two, asking Him to save the remaining nations, or just talking about how good He is!



Chris Walheim, MD
Univ of CA
San Diego, CA

God rescued me when I was 19 years old. Since then, I've wanted a career where I could naturally live out His call to serve others. By God's grace, Lydia (my amazing, beautiful wife of 10 years), our 2-month old, Amani, and I are moving from beautiful So Cal to Tulsa where I can train to do just that! Other facts: I am interested in underserved care domestically or abroad and I love outdoorsy stuff (surfing, fishing, hiking, etc.), reading, team sports, travel, and hanging out over a good meal.



Roshini Selladurai, MD
IN Univ
Indianapolis, IN

My parents adore Jesus and raised my brother and me to know Him and love Him. Jesus was always my Friend, and one day I realized I needed Him to be my Savior. I fail Him all the time, yet His grace abounds! My family doctor in Indiana is a graduate of IHI, so I heard about IHI at a young age. God has given me a heart for orphans, children, women, the skeptics, and the marginalized - locally and internationally. I also love teaching. I'll follow Him wherever He leads!



Zeke Wang, MD
Peking Univ
China

I grew up in Taiwan and moved to the US at a young age. I studied at the University of Michigan (Go Blue!), then God called me to East Asia to use medical school as a platform for various service opportunities. My wife Tricia and I are so privileged to be a part of God's plan to share His love with the lost, serve the underserved, and make disciples of all nations. We are open to wherever He calls us to go in the future. My hobbies include tennis, guitar, hiking, traveling, and eating.



**IN HIS
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SECOND YEAR RESIDENTS



Jake Fisher, DO
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

My wife Brittany, sons Rhys and Silas, and I are excited to be part of the IHI family! It was on a missions trip to Mexico, led by an IHI alumnus, that I first witnessed a physician lead a patient to Christ; in that moment my calling became clear. I have a passion for preventative care and how the spiritual aspect of medicine effects treating the whole person. I love engaging with patients and look forward to using medicine as a tool for the Kingdom - taking the Gospel to those in need.



Joanna Pan, MD
Loyola Univ
Chicago, IL

I am from the Chicago suburbs and studied medicine at the Loyola Stritch School of Medicine. My husband Jeff and I met at Moody Bible Institute. His passion is urban children's ministry. We are excited to see how God will use us as a couple to minister to our community, whether in the US or abroad. We love kids, sharing our home with friends, playing board games and being outdoors.



Brett Grobman, DO
NY Inst of Technology
Old Westbury, NY

I was born on Long Island, NY, and grew up in Queens ... Jewish by birth, Bar Mitzvah'd at 13 and saved by God's grace at 30 during med school at NYIT-COM. I met my wife Angelique just prior to MS3 and days later shared with her the call the Lord placed on my heart to serve Him at IHI. I'm passionate about addiction med and missions to the Jewish people in Israel. I most love talking about: theology, politics, mixed martial arts and medicine.



Esther Papp, MD
Washington Univ
Saint Louis, MO

I grew up in CA, but spent five childhood years in Australia and have dual citizenship. My hobbies include soccer, singing, oil painting, and ATVing. I love travelling and have been to 20 countries, including medical trips in Latin America and Asia that involved providing care to sex trafficked victims. My lifelong goal has been to be a missionary doctor; that is what I plan to do after residency. Being able to help train resident physicians overseas would make me especially happy.



Matt Haney, DO
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

My wife Lindsay and I are from small town Fairfax, Oklahoma, and now have two little girls, Brynn and Grace. I graduated from Oklahoma State Univ College of Osteopathic Med and Lindsay is finishing her Master's Degree in Global Leadership from Fuller Theological Seminary. International medicine is a passion of mine and our long-term goal is to serve in overseas missions with medicine and church planting.



Ryan Tischler, DO
Western Univ
Pomona, CA

I was born and raised in Portland, OR, and attended med school at Western Univ in CA. I have a beautiful wife Krystal and a daughter, Klara Joy. I love sports, being outdoors, playing guitar and going to the movies with my wife. Also, I have been on medical mission trips to South Africa and Bolivia. Krystal and I have a passion for following God and hope to use medicine to reach the poor and underserved either overseas or in a clinic here in the U.S.



Slava Lysenkov, MD
Tashkent Pediatric Med
Uzbekistan

I was born in Uzbekistan and raised in the Rep. of Georgia in the Soviet Union. During my senior year at the Medical School in Tashkent, the capital of Uzbekistan, I became a Christian. After completing residency, motivated by the love of Christ, I will be contributing long term, through my skills and knowledge, to the development of Family Practice/Primary Care in Central Asia or anywhere else overseas where there is a need.



Josh VanderWall, MD
MI State Univ
Grand Rapids, MI

I was raised on a small farm in Lamont, Michigan, along with my five siblings. I am excited to be working with IHI, as Christian medical mission work has been a passion of mine - sending me all over the world including Ghana, Central African Republic and India. I also enjoys sports - especially basketball - and reading many genres of books - from fantasy to philosophy.



Morgan Miles, MD
GA Regents Univ
Atlanta, GA

Christ Jesus is my first love, and I am excited for the incredible opportunity to serve Him through medicine! My home state is GA, so some "southern-isms" may be thrown in along the way; but I am so blessed to join IHI! My passion is medicine partnered with evangelism, discipleship, and care of the poor. While developing a deeper understanding of the art of healing both physically and spiritually during residency, I pray to submit to God's plan for my future - int'l, domestic or wherever He leads.



Cordelia Whitlatch, MD
Univ of KS
Wichita, KS

I grew up in KS, first in a small city and then in a small town of about 300 people. My undergrad degree is from Oral Roberts Univ; that's where I met my husband Michael. I plan to return to rural KS after residency to practice broad-scope family med for at least a few years. After that, Michael and I are excited to either stay or go wherever the Lord leads us. I enjoy spending time with my family, reading, traveling, being outside and drinking coffee (sometimes all at the same time).



Cherec Morrison, MD
Ben-Gurion Univ
Israel

I am originally from Ohio but have spent the last few years going to medical school in the Israeli desert at the Medical School for International Health. Recently, I was in Ethiopia for a two-month global health clerkship with my husband Seth, who is training at OU-Tulsa in Medicine-Pediatrics. After residency, we plan to practice in underserved settings domestically and abroad.



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THIRD YEAR RESIDENTS



Annie Alex, MD
Angeles Univ
Philippines

I am from India but was born and raised in Kuwait. I graduated from AUF, Philippines. I am married to Sam and we have a two sons: Ezra and Levi. Sam and I want to serve the underserved in India by setting up clinics and providing primary health care, especially for pregnant women in rural India.



Heidi Lee, MD
Loma Linda Univ
Loma Linda, CA

God has blessed me with many experiences overseas and in medical missions. After a year teaching in Kenya, I went to Union College and obtained a degree in Int'l Rescue and Relief, then to med school at Loma Linda Univ. The connections I've seen with family physicians and their patients are incredible – and I'm looking forward to building relationships with my patients. I enjoy intramural sports, gardening and hiking.



Stephanie Cyr, MD
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

I was born and raised in Carrollton, TX, where I met my husband James in middle school band. We moved to OK for college but to Norman and Stillwater, respectively (Go Pokes!). We welcomed our son Everett just before I graduated from OSU-COM. I love serving at our church, playing board games and watching college football. We are excited to see how God moves in and through us.



Amanda Lucashu, DO
Touro College
New York, NY

I grew up outside of Detroit, MI, and then met my husband Mark at Houghton College. After we married, we moved to Mark's home state of CT. While I finished medical school at Touro College, Mark spent a year studying the Japanese language in Nagoya, Japan. We are interested in missions and look forward to how God will use our unique callings and skills. We love playing board games and croquet.



Tim Greer, MD
Univ of AL
Birmingham, AL

I was born to military parents in NC and was transplanted to AL several years later. I attended medical school at the Univ of AL because I feel called to serve others, especially the least of these, through medicine. After completing residency, I plan to practice in an underserved domestic area and routinely serve on international medical mission trips. My wife Kalah and I have three children: Tristan, Kruz and Kade.



Johanna McLendon, MD
Univ of TX
San Antonio, TX

I am a Tulsa native but spent my pre-kindergarten days in Mexico where my parents were missionaries. My undergrad is from Univ of TX at Austin (Sooner fans beware!). I get excited about public health (just received an MPH) and doing mission work both locally and abroad, especially among Hispanic populations. My favorite things are playing and writing music, whether I'm making up silly songs or spending time with God in worship.



Adam Greer, DO
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

I have a Nutritional Sciences Background; but being inspired by my father's career in the medical field, I completed a DO/MBA dual program at OSU. A family physician has a great variety of patients – and I thrive on variety. My wife Hillary (a teacher) and I are happy to remain in Tulsa for residency and believe IHI is the ideal place to help prepare me to address the physical and spiritual care needs of my patients.



Jeremy Ransdell, DO
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

Although born in FL, I've grown up here in Tulsa, OK. I attended OSU for undergrad while my beautiful wife Kari completed nursing school. Since then, Kari has worked as a pediatric nurse while I finished medical school at OSU. We love spending time outdoors (esp if it happens to include a golf course). Kari and I are excited to follow the Lord's calling and devote our training to the underserved both at home and abroad.



Chelsea Kimbrough, DO
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

Although I grew up outside of the U.S. in the Foreign Service, I was born in Tulsa and am an Okie at heart! I care deeply about human trafficking and feel privileged to serve in this area, whether at home or abroad. After attending Oral Roberts University, I matriculated to OSU. I live with my French bulldog fur baby Meitze and enjoy anything involving friends, family, traveling, cooking and the outdoors.



Emily White, DO
OK State Univ
Tulsa, OK

I am from the Tulsa area and am a graduate of Oklahoma State College of Osteopathic Medicine. During my first year of medical school, I met my husband Nevin (who graduated from In His Image in 2016). We both have a heart for serving the underserved and a willingness to go wherever the Lord leads us. We are very humbled and grateful that God wants to use us to glorify Him through medicine!



Vitaliy Krylov, MD
Kazakh Nat'l Med Univ
Kazakhstan

I'm from Kazakhstan and graduated from Kazakh State Medical Univ. Since 2006, I've worked as a Family Physician at International Medical Center in Almaty. My wife Marina and I have two children: Daniel and Elizabeth. I love Jesus and I enjoy medicine - a Christian, who happens to be a physician. After training at IHI, I hope to return to Central Asia to serve God through practicing and teaching medicine.