

>> Hello. I'm Patricia Fuentes,

and on behalf of my PRISM group, the A team,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our PRISM mentor,

Dr. Alpay, for all of her support over the last four years in medical school.

You were with us every step of the way and we are so appreciative of you.

We're so grateful to have you guide us throughout our times at OUWB, and for lending an ear in our many times of need.

Thank you for hosting our PRISM group at your beautiful home for a fun potluck,

where we had a great time and made happy memories with our group.

We really appreciate our outings with you at Vinsetta Garage,

and at the end of the semester gathering at Julia's house in December of 2019.

It was good to be able to get to know each other

better and share our life stories with one another.

Thank you for leading by example and being a great resource of support.

Do you remember ice skating in Detroit and never thinking we would warm up?

You would always listen to each and every one of us during our gatherings,

and then offer advice and words of wisdom when we needed it most.

Your patience and understanding toward us as students,

and as people, were always evident, genuine, and appreciated.

Dr. Alpay, thank you for your positivity and unwavering support over the last four years.

We greatly appreciate all of your encouragement and wisdom and we cannot thank you enough.

>> Dr. Yousef Abdulla,

Dr. Sara Allison,

Dr. Sophia Chan,

Dr. Ariel Datuin,

Dr. Patricia Fuentes,

Dr. Alexandra Hospodar,

Dr. Julia Kerwin,

Dr. Erica Kris,

Dr. David Lee,

Dr. Daniela Lozano,

Dr. Austin Morris,

Dr. Maria Munoz,

Dr. Allison Palmer,

Dr. Raza Qadir,

Dr. Kristin Rybski,

Dr. Christos Sarantopoulos,

Dr. Bhavneet Bobby Singh,

Dr. Alana Smith,

Dr. Alex Yang.

>> As a member of Banooni's goonies, I'm Aryana Sharrak,
and I would like to thank our PRISM mentor,

Dr. Andrew Banooni, for always believing in us and our success as
physicians.

Thank you for all of your rewarding stories and hilarious jokes.

You created a warm atmosphere in our PRISM sessions
by supporting us and checking up on everyone in the group.

We appreciated how you were there for us through
the highs and lows through the past four years,
and we couldn't have done it without your support, Dr. Banooni.

Thank you for being so welcoming to us throughout
our medical school career and always being willing to advocate for us,
because you've been there from the start to the finish.

We really enjoyed our group outings together,
playing games, eating together,
and especially the time when we all got to bond at the cider mill,
you always created a great environment among our group.

Every time we met you,
you would tell us a joke and a story about a patient experience,

and no matter how stressful medical school was,
we could always count on you to make a ridiculous pun that would
make us laugh.

Thank you for all of your wise advice and
encouragement through all of the hurdles of medical school.

Dr. Banooni, you've always been there for us and we
greatly appreciate all of your dedication,
mentorship, and support to us.

>> Dr. Rupini Alla,

Dr. Antonio Barbat,

Dr. Lena Dennison,

Dr. Michelle Fedorowicz,

Dr. Stuart Goates,

Dr. Komal Kapoor,

Dr. Alexis Kerl,

Dr. Helen Kim,

Dr. Paul Lee,

Dr. Madalyn Nygren,

Dr. Sandra Oska,

Dr. Alyssa Perozich,

Dr. Andrew Ragheb,

Dr. Zachary Scherzer,

Dr. Aryana Sharrak,

Dr. Haley Smallwood,

Dr. Aviv Spillinger,

Dr. Fionna Sun,

Dr. Monica Szmyd.

>> As part of the PRISM group,

the keeping it real,

I'm Aimen Vanood, and I want to thank our mentor,

Dr. Fakhri, for always supporting us,

for all of her words of encouragement,

and for being such a positive role model and mentor.

Even if there were extremely busy schedule as an OB-GYN,

you always made time to check in with us in some way,

even if it couldn't be in person.

We'll never forget the day you left clinic to

grab an ice cream and sit down to chat with us.

Thank you for being a helping hand and a listening ear throughout these four years.

We couldn't have made it through the tough times without your constant encouragement,

and hearing about your own hardships in medicine and how you persevered.

We always looked forward to our time together,
and knowing you were there cheering us on was of much comfort and
made such a difference.

Thank you for your thoughtfulness and for
the personalized Christmas blankets that you made each of us.

We enjoyed the get-together at the park in
our second year and the OUWBC dinner with a Dr. Yvette,
that you made time for and hosted at your house,
at the request of some of our PRISM members.

We loved being able to spend more time with you outside of PRISM.

We can't express how much it means to us that you've stuck
with us and had our backs these past four years.

Dr. Fakhri, you are such a blessing and inspiration to us and we cannot
thank you enough.

>> Dr. Meredith Allen,

Dr. Mohamed Alrayyashi,

Dr. Meghan Brown,

Dr. Victoria Drzyzga,

Dr. Sara Grant,

Dr. Allison Low,

Dr. Michael Maywood,

Dr. Merit Milad,

Dr. Benjamin Partiali,

Dr. Mallory Peters,

Dr. Mustafa Polat,

Dr. Joshua Recknagel,

Dr. Daniel Schoenherr,

Dr. Kayla Seawright,

Dr. Jonathan Tang,

Dr. Morgan Nees Van Baalen,

Dr. Aimen Vanood.

>> My name is Oluwatoyin Ibironke

and on behalf of my PRISM group, the Ortiz, and the VIPs,

I would like to thank Dr. Ortiz for stepping in as our mentor

when our educational careers needed her the most, our M3 year.

When Dr. Ortiz first joined our group,

we were making tough decisions about residency.

She ran the extra mile and reached out to offer us support and guidance.

Thank you for being an amazing mentor to our group.

We will be forever grateful for your mentorship,

support, and positivity you have provided to us ever since.

Dr. Ortiz is a standout mentor who always engaged and connected with us.

She cared so much about her students and showed in her words and actions.

Thank you for stepping in and making us feel like you have been with us from the beginning.

We enjoyed our group walk-through Royal Oak to get ice cream at [inaudible] at the beginning of M3 year.

Despite the pandemic being an obstacle,

Dr. Ortiz made the time to check in with us to have a genuine, caring conversation with a one on one video chat.

Thank you, Dr. Ortiz for your positive attitude, for always making the time to listen to our worries, and to reassure us that everything will end up all right no matter what.

You were an immense source of support to us and we are extremely grateful for all you have done.

Thank you for always being there for us.

>> Dr. Sameen Ansari,

Dr. Jessica Barnes,

Dr. Anthony Delise,

Dr. Nardin Derias,

Dr. Chelsie Dietz,

Dr. Joshua Hohlbein,

Dr. Kristine Huynh,

Dr. Oluwatoyin Ibiroko,

Dr. Jieun Kang,

Dr. Yvonne Lee,

Dr. Maria Lepore,

Dr. Nikhil Mankuzhy,

Dr. John Nguyen,

Dr. Kaitlyn Richter,

Dr. Samuel Schimke,

Dr. Hosameddine Talab,

Dr. Andrew Xiao.

>> Hi, I'm Madison Mohr and I am a member of Dr. Salman's PRISM group,

the School of Salman.

I want to thank you, Dr. Salman,

for your constant support and willingness to go

the extra mile for us throughout our medical school journey.

We cannot express our gratitude enough for your endless guidance,

willingness to share your knowledge both in and outside the classroom,

and your genuine compassion for us.

Dr. Salman, you believed in us when we found it hard to believe in ourselves.

Thank you for always being present and making us feel like a priority over the past four years.

You've been a kind listener, fierce advocate, and an encouraging teacher throughout our medical school career. You epitomize mentorship.

We've enjoyed spending time with you in our group during our PRISM outings, going out to dinner, walking on the OU campus in the spring.

Thank you, Dr. Salman, for always making sure we knew you were there for us as someone to talk about any issues in school or in life.

To have a mentor who has your best interests in mind guiding and supporting you through the rigors of medical school is a true blessing.

Dr. Salman, it has been an honor to have you as a mentor and to grow with you these last four years.

We are forever grateful for your guidance and support. Thank you.

>> Dr. Meron Abreham,

Dr. Michael Brennan,

Dr. Evan Brickner,

Dr. Elaina Clark,

Dr. Zack Dreyer,

Dr. Heba Elassar,

Dr. Cheyenna Espinoza,

Dr. Victoria Greenstein,

Dr. Amanda Hirsch,

Dr. Trent Jackman,

Dr. Megan McCrohan,

Dr. Madison Mohr,

Dr. Girish Pathangey,

Dr. Nahrain Putris,

Dr. Alexandra Ranski,

Dr. Mitchell Reitsma,

Dr. Danielle Reynolds,

Dr. Kristopher Torossian.

>> As a representative of the Sulich squad,

I am Justin Dzierzawski,

and want to thank you, Dr. Sulich for being our PRISM mentor and for dedicating your time to support and encourage our class throughout these last four years.

You've made this difficult journey through medical school that much more enjoyable.

We appreciate all of your encouragement and generosity toward us.

It was wonderful sharing in the many moments with you and the rest of the group.

You were able to support us through many challenges and providing valuable knowledge for us to carry forward in our careers.

Thank you for always being there for us.

Your genuine concern about our well-being and desire to prepare us for the real world is greatly appreciated.

You were always willing to lend an ear to any concerns or stresses we were having,

as well as offer your time to provide individualized support when we needed it.

We all enjoyed having dinner with the Sulich family at their beautiful home

and how they welcome the entire PRISM group, and of course, meeting your birds.

Thank you, again, for taking us to [inaudible] golf

so we could connect with each other as a group.

It was such a fun outing to experience during medical school.

Dr. Sulich, we truly appreciate you always looking out for us and for your time, dedication, and support.

>> Dr. Nilofar Behbahani-Nejad,

Dr. Kevin Cervantes,

Dr. Jonathan Dokter,

Dr. Justin Dzierzawski,

Dr. Lara Fawaz,

Dr. Savannah Fotheringham,

Dr. Andrea Hess,

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Dr. Matthew Peacock,

Dr. Eric Rosenvall,

Dr. Cole Shafer,

Dr. Courtney Todd,

Dr. Ross Touriel,

Dr. Caroline Vokos,

Dr. Jennifer Youn.

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