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Bio

BIO

Andre Kumar earned his MD degree from Tulane University in New Orleans, Louisiana. He completed his residency and chief residency in internal medicine at Stanford University. Following residency, he earned a Master's in Education from Stanford University. He is currently a Clinical Associate Professor in the Stanford Division of Hospital Medicine.

Dr. Kumar currently serves as President of the Society of Hospital Medicine (SHM) Bay Area, Director of the Stanford Internal Medicine Procedure Service, Director for the Rathmann Fellowship in Medical Education, Director of the Stanford Medicine Residency Hospitalist Training Track, and Co-Director for Advanced Clinical Skills in the School of Medicine. He is a Department of Medicine Diversity Investigator Fellow for a funded project examining inequities in training evaluations for female and underrepresented residents.

Dr. Kumar's clinical research interests include point-of-care ultrasound (POCUS) and COVID-19. He is the lead investigator for a multicenter trial related to ultrasound and COVID-19 (<https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT04384055>). He was an investigator for the ACTT and ACTIV trials for COVID-19, which brought some of the first COVID-19 therapeutics to patients nationwide. Currently, he is the Stanford Hospital lead for the National Institutes of Health RECOVER trial, a 1 billion dollar effort to understand the long-term effects of COVID-19 on patients (i.e. "long covid"). A full list of his publications on Pubmed can be found here: <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/?term=andre+kumar>

Dr. Kumar is passionate about point-of-care ultrasound and how it can transform patient care in both developed and resource-limited settings. He continues to leverage his unique background in education and clinical research to improve the science and education that underlie the next generation of diagnostic tools. He is equally passionate about physician education and leveraging research to improve the training for our next generation of healers.

CLINICAL FOCUS

- Internal Medicine
- Hospital Medicine

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Clinical Associate Professor, Medicine

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

- Director, Rathmann Fellowship in Medical Education, (2022- present)
- Director, Medicine Procedure and Consult Services, (2018- present)
- Course Co-Director, Advanced Clinical Skills, (2017- present)
- Chief Resident, Stanford Internal Medicine Residency Program, (2016-2017)
- Director and Co-Founder, SHAPE Program (Hospitalist Training Track), (2014- present)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- David A Rytand Clinical Teaching Award, Stanford University Department of Medicine (2018, 2022)
- Henry J. Kaiser Foundation Award for Excellence in Teaching, Stanford University School of Medicine (2018, 2022)
- Award for Humanism & Excellence in Teaching, Arnold P. Gold Foundation (2017)
- Resident Teacher of the Year, Stanford Internal Medicine Residency Program (2016)
- Resident Teacher of the Year, Stanford Internal Medicine Residency Program (2015)
- Johns Hopkins National Housestaff Research Award, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine (2015)
- Julian Wolfsohn Award, Stanford Internal Medicine Residency Program (2014)
- Medical Jeopardy 1st Place, California ACP Chapter (2015)
- C. Thorpe Ray Internal Medicine Society Award, Tulane University School of Medicine (2013)
- Harold C. Cummins Award, Tulane University School of Medicine (2013)

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Member, RECOVER National Steering Committee (2021 - 2022)
- Member, Physicians in Training Committee, Society of Hospital Medicine (2022 - present)
- President, Society of Hospital Medicine Bay Area Chapter (2019 - present)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Residency: Stanford University Internal Medicine Residency (2016) CA
- Medical Education: Tulane University School of Medicine Registrar (2013) LA
- Master of Education, Stanford University , Education (2019)
- Board Certification: Internal Medicine, American Board of Internal Medicine (2016)
- Chief Residency, Stanford University , Internal Medicine
- Residency, Stanford University , Internal Medicine
- BS, University of Nevada , Biology

Research & Scholarship

CLINICAL TRIALS

- ACTIV-5 / Big Effect Trial (BET-B) for the Treatment of COVID-19, Recruiting
- A Study to Evaluate the Safety and Efficacy of Tocilizumab in Patients With Severe COVID-19 Pneumonia, Not Recruiting
- Adaptive COVID-19 Treatment Trial (ACTT), Not Recruiting

- Learning Outcomes With Point-of-Care Ultrasound, Not Recruiting
- Predicting Outcomes for Covid-19 Using Sonography, Not Recruiting

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **Point-of-Care Ultrasound Predicts Clinical Outcomes in Patients With COVID-19.** *Journal of ultrasound in medicine : official journal of the American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine*
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- **Evaluation of Trainee Competency with Point-of-Care Ultrasonography (POCUS): a Conceptual Framework and Review of Existing Assessments.** *Journal of general internal medicine*
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2019
- **Duty-Hour Flexibility Trial in Internal Medicine** *NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE*
Kumar, A., Chi, J.
2018; 379 (3): 300
- **To Cure Sometimes, to Relieve Often, to Comfort Always.** *JAMA internal medicine*
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- **Improving the physical exam: a new assessment and evaluation tool for physical examination skills.** *Diagnosis (Berlin, Germany)*
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- **OrderRex clinical user testing: a randomized trial of recommender system decision support on simulated cases.** *Journal of the American Medical Informatics Association : JAMIA*
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2020
- **Physician Usage and Acceptance of a Machine Learning Recommender System for Simulated Clinical Order Entry.** *AMIA Joint Summits on Translational Science proceedings. AMIA Joint Summits on Translational Science*
Chiang, J., Kumar, A., Morales, D., Saini, D., Hom, J., Shieh, L., Musen, M., Goldstein, M. K., Chen, J. H.
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2019; 34 (6): 1025–31
- **CMS Billing Guidelines and Student Documentation: a New Era or New Burden?** *JOURNAL OF GENERAL INTERNAL MEDICINE*

- Kumar, A., Chi, J.
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- **Thrombophilia testing in the inpatient setting: impact of an educational intervention.** *BMC medical informatics and decision making*
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 - **The Role of Technology in the Bedside Encounter.** *The Medical clinics of North America*
Kumar, A. n., Liu, G. n., Chi, J. n., Kugler, J. n.
2018; 102 (3): 443–51
 - **A high value care curriculum for interns: a description of curricular design, implementation and housestaff feedback.** *Postgraduate medical journal*
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 - **The Illness of Present Histories.** *Academic medicine : journal of the Association of American Medical Colleges*
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2017; 92 (4): 434–35
 - **A resident-created hospitalist curriculum for internal medicine housestaff.** *Journal of hospital medicine*
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 - **Troubleshooting the NIHSS: question-and-answer session with one of the designers** *INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF STROKE*
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 - **Preparing to take the USMLE Step 1: a survey on medical students' self-reported study habits** *POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL JOURNAL*
Kumar, A. D., Shah, M. K., Maley, J. H., Evron, J., Gyftopoulos, A., Miller, C.
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