



Ramzi Emanuel Dudum

Bio

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Dr. Dudum is a cardiologist and population health expert working to develop novel risk prediction methods and implementation strategies to create practices and systems that allow for reductions in cardiovascular disease. He completed a Masters in Public Health at Johns Hopkins concentrating in epidemiology and biostatistics and a Doctorate of Medicine at George Washington University.

He completed internal medicine residency training as part of the Osler Medical Service, where he worked under the mentorship of Drs. Roger Blumenthal and Michael Blaha to study improving cardiovascular risk prediction and coronary artery calcium. Given his focus on population health and implementation science, he also helped launch and refine risk adjustment tools and implemented guideline-directed medical care pathways. During his time there, he was recognized for his clinical acumen and dedication to patient care.

He came to Stanford for his cardiovascular medicine fellowship and continued research in coronary artery calcium under the mentorship of Drs. David Maron and Fatima Rodriguez while also conducting cardiovascular health implementation science work under the mentorship of Dr. Steve Asch. He serves as the co-investigator of a prospective randomized trial testing the effects of notification of incidental coronary artery calcium on statin initiation rates among those with and without cardiovascular disease (NCT 05588895). He has worked with hospital leaders to implement digital health and artificial intelligence tools, creating the infrastructure for the prospective use of AI-algorithms on radiology studies. As a preventive cardiologist and population health expert, he leads efforts in the preventive cardiology section related to improving cardiovascular health.

INSTITUTE AFFILIATIONS

- Member (Postdoc), Cardiovascular Institute

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Chief Fellow, Department of Cardiovascular Medicine, Stanford University (2023)
- Profiles of Excellence Award, American College of Physicians, Department of Medicine, Johns Hopkins Hospital (2020)
- Norman and Mary Stewart Memorial Award, Department of Medicine, Johns Hopkins Hospital (2018)
- Allie S. Freed Award in Preventive Medicine, GWU School of Medicine and Health Sciences (2017)
- Medical Alumni Association Award, GWU School of Medicine and Health Sciences (2017)
- AQA Carolyn L. Kuckein Student Research Fellowship, Alpha Omega Alpha (2016)
- Kassan Research Presentation Award, GWU School of Medicine and Health Sciences (2016)
- MPH Capstone Award, Johns Hopkins University, Bloomberg School of Public Health (2016)

- Gold Humanism Honors Society, GWU School of Medicine and Health Sciences (2015)
- Chancellor's Service Award, UCLA Office of the Dean of Students (2011)
- Dean's Prize in Undergraduate Research, UCLA Spring Poster Day (2011)
- Special Achievement in the Study of Religion, UCLA Department of Religion (2011)
- Distinguished Senior Award, UCLA Alumni Association (2010)
- College Honors Student, UCLA Honors Collegium (2007-2011)

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Member, American Heart Association (2016 - present)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Masters of Science (candidate), Stanford University , Health Policy (2024)
- Internship, Johns Hopkins Hospital , Internal Medicine (2018)

Publications

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- **"Incidentalomas" in the Age of Artificial Intelligence.** *Journal of general internal medicine*

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- **SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND CORONARY ARTERY CALCIUM: RESULTS FROM THE PROJECT BASELINE HEALTH STUDY**
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- **OPPORTUNISTIC SCREENING OF INCIDENTAL CORONARY ARTERY CALCIUM WITH DEEP-LEARNING ALGORITHM ON NON-ECG GATED CHEST CT IMAGING AND ASSOCIATION WITH CARDIOVASCULAR EVENTS AND MORTALITY**
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- **PATTERNS AND GAPS IN GUIDELINE-DIRECTED STATIN USE FOR ATHEROSCLEROTIC CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE IN DISAGGREGATED HISPANIC AND ASIAN SUBGROUPS**
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