The Path to Clinical Excellence

Date: Thursday, October 19th Time: 8-9 pm EST Location: Virtual

CLOSLER was started at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine's Miller Coulson Academy of Clinical Excellence as a place to share insight, inspiration, wisdom, and new thinking about clinical excellence from and for healthcare professionals around the world. With the goal of sharing thoughtful clinical stories and perspectives to stimulate reflection about providing exceptional care to every patient, CLOSLER takes its name from Dr. William Osler, the founder of academic medicine in the U.S. and an early champion of patient-centered care.

Our live virtual podcast will be an intimate conversation with a medical student and Johns Hopkins physicians and nurses about their personal stories through medicine and practicing clinical excellence. We'll talk about topics like burnout, diversity and inclusion in medicine, and the role of the arts and humanities in clinical practice.

This event is open to all but geared toward pre-health students.

Link to Interest Form: https://forms.gle/75Vch37hcyH5PS507





Dr. Panagis Galiatsatos is a pulmonary and critical care medicine physician. He is an expert in the diagnosis and treatment of obstructive lung disease, tobacco cessation, and in the care of critically ill patients in the Medical ICU. He is a member of the Obstructive Lung Disease Group at Johns Hopkins, oversees the Tobacco Treatment Clinic and provides teaching to medical students and residents at Johns Hopkins.



Dr. Michael Eamonn McCarthy is a current medicine intern at the Johns Hopkins Bayview residency program, and a recent graduate of Sidney Kimmel Medical College in Philadelphia. His professional interests include infectious diseases, creative writing, and bioethics. In his free time, he enjoys watching old movies with his wife.



Ben Roberts is a nurse practitioner, musician, and dad who received his bachelors degree in Cognitive Science at Vassar College, his Masters of Science in Nursing at Johns Hopkins University, and his Adult-Gerontology Acute Care NP training at Georgetown University. He feels fortunate to have been a part of the nationally-recognized Palliative Care program at Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center since 2019, where he subspecializes as an Advanced Certified Hospice & Palliative Nurse.



Emily Rodriguez is a third-year medical student at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. Born and raised in the inner-city of Cleveland, Ohio, she is the first in her family to graduate from university and attend medical school. She attended The Ohio State University, where she studied Chemistry and Substance Misuse and Addiction. Emily has long-standing interests in the intersections of medicine, science, ethics, and society.