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What Keeps Us Moving



Summer is a curious season. It brings anticipation for all that is new while inviting us to appreciate what has been left behind. Brutal winters and rain-drenched springs give way to sun-soaked days and a world of renewed possibilities. Schedules shift. Familiar routines loosen, and the days seem to open before us. Yet across our department, the work continues.

It continues with a different rhythm, but no less momentum. Questions continue to be asked. Research keeps progressing. Patients keep receiving care. Students continue their learning, and our colleagues persist in improving the work we do together. Although our roles differ,

curiosity is one of the qualities that connects us. It's that all-too-human impulse to look more closely and imagine what comes next.

That curiosity is evident throughout these pages.

New research offers insight into some of the most complex challenges in human health. Grants provide opportunities to pursue promising ideas. Awards recognize excellence in research, teaching, and patient care. New staff, faculty and non-faculty alike, bring with them their experience, questions, and perspectives to the department, while promotions mark the continued growth of colleagues already contributing to our vibrant community. And every milestone has a story behind it, shaped by the contributions of those seen and unseen. Those curiously hidden people, whose work is sometimes simply a name on an email or a signature on a form. People whose influence may never appear in the headline, but whose impact is felt. Research depends on the teams that sustain it. Education depends on mentors who make time to guide others. Clinical excellence depends on people committed to both scientific rigor and compassionate care. Even the day-to-day functioning of our department relies on colleagues whose work may happen quietly but matters every day.

Summer may bring a different rhythm, but the work of discovery, service, and learning continues. This issue captures that momentum in its many forms. Colleagues coming together to celebrate, welcome new team members, find humor in an unexpected matching outfit, or run 211 laps around a track! These moments may seem separate from the serious work of academic medicine, but they are part of the same story. They reflect the relationships and shared connection that help people keep moving through demanding work.

Summer reminds us that growth doesn't always announce itself. Sometimes it becomes visible only after a season of steady work. This issue gives us an opportunity to notice that work and the people behind it. As one season gives way to the next, the way we tell our shared story may evolve. What will remain at the center are the curiosity, commitment, and collective effort of the people who continue to move this department forward.

I hope you enjoy this issue.

Warm regards,

Milan Fredricks, MS

Strategic Communications Manager,
Department of Pathology and Cell Biology

STAFF SPOTLIGHT: FACULTY

New Faculty

**Andrew M Bellizzi, MD, Professor of Pathology and Cell Biology at CUMC**

[Dr. Andrew Bellizzi](#) joined the department as professor of pathology and cell biology and director of surgical pathology at Columbia University Irving Medical Center.

Dr. Bellizzi is an internationally recognized expert in gastrointestinal surgical pathology, immunohistochemistry, general oncopathology, and neuroendocrine tumor pathology. His academic work focuses on translating advances in molecular genetics and developmental biology into practical immunohistochemical diagnostic tools, an approach he has termed “next-generation immunohistochemistry”.

Dr. Bellizzi previously held faculty positions at Brigham and Women’s Hospital and the University of Iowa, where he established the GI Pathology Service Line and GI Pathology Fellowship and led the expansion of the Immunohistochemistry Laboratory.

Dr. Bellizzi’s national and international leadership roles have included Chair of the College of American Pathologists Immunohistochemistry Committee, senior author of the CAP guideline on immunohistochemical assay validation, Secretary-Treasurer of the International Society for Immunohistochemistry and Molecular Morphology, and Editor-in-Chief of Applied Immunohistochemistry & Molecular Morphology.

Outside of the office, Dr. Bellizzi enjoys “getting into trouble” with his 17- and 19-year-old boys, Aidan and Darby. In addition to “very special stains,” he also loves hiking, cooking, craft beer, Notre Dame football, the Boston Red Sox, and the Oxford comma.

Faculty Promotions & Appointments



[Eunhee Choi, PhD](#) promoted to Associate Professor of Pathology and Cell Biology with tenure, as of July 1, 2026



[Krystalyn Hudson, PhD](#), promoted to Delafield Associate Professor of Pathology and Cell Biology with tenure, as of July 1, 2026



[Clarissa Waites, PhD](#) promoted to Professor of Pathology and Cell Biology and Neuroscience with tenure, as of July 1, 2026



[Michele Disco, MS](#) promoted to Assistant Professor in Genetic Counseling (in Pathology and Cell Biology and in Pediatrics) at CUMC



[Maureen Mulhern, MS, CGC](#) promoted to Assistant Professor of Genetic Counseling (in Neurology and Pathology and Cell Biology) at CUMC



[Megan Soucy, MS](#) promoted to Assistant Professor of Genetic Counseling (in Pathology and Cell Biology and in Ophthalmology) at CUMC

STAFF SPOTLIGHT: FACULTY

Honors and Awards

Three Pathology and Cell Biology Researchers Awarded 2026 Schaefer Grants

Three researchers from the Department of Pathology and Cell Biology received the [2026 Schaefer Scholar Grants](#) from the [Schaefer Research Scholars Program](#), each consisting of up to \$100,000 in direct research support. Read more about the researchers and their projects:



[Eunhee Choi, PhD](#), Associate Professor of Pathology and Cell Biology

Recalibrating Nutrient and Growth Signaling During Human Aging

This project will investigate how growth-promoting pathways that are essential early in life are adaptively reconfigured during aging to preserve cellular and tissue resilience. These studies may uncover fundamental mechanisms of aging and identify new strategies to promote healthy metabolic function during aging.



[Alison Taylor, PhD](#), Florence Irving Assistant Professor of Pathology and Cell Biology (in the Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center)

Aneuploidy-associated tissue-specific consequences in cancer

Dr. Taylor's research program focuses on using functional genomics to understand the consequences of individual aneusomies in squamous cell carcinoma. As part of this award, and motivated by her lab's recent findings of tissue-specific aneuploidy breakpoints and gene expression patterns, she will investigate how aneuploidy influences tumor development in a tissue-specific manner.



[Shan Zha, MD, PhD](#), James A. Wolff Professor of Pediatrics, Pathology and Cell Biology, and Microbiology & Immunology (in the Institute for Cancer Genetics and Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center)

Ku as a Primate- and Human-Specific Master Regulator of RNA Homeostasis: Implications for Cancer and Neurodegeneration

With this support, the Zha lab will investigate how the Ku protein, long known for its role in DNA repair, also regulates RNA processing and related cellular stress responses in primate cells. These results will shed light on the evolutionary adaptation that enabled primates to tolerate massive Alu expansion and harness the resulting increase in genome and transcriptome complexity.

New Faculty



[Vlad Korben, PhD](#), Assistant Professor of Pathology and Cell Biology at CUMC

Other Honors and Awards

- [Brynn Levy, MSc, PhD](#): Elected President, [ACMG Foundation for Genetic and Genomic Medicine](#)
- [Ethan Mack, MD, PhD](#): Fink Teaching for Clinical Pathology Award (department internal)
- [Alireza Salem, MD](#): Perzin Teaching for Anatomic Pathology Award (department internal)
- [Andrew Teich, MD, PhD](#): [Carol and Gene Ludwig Pilot Grant Program in Neurodegeneration](#) (2025)
- [Harris Wang, PhD](#): Appointed [chair of systems biology](#)
- [Ladan Fazlollahi, MD](#) and [Stuart Weisberg, MD, PhD](#): [HICCC Human Tissue Immunology and Immunotherapy Initiative \(HTI3\) Grant Award](#)
- [Hee Won Yang, PhD](#): Hirschl Trust Research Award; [HICCC Inter/Intra-Programmatic Pilot Program \(IPPP\)](#); and [Melanoma Research Alliance \(MRA\) Pilot Award](#)

STAFF SPOTLIGHT: FACULTY

Honors and Awards

**Dr. Paulette Bernd Honored with 2026 Presidential Award for Outstanding Teaching**

[Paulette Bernd, PhD](#), professor of pathology and cell biology at CUIMC and director

of clinical gross anatomy, was a recipient of the prestigious [2026 Presidential Awards for Outstanding Teaching](#).

Awarded annually during the University commencement ceremonies, these highly competitive honors recognize faculty members and graduate

student instructors who have significantly influenced the intellectual development and academic growth of Columbia students.

Since joining the department in 2008, Dr. Bernd has modernized the Clinical Gross Anatomy course through team-based learning, an interactive electronic dissection manual, and computer modules that connect anatomy with clinical practice. An alumna of Columbia herself, where she earned her Ph.D. in

Anatomy and Cell Biology, Dr. Bernd's innovative approach has transformed how first-year medical and dental students learn and made the course one of the most highly regarded at VP&S.

This well-deserved recognition celebrates her exceptional dedication to teaching and to shaping the next generation of compassionate healthcare leaders. [Read More](#).

Faculty Promotions & Appointments



[Richard Baer, PhD](#), appointed to Professor Emeritus of Pathology and Cell Biology (in the Institute for Cancer Genetics) and Special Lecturer



[Michael Gershon, MD](#), appointed to Professor Emeritus of Pathology and Cell Biology



[Lloyd Green, PhD](#), appointed to Professor Emeritus of Pathology and Cell Biology



[Ron Liem, PhD](#), appointed to Professor Emeritus of Pathology and Cell Biology and Special Lecturer



[Carol Mason, PhD](#), appointed to Professor Emerita of Pathology and Cell Biology, Neuroscience and Ophthalmic Science (in Ophthalmology and in the Mortimer B. Zuckerman Mind Brain Behavior Institute)



[Kathleen O'Toole, MD](#), appointed to Professor Emerita of Pathology and Cell Biology



[Patrice Spitalnik, MD](#), appointed to Professor Emerita of Pathology and Cell Biology and Special Lecturer



[Steve Spitalnik, MD](#), appointed to Professor Emeritus of Pathology and Cell Biology and Special Lecturer

STAFF SPOTLIGHT: FACULTY

Honors and Awards

Drs. Eunhee Choi and Carlos Pagan Receive VP&S Distinguished Service Awards



Dr. Eunhee Choi



Dr. Carlos Pagan

Several VP&S faculty members received awards at this year's VP&S ceremony for teaching, research, or humanism. [Eunhee Choi, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology, received the Doctor Harold and Golden Lampert Research Award (Basic Sciences). [Carlos Pagan, MD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology at CUMC, received the Charles W. Bohmfalk Award for teaching in the pre-clinical years. [Read more at CUIMC Newsroom.](#)

Dr. Richard Francis Inducted into VP&S Academy of Clinical Excellence (ACE)



On May 7, [Richard Francis, MD, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology at CUIMC, was recognized for outstanding patient care with his induction into the [Academy of Clinical Excellence of the Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons](#), together with 15 other VP&S physicians. Recognized by their peers, ACE inductees are full-time faculty who have served at Columbia for five or more years and exhibit exemplary patient care marked by evidence-based clinical science and compassionate humanism.

Dr. Krystalyn Hudson Awarded "Researcher of the Year" by the wAIHA Warriors



Dr. Hudson (right) accepts her award

[Krystalyn Hudson, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology and member of the wAIHA Warriors Medical Advisory Board, was honored with the "Researcher of the Year" award by the wAIHA Warriors, a charitable organization dedicated to education, research, and advocacy on behalf of all affected by wAIHA. Warm Autoimmune Hemolytic Anemia (wAIHA) is a clinical form of AIHA, in which the immune system creates antibodies (typically IgG) that destroy healthy red blood cells. More at <https://waihawarriors.org/news>.

Clinical Chemistry Honors Pathology Research Team's Top Article of 2025



A paper by senior author [Fann Wu, MD, PhD](#), professor of pathology and cell biology at CUMC, and her research team has earned an article award from Clinical Chemistry, recognizing the outstanding article as the journal's most talked-about paper of 2025. [Read More.](#)

In The Media: Chair's Breast Cancer Research Makes National News



[Dr. Kevin Gardner's research](#) on breast cancer diagnostics is getting national attention. His team developed a way to mathematically score how organized or disordered tumor tissue is, a method that predicted patient survival and treatment response more accurately than many traditional biomarkers, with less variation across racial and ethnic groups. The work was first covered by [HICCC](#), then picked up by [Newsweek](#), which reported on what it could mean for the future of breast cancer diagnosis. Congratulations to Dr. Gardner and the full research team. [Read More.](#)

RESEARCH

Recent Grants

[Swarnali Acharyya, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology (in the Institute for Cancer Genetics), awarded \$1,645,000 over three years from the **Department of the Army, Army Medical Research, and Materiel Command** for *"Treating HER2 therapy-resistant brain metastasis using antidepressants."*

[Osama Al Dalahmah, MD, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology, awarded \$2,957,210 over four years from the **National Institute on Aging** for *"Deciphering the role of CD44 astrocytes in Alzheimer's disease."*

[Eunhee Choi, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology, awarded \$452,375/year for five years from the **NIH National Institute of General Medical Sciences** for *"Understanding Selective Signaling and Functional Specificity in Insulin and IGF Receptors."*

[Eunhee Choi, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology, awarded \$451,136 over two years from the **NIH National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences** for *"Targeted Therapy Using Designer Insulin Receptor Agonists for Congenital Severe Insulin Resistance Syndromes."*

[Tae-Wan Kim, PhD](#), associate professor of pathology and cell biology (in the Taub Institute for Research on Alzheimer's Disease and the Aging Brain), awarded \$475,377 over two years from the **National Institute on Aging** for *"FOXO3-dependent proinflammatory transcription program of AD."*

[Minah Kim, PhD](#), assistant professor of pathology and cell biology, PhD, awarded \$100,000 in VP&S bridge funding.

[Ethan Mack, MD, PhD](#), assistant professor of pathology and cell biology at CUMC, awarded \$100,000 over two years from the **AABB Foundation** for his Early Career Scientific Research Grant request, *"Impacts of sickle cell disease and red cell exchange on granulopoiesis and neutrophil heterogeneity."*

[Ian Mellis, MD, PhD](#), assistant professor of pathology and cell biology, awarded \$194,160 from the **National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases** for *"Neutralizing antibody pressure on the evolution of SARS-CoV-2 variants."*

[Yueqing Peng, PhD](#), assistant professor of pathology and cell biology (in the Institute for Genomic Medicine), \$712,313 over two years for a subaward from the **National Institute of Child Health and Human Development** for *"Developing RNA therapeutics for rare neurodevelopmental disorders."*

Chaolin Zhang and [Harris Wang, PhD](#), professor of systems biology, of pathology and cell biology, and of biomedical engineering, awarded \$1,200,000 over three years from the **National Science Foundation** for *"Programmable RNA targeting and engineering using pentatricopeptide repeat proteins."*

Research Highlights

Hudson Lab Research Fellow Awarded F32

Sheila Bandyopadhyay, PhD, a postdoctoral fellow in the [Laboratory of Transfusion Biology](#), received an F32 from NIH/NHLBI for her project entitled, "Reticulocyte-mediated regulation of B cell activation and alloantibody formation."

RESEARCH

Recent Grants

[Hee Won Yang, PhD](#), assistant professor of pathology and cell biology, awarded a **DOD Breast Cancer Research Program Breakthrough Award** for \$750,000 over three years for “*Determine Novel Targets to Overcome Therapeutic Resistance in Triple-Negative Breast Cancer.*”

[Xin Zhang, PhD](#), Herbert and Florence Irving professor of ophthalmic science (in ophthalmology and in pathology and cell biology), awarded \$1,568,571 over five years from the **National Eye Institute** for “*Signaling Mechanisms of Lens Development.*”

Research Highlights

Notes from the Lab: How Gliomas Disrupt Brain Function - and a Potential Way to Reverse It

[New research](#) led by [Peter Canoll, MD, PhD](#) and Jeffrey Bruce, MD, along with members of the [Gabriele Bartoli Brain Tumor Laboratory](#), reveal that gliomas disrupt nearby healthy brain cells by activating the mTOR signaling pathway, causing abnormal brain activity that fuels tumor growth and neurological symptoms like seizures. Crucially, their research found that these changes are reversible with an experimental mTOR inhibitor (AZD8055) that rapidly restored normal neuronal function and communication in mice, highlighting a promising strategy for the future treatment of glioma. [Read More](#)

Bartolini Lab Researcher Awarded Parkinson's Foundation Fellowship

Alessandro Comincini, PhD, a postdoctoral research scientist in [Dr. Francesca Bartolini's lab](#), has been awarded a Parkinson's Foundation fellowship totaling \$140,000 over two years for his Postdoctoral Fellowship proposal titled “A novel microtubule-mediated mechanism of alpha-synuclein function in dopaminergic neurons: implications for Parkinson's disease.”

Lab Week

From Bench to Track: “We Run Labs” Team Powers Through the CUIMC Relay Marathon



A highlight of Lab Week for some members of CPTL and PGM labs was stepping away from the lab bench

and coming together as a team to compete in the CUIMC Team Relay Marathon, which took place from April 22nd through 25th. After months of training and days of carbo loading on Lab Week food offerings, the “We Run Labs” team hit the world-class Armory Indoor Track with determination and team spirit.

Circling the track like tubes in a well-balanced centrifuge, they pushed their lactates to critical values while cheering lab mates kept

the energy high. With seamless coordination, the team rotated through each leg of the race, completing all 211 laps with the kind of accuracy and precision that would impress even the most rigorous method validation.

After crossing the finish line, the feelings of accomplishment rivaled those of acing a lab inspection. “Now I can finally rest”, said no one, although the moment called for rest, because they had to get back to work in the lab. Most participants are already looking forward to next year's race, though one teammate was heard exclaiming, “I'm never running again!”



EDUCATION @ PATHOLOGY: The annual Dr. Charles Marboe Lecture was created in honor and recognition of Dr. Marboe's distinguished career at Columbia University and within the Department of Pathology and Cell Biology. The lectureship will continue Dr. Marboe's history of sharing his cardiovascular pathology, cardiology, and heart transplantation expertise and ensure quality education within the department by supporting Columbia's most important assets: its accomplished educators and faculty members who shape future leaders. Visit <https://bit.ly/3NfMAOf> to make a tax-deductible gift to the Dr. Charles Marboe Lecture fund.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

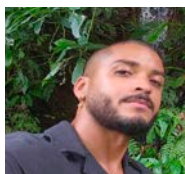
New Hire Shout-Outs

Gregory Wint, Pathology Software Engineer

Gregory works as a software engineer in the Digital and Computational Pathology Lab (DCPL) with Dr. Michael Miller, building software to help facilitate pathology research efforts.

Prior to joining CUIMC, he spent a few years at Pacific Northwest National Laboratory building analysis tools for various offices within the US Department of Energy. Before that, he cut his teeth doing full-stack software development at Bloomberg and Google after earning a BS/MS in Computer Science. His interests include sociotechnical computing, machine learning, and data engineering.

He's excited to learn more about any spots where software engineering can be of use in the department! You can reach Gregory at gw2552@cumc.columbia.edu or stop by his office in the DCPL at 630 West 168th Street, PH15 Stem 135.

Louis Familia, Facilities Operations & Shared Services Technician

Louis joined the department on May 11, 2026, as the newest member of our Facilities Operations & Shared Services team, responsible for overseeing the Autoclave Room. In addition, he will assist with other various facilities-related responsibilities handled by our Facilities team.

Louis brings several years of professional experience working in fast-paced environments that have strengthened his ability to adapt, collaborate, and stay focused under pressure. One thing he takes pride in is maintaining a strong work ethic while bringing positive energy and a team-oriented mindset.

Outside of work, Louis loves exploring life through new experiences and adventures. He enjoys trying new foods (and is always open to great food recommendations!), visiting museums, camping, hiking, and sightseeing. He also has a deep appreciation for jazz music—it's one of his favorite ways to relax and unwind. Traveling and visiting new countries is another passion, as he loves experiencing different cultures, traditions, and ways of life. "I'm excited to be part of this community and look forward to building meaningful connections with all of you." You can reach Louis at lf2937@cumc.columbia.edu or stop by his office at 622 West 168th Street, PH15 West 1593.

PATHOLOGY IN SNAPSHOT

Image One: The Mystery of the Matching Colleagues:

Sometimes, you show up to work in an outfit that eerily resembles your coworker's. Ooooh, spooky!

The Case of the Black & White Stripes - featuring (from left) Courtney Sinn, Rene Deknatel, Josefa Salcedo, Joann Li, and Beatrice Ruiz.

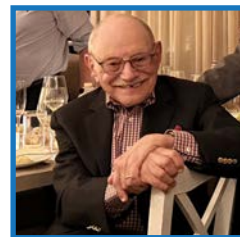


Image Two - [Michael Gershon, MD](#), professor emeritus of pathology and cell biology, looking ebullient at the annual Naidorf dinner and celebration of his remarkable career and retirement. Dr. Gershon's pioneering discoveries and enduring mentorship have profoundly impacted generations of scientists and physicians.



There are many tax advantages to giving appreciated stock to the Department of Pathology and Cell Biology. In donating appreciated securities, you avoid capital gains tax and qualify for a charitable income tax deduction for the full value of the securities. Please visit www.giving.cuimc.columbia.edu/ways-give-gifts-securities for more information. And visit the [Pathology and Cell Biology Giving Page](#) if you'd like more information on how to make a gift to one of our many worthwhile educational or research funds.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Staff Promotions

Myles Olmeda, Administrative Coordinator

Congratulations to Myles Olmeda on his promotion to Administrative Coordinator for Anatomic Pathology! Myles has been with the department for less than two years, starting as a Tech A. It's impressive to see how quickly he's grown in his role. Myles is intelligent, always willing to lend a hand, and never hesitates to troubleshoot or help solve problems. It's great to see his hard work and potential recognized.

Appreciations & Achievements



Congratulations to **Vasiliki (Vicky) Zotou**, who graduated from Columbia University's School of Professional Studies on May 15, 2026, with her Master of Science in Information & Knowledge Strategy. Vicky is one of the amazing financial analysts working in our finance office. "Balancing a full-time role as a financial analyst while pursuing this degree challenged me to grow both professionally and personally. The program strengthened my skills in data analytics, artificial intelligence, knowledge management, and strategic decision-making, providing practical tools that complement and enhance my work in financial operations. I'm grateful for the support and encouragement of my colleagues throughout this experience and look forward to applying these insights to drive innovation and informed decision-making within our organization."

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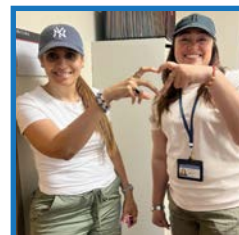
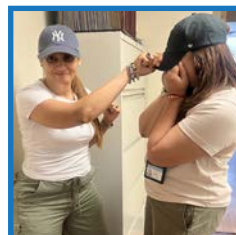
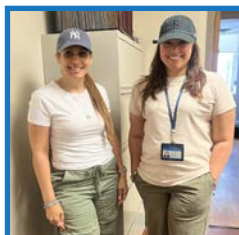
The Case of the Khaki (Sports Edition) - featuring (from left) Taisha Lambert and Jeny Espinal.

Disclaimer:

Image 1: The appearance of Jeny in a Boston Red Sox ballcap, suspiciously in all black, shall not be construed as an endorsement of said franchise by the department.

Image 2: For legal purposes, Taisha's **alleged** brim-related intervention was neither an official nor a proportionate response to the display of said New England ballcap within New York City limits.

Image 3: Notwithstanding their irreconcilable baseball affiliations, the parties have reached an amicable resolution, as evidenced by bright smiles and a jointly executed heart. No hats changed allegiance.



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EDUCATION

Thesis Defense

Christopher Cardona recently successfully defended his PhD. He is co-mentored by Drs. Andrew Teich and Andrew Sproul, and their first graduate student ever! He was in the Integrated Program in Cellular, Molecular and Biomedical Studies at VP&S. Congratulations, Christopher!

Path Residency Program Graduation

On June 12, 2026, the Department of Pathology and Cell Biology celebrated its annual Residency Program Graduation Ceremony on the rooftop of the School of Nursing, honoring its graduating PGY4 residents and fellows. Family members, faculty, staff, and friends gathered to recognize the residents' achievements and celebrate this milestone as they completed their training and began the next chapter of their medical careers.

Our deepest congratulations to **all the graduates** on this momentous accomplishment. We thank them for their contributions to the department and wish them continued success as they advance on their medical professional journeys.



(From Top-Left) Drs. Kevin Garnder and Carlos Pagán; lunch reception; Dr. Ethan Mack receives the CP teaching award, presented by Chief Residents Kevin Wang and Brandon Litvak; Dr. Stephen Lagana presents Yin Guo, our graduating GI Pancreas and Liver Pathology Fellow; (From Bottom-Left) Dr. Jun Liao presents Tian Yu, graduating fellow in Laboratory Genetics and Genomics; Graduating residents Tianye Liu, Sarah Merl, Barbara Pelham-Webb, Tyler Cooke, Miriam Snow and Victoria Iannarone; Dr. Daniel Green presents Jennifer Pfeiffer, our Medical Microbiology Fellow; Dr. Andrew Turk presents Jeffrey Thomas, our graduating Surgical Pathology Fellow.

Useful Information

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