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Liz Gernert (UConn '18) is currently a second-year medical student at Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine. She graduated from UConn in May of 2018 with a B.S. in Cognitive Science. She was an Honors Scholar, and her thesis was titled "Auditory Brainstem Responses to Self-Generated Sounds." During her time at UConn she was heavily involved in the Auditory Brain Research Lab under the direction of Dr. Erika Skoe. She was also the Vice President of the UConn Alzheimer's Association and continues to have a passion for community service. She is a first-generation medical student and spent two gap years as an emergency department scribe before beginning medical school. When not studying, she loves spending time with friends and binge-watching her favorite series.

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Sandy A. Durosier is a first-year osteopathic medical student at A.T. Still University - School of Osteopathic Medicine in Arizona. She was born in Boston, MA, and raised in Port-au-Prince, Haiti. Sandy graduated from UConn's Post-Bacc Program in May 2020. She has a BA in Biology from Wesleyan University and an MS in Cellular & Molecular Biology from the University of New Haven. Before medical school, Sandy worked in research, healthcare, and higher education. She is passionate about diversity, equity, inclusion, and mentoring the next generation of STEM and medical students. She speaks French and Haitian Creole fluently. When not studying for exams, Sandy enjoys traveling, cooking, and spending quality time with family and friends.

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