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CLINICAL FOCUS

- Nephrology
- Hypertension
- Resistant Hypertension
- Diabetic Kidney Disease
- Electrolyte Disorders

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Associate Professor - University Medical Line, Medicine - Nephrology
- Member, Bio-X
- Member, Cardiovascular Institute
- Member, Maternal & Child Health Research Institute (MCHRI)

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

- Director, Stanford Pre-Renal Initiative, NIH NIDDK R25, (2020- present)
- Member, Stanford Diabetes Research Center, (2017- present)
- Director, AHA-Certified Stanford Hypertension Center, (2015- present)
- Director, Renal Physiology, Pre-Clinical Curriculum, (2012-2022)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Fellow, American Society of Nephrology (2003)
- Mentored Clinical Scientist Award (K08), NIH/NIDDK (2005-2010)
- Teaching Awardee, Halie T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, UCSF (2007)
- Shaul G. Massry Young Investigator's Award, National Kidney Foundation (2008)

- Carl W. Gottschalk Research Grant, American Society of Nephrology (2010-2012)
- Faculty Mentor Award, Stanford Biodesign Program (2012)
- Henry J Kaiser Family Foundation Award for Excellence in Preclinical Teaching, Stanford University School of Medicine (2012)
- Fellow, American Heart Association (2017)
- Outstanding Lecture / Presentation, Stanford University School of Medicine (2017)
- Member, American Society of Clinical Investigation (2022)
- Oscar Salvatierra Award for Exceptional Service to Medical Students and the School of Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine (2024)

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Biosciences Research Advisory Group, American Society of Nephrology (2014 - 2016)
- Vice-Chair, Kidney in Cardiovascular Disease Council, American Heart Association (2016 - 2018)
- Member, Hypertension Council, American Heart Association (2016 - present)
- Chair, Kidney in Cardiovascular Disease Council, American Heart Association (2018 - 2020)
- Continuous Professional Development Committee, American Society of Nephrology (2023 - present)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Medical Education: University of California San Diego School of Medicine (1998) CA
- Board Certification: Nephrology, American Board of Internal Medicine (2020)
- Fellowship: UCSF Dept of Nephrology (2005) CA
- Residency: Harbor UCLA Internal Medicine Residency (2001) CA
- Board Certification, American Society of Hypertension , Clinical Hypertension (2015)
- Fellowship, University of California San Francisco , Nephrology (2005)
- Residency, Harbor-UCLA Medical Center , Internal Medicine (2001)
- M.D., Univ of California San Diego , Medicine (1998)
- B.S., Univ of California Berkeley , Electrical Engineering (1994)

LINKS

- Stanford Hypertension Center: <http://med.stanford.edu/hypertension.html>
- Bhalla Laboratory Website: <http://med.stanford.edu/bhallalab.html>
- Research Gate Profile: https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Vivek_Bhalla

Research & Scholarship

CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

Dr. Bhalla received his training in molecular biology at UC San Francisco. His postdoctoral work centered on the regulation of aldosterone-mediated sodium transport in health and disease. In his laboratory he uses both in vitro and in vivo approaches for several projects related to the role of the kidney in health, diabetes, and hypertension.

(1) Diabetic kidney disease is costly and consequential. Diabetic kidney disease is the most common form of chronic kidney disease in the world, yet no curative therapy is available. Studies of the susceptibility of diabetic kidney disease led to the discovery of differential regulation of endothelial-specific molecule-1, Esm-1 (endocan) in susceptible strains of mice. Esm-1 is a secreted proteoglycan for which low levels in serum or glomeruli associate with worse kidney disease in both mice and humans. Rescue of Esm-1-deficient mice results in improvement in clinical and histologic markers of glomerular injury. Moreover, Esm-1 reverses gene

expression of a host of glomerular cell-specific transcripts that correlate with albuminuria in diabetes. Ongoing experiments entail understanding the mechanisms of how Esm-1 confers protection against diabetic kidney disease; how serum and glomerular endothelial cell-derived Esm-1 differ in regulation, prognosis, and action; and the contribution of Esm-1 to other glomerular diseases.

(2) The laboratory has shown that tubular remodeling occurs in humans with selective disruption of segment-specific sodium and chloride transport. A related phenocopy occurs each day in pharmacology, i.e., inhibition of sodium reabsorption using diuretics is a mainstay of therapy for hypertension and edema-forming states. Study on the consequences of remodeling stimuli using tubular morphometry and single cell approaches have led to additional work on mechanisms of tubular remodeling in vivo.

(3) In the arena of clinical and translational research, Dr. Bhalla is interested in the role of aldosterone in the spectrum of hypertension, from primary aldosteronism to resistant hypertension. Dr. Bhalla has published on screening of primary aldosteronism and the need to better define aldosterone sensitivity.

CLINICAL TRIALS

- A Study to Investigate the Efficacy and Safety of Baxdrostat in Participants With Uncontrolled Hypertension on Two or More Medications Including Participants With Resistant Hypertension, Recruiting

Teaching

COURSES

2022-23

- Science of Medicine II-A: INDE 222A (Aut)

2021-22

- Science of Medicine II-A: INDE 222A (Aut)

2020-21

- Science of Medicine II-A: INDE 222A (Aut)
- Science of Medicine II-B: INDE 222B (Aut)

STANFORD ADVISEES

Med Scholar Project Advisor

Alondra Valencia

Postdoctoral Faculty Sponsor

Robin Lo

GRADUATE AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

- Medicine (Masters Program)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **Esm-1 mediates transcriptional polarization associated with diabetic kidney disease.** *American journal of physiology. Renal physiology*
Gaudet, A., Zheng, X., Kambham, N., Bhalla, V.
2024
- **RNA Interference as a Therapeutic Approach for Managing Hypertension.** *Clinical journal of the American Society of Nephrology : CJASN*
Tan, J. W., Bhalla, V.

2024

- **Design and Implementation of an Electronic Health Record-Integrated Hypertension Management Application.** *Journal of the American Heart Association*
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- **Revascularization for Renovascular Disease: A Scientific Statement From the American Heart Association** *HYPERTENSION*
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- **Changing the Trajectory of Heart Failure and Kidney Disease.** *Clinical journal of the American Society of Nephrology : CJASN*
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- **Hypothesis: Accessory renal arteries may be an overlooked cause of renin-dependent hypertension.** *Journal of human hypertension*
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2021
- **Feasibility Of An Asynchronous, Semi-Automated Remote Patient Monitoring Blood Pressure Management System**
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Gray, Z. n., Tu, W. n., Chertow, G. M., Bhalla, V. n.
2021
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2020
- **Uncontrolled Hypertension in an Elderly Man on Multiple Antihypertensive Drugs.** *Hypertension (Dallas, Tex. : 1979)*
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- **Kidney Case Conference Series: How We Manage Hypertension in a Patient with a Recent Stroke.** *Clinical journal of the American Society of Nephrology : CJASN*
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2019
- **Hypertension Hot Potato - Anatomy of the Angiotensin-Receptor Blocker Recalls** *NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE*
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