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Welcome to *The Sentient*. This MO ACP student newsletter provides our members with information on current and upcoming events, academic and professional opportunities, and much more.

### Residency Matches



**Congratulations to all M4s who matched in their specialty!**

MO ACP is excited to congratulate all of the students who matched with their desired track! This is a momentous step in your journey toward becoming a doctor. We wish you luck in your residency!

If your residency keeps you in Missouri, we hope you will continue your ACP membership as you progress toward your goals. We have a [number of resources](#) to assist you through your residency so stay connected to learn about them as they pop up. You may also use this opportunity to further your involvement with your association. We value your experience and knowledge. Join one of our many [committees](#), advocate at the Capitol, contribute to our newsletters, and much more. [Contact us](#) and see how you can get involved!

Stay involved in ACP and ensure you are getting the most out of your membership benefits to assist you through the next step of your career!

[Learn More](#)

## Welcome our new Student Liaisons: Suman Manek & Shreeya Thussu

**Suman Manek** is currently a 5th year at the UMKC B.A./M.D. program. She is originally from the suburbs of Chicago, and in her free time, enjoys going for walks and trying out new restaurants. She is looking forward to working in this new role.

**Shreeya Thussu** is currently a MS4 at Saint Louis University School of Medicine graduating in 2025. As Student Liaison, Shreeya is driven by a desire to empower future healthcare leaders and hopes to facilitate opportunities for student growth, connection, and advocacy within ACP. In her free time, she enjoys going on long walks in Forest Park and saving recipes that she will likely never make.

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MO ACP Student Liaisons represent the student members within Missouri ACP, will work with the IMIG leaders, and serve in a liaison role between students and the Missouri ACP Council.

## Internal Poster Medicine Meeting Contest Winners

### Congratulations to the 2024 IM Poster Contest winners!

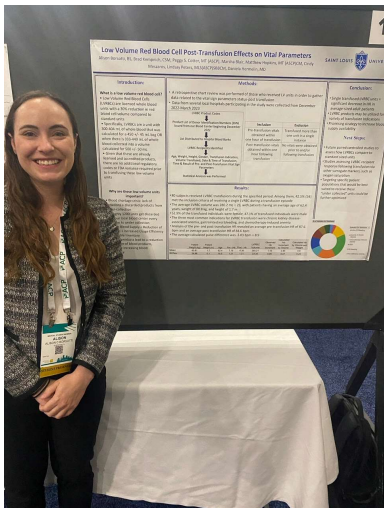
The following members presented at the Internal Medicine Meeting in Boston in April.

National - Resident/Fellow Research Poster Winner (Missouri)

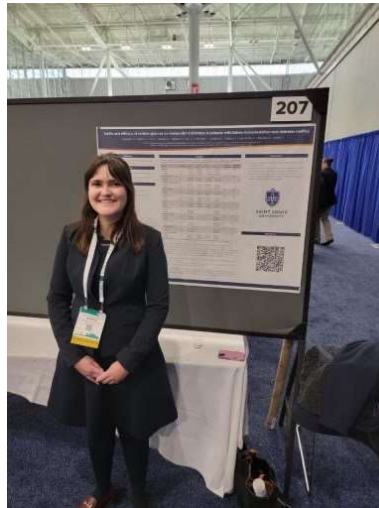
- **Himil J. Mahadevia, MBBS** Kansas City Program, Kansas City, MO, Poster2024 : *Influence of Prescription Opioids and Recreational Cannabis Use on Efficacy Outcomes and Adverse Events Related to Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors (ICIs)*

State Winners - These individuals won the state competition and advanced on to the National competition.

- **Jessica Liebich** SLU, Poster: *Safety and efficacy of sodium-glucose co-transporter-2 inhibitors in patients with kidney transplantation and diabetes mellitus*
- **Allison Borsotti** SLU, Poster: *Low Volume Red Blood Cell Post-Transfusion Effects on Vital Parameters*



Allison Borsotti



Jessica Liebich

Don't miss out on your chance to present a poster at the 2025 IMM in New Orleans. Ask your clerkship director how to be entered for the 2024 Missouri ACP poster competition.

### Competition Details:

This year's Poster Competition will be held during the **Missouri-Kansas 2024 Hospitalist Day and Scientific Meeting** (October 9-11, 2024) in Excelsior Springs. The competition itself is a one day event but students are welcome to attend the meeting.

**Poster Competition Date:** Friday, October 11, 2024

**Time:** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Location:** The Elms Resort, Excelsior Springs, MO

### Prizes for Winners:

First place student winners in the Clinical Vignette and Research categories will receive a travel stipend to compete in the National ACP competition in April 2025 in New Orleans.

We encourage all interested students to participate in this enriching competition. If you have any questions, wish to express your interest, or make a submission, please reach out to the clerkship director/contact person at your medical school.

Learn more about this contest and the contest rules below.

## Contest Rules

## Book Awards

Each year the Missouri Chapter of the American College of Physicians offers a \$200 book award to support the education of deserving medical students. Missouri's medical schools are each asked to nominate a student for the award and also provide the name of a physician to be honored through the naming of the award.

### This years recipients:

- **Parth Patel**, UMKC, Dr. Jared Keeler Book Award
- **Zachary Neronha**, Wash U, Dr. Michael M. Karl Book Award
- **Ashleigh Van Deusen**, SLU, Dr. Coy Fitch Book Award

## Grow Your IMIG

MO ACP wants to help your IMIG grow!

There are numerous funding and programming opportunities available through your Missouri ACP, national ACP, and more.

We want to keep you up to date on these opportunities so you don't miss a thing.

Provide us with a list of your IMIG leaders to receive these updates.

## Contact us

## Invite a Speaker

We want to visit you! Missouri ACP is a strong supporter of the Internal Medicine Interest Groups (IMIG) in our state.

The Missouri ACP Governor, Jacqueline Fairchild, MD, FACP, or another Missouri ACP leader would love to visit your IMIG to talk about IM in general, the various areas of IM, and what to expect as you continue down the path toward becoming a physician. If you have a specific topic you would like to hear about, we will find a leader to present on that issue.

To request a leader to visit your IMIG, please email us at [acpmissouri@gmail.com](mailto:acpmissouri@gmail.com). We are happy to provide pizza and beverages, along with some goodies for your program!

Learn more about how we can support your IMIG.



Learn More

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**A**dvocacy for patients and peers, access to resources

**C**ommunity, collegiality, connectedness, conscious of IM, connection, care providers

**P**eer support, processes, programs, practice, purveyors, and guardians of our patients' health