



Hackensack
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HMSOM STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

Alumni Newsletter

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In Remembrance

A little over a year ago the HMSOM community lost its founding Dean, Dr. Bonita Stanton. As the medical school grows we continue to honor the memory of the late Dean Stanton

and the values she stood for. Dean Stanton leaves behind an impactful legacy through the founding of the medical school and her years of dedicated care to patients all around the world.



Dr. Jeffrey Boscamp Named Dean of SOM

This past December the Board of Governors named Dr. Jeffrey Boscamp Dean of the School of Medicine. Dr. Boscamp has been serving as the Interim Dean since the passing of Dean Bonita Stanton. In his time as Interim Dean Dr.

Boscamp has continued to reinforce the mission and values of our founding Dean Dr. Stanton. Throughout his time with the medical school, Dean Boscamp has been a key member of our community. We are excited for what is next with Dean Boscamp leading our school to new heights.

HMSOM Granted Full Accreditation!

This past February HMSOM received full accreditation by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME). The full accreditation marks the end of a seven year process to which countless faculty, administrators, staff, students, and many others contributed. None of this could have been accomplished without the help of our 2018 and 2019 cohorts, which now comprises our new alumni base. Thank you to all of you for helping us in this journey.

Alumni Call To Action

Soon we will be sending out a survey to all alumni. We want to know what you would like to stay in the know about and what we can do for you! If you recently changed your contact information please email sga@hmn.org. We will be sending out newsletters on behalf of the SGA every three months, so stay tuned!

New Campus Store

HMSOM has a brand new campus store. If you are interested in getting some branded gear, head over to the campus store. Follow the link to check it out.

<https://hackensack-meridian-school-of-medicine-online-store.square.site/>

Follow us on Social Media

To stay up to date on everything going on at HMSOM make sure to follow us!

Instagram: [@hmhschoolofmed](https://www.instagram.com/hmhschoolofmed)

Twitter: [@HMHSchoolofMed](https://twitter.com/HMHSchoolofMed)

Introducing the New Student Government Association

This past December the student body voted in a new Student Government Association. Our members are:

- Priya Bhave, President
- Vaughn McEnough, Vice President
- Jeremy Chiang, Treasurer
- Caitlin Gartley, Secretary
- Amber Chan, Chair of Events and Traditions
- Katherine Collamore & Vanshika Jain, CO-Chairs of Wellness
- Guy Stein, Chair of Alumni Relations and Philanthropy
- Jordan Windsor, Chair of Marketing and Social Media

We are excited to step into our roles and build upon the foundations of past SGAs. As a new school and student body we are excited to see just how much it will be able to achieve. We are committed to helping each and every member of our community, whether they are students or alumni. We are open to any suggestions; as foundational members of the HMSOM community we value your input.

Upcoming Events

Please note upcoming milestone events for our current students!

- Commencement–June 8, 2023
- White Coat Ceremony–July 20, 2023

Match Day

On March 17th we celebrated Match Day with our Class of 2023! Eighty-three students matched into 90 programs and we could not be more proud! They'll soon join you as alumni of our institution!

85 Total Graduates

83 Students Matched into 90 Programs

- 29 – Phase 3 Residency – 2020 Cohort
- 56 – 2019 Cohort

[You can watch Match Day here!](#)

Guy Stein: An Introduction

Hi, my name is Guy Stein. As the HMSOM student Chair of Philanthropy and Alumni Relations I will be writing the newsletters and will be a point of contact for you with the rest of the student body. I figured it would be a good idea to introduce myself.



I grew up in the Greater Boston area and went to school at the University of Massachusetts Amherst majoring in Biology. Prior to attending HMSOM I worked as an Emergency Department Technician for two years. I am an avid Boston Sports fan (sorry NJ folks). In my free time I love to cook and read. If you want to contact me regarding anything, you can email me at guy.stein@hmhn.org or call me at (617) 529-0297.

Sheila Wolfinger: An Introduction

Hello Alumni. My name is Sheila Wolfinger, Executive Director of Development for HMSOM. Congratulations on being one of the first alumni of the School of Medicine. You are in a special position to be



a leader and show the current students the importance of paying it forward by giving back. Consider making a small contribution this year, maybe \$20.23 in honor of this year's graduating class, to begin your personal tradition of helping those following in your footsteps. You can support your medical school alma mater by clicking here: [Philanthropy](#). I hope your residency is going well and that you think of your time at HMSOM fondly.

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