

# Happy Birthday!

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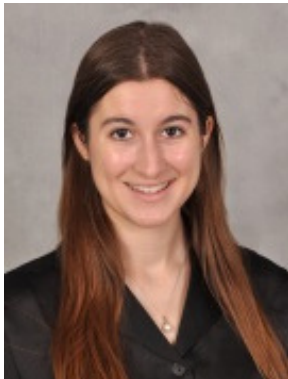
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## MD/PHD NEWSLETTER

MAY 2024



**Greg**  
**May 1**



**Olivia**  
**May 2**



**Keith**  
**May 11**

## Message from Andrea

May is the month to reset and restart. We welcome our new students coming soon next month! Look out for their virtual introductions over the next couple of weeks! This is an ideal time to reach out if you are thinking about how you can get involved this upcoming academic year. I would like to hear from anyone interested specifically in a MDPHD Social Committee. This could mean organizing happy hour after grand rounds and any other events that someone might be inspired to organize throughout the year. Finally, would anyone like to help me organize a MDPHD alumni panel? Let me know!



# How you can get involved



**MDPhD Orientation Committee (June 3-7)**

**Social committee**

**Recruitment panel**

**SURF JC**

**Transition panels**

**Student mentorship**

**Tri-institutional conference**

**MDPhD Alumni Outreach**

**Email Andrea for more information and/or if you are interested in any of the above.**

# MDPhD Town Hall Follow-Ups



## 2025 MS3 Transitioners

Mandatory requirements:

1. MS3 Orientation (March 10-14)
2. Advisement Meeting with Dr. Mason and Dr. Dhamoon

***More information in follow-up email***



## Publication Data

Please email Andrea by May 15th to submit the following information:

1. Total number of papers published with Upstate affiliation (all authorships and fully published; do not include publication submittals)
2. Total number of 1st authorships with Upstate affiliation (fully published; do not include publication submittals)
3. Your personal publication link (Google Scholar page or ORCID – NOT a PubMed search or another search results page)

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Item 3 will be posted on the Upstate MDPhD webpage under the “Publications” link with your name hyperlinked, as well as placed under your bio.

# Family Updates!

Welcome  
Dora Shira Schulman!



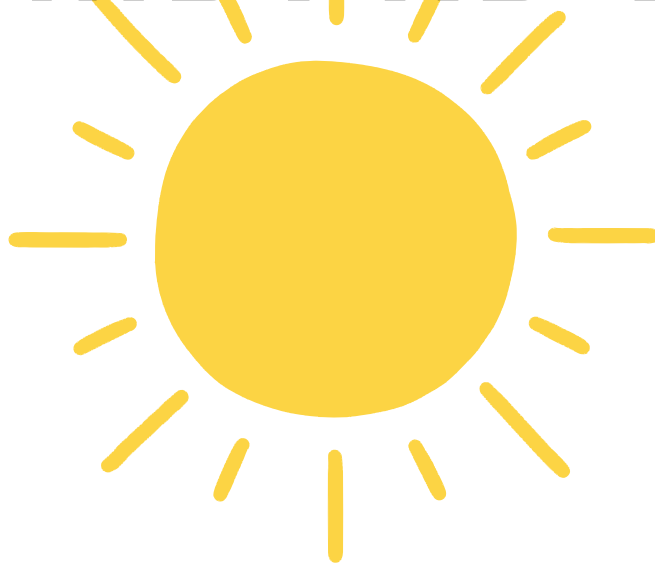
Happy 1st Birthday Cyrus!



In Baltimore, Alan completed his intern year in pediatrics and is transitioning to anesthesia. He had the opportunity to bring Maëlle and Nevan for the Hopkins peds anesthesia/critical care family fun day (pictured). Their family gathers with Liam, Emma, and Fiona often (did not receive a picture update)! Baltimore is treating everyone well!



# 2024 MDPPhD Picnic



**When: June 12th, 1p-4p**

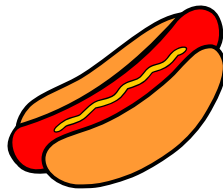
**7422 Song Lake Road, Tully, NY 13159**

**\*Please carpool as there is limited parking**

Potluck + BYOB

**RSVP + indicate your dish to pass by May 30th**

*Hot dogs, hamburgers (with vegan options), soft drinks provided*



**Families/SO's welcome to attend**  
**Enjoy swimming and kayaking!**

