The Stanford Infectious Diseases Fellowship

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What Makes Stanford ID Special?

• People, people, people
• Rich university environment
• Research and collaborative opportunities abound
• Supportive environment, receptive to feedback
• ID division in terrific growth / expansion phase
• Awesome clinical experience
ID Fellowship Tracks

• **Research / Traditional Track**
  • Y1: Clinical year (+ one half-day general ID clinic)
  • Y2: Research year (+ one half-day HIV clinic)
  • Y3+ Research years, few clinical responsibilities

• **Clinician Educator Track**
  • Y1: Identical clinical year (+ one half-day general ID clinic)
  • Y2: Less intense clinical year (same one half-day HIV clinic) + several months tailored to fellow’s interest (e.g., scholarship, education, research, IC/ASP)

• Number of fellows in each track varies year-to-year; likely 2 and 3 (respectively) for 2021 entering class
ID Fellowship Tracks

- **Antimicrobial Stewardship Track**
  - Y1: Identical clinical year (+ one half-day general ID clinic)
  - Y2: 75% time ASP; rest clinical rotations, vacation, etc. (same one half-day HIV clinic)
    - Likely 1 fellow for 2021 entering class
Clinical Experience

• Stanford
  • General ID
  • ICU-ID (relatively new)
  • “Superfellow”
  • ICHS rotation now two services: Heme/BMT and SOT

• VA ID
• Santa Clara Valley Medical Center ID
• ID Outpatient rotation
• ASP program at Stanford outstanding: national and intl. leaders

• Y1 fellows: 1.5-2 mo each inpt rotation + 1 mo micro/ASP + 1 mo ID outpt rotation

• Y2 CE fellows: ~1 month each inpt rotation + 2 weeks ASP + 2 weeks ID outpt rotation; rest elective time
Clinical Experience

• General ID and HIV clinics: 1-3 fellows per year at each site (Stanford, VA, SCVMC)
Parallel Fellowships

- 1 year ICHS ID fellowship (non-ACGME accredited). Two fellows per year
- 1 year clinical microbiology fellowship (ACGME accredited)
- 2 year clinical informatics fellowship (ACGME accredited)
Robust Didactic Sessions

- Weekly fellow lecture series (Tues AM)
- Monthly journal club (Tues PM)
- Weekly clinical conference (Tues PM)
- Weekly microbiology rounds (Thurs AM)
- Weekly ID grand rounds (Thurs PM)
- Weekly ICHS-ID meeting (Mon PM)
- Twice-monthly epi meeting (Mon Noon)
Chief Fellows

• Two chief fellows, primary role to meet and talk regularly with all fellows, help with problems, advocate for any needed changes, spearhead social events, etc.

• Our program is very responsive to concerns, has made many changes to better the fellow experience
## Competitive Salary/Benefits

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### Allowances:
- 1% of salary paid in June for participation in the Chief Residents Quality Improvement Project
- $1,000 paid in July to cover cell phone use
- $3,000 moving allowance paid in September for new residents/fellows.
- $2,000 educational allowance paid in January *(subject to completion of annual Healthstream modules)*
- $7,200 housing allowance.

Cost of initial CA MD license and renewals.

Cost of initial DEA and renewals.
Research Experience

• Stanford has outstanding research mentors, projects
  • Fellows who graduated our program from 2011-2019 have published approximately 300 peer-reviewed journal articles in the last 5 years
  • Fellows have an excellent track record obtaining grants

• For Research Track fellows, we can support salary for years 2, 3, and 4 when needed (three years of guaranteed research salary support). Salary/benefits also provided for all Y1/Y2 CE / ASP fellows (GME)
  • Fellows are expected to meet basic milestones for research progress, and apply for salary support
Fellow Graduates

• Excellent record of obtaining highly competitive jobs in academia (research and CE tracks), industry, public health, and private practice

• Our own division has hired numerous recent graduates into CE and research track faculty positions