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Bio

BIO

Dr. Htet is a board-certified physician in Emergency Medicine and Critical Care Medicine. She earned her undergraduate degrees in Biochemistry and Neuroscience from the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), followed by a master's degree in Physiological Science at UCLA. She obtained her M.D. from the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, before completing her Emergency Medicine residency at Advocate Christ Medical Center and Critical Care fellowship at Stanford.

Dr. Htet practices in both the Emergency Department and Medical Intensive Care Unit at Stanford and serves as ACGME faculty for residency and fellowship education. She is deeply engaged in teaching, mentoring, and coaching trainees. As co-director of the Critical Care Ultrasound Program for critical care fellows, she is dedicated to advancing ultrasound education. Having completed the CCEeXAM® Examination of Special Competence in Critical Care Echocardiography, she is on the path to certification in Critical Care Echocardiography through the National Board of Echocardiography, Inc.

She is actively involved in the Society of Critical Care Medicine (SCCM) and national emergency medicine organizations. She is the chair of programming subcommittee of research section at SCCM. Her research focuses on improving the care of critically ill patients, encompassing health system strategies for boarding, genetic phenotyping in septic shock, optimizing intubation conditions for metabolic acidosis, and advancing critical care ultrasound. Her career aspiration includes integrating artificial intelligence to enhance ultrasound diagnostics with the care of critically ill patients.

CLINICAL FOCUS

- Critical Care
- Medical Education
- Patient education
- Palliative Care
- Critical Care Medicine

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Clinical Assistant Professor, Emergency Medicine

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Emergency Medicine Foundation Grant, Advocate Christ Medical Center (2015)
- Emergency Medicine Foundation Grant, Advocate Christ Medical Center (2014)
- Don Bruechert Medical Scholarship, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health (2012)
- Student Leadership and Service Book Award, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health (2011)
- Shapiro Research Award, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health (2010)

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Member, Society of Academic Emergency Medicine, Critical Care Group and ADIEM (Academy for Diversity & Inclusion in Emergency Medicine)
 (2022 present)
- Member, Society of Critical Care Medicine, Ultrasound Committee, Emergency Medicine (2018 present)
- Member, American Thoracic Society (2017 present)
- Member, American College of Emergency Physicians (2013 present)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Board Certification: Critical Care Medicine, American Board of Internal Medicine (2019)
- Fellowship: Stanford University Pulmonary and Critical Care Fellowship (2018) CA
- Board Certification: Emergency Medicine, American Board of Emergency Medicine (2017)
- Residency: Advocate Christ Medical Center (2016) IL
- Medical Education: University of Wisconsin Madison Office of the Registrar (2013) WI
- M.D., University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, Medicine (2013)
- Residency, Advocate Christ Medical Center, Emergency Medicine (2016)
- Fellowship, Stanford Medicine Critical Care Fellowship, Critical Care Medicine (2018)

COMMUNITY AND INTERNATIONAL WORK

• MEDiC (Student-Run Free Medical Clinics), Madison

Research & Scholarship

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Curriculum and Instruction
- Secondary Education

CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

My research focuses on advancing the care of critically ill patients in the Emergency Department, spanning from health system improvements in boarding critically ill patients to genetic phenotyping in septic shock, optimizing intubation for patients with metabolic acidosis, and critical care ultrasound. I am actively involved in medical education for graduate medical education and exploring the integration of AI to enhance ultrasound diagnostics.

Teaching

GRADUATE AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

• Critical Care Medicine (Fellowship Program)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

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• RARE CO-OCCURRENCE OF FAVISM-INDUCED HEMOLYSIS AND METHEMOGLOBINEMIA SECONDARY TO G6PD DEFICIENCY

D'souza, M., Jones, J., Htet, N.

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