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#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Associate Professor (Research), Cardiothoracic Surgery
- Member, Bio-X
- Member, Cardiovascular Institute
- Member, Maternal & Child Health Research Institute (MCHRI)

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- K99/R00 Pathway to Independence Award, NIH/NHLBI (2012)

#### LINKS

- Lab Website: <http://med.stanford.edu/karakikeslab.html>

### Research & Scholarship

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#### CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

The Karakikes Lab aims to uncover fundamental new insights into the molecular mechanisms and functional consequences of pathogenic mutations associated with familial cardiovascular diseases.

### Teaching

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#### COURSES

##### 2023-24

- Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Sciences Seminar: MED 223 (Aut, Win)

##### 2022-23

- Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Sciences Seminar: MED 223 (Aut, Win)

##### 2021-22

- Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Sciences Seminar: MED 223 (Aut, Win)

##### 2020-21

- Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Sciences Seminar: MED 223 (Aut, Win)

#### STANFORD ADVISEES

Postdoctoral Faculty Sponsor

Rachel Baum, Maryam Kay, Nirmal Vadgama

## Publications

### PUBLICATIONS

- **Integrative single-cell analysis of cardiogenesis identifies developmental trajectories and non-coding mutations in congenital heart disease.** *Cell*  
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2019
- **A Premature Termination Codon Mutation in MYBPC3 Causes Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy via Chronic Activation of Nonsense-Mediated Decay.** *Circulation*  
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