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EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

- BA, University of California, Berkeley , Molecular Cell Biology (2023)

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WORK EXPERIENCE

- Research Associate - San Francisco Biohub (1/17/2023 - 6/5/2026)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **The inflammasome pathway is activated by dengue virus non-structural protein 1 and is protective during dengue virus infection** *PLOS PATHOGENS*
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- **SARS-CoV-2 Spike triggers barrier dysfunction and vascular leak via integrins and TGF- β signaling** *NATURE COMMUNICATIONS*
Biering, S. B., de Sousa, F., Tjang, L., Pahmeier, F., Zhu, C., Ruan, R., Blanc, S. F., Patel, T. S., Worthington, C. M., Glasner, D. R., Castillo-Rojas, B., Servellita, V., Lo, et al
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