

Chat with Alumni

REAPPLICANT EDITION


WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8TH

7:00-8:00PM

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WELCOME

Yes, this
includes you
fellow alumni!


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Nikaash Pasnoori will matriculate to medical school this fall after a total of three application cycles (2020, 2021, 2023). He hopes to learn more about community medicine, and the role of the physician in a social safety net. He also hopes he can continue his two hobbies in medical school--building with LEGO and weightlifting!

Fun facts about Nikaash:

- Nikaash graduated from UConn in 2020 with a BS in Pathobiology and a minor in Physiology & Neurobiology.
- During his time at UConn, he completed his honors thesis (under Dr. Steven Szczepanek), was the captain of the UConn Boxing Team, and volunteered for the VA healthcare system.
- During his growth years, he was an AmeriCorps service member with Health360, a state-funded public health program in Connecticut. In this role, he conducted health advocacy programs for medically-underserved populations.
- He will graduate in May with his Master's degree in biomedical engineering from the University of Bridgeport.



Liz Gernert is currently a third-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.

Fun facts about Liz:

- She was an Honors Scholar and completed her thesis in auditory neuroscience.
- Liz 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 working on art projects.