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To all of our Resident and Medical Student Members,

I’d like to personally invite you to participate in the ACP Future I.M. Experience, a 2-day free, virtual, educational event designed specifically for Resident and Student Members of the College to be held on Friday and Saturday, May 14th and 15th, 2021.

The schedule contains a variety of unique educational experiences ranging from case-based clinical reasoning sessions and the medical knowledge–based quiz competition Doctor’s Dilemma®, to a medically–themed team, based “escape room” learning session. The meeting will also feature the winners of the annual ACP abstracts and posters competition and include a session on how to pursue research interests as a trainee. Plus, there will be multiple experiences related to interprofessional training, managing the challenges of being a trainee (particularly during the pandemic) planning for your career in medicine, and topics related to major issues affecting the future of health care.

Although some parts of the ACP Future I.M. Experience may overlap with other scheduled educational or clinical work, as a medical educator I recognize the need for unique learning experiences that can help prepare you both personally and professionally for your future career in medicine and hope that this program can be a part of that growth. I would therefore encourage you to review the activities in the program and try to plan your schedule ahead of time to allow you to participate in those that would be the most helpful for you. In addition please share this event’s activities with your program or clerkship director, as they may be interested in supporting your attendance at the event.

We are looking forward to this special educational experience and hope you will join us!

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