



WWAMI Pro is a medical student-driven recognition program, created to empower students to honor professionalism in the University of Washington (UW) School of Medicine community. UW medical students can recognize any individual who contributes to a positive, respectful, and supportive learning environment. The WWAMI Pro Awards program is administered by the Committee for Continuous Professionalism Improvement (CPI).

The UW School of Medicine is committed to the promotion of professionalism throughout our community. To support this, the CPI was created in 2007. It is charged with overseeing and promoting professionalism throughout the medical school and at all teaching sites.

The WWAMI Pro recognitions are announced at least once per year. Current medical students can submit nominations online here. To learn more about the CPI, please visit the CPI website.

The following is a list of the WWAMI Pro Award honorees to date, arranged by state in WWAMI order. **Purple text** highlights January – April 2023 honorees. Numbers in parenthesis denote the number of times the person has received a WWAMI Pro Award.

Washington – Western

Dr. Sabreen Akhter, Seattle

Dr. Heidi Allred, Bremerton

Mirutse Amssalu, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Jeff Anderson, Seattle

Dr. Joseph Angel, Tacoma

Casey Atwa, Program Specialist, Seattle

Dr. Maralyssa Bann, Seattle

Dr. Gregory Bell, Olympia

Dr. Brian Benjamin, Seattle

Dr. Douglas Berger, Seattle

Dr. Gaby Berger, Seattle

Dr. Julianna Bonilla-Velez, Seattle

Dr. Mark Brakstad, Seattle

Dr. Cora Breuner, Seattle

Dr. Jonathan Buchholz, Seattle

Dr. Laura Buck, Seattle

Dr. David Carlborn, Seattle

Dr. Marco Carone, Seattle

Brian Cedeño, Medical Student, Seattle

Catherine Chang, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Rachel Chapman, Seattle

Dr. Kavita Chawla, Kirkland

Dr. Jamey Cheek, Seattle

Dr. Anders Chen, Seattle

Leah Chen, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Thomas Cherry, Seattle

Dr. Jeffrey Chick, Seattle

Leonora Clarke, Service Learning, Seattle

Dr. Anna Cogen, Seattle

Dr. Max Cohen, Seattle

Dr. Allison Cole, Seattle

Norma Colon, Training Administrator, Tacoma

Dr. Heidi Combs, Seattle (2)

Dr. Brian Cook, Seattle

Dr. Basak Coruh, Seattle (2)

Dr. Matt Cunningham, Seattle

Dr. Patricia Andrea dela Cruz, Seattle

Dr. Dominique Dixon, Seattle

Dr. Kemi Doll, Seattle
 Betka Douglas, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Hunter Dunn, Seattle
 Arian El-Taher, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Anne Erickson, Seattle (2)
 Dr. Ralph Ermoian, Seattle
 Dr. Yolanda Evans, Seattle
 Dr. Andrew Farr, Seattle
 Rachel Fong, Seattle
 Winter Forsyth, Medical Student, Seattle (2)
 Dr. Hugh Foy, Seattle
Melinda Frank, Director of the Learning Environment, Seattle
 Sonya Fukeda, Clerkship Administrator, Seattle
 Dr. Volkmar Gaussmann, Seattle
 Harinder Gill, Medical Student, Seattle
 Simrat Gill, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Aaron Green, Seattle
 Dr. Tom Greer, Seattle
 Dr. Mollie Grow, Seattle
 Nicole Gurtler, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Elena Hannon, Seattle
 Dr. Bradley Herrin, Seattle
 Ivan Henson, Counseling Services Coord., Seattle
 David Hudock, PA-C, Seattle
 Dr. Ian Humphreys, Seattle
 Dr. Hayley Hunt, Seattle
 Dr. Jason Hurd, Seattle
 Dr. Jon Ilgen, Seattle (2)
 Dr. Suzanne Inchauste, Seattle
 Dr. Christopher Ingraham, Seattle
 Dr. David Inwards-Brelands, Seattle
 Dr. Margaret Isaac, Seattle
 Dr. Maria Islam, Seattle
 Dr. Molly Jackson, Seattle (2)
 Haya Jamali, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Joshua Jauregui, Seattle
 Dr. Kaalan Johnson, Seattle (2)
 Marques Johnson, Security Officer, Seattle
 Karen Johnson, ARNP, Seattle
 Dr. Troy Johnston, Seattle
 Dr. Sean Jones, Seattle
 Dr. Harrison Kalodimos, Seattle
 Dr. John Kang, Seattle
 Dr. Elizabeth Kaplan, Seattle (3)
 Dr. Stephen Kaplan, Seattle
 Dr. Kim Kardonsky, Seattle
John Kearney, Medical Student, Seattle
Heidi Knickerbocker, Registered Nurse, Seattle
 Dr. Eric Konnick, Seattle
 Joshua Kosanke, Financial Aid Counselor, Seattle (2)
 Dr. Amanda Kost, Seattle
Dr. Eric Kraus, Seattle (2)
 Dr. Patricia Kritek, Seattle
 Dr. Kavin Labadie, Seattle
 Katie Lake, Project Coordinator, Seattle
 Dr. Trevor Lane, Seattle
 Dr. Yuk Law, Seattle
 Dr. Sum Ping Lee, Seattle
 Dr. Alex Legocki, Seattle
 Dr. Thellea Leveque, Seattle
 Dr. Jay Liao, Seattle
 Dr. Michael Lippman, Seattle
 Dr. Greg Lisse, Seattle
 Anne Long, Surgery Admin Staff, Seattle
 Janice Lorenzana, Medical Assistant, Seattle
 Dr. Neeta Makhija, Seattle
 Brenda Martinez, Proactive Advisor, Seattle (2)
 Carmelita Mason-Richardson, Student Prog., Seattle
 Anna May, Medical Student, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Mark Mayo, Seattle
 Dr. Karen McDonough, Seattle
 Dr. Steven McGee, Seattle
 Nathan McLaughlin, Medical Student, Seattle
 Nicholas Meinhardt, Seattle
 John Mele, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Alexey Merz, Seattle
 Dr. Josh Milber, Seattle
 Matt Milleman, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Kara Mitchell, Seattle
 Dr. Sylvia Mollerstron, Seattle
 Barbara Moravec, ARNP, Seattle
 Emily Muller, Medical Student, Seattle
 Dr. Kate Mulligan, Seattle
 Dr. Sean Nabar, Seattle

Julie Nathe, Medical Student, Seattle

Annie Ngo, Medical Student, Seattle

Linh Ngo, Career Advisor, Seattle

Lan Nguyen, Student Programs, Seattle

Naomi Nkinsi, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Karen Nilsen, Tacoma

Dr. Adam Nishimura, Seattle

Diane Noecker, Director of Financial Aid, Seattle

Meghana Noonavath, Medical Student, Seattle (2)

Dr. Kim O'Connor, Seattle

Dr. Johnnie Orozco, Seattle

Dr. Genevieve Pagalilauan, Seattle

Dr. Kavita Pandit, Seattle

Dr. Sanjay Parikh, Seattle

Dr. Esther Park-Hwang, Tacoma

Dr. Rachel Pearson, Seattle

Dr. Christina Pease, Seattle

Dr. Elena Pellicer, Seattle

Dr. Sierra Peña, Seattle

Sam Peterson, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Steven Philips, Seattle

Dr. Luke Pittman, Tacoma

Dr. Elizabeth Plotkin, Seattle

Nadia Popovici, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Krishna Prabhu, Seattle

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Caroline Raymundo, Medical Student, Seattle

Laura Reddoch, Medical Assistant, Seattle

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Dr. Jeremiah Reenders, Seattle

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Dr. David Rink, Seattle

Dr. Charles Rohrmann, Seattle

Oliver Rue, Medical Student, Seattle

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Dr. Shobha Stack, Seattle

Dr. Sarah Steinkruger, Seattle

Dr. Erik Stiles, Seattle

Bella Stokes, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Mick Storck, Seattle

Dr. Scott Stuart, Kirkland

Dr. Elinor Sveum, Seattle

Dr. Jordan Symons, Seattle

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Ellen Tan, Patient Interview Coordinator, Seattle

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Dr. Katie Thomas, Seattle

Christopher Thouvenel, Research Data Scientist, Seattle

Hao Tong, Medical Student, Seattle

Dr. Elizabeth TopSky, Tulalip

Dr. Nam Tran, Seattle

Margie Trenary, Clerkship Administrator, Seattle

Dr. Huong Trinh, Seattle

Richard Tu, Medical Student, Seattle

Alisa Ulrich-Herrera, Program Assistant, Seattle

Dr. Renata Urban, Seattle

Dr. Jay Vary, Seattle

Dr. Mengru Wang, Seattle

Dr. Andrew Warner, Seattle

Dr. Beth Weitensteiner, Seattle

Dr. Catherine Wheeler, Seattle

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Dr. Ida Wilson, Seattle

Dr. Sylvia Wong, Seattle

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Dr. Jenny Wright, Seattle

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Dr. Liqun Zhu, Redmond

Dr. Joseph Zunt, Seattle

Washington – Eastern

Dr. Bruce Abbotts, Spokane
Dr. Robert Andres, Spokane
Dr. Douglas Brown, Spokane Valley
Tonja Brown, Career Advisor, Spokane
Linda Burdette, PA-C, Yakima
Dr. Nigel Campbell, Pullman
Dr. John Charyk, Spokane
Dr. Tim Chestnut, Spokane (2)
Casey Cummins, Medical Student, Spokane
Dr. Garry Dieter, Spokane
Dr. Darin Eckert, Spokane
Dr. Jamin Feng, Ellensburg
Dr. Stephanie Fosback, Pullman
Dr. Zachary R. Gallaher, Spokane (7)
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Danielle Graham, Medical Student, Spokane
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Dr. Ric Minudri, Pullman
Dr. Stephen Pakkianathan, Spokane
Dr. Steven Nisco, Spokane
Dr. Richard Parry, Spokane
Dr. Charles Randolph, Grand Coulee
Dr. Aaron Scott, Colville
Dr. Vicki Short, Pullman
Dr. Paula Silha, Spokane
Dr. Nanette Smith, Spokane
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Dr. Michael Stephens, Spokane (4)
Dr. David Stoddard, Spokane
Dr. Elizabeth Stuhlmiller, Tonasket
Dr. Chadd Sukut, Spokane Valley
Dr. Krista Summers, Ellensburg
Dr. Hassan Tehrani, Spokane
Allegra Vanderwilde, Medical Student, Spokane
Casey Vogt, Student Services Coord., Wenatchee
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Dr. Allison Doherty, Laramie (2)
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Dr. Dana Govaerts, Laramie (3)
Dr. Pete Graham, Laramie
Dr. Yvette Haeberle, Laramie
Dr. Thor Hallingbye, Cheyenne
Dr. April Kranz, Cheyenne
Dr. Matthew Loptien, Cheyenne
Dr. Michael Menolascino, Wilson *(2)

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Dr. Daiva Olipra, Laramie
Dr. Tim Robinson, Laramie
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Dr. John Thalken, Douglas (2)
Dr. Rebecca Thompson, Sheridan
Dr. John Ullrich, Laramie
Carson Walker, Medical Student, Laramie
Dr. Brittany Wheeler, Cheyenne
Dr. John Willford, Laramie

Alaska

Kate Backstrum, Medical Student, Anchorage
Dr. Ana Chartier, Wasilla
Shyla Dema, Program Administrator, Anchorage
Dr. Valerie Edwards, Sitka
Dr. Steven Floerchinger, Anchorage
Dr. Lisa Gray, Anchorage
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Dr. Max Kullberg, Anchorage
Dr. Jon Lieberman, Fairbanks

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Dr. Robert Urata, Juneau
Dr. Kerry Wappett, Fairbanks
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Dr. Kathy Young, Anchorage

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Dr. Brian Fortuin, Twin Falls
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