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  Professor and Associate Dean/DIO
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Professor and Assistant Dean
Medical Student Education and Wellness
(Specialty: Internal Medicine)

Faculty Advisor, Gold Humanism Honor Society

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Our Primary Clinical Training Sites

- Area’s only major teaching hospital
- Erlanger Baroness Campus
- Children’s Hospital at Erlanger
- Erlanger East (includes outpatient, Women’s Services, and Cardiovascular
- UT Family Practice Center
- Erlanger Sports and Health Institute
Erlanger Health System

- Created 1891 with training Programs since early 1900’s
- 813 Beds
  - 475 beds on the main adult Erlanger Baroness Campus
- Children’s Hospital at Erlanger
  - 118 beds
  - Comprehensive Regional Pediatric Center (CRPC)
- Recognized leader in technology
- Designated Level I Trauma Centers for adults and children
- Approved for highest level Neonatal Intensive Care Unit
Medical Student Education

- 200-225 junior and senior medical students rotate each year
- UT College of Medicine students can elect to spend their entire 3\textsuperscript{rd} and 4\textsuperscript{th} years in Chattanooga
Medical Student Housing

- 14 two-bedroom furnished apartments provided at no charge to UT students
- Located just across the river from downtown (10 minute drive to hospital) – Hayden Place
- Limited to six 4-week blocks per student if space is available.
- Priority for assignment:
  1. UT M-3 Students
  2. UT M-4 Students
- Utilities – no charge (electricity and water)
- Basic cable TV – no charge
- Wireless Internet access in each apartment
- Gated apartment complex.
- Outdoor pool, exercise facility, and washer/dryer in each unit
Medical Student Perks

Develop your Personal Educational Portfolio

1. Medical Knowledge and Patient care
2. Scholarly Activities and Quality Improvement
   a. Evidence based lectures
   b. Presentations
   c. Research
   d. Quality Improvement
3. Teaching
4. Community Service
5. Administration and Advocacy
6. Life-long learning
7. Self care and Colleague Care
Medical Student Perks

- COLSEN Link (Chattanooga “Only Link Students Ever Need”) [www.comchattanooga.uthsc.edu/colsen](http://www.comchattanooga.uthsc.edu/colsen)
- Funding for $60 per 4-week block for meals in the Cafeteria and Starbucks Coffee in the hospital
- Housing available for up to 6 blocks (4 weeks each)
- Free parking in lots near the hospital
- OSCE experience in Chattanooga
- State-of-the-art Skills and Simulation Center
- Small teams with emphasis on *one-on-one* teaching
- Low student to faculty ratio for lots of faculty interaction
- Access to faculty mentors for career choices in almost all specialties
- Mentors for CV and portfolio development
- Excellent call schedule with Night Float on some rotations
Medical Student Perks

• Free books and learning materials provided by UTCOM SASSI Office as well as additional resources from some departments
• Extremely friendly and supportive attending physicians, residents, and staff
• Monthly luncheons and dinners with the Deans and hospital CEO
• Opportunity for graduation photos at least twice in Chattanooga
• Opportunity for PCM hours
• Opportunity for involvement in research and quality improvement projects
• Flexible Clerkship Directors and faculty
• Alpha digital pagers issued by the hospital
Medical Student Perks

• Free access to the UT Erlanger Medical Library and copying at no charge (24/7)

• Most journals are available digitally via a link on the Erlanger intranet

• Computer access to the UTHSC Library (Memphis) via Erlanger computer login and then your UT Net ID to access the UTHSC Medical Library
Medical Student Perks

• Additional experience available in the Simulation Lab
• Meet the State Legislators – spring trip to Nashville with physicians and students sponsored by the Chattanooga-Hamilton County Medical Society
Spring GHHS Induction Ceremony
LSP Presentations

Fall and Spring Dates Available
TNACP and SSGIM
Minority Health Fair
Press Out Domestic Violence
Clinical Skills and Simulation Center

- Multiple rooms for human patient simulators
- Adult SimMan 3G
- Difficult delivery mannequin
- Baby mannequin
- Newborn mannequin
- Observation areas
Upcoming Activities for Students

- **Match Day Celebration**

UTCUM Chattanooga will be hosting their Match Day Celebration at the Hunter Museum in historic downtown Chattanooga.

March 15, 2019
Upcoming Medical Student Program

MD/MBA

• 30 Credit Hours delivered 100% online and completed in 12-15 months
• 6 Credit Hours completed in partnership with the UT College of Medicine Chattanooga Capstone curriculum
• 7-Week Mini Terms for the online coursework
• Affordable, Respected MBA that is AACSB Accredited

For more information contact Christine Estoye, MBA Program Manager, via email at Christine-Estoye@utc.edu or phone at 423.425.1730
Scheduling and Housing

• Memphis students schedule Chattanooga rotations via the Memphis computer scheduling system (just like rotations in Memphis)

• As soon as you schedule your rotations, complete the online form to request housing in our apartments:
  www.comchattanooga.edu/subpage.php?pageId=1053

• For housing questions in Chattanooga, contact
  - Jacqueline Hogan, Administrative Assistant for Medical Student Education
  - (800) 947-7823, ext 7442 or MSE@Erlanger.org
Medical Students

- **Required Clerkships/Courses**
  - Family Medicine (8 wks)
  - Medicine (8 wks)
  - OB/GYN (8 wks)
  - Pediatrics (8 wks)
  - Surgery (8 wks)
  - Neurology Clerkship (4 wks)
  - Psychiatry Clerkship (4 wks)
  - Surgical Subspecialties Clerkship (4 wks)

- **Senior Clerkships/JI Any** (Emergency Medicine, Family Medicine, Internal Medicine, Neurology, OB/GYN, Pediatrics, Psychiatry, Surgery)

- **Capstone Course** (offered in Block 2 2019 for up to 20 students)
Senior Electives

- 42 electives (in addition to the Core Clerkships) are available for senior students in most medical and surgical specialties
- Includes Emergency Medicine, Cardiology, Family Medicine, Gastroenterology, Pulmonary, Critical Care, Infectious Disease, Nephrology, Neurology, Endocrinology, Ambulatory Medicine, OB/GYN, OB/GYN Research, GYN Oncology, Orthopaedic Surgery, Pathology, Pediatric subspecialties, Plastic Surgery, Psychiatry, Radiology, Rheumatology, Surgery & surgical specialties, Urology, Capstone, Administrative Health Leadership Elective with Erlanger CEO, & a Global Health Elective in Haiti
All Junior and Senior Required Rotations Offered in Chattanooga – Including Neurology and Psychiatry

- Neurology Clerkship (up to 3 per block)
  Blocks 2, 3, 7, 10, 11
- Psychiatry Clerkship (up to 4 students per block)
  Blocks 5-11
Family Medicine Clerkship

• Leslie Griffin, MD
  Clerkship Director

• Up to 4 students can enroll in each 8-week block

• Excellent interaction with faculty and residents

• State of the art Family Practice Center and hospital

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Chattanooga Medicine Clerkship

- Gary Malakoff, MD, FACP, Clerkship Director
  Gary.Malakoff@erlanger.org
  (contact: joyce.poke@erlanger.org)

- Up to 6 students in each 8-week block

- M3 Core Clerkship in Internal Medicine offers the opportunity to participate in “hands-on” improvement of physical exam skills, as well as intellectually stimulating lectures!

- Lectures include shelf review, reading conference, ambulatory care conference, and education by both attendings and residents at the daily noon conference and weekly grand rounds.
OB/GYN Clerkship

• Jeanie Dassow, MD, Clerkship Director
  Jeanie.Dassow@erlanger.org

• Department Chair is very supportive of medical student education
  (Stephen DePasquale, MD)

• Up to 6 students can enroll in each 8-week block
OB/GYN Experience

- Quality hands-on experience
- Region’s only tertiary NICU
- Region’s only tertiary Perinatal Center
- Comprehensive training in general obstetrics and gynecology
- 2 wks on the OB service
- 2 weeks on the GYN service
- 1 wk on GYN Onc service
- 1 wk on OB/GYN Night Float
- 2 wks assigned OB/GYN Clinics
Pediatrics Clerkship

- Cathy Stevens, MD, Clerkship Director
  Cathy.Stevens@erlanger.org
  Contact: debra.gignilliat@erlanger.org
- Up to 8 students can enroll in each 8-week block
- 100 bed pediatric hospital with wide variety of pathology
- Level I Trauma Center
- 8 bed PICU and 60 bed Level 3 NICU
- Outstanding Clinic and Emergency Department
- 4 Weeks on Peds Inpatient Service
- 4 Weeks on Peds Outpatient Service

Charles R. Woods, Jr, MD, MS
Professor and Chair, Department of Pediatrics

Cathy Stevens, MD
Pediatrics
Clerkship Director
Surgery Clerkship

- J. Daniel Stanley, MD, FACS
  Clerkship Director
  Contact: holly.Rambo@Erlanger.org

- Up to 8 students can enroll in each 8-week block

- Excellent quality residency program

- Level I Trauma Center

- Excellent hands-on experience and interaction with on-site faculty and residents

- Skills Lab & Simulation Center experience available
Neurology Clerkship

• Abdelazim Sirelkhatim, MD, Clerkship Director
  asirelkh@uthsc.edu
  (Contact: joyce.poke@erlanger.org)
• Two additional faculty
• Up to 3 students in each 4-week block
  – Blocks 2, 3, 10, 11
• Functions within the Department of Medicine and Internal Medicine Residency Program
• Students will participate via videoconference with Memphis Neurology Clerkship didactics and lectures
• Students will learn to recognize and treat neurological emergencies and common neurologic disorders encountered in a primary care practice.
Psychiatry Clerkship

• Audrey Hime, MD & Joe Hime, MD, Clerkship Directors
  Audrey.hime@tn.gov or joe.hime@tn.gov
  (Contact: Joyce.poke@erlanger.org)
• Up to 4 students in each 4-week block
  – Blocks 5-11
• Functions within the Department of Medicine and Internal Medicine Residency Program
• Students will participate via videoconference with Memphis Psychiatry Clerkship didactics and lectures
• Based at Moccasin Bend Mental Health Institute (125 beds)
• Exposure will include pediatric psychiatry and ECT
• Pediatric and adolescent exposure available at Agape Youth Behavioral Health
Geri-Palli Clerkship

- Greg Phelps, MD
- Patrick Koo, MD
- Brian Johnson, MD
- Up to 2 students per block
  - Blocks 2 through 11
- Functions within the Department of Medicine and Internal Medicine Residency Program.
Graduate Medical Education
Residents and Fellows 2018 - 2019

• 9 Residency Programs
• 11 Fellowship Programs
• 189 Residents and Fellows
Residency Programs (2018-2019)

- Emergency Medicine
- Family Medicine
- Internal Medicine
- OB/GYN
- Orthopaedic Surgery
- Pediatrics
- Plastic Surgery
- Surgery
- Urology
Fellowship Programs (2018-2019)

- Cardiovascular Disease
- Colon and Rectal Surgery
- EMS-Emergency Medicine
- Gastroenterology
- Surgical Critical Care
- Vascular Surgery
- Non-Standard Fellowships
  - Minimally Invasive GYN Surgery
  - Orthopaedic Trauma Surgery
  - Neuro Intervventional Radiologic Surgery
  - General Surgery Fellowship (Transitions to Practice)
  - Ultrasound (Emergency Medicine)
More Erlanger and UT Photos

• Check out photos regarding the UT College of Medicine Chattanooga and Erlanger on Flickr.com:

• http://www.flickr.com/photos/54000313@N03/sets/72157637647265305/
“For students considering making the Chattanooga campus your home, I have no regrets! Erlanger has given me a wide range of experiences that have prepared me well for shelf exams, boards, and away rotations.” --Morgan Lepard MS4
• “UTCOM Chattanooga is very invested in its students. I switched into a competitive surgical subspecialty at the end of third year, and approachable faculty continuously supported me in switching gears to meet residency goals!” --Eric Weldy, Current MS4
Comments from UT Students rotating in Chattanooga

• “I have really enjoyed spending my 2 years of clinical rotations at Erlanger. Being able to work in only one hospital for the majority of my rotations, I have been able to develop relationships with staff, residents, and attendings from the various departments. As a result, I feel much more included as a part of the team.” --David Copeland, Current MS4
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• “Every rotation I've done here has had faculty who truly care about my learning, and just as importantly, my general well being.” – Jordan Foutch, Current MS4
• “I enjoyed Chattanooga because of the smaller size of the rotations, which allowed me to have more focused one-on-one attention with both residents and attendings. This gave me great opportunities as a 3rd year to improve my history and physical exam skills under their supervision as well as participate in many procedures. Smaller rotation size did not mean small case volume or lack of variety in cases. They prepared me tremendously for away rotations as a 4th year. As a benefit of faculty knowing me, and having worked directly with me during my rotations, I was able to obtain outstanding Letters of Recommendation from faculty that knew me well and could write very personalized letters which helped tremendously in applying for residency and standing apart from other applicants.” – Meg Fillinger, Current MS4
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- Structured Humanities Curriculum
- The Art of Balance: Caring for Physician and Patient – a structured curriculum for all M-3, M-4, and PA students at the Hunter Museum of American Art and the Southeast Center for the Arts
- Life Bridge Physician Wellbeing Initiative, co-sponsored by the Chattanooga-Hamilton County Medical Society
- Monthly town hall style dinners and luncheons with medical student and GME leadership