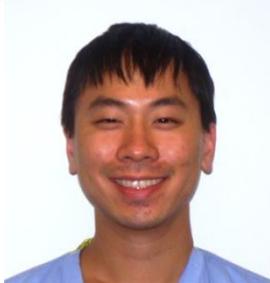
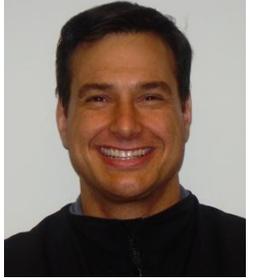




Class of 2016		
 Nick Dahl, M.D.	<p>Hometown: Apple Valley, MN Undergrad: University of Wisconsin Madison Medical School: University of Minnesota Medical School Medical Interest: Medical education, mentoring Interests/Hobbies: Cocktails/mixology, ultimate frisbee, and video games.</p>	<p>Why HCMC? Awesome/friendly/approachable residents and staff, hands-on focused training, Mpls/St. Paul is a great place to live.</p>
 Ben Dolan, M.D.	<p>Hometown: Edina, MN Undergrad: Saint Olaf College Medical School: Michigan State University College of Human Medicine Medical Interest: Ultrasound, efficiency/cost, clinical research Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, musky fishing, music, poker</p>	<p>Why HCMC? Outstanding faculty, co-residents and resources in a county hospital setting. I enjoy being in the Twin Cities in my free time and my family resides in the area.</p>
 Jackie Gadbois, M.D.	<p>Hometown: Denver, CO Undergrad: Metropolitan State University of Denver Medical School: Oregon Health and Science University School of Medicine Medical Interest: Disaster, wilderness, and pre-hospital medicine Interests/Hobbies: Biking, running, hiking, fly fishing, camping, snowboarding, cooking, gardening, volunteering, and home remodeling</p>	<p>Why HCMC? I heard a lot of great things about HCMC. I had to go see for myself. I was fortunate to get the opportunity to do a rotation here and not only was it true, I also loved the program!</p>
 Kevin Jeng, M.D.	<p>Hometown: Troy, MI Undergrad: Duke University Medical School: Duke University School of Medicine Medical Interest: Research, infectious diseases Interests/Hobbies: Music history, botany, cinema, and running</p>	<p>Why HCMC? Tons of research. Rigorous training. Diverse county population. Friendly faces. It's hard to find all these things in the same program anywhere else.</p>

	<p>Hometown: Seattle, WA Undergrad: St. Mary's College of California Medical School: Creighton University School of Medicine Medical Interest: EM Pediatrics Interests/Hobbies: Climbing, biking, Seahawks football, and spending time with my wife and daughter.</p>	<p>Why HCMC? I knew HCMC would challenge and prepare me to be the best emergency physician possible. Not only am I confident in my training, but Minneapolis is a city with an abundance of activities at all times of the year. A great program in a fun city.</p>
	<p>Hometown: Syosset, NY Undergrad: Brown University Medical School: University of Colorado School of Medicine Medical Interest: intern year Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, camping, yoga, running, sushi, sleeping, my dog</p>	<p>Why HCMC? I heard the winters were balmy and beautiful. And I fell in love with the program on interview day.</p>
	<p>Hometown: Saint Cloud, MN Undergrad: Saint John's University Medical School: University of Minnesota Medical School Medical Interest: Emergency and critical care Interests/Hobbies: If I have a couple days off, you can find me roaming around northern MN's lakes and woods either fishing, hiking, or camping. However I love living in Minneapolis as well because people here are very active and outgoing. I play on several soccer teams, a hockey team, enjoy rock climbing at the local gym, and running the lakes near downtown. I have even been on kickball and broomball teams. All of which are fun ways to get together, be active, and then go have a round of beers in good company.</p>	<p>Why HCMC? HCMC is a resident run hospital supported by great faculty. There is a strong tradition of excellent medical education and that reputation extends from faculty and fellows to senior residents, and from the senior residents to interns and medical students. The educational vibe here fosters working together, and enjoying what we do.</p>
	<p>Hometown: Baltimore, MD Undergrad: Saint Louis University Medical School: University of Maryland School of Medicine Medical Interest: Teaching, social media and #FOAMed, international EM Interests/Hobbies: I love to cook; it's my stress relief. I love finding new restaurants and enjoy being a bit of a food and drink snob. I travel often with my wife and love to explore new parts of the world. I'm a mediocre skier, a terrible golfer, and a die-hard Raven's fan.</p>	<p>Why HCMC? I rotated at Hennepin as a med student and was blown away by everything this program had to offer. The faculty is made up of well-known leaders in the field of Emergency Medicine and driven by a desire to teach and pass on the art of medicine. The residents are a close-knit group with a huge variety of interests and they know how to balance work and play. The fantastic</p>

		<p>team of nurses makes every shift run smoothly and helps create an enjoyable workplace culture. I couldn't imagine myself anywhere else!</p>
 <p>Mark Sandefur, M.D.</p>	<p>Hometown: Beech Grove, KY Undergrad: Western Kentucky University Medical School: Mayo Medical School Medical Interest: Simulation, medical education, under-served populations, correctional medicine Interests/Hobbies: Staying active and balanced is a priority. I bike into work. I jog along the lakes near my apartment. A buddy of mine recently pulled me along to a hot yoga session and now I'm hooked. During interview season I started reading books that I was supposed to read back in high school, like The Grapes of Wrath. I'm kind of a nerd.</p>	<p>Why HCMC? I was looking for a program that offered excellent clinical training at an institution with resources to provide high quality care for patients. At HCMC, this is done regardless of a patient's ability to pay. The attendings are passionate about teaching. They frequently go above and beyond to advocate for their patients. The residents I get to work with amaze me – they consistently prove themselves to be diligent, ridiculously smart, and unassuming. I have nothing but love for this program.</p>
 <p>Alex Smetana, M.D.</p>	<p>Hometown: La Grange, IL Undergrad: University of Illinois at Chicago Medical School: University of Illinois College of Medicine Medical Interest: Stroke, education Interests/Hobbies: Doling out punishment on the bike, enjoying big skies, brunch, shenanigans</p>	<p>Why HCMC? County mayhem, Minneapolis is the best biking city in 'Murica.</p>
 <p>Justin Steinberg, M.D.</p>	<p>Hometown: Chicago, IL Undergrad: Carleton / Northwestern Medical School: Yale School of Medicine Medical Interest: Cost effectiveness, disaster medicine, and ED ultrasound Interests/Hobbies: Omnivorous reading, carnivorous grilling, lugubrious running, skiing, hiking, rugby, child and canine husbandry.</p>	<p>Why HCMC? Minneapolis is awesome, parks everywhere, bike and people friendly. I've wanted to work at HCMC since I heard about the program during my MS1 year. Incredible variety of presentations, a didactic tradition second to none, high acuity, heterogenous population, highest level of responsibility for trauma of any ED I encountered, research excellence and support, can't imagine a better preparation for Attendinghood than the Pit Boss experience. Feel free to email me with any questions!</p>