

Class of 2026

Brian Abarbanel

Hometown: Oak Park, IL

Medical School: Chicago Medical
School at Rosalind Franklin
University

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** A product development engineer
- **Favorite thing to eat:** Good bread and sushi (not necessarily together)
- **Personal interests:** Tennis, Chicago sports, cooking, and exploring different cuisines
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** All the different neighborhoods and their summer festivals

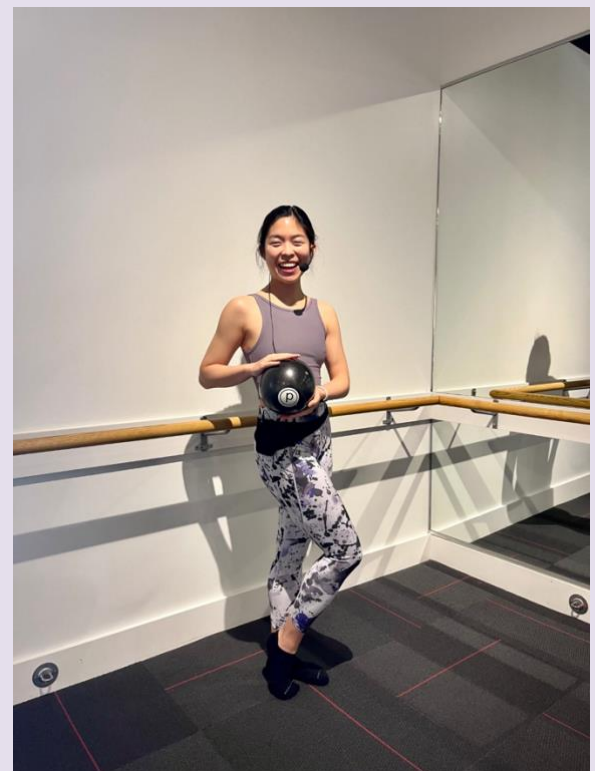


Nicole Feng

Hometown: Temple City, CA

Medical School: Eastern Virginia
Medical School

- **Fun fact:** I'm a certified Pure Barre instructor! Catch me on the mic or tucking it out at the barre!
- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** a dance performer
- **Personal interests:** Latin social dance (bachata, salsa), growing my collection of houseplants, exploring national/state parks, trying new YouTube recipes
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** I love how dog-friendly the city is and meeting new furry friends!



Ryan Kelly

Hometown: Wilton Manors,
Florida

Medical School: Wayne State
University School of Medicine

- **Ideal weekend:** Sleeping in, dinner out and a good movie
- **Favorite thing to eat:** Shepherd's pie
- **Personal interests:** Movies, hockey, stand up, philosophy, and arguing about the previous four
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** The views of the city (not pictured)



Irene Tseng

Hometown: Laguna Niguel

Medical School: Loyola University
Chicago

- **Ideal weekend:** Snowboarding
- **Favorite thing to eat:** Taiwanese beef noodle soup
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** Breweries, restaurants, scenic views, lakeside fun, cultural diversity, the people!!!



Edel Auh

Hometown: Irvine, CA

Medical School: Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** a Japanese/Korean literary translator
- **Favorite thing to eat:** KBBQ
- **Personal interests:** cooking, gaming, reading mystery novels
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** all the food and marketplaces!
- **Ideal weekend:** having a nice morning at a cafe, going out to eat with family/friends, and attending a late night movie showing at the theater



Lydia Henderson

Hometown: Castro Valley, CA

Medical School: UC Davis

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** a gymnastics coach
- **Favorite thing to eat:** homemade pizza
- **Personal interests:** plant care, springboard diving, yoga
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** the restaurants, for sure!
- **Ideal weekend:** trip to an Airbnb somewhere out of the city

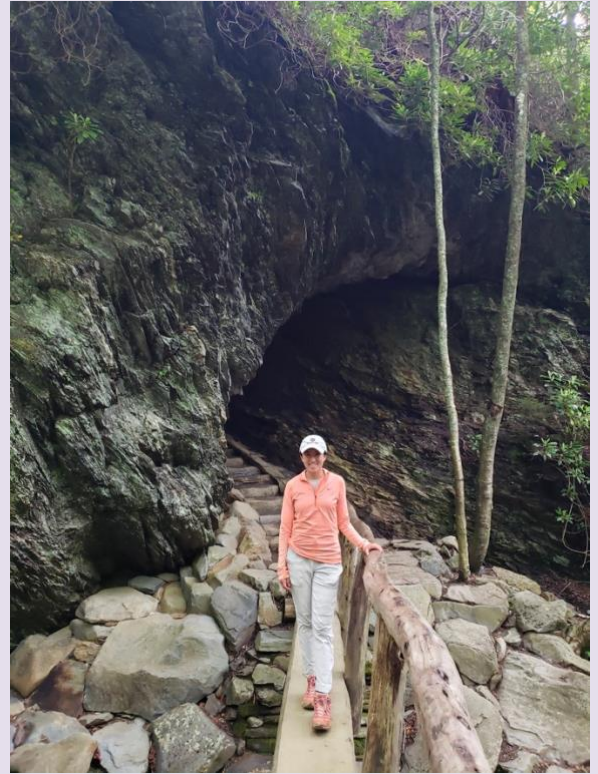


Tiffany Holland

Hometown: Austin, Texas

Medical School: Texas A&M University College of Medicine

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** teaching English abroad
- **Favorite thing to eat:** Tex-Mex
- **Personal interests:** Playing soccer, hiking, travel, coffee
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** food scene & Lakefront trail
- **Ideal weekend:** Early morning run on the lakefront, brunch, exploring a new Chicago neighborhood



Victoria Nguyen

Hometown: San Diego, CA

Medical School: Western University of Health Sciences, Pomona

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** a science teacher
- **Favorite thing to eat:** bun bo hue, sushi, dumplings
- **Personal interests:** cat-walking, tea, travel
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** exploring all the different neighborhoods and not having to drive!
- **Ideal weekend:** trying a new restaurant and cooking a new meal



Shirali Shah

Hometown: Woodridge, IL

Medical School: Chicago Medical School at Rosalind Franklin University

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** a yoga instructor or food blogger
- **Favorite thing to eat:** sushi & ramen
- **Personal interests:** dancing, workout classes, travel, long walks, making coffee/matcha beverages at home
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** Summer time chicago activities
- **Ideal weekend:** Farmers market, long walk, going out to eat with friends on Saturday & workout and relax with some TV time and cooking on Sunday

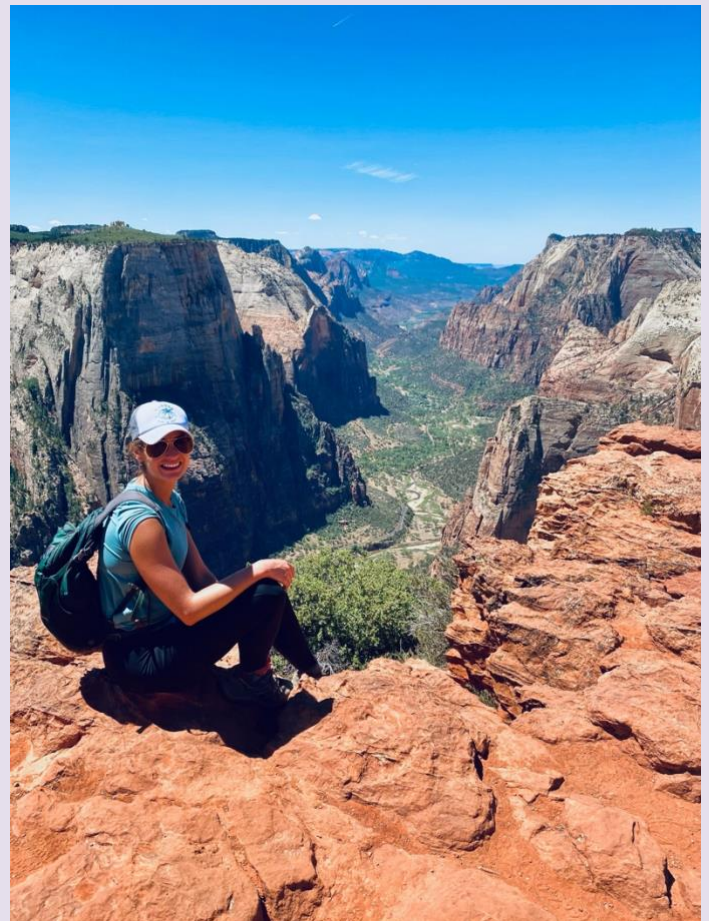


Lexi Wolfe

Hometown: Woodbury, MN

Medical School: Midwestern University, AZCOM

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** World traveler
- **Favorite thing to eat:** Sushi and ice cream!
- **Personal interests:** running, reading, trying new restaurants, cooking, traveling, hiking
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** Living in walking distance from the lake
- **Ideal weekend:** Coffee on my rooftop, Run by the lake, getting delicious food at a nearby restaurant, exploring a Chicago neighborhood at a local farmers market



Sharon Woo

Hometown: Arcadia, CA

Medical School: Western University of Health Sciences – COMP

- **If I weren't a physician, I would be:** Physical therapist
- **Favorite thing to eat:** Taiwanese food, street tacos
- **Personal interests:** Playing basketball, hiking, USWNT, couponing/finding good deals.
- **Favorite thing about Chicago:** Being able to walk and bike around the city and on the lakefront.
- **Ideal weekend:** Relaxing outside (on a sunny day!) or going on an outdoor adventure with family and/or friends.



Sean Zwicky

Hometown: Pekin, Illinois

Medical School: UIC College of Medicine at Chicago

If I weren't a physician, I would be: Photojournalist

Favorite thing to eat: Sushi

Personal interests: traveling, hiking, home improvement

Favorite thing about Chicago: Being able to explore the restaurants and breweries in all of the different Chicago neighborhoods

Ideal weekend: Taking a short trip to travel somewhere new!

