

The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center  
**The Cancer Prevention Research Training Program (CP RTP)**

CPRIT Postdoctoral Fellowship in Cancer Prevention Research (RP# 170256, Drs. Shine Chang and Sanjay Shete, Principal Investigators)

**PARTICIPATING FACULTY MENTORS AT MD ANDERSON & PARTNERING INSTITUTIONS: RICE UNIVERSITY, UT HEALTH, TEXAS A&M, UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON (n = 129)**

#	Full Name & Credentials	Title	Department(s)/Division(s)/School(s)	Faculty Profile	Mentor Phone#	Mentor Email Address	Research Interests
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2	Karen Basen-Engquist, B.A, M.P.H, Ph.D	Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/karen_basen-engquist.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/karen_basen-engquist.html</a>	713-745-3123	<a href="mailto:kbasenen@mdanderson.org">kbasenen@mdanderson.org</a>	Exercise, physical activity, obesity, cancer prevention, cancer survivorship, behavior change, mHealth/eHealth
3	Janice Blalock, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/janice_blalock.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/janice_blalock.html</a>	713-745-1728	<a href="mailto:jablaloc@mdanderson.org">jablaloc@mdanderson.org</a>	Smoking cessation interventions, Comorbid psychiatric disorders with smoking, Pregnant smokers
4	Carrie Cameron, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/carrie_cameron.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/carrie_cameron.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:Ccameron@mdanderson.org">Ccameron@mdanderson.org</a>	scientific communication, social psychology, RCR
5	Paul Cinciripini, Ph.D.	Professor and Chair	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/paul_cinciripini.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/paul_cinciripini.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:PCinciri@mdanderson.org">PCinciri@mdanderson.org</a>	Smoking cessation; nicotine dependence genetics & psychopharmacology; psych comorbidities w/smoking, psychophysiological & imaging assessment of nicotine dependence
6	Maher A. Karam-Hage, M.D.	Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/maher_karam-hage.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/maher_karam-hage.html</a>	713-745-4286	<a href="mailto:maherkaram@mdanderson.org">maherkaram@mdanderson.org</a>	Psychopharmacology of tobacco treatment, co-occurring (depression, anxiety, insomnia) and addiction
7	George Kypriotakis, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/george_kypriotakis.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/george_kypriotakis.html</a>	713-792-5079	<a href="mailto:gkypriotakis@mdanderson.org">gkypriotakis@mdanderson.org</a>	Quantitative Methodology, Tobacco Use, Social Determinants of Risky Behaviors
8	Kathrin Milbury, MA, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kathrin_milbury.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kathrin_milbury.html</a>	713-745-2868	<a href="mailto:kmilbury@mdanderson.org">kmilbury@mdanderson.org</a>	Psychosocial interventions, patient-family caregiver dyadic processes, mind-body medicine, cancer adjustment, physical activity, advanced cancer, physical function, symptom and quality of life outcomes
9	Susan Peterson, Ph.D.	Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/susan_peterson.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/susan_peterson.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:speterso@mdanderson.org">speterso@mdanderson.org</a>	Psychosocial and behavioral outcomes of genetic and genomic testing for hereditary cancers in cancer survivors and their families; development and evaluation of digital health applications in cancer prevention and survivorship, including mobile and sensor technology for behavioral assessment and intervention
10	Jason D. Robinson, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/jason_robinson.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/jason_robinson.html</a>	713-745-3581	<a href="mailto:jdrobinson@mdanderson.org">jdrobinson@mdanderson.org</a>	Tobacco Cessation & Control, Behavioral Science
11	Francesco Versace, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Behavioral Science	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/francesco_versace.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/francesco_versace.html</a>	713-745-7933	<a href="mailto:fversace@mdanderson.org">fversace@mdanderson.org</a>	Event-Related Potentials, functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Nicotine, Obesity
12	Ken Chen, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Bioinformatics and Computational Biology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/ken_chen.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/ken_chen.html</a>	713-794-1348	<a href="mailto:KChen3@mdanderson.org">KChen3@mdanderson.org</a>	Artificial Intelligence, Cancer Omics, Single Cell, Immunotherapy
13	Kim-Anh Do, Ph.D.	Professor	Biostatistics	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kim-anh_do.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kim-anh_do.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:kimdo@mdanderson.org">kimdo@mdanderson.org</a>	Computational statistics & biostatistics, bioinformatics, statistical genetics, non-parametric methods, integrative methods for imaging and high throughput omic data
14	Yisheng Li Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Biostatistics	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/yisheng_li.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/yisheng_li.html</a>	713-563-4267	<a href="mailto:ysli@mdanderson.org">ysli@mdanderson.org</a>	Mixed effects models, Bayesian non-parametrics, Adaptive clinical trial design
15	Yu Shen, Ph.D	Professor	Biostatistics	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/yu_shen.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/yu_shen.html</a>	713-794-4159	<a href="mailto:yshen@mdanderson.org">yshen@mdanderson.org</a>	Biostatistics method research in breast cancer screening and treatment, biased sampling and cost-effectiveness to evaluate cancer screening strategies
16	Sanjay Shete, Ph.D.	Professor, Deputy Division Head, Research & Training, Division of OVP, Cancer Prevention	Biostatistics	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/sanjay_shete.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/sanjay_shete.html</a>	713-745-2483	<a href="mailto:Sshete@mdanderson.org">Sshete@mdanderson.org</a>	Population Health, Cancer Screening, Biostatistics, HPV Vaccination, Smoking
17	Isabelle Bedrosian, M.D., F.A.C.S.	Professor	Breast Surgical Oncology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/isabelle_bedrosian.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/isabelle_bedrosian.html</a>	713-563-1872	<a href="mailto:ibedrosian@mdanderson.org">ibedrosian@mdanderson.org</a>	Breast cancer risk prediction, machine learning, prevention
18	Ernest Hawk, M.D., M.P.H.	Vice President amd Division Head Cancer Prevention & Population Sciences	Division of Cancer Prevention & Population Sciences	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/ernest_hawk.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/ernest_hawk.html</a>	713-792-3900	<a href="mailto:Ehawk@mdanderson.org">Ehawk@mdanderson.org</a>	Cancer prevention & control, translational research, molecular intersections between cancer and other diseases
19	Pratip Bhattacharya, Ph.D.	Professor	Cancer Systems Imaging	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/pratip_bhattacharya.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/pratip_bhattacharya.html</a>	713-454-9887	<a href="mailto:PKBhattacharya@mdanderson.org">PKBhattacharya@mdanderson.org</a>	Metabolic imaging, molecular imaging, hyperpolarized MRI, silicon nanoparticles, 13C MRI, 29Si MRI, targeted molecular imaging, nanoimaging, early detection, prevention, cancer systems
20	Powel Brown, M.D., Ph.D.	Professor and Chair	Clinical Cancer Prevention	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/powel_brown.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/powel_brown.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:PHBrown@mdanderson.org">PHBrown@mdanderson.org</a>	Breast Cancer disease and prevention, translational research, cancer epidemiology, biomarkers and prevention
21	Susan C. Gilchrist, M.D., M.S.	Professor	Clinical Cancer Prevention	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/susan_gilchrist.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/susan_gilchrist.html</a>	713-745-6251	<a href="mailto:SGilchrist@mdanderson.org">SGilchrist@mdanderson.org</a>	Exercise, cardiorespiratory fitness, cardiovascular prevention, chemoprevention
22	Samir Hanash, M.D., Ph.D.	Professor	Clinical Cancer Prevention	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/samir_hanash.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/samir_hanash.html</a>	713-745-5242	<a href="mailto:SHanash@mdanderson.org">SHanash@mdanderson.org</a>	Cancer biomarkers , Cancer early detection
23	Florencia McAllister, M.D.	Associate Professor	Clinical Cancer Prevention	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/florencia_mcallister.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/florencia_mcallister.html</a>	713-745-0914	<a href="mailto:FMcAllister@mdanderson.org">FMcAllister@mdanderson.org</a>	Immune cells, pancreatic cancer, microbes, host defense
24	Guang Peng, M.D., CHN	Associate Professor	Clinical Cancer Prevention	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/guang_peng.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/guang_peng.html</a>	713-834-6151	<a href="mailto:gpeng@mdanderson.org">gpeng@mdanderson.org</a>	Genomic instability, DNA repair, immunoresponsiveness, early detection and intervention
25	Eduardo Vilar-Sanchez, M.D., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Clinical Cancer Prevention	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/eduardo_vilarsanchez.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/eduardo_vilarsanchez.html</a>	713-563-4743	<a href="mailto:Evilar@mdanderson.org">Evilar@mdanderson.org</a>	Colorectal neoplasms, hereditary nonpolyposis colorectal neoplasms, survival
26	Shine Chang, Ph.D.	Director, Cancer Prevention Research Training Program Distinguished Teaching Professor, Epidemiology	Epidemiology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/shine_chang.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/shine_chang.html</a>	713-563-3573	<a href="mailto:shinechang@mdanderson.org">shinechang@mdanderson.org</a>	Creating a national plan to recruit, educate, and train professionals to prevent and intervene upon financial toxicity of disease diagnosis, particularly cancer; Developing methods to recruit, educate & train researchers dedicated expanding the evidence base for high quality care across the cancer care continuum (i.e., from prevention through survivorship) for sexual and gender minorities; Understanding biobehavioral aspects of obesity and weight change as cancer risk and prognostic factors; Creating innovative training and system interventions to diversify the academic health workforce and its leadership, including in cancer prevention and control

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28	Jian Gu, Ph.D	Professor	Epidemiology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/jian_gu.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/jian_gu.html</a>	713-792-8016	<a href="mailto:jiangu@mdanderson.org">jiangu@mdanderson.org</a>	Cancer epidemiology, genetic susceptibility, epigenetics, circulating biomarkers
29	Manal Hassan, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Epidemiology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/manal_hassan.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/manal_hassan.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:mhassan@mdanderson.org">mhassan@mdanderson.org</a>	Pancreatic neoplasms, hepatocellular carcinoma, survival, confidence intervals
30	Chad Huff, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Epidemiology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/chad_huff.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/chad_huff.html</a>	713-563-4957	<a href="mailto:CHuff1@mdanderson.org">CHuff1@mdanderson.org</a>	Genetic epidemiology, Statistical genetics, Sequence-based association studies, Genetics of cancer risk, Rare variant association studies in cancer, Identification and characterization of cancer predisposition genes, Variant classification, Variants of uncertain significance
31	Paul Scheet, Ph.D.	Professor and Chair	Epidemiology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/paul_scheet.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/paul_scheet.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:Pascheet@mdanderson.org">Pascheet@mdanderson.org</a>	Statistical genetics, cancer genomics, human evolution, computational methods for high-thru put, correlated data
32	Kevin T. Nead, M.D., M.Phil.	Assistant Professor	Epidemiology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kevin_nead.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kevin_nead.html</a>	713-563-5155	<a href="mailto:ktnead@mdanderson.org">ktnead@mdanderson.org</a>	Genetics, sequencing, genotyping, cancer, Mendelian Randomization, clonal mosaicism, clonal hematopoiesis, epidemiology, health services, radiation
33	Xiaodong Cheng, Ph.D.	Professor	Epigenetics and Molecular Carcinogenesis	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/xiaodong_cheng.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/xiaodong_cheng.html</a>	713-834-6274	<a href="mailto:Xcheng5@mdanderson.org">Xcheng5@mdanderson.org</a>	Generation, recognition, and erasure of epigenetic methyl marks on DNA and histones
34	Mala Pande, Ph.D., MPH	Assistant Professor	Gastroenterology - Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/mala_pande.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/mala_pande.html</a>	713-745-5625	<a href="mailto:mpande@mdanderson.org">mpande@mdanderson.org</a>	Genetic and environmental predictors of cancer risk, especially those of the colorectum, breast and lung
35	Edmund Scott Kopetz, M.D., Ph.D., FACP	Professor	Gastrointestinal (GI) Medical Oncology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/e_kopetz.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/e_kopetz.html</a>	713-792-2828	<a href="mailto:SKopetz@mdanderson.org">SKopetz@mdanderson.org</a>	Quantitative Methodology, Tobacco Use, Social Determinants of Risky Behaviors
36	Andy Futreal, Ph.D.	Professor and Chair	Genomic Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/andrew_futreal.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/andrew_futreal.html</a>	713-794-4764	<a href="mailto:afutreal@mdanderson.org">afutreal@mdanderson.org</a>	Large-scale genomics to identify multiple human cancer genes set the stage for international efforts; the conception and development of the Catalogue of Somatic Mutations in Cancer (COSMIC) resulted in the worldwide standard reference database for somatic mutations in human cancer being incorporated into virtually every cancer genomics analysis pipeline and program
37	Terri L. Woodard, M.D.	Associate Professor	Gynecologic Oncology and Reproductive Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/terri_woodard.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/terri_woodard.html</a>	713-745-7591	<a href="mailto:twoodard@mdanderson.org">twoodard@mdanderson.org</a>	Oncofertility, survivorship, quality of life, medical decision making, reproductive medicine, health disparities
38	Jose Alejandro Rauh-Hain, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Gynecologic Oncology and Reproductive Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/jose_rauh-hain.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/jose_rauh-hain.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:jarauh@mdanderson.org">jarauh@mdanderson.org</a>	Health disparities research, oncofertility, genetic testing medically underserved populations
39	Melinda S. Yates, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Gynecologic Oncology and Reproductive Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/melinda_yates.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/melinda_yates.html</a>	713-745-0123	<a href="mailto:msyates@mdanderson.org">msyates@mdanderson.org</a>	Translational research in endometrial (uterine) cancer prevention, obesity, hereditary cancer risk (Lynch syndrome), cancer immuno-prevention, mouse models and clinical studies
40	Kathleen M Schmeler, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Gynecologic Oncology and Reproductive Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kathleen_schmeler.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/kathleen_schmeler.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:kschmele@mdanderson.org">kschmele@mdanderson.org</a>	Cervical cancer prevention and treatment, particularly in developing countries and for medically underserved women in the United States
41	Charlotte C. Sun, Dr.P.H., M.P.H.	Associate Professor	Gynecologic Oncology and Reproductive Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/charlotte_sun.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/charlotte_sun.html</a>	713-745-4580	<a href="mailto:ccsun@mdanderson.org">ccsun@mdanderson.org</a>	Patient-reported outcomes, patient preferences, gynecologic (ovarian cancer), treatment/prevention decision making
42	Katherine A. Hutcheson, Ph.D.	Professor	Head and Neck Surgery	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/katherine_hutcheson.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/katherine_hutcheson.html</a>	713-792-6513	<a href="mailto:KArnold@mdanderson.org">KArnold@mdanderson.org</a>	Head and neck cancer, survivorship, toxicity, patient-reported outcomes
43	Carol Lewis, M.D., MPH, FACS	Associate Professor	Head and Neck Surgery	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/carol_lewis.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/carol_lewis.html</a>	713-794-4675	<a href="mailto:cmlewis@mdanderson.org">cmlewis@mdanderson.org</a>	Improving the quality of head and neck cancer care, patient education, and the patient experience; Multidisciplinary approach to treat a range of head and neck cancer, including skin cancer and melanoma, mouth and throat cancer, and thyroid cancer
44	Guojun Li M.D., Ph.D	Associate Professor	Head and Neck Surgery, Epidemiology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/guojun_li.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/guojun_li.html</a>	713-792-0227	<a href="mailto:gli@mdanderson.org">gli@mdanderson.org</a>	Molecular Epidemiology of Clinical Outcome and Cancer Susceptibility Clinical Epidemiology, Risk Assessment, and Outcomes Viral Epidemiology (HPV) and Nutritional Epidemiology Nuclear receptors and Cancer Chemoprevention
45	Dalnim Cho, Ph.D.	Instructor	Health Disparities Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/dalnim_cho.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/dalnim_cho.html</a>	713-745-8476	<a href="mailto:dcho1@mdanderson.org">dcho1@mdanderson.org</a>	Cancer disparities; Multilevel intervention; Multiple health behaviors change
46	Qian Lu, MD, Ph.D	Professor	Health Disparities Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/qian_lu.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/qian_lu.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:qlu@mdanderson.org">qlu@mdanderson.org</a>	Psychosocial Interventions, Emotion Regulation, Social Support, Cancer Survivorship, Health Disparities
47	Scherezade K. Mama, DrPH	Assistant Professor	Health Disparities Research	n/a	713-563-7546	<a href="mailto:skmama@mdanderson.org">skmama@mdanderson.org</a>	Physical activity, Psychosocial distress, Rural health disparities, Implementation science, Community-based research
48	Lorna Haughton McNeill, Ph.D.	Chair	Health Disparities Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/lorna_mcneill.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/lorna_mcneill.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:LMcNeill@mdanderson.org">LMcNeill@mdanderson.org</a>	Understand risk factors that increase cancer risk, cancer survivorship in minority populations , influence of social determinants of cancer in minorities, cancer-related health disparities among blacks and Hispanics
49	Surendranath S. Shastri, MBBS, M.D., DPh	Professor	Health Disparities Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/surendranath_shastri.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/surendranath_shastri.html</a>	713-745-2682	<a href="mailto:SSShastri@mdanderson.org">SSShastri@mdanderson.org</a>	Cancer Prevention (HBV and HPV vaccination), Cancer Screening (Cervical, Breast, Oral) and Tobacco Cessation
50	Larkin Strong, Ph.D., MPH	Associate Professor	Health Disparities Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/larkin_strong.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/larkin_strong.html</a>	713-563-8930	<a href="mailto:LLstrong@mdanderson.org">LLstrong@mdanderson.org</a>	Cancer disparities, lifestyle interventions, physical activity, Hispanic/Latinos
51	Mariana Chavez Mac Gregor, MD, MSC	Associate Professor	Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/mariana_chavezmacgregor.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/mariana_chavezmacgregor.html</a>	713-563-0020	<a href="mailto:MChavez1@mdanderson.org">MChavez1@mdanderson.org</a>	Breast cancer, disparities, guidelines, cancer care delivery
52	Sharon Giordano, M.D., M.P.H.	Chair	Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/sharon_giordano.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/sharon_giordano.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:SGiordano@mdanderson.org">SGiordano@mdanderson.org</a>	Research using large databases to study quality of health care delivery, disparities, and outcomes for cancer patients
53	Larissa A. Meyer, M.D., MPH, F.A.C.O.G., F.A.C.S.	Associate Professor	Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/larissa_meyer.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/larissa_meyer.html</a>	713-745-0973	<a href="mailto:lmeyer@mdanderson.org">lmeyer@mdanderson.org</a>	Gynecologic cancers, shared medical decision making, financial toxicity, patient-reported outcomes, secondary cancer prevention, maintenance therapy, health care disparities, health services research, opioids, cervical cancer, endometrial cancer, ovarian cancer, patient reported outcomes, symptom burden, survivorship
54	Ya Chen Tina Shih, Ph.D.	Professor	Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/yachen_shih.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/yachen_shih.html</a>	713-563-2750	<a href="mailto:yashih@mdanderson.org">yashih@mdanderson.org</a>	Cancer health economics, cancer policies, medical cost research, economic evaluation
55	Maria E. Suarez-Almazor, MD, PhD	Professor	Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/maria_suarez-almazor.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/maria_suarez-almazor.html</a>	713-743-0020	<a href="mailto:msalmazor@mdanderson.org">msalmazor@mdanderson.org</a>	Comparative effectiveness research, survivorship, comorbidities in cancer patients, adverse events of cancer therapies, immunotherapy

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56	Lakovos Toumazis, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Health Services Research	<a href="https://mdanderson.elsevierpure.com/en/persons/iakovos-toumazis">https://mdanderson.elsevierpure.com/en/persons/iakovos-toumazis</a>	713-792-4420	<a href="mailto:ltoumazis@mdanderson.org">ltoumazis@mdanderson.org</a>	Mathematical models; statistical models; cancer treatment; cancer screening; cancer surveillance; health economics; medical decision making; decision aid tools; cancer risk assessment; Markov decision process; microsimulation; stochastic optimization; linear and nonlinear programming; network optimization; robust optimization; Markov models
57	Robert J. Volk, Ph.D.	Professor and Director, Decision Support Lab Deputy Chair	Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/robert_volk.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/robert_volk.html</a>	713-745-7307	<a href="mailto:rvolk@mdanderson.org">rvolk@mdanderson.org</a>	Developing and testing methods: for presenting risk information and uncertainty to patients,for assessing the quality of patient decision making,of assessing preferences in making decisions about care and treatment
58	Hui Zhao, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/hui_zhao.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/hui_zhao.html</a>	713-563-5011	<a href="mailto:huizhao@mdanderson.org">huizhao@mdanderson.org</a>	Health Services Research, Cost Effectiveness Analysis, Statistical Methods In Claims Data Analysis, Cancer Treatment Adherence
59	Mackenzie Wehner, M.D., M.Phil.	Assistant Professor	Health Services Research, Dermatology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/mackenzie_wehner.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/mackenzie_wehner.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:MWehner@mdanderson.org">MWehner@mdanderson.org</a>	Skin Cancer (basal cell carcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma, melanoma), Epidemiology, Public Health, Indoor Tanning, Prevention, Early Detection
60	Michelle A.T. Hildebrandt, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Lymphoma/Myeloma	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/michelle_hildebrandt.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/michelle_hildebrandt.html</a>	713-792-2242	<a href="mailto:mhildebr@mdanderson.org">mhildebr@mdanderson.org</a>	Myeloma,Lymphoma, Adolescent and Young Adult (AYA) cancer, Survivorship, Cardiotoxicity and late-effects
61	Christopher Robert Flowers, MD	Chair	Lymphoma/Myeloma	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/christopher_flowers.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/christopher_flowers.html</a>	713-745-6095	<a href="mailto:crflowers@mdanderson.org">crflowers@mdanderson.org</a>	Lymphoma, Cancer Disparities, Medical Informatics, DLBCL, Epidemiology and Outcomes Research, Cancer control and management, CART Therapy, Immunotherapy, Single cell sequencing, Hematology, Oncology, Clinical and Translational research
62	Cindy Lynn Carmack, Ph.D.	Professor	Palliative, Rehabilitation, and Integrative Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/cindy_carmack.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/cindy_carmack.html</a>	713-745-3582	<a href="mailto:Ccarmack@mdanderson.org">Ccarmack@mdanderson.org</a>	Quality of life, family, health behavior
63	Lorenzo G Cohen, Ph.D.	Professor	Palliative, Rehabilitation, and Integrative Medicine	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/lorenzo_cohen.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/lorenzo_cohen.html</a>	713-745-4260	<a href="mailto:lcohen@mdanderson.org">lcohen@mdanderson.org</a>	Psycho-oncology, Integrative medicine, Mind-body, Quality of life, Survivorship, Acupuncture
64	Anirban Maitra, M.B.B.S.	Professor and Chair	Pathology and Translational Molecular Pathology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/anirban_maitra.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/anirban_maitra.html</a>	713-745-0861	<a href="mailto:Amaitra@mdanderson.org">Amaitra@mdanderson.org</a>	Pancreatic cancer, Molecular prevention, Cancer interception
65	Keri Schadler, Ph.D	Assistant Professor	Pediatrics - Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/keri_schadler.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/keri_schadler.html</a>	713-794-1035	<a href="mailto:Schadler,Keri.L">Schadler,Keri.L</a>	Exercise, Tumor angiogenesis, Tumor biology, Mouse models, Biomarkers
66	Joya Chandra, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Pediatrics & Epigenetics and Molecular Carcinogenesis	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/joya_chandra.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/joya_chandra.html</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:jchandra@mdanderson.org">jchandra@mdanderson.org</a>	Pediatric oncology research; preclinical therapeutics; energy balance
67	Michael Roth, M.D.	Associate Professor	Pediatrics Patient Care	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/michael_roth.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/michael_roth.html</a>	713-792-7751	<a href="mailto:MRoth1@mdanderson.org">MRoth1@mdanderson.org</a>	Adolescent and Young Adult Oncology, Survivorship, Childhood Cancer, Cardiotoxicity, Genetic Predisposition, Secondary Malignancies, Health-Related Quality of Life, Clinical Trial Enrollment Disparities
68	Anaeze C. Offodile II, M.D., MPH	Assistant Professor	Plastic Surgery	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/anaeze_offodileii.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/anaeze_offodileii.html</a>	917-981-5093	<a href="mailto:acoffodile@mdanderson.org">acoffodile@mdanderson.org</a>	Financial toxicity, Alternative payment models, horizontal consolidation, breast cancer, shared decisionmaking
69	Clifton David Fuller, M.D., Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Radiation Oncology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/clifton_fuller.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/clifton_fuller.html</a>	713-792-3471	<a href="mailto:CDFuller@mdanderson.org">CDFuller@mdanderson.org</a>	Artificial Intelligence, Big Data, Cancer Survivors, Carcinoma, Clinical Trials, Cone-Beam, Computed Tomography, Cranial Nerve Diseases, Datasets, Deglutition, Deglutition, Disorders, Drug Therapy, Head and Neck Neoplasms, Image-Guided Radiotherapy, Intensity-Modulated Radiotherapy, Kinetics, Lymph Nodes, Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy, Merkel Cell Carcinoma, Mouth, MRI Linear-Accelerator, Neck, Neoplasms, Organs at Risk, Oropharyngeal Neoplasms, Osteoradionecrosis, Patient Reported Outcome Measures, Photons, Physicians, Progression-Free Survival, Proton Therapy, Radiation, Radiation Oncologists, Radiation Oncology, Radiosurgery, Radiotherapy, Re-Irradiation, Recurrence, Skull Base, Software, Squamous Cell Carcinoma, Squamous Cell Carcinoma of Head and Neck, Statistics, Survival, Survival Rate
70	Simona F Shaitelman, M.D., Ed.M.	Associate Professor	Radiation Oncology	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/simona_shaitelman.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/simona_shaitelman.html</a>	713-563-8491	<a href="mailto:SfShaitelman@mdanderson.org">SfShaitelman@mdanderson.org</a>	Targeted radiation, Preoperative radiation, Determining patient interests in potentially avoiding surgery for breast cancer treatment, Biological effects of radiation, Biomarkers of radiation response, DNA repair inhibition and radiation effects, Lymphedema prevention, Lymphedema treatment
71	Grace Smith, M.D, Ph.D, M.P.H	Assistant Professor	Radiation Oncology, Health Services Research	<a href="https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/grace_smith.html">https://faculty.mdanderson.org/profiles/grace_smith.html</a>	713-563-2342	<a href="mailto:gsmith@mdanderson.org">gsmith@mdanderson.org</a>	Rinancial toxicity, oncology care delivery, health services research, radiation oncology
72	Humam Kadara, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Translational Molecular Pathology	<a href="https://www.lungcancerresearchfoundation.org/research/our-investigators/previously-funded-research/2010-university-of-texas-md-anderson-cancer-center-humam-kadara-phd/">https://www.lungcancerresearchfoundation.org/research/our-investigators/previously-funded-research/2010-university-of-texas-md-anderson-cancer-center-humam-kadara-phd/</a>	713-745-9396	<a href="mailto:hkadara@mdanderson.org">hkadara@mdanderson.org</a>	Lung cancer evolution; airway field carcinogenesis; KRAS-mutant lung adenocarcinoma; lung cancer genomics; cancer single-cell omics; airway mutagenesis; lung cancer prevention; immune-prevention; early immunotherapy; lung tumor immunology; lung tumor immune microenvironment; gut and lung microbiota
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2	Yang Gao, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	BioSciences	<a href="https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/yang-gao">https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/yang-gao</a>	713-348-2619	<a href="mailto:yg60@rice.edu">yg60@rice.edu</a>	DNA replication, repair and recombination; X-ray crystallography; cryo-electron microscopy; mitochondria DNA metabolism
3	Marek Kimmel, Ph.D.	Professor	Biostatistics	<a href="https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/marek-kimmel">https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/marek-kimmel</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:kimmel@rice.edu">kimmel@rice.edu</a>	Quantative Bayesian analyses, model selection, and hypothesis testing; image analysis, rank & ordinal data modeling, cluster analysis, Markov chain Monte Carlo algorithms
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5	Sibani Lisa Biswal, Ph.D.	Professor	Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering	<a href="https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/sibani-lisa-biswal">https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/sibani-lisa-biswal</a>	713-348-6055	<a href="mailto:biswal@rice.edu">biswal@rice.edu</a>	Analytical chemistry, surface and interfacial phenomena, microfluidics, cancer diagnostics
6	Quianta Moore, M.D., JD	Fellow in Child Health Policy Adjunct Assistant Professor	Pediatrics	<a href="https://www.bakerinstitute.org/experts/quianta-moore/">https://www.bakerinstitute.org/experts/quianta-moore/</a>	713-348-4629	<a href="mailto:qm4@rice.edu">qm4@rice.edu</a>	Developing empirically informed policies to advance the health of children; Early childhood development; Critical challenges in early childhood development
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8	Marina Vannucci, Ph.D.	Professor	Statistics	<a href="https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/marina-vannucci">https://profiles.rice.edu/faculty/marina-vannucci</a>	713-348-6132	<a href="mailto:marina@rice.edu">marina@rice.edu</a>	Theory and Methods: Bayesian variable selection, Graphical Models, Statistical Computing, Wavelets. Applications in Chemometrics, Large-scale Genomic data, Neuroimaging and Structural Bioinformatics

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3	Nicholas J. Taylor, Ph.D, MPH	Assistant Professor	Epidemiology, Biostatistics	<a href="https://public-health.tamu.edu/directory/taylor.html">https://public-health.tamu.edu/directory/taylor.html</a>	979-436-9514	<a href="mailto:ntaylor@tamu.edu">ntaylor@tamu.edu</a>	Melanoma, fresh tissue, epidemiologic methods, study design, study conduct, molecular epidemiology, biomarkers, breast cancer, biospecimens, omics, genetics
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6	David J. Washburn, ScD, SM	Assistant Professor	Health Policy and Management, School of Public Health	<a href="https://public-health.tamu.edu/directory/washburn.html">https://public-health.tamu.edu/directory/washburn.html</a>	979-436-0961	<a href="mailto:dwashburn@tamu.edu">dwasburn@tamu.edu</a>	Health Access, Community Health Workers, Qualitative Methods, Patient-Centered Design, Healthcare Administration, Global Health
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10	Deqiang Sun, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Institute of Biosciences and Technology	<a href="https://ibt.tamu.edu/faculty/sun-bio.html">https://ibt.tamu.edu/faculty/sun-bio.html</a>	713-677-7439	<a href="mailto:dsun@ibt.tamhsc.edu">dsun@ibt.tamhsc.edu</a>	Patient-reported outcomes, patient preferences, gynecologic (ovarian cancer), treatment/prevention decision making
11	Rod Dashwood, BSc, MSc, Ph.D., FRSB	Director, Center for Epigenetics & Disease Prevention	John S. Dunn Chair for Disease Prevention Center for Epigenetics & Disease	<a href="https://nfs.tamu.edu/people/dashwood-roderick/">https://nfs.tamu.edu/people/dashwood-roderick/</a>	713-677-7806	<a href="mailto:rdashwood@ibt.tamhsc.edu">rdashwood@ibt.tamhsc.edu</a>	Genetic and epigenetic mechanisms in cancer development
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13	Raymund J. Carroll, Ph.D.	Distinguished Professor	Statistics	<a href="http://www.stat.tamu.edu/~carroll/carroll-conference-2009/Dr-Raymond-Carroll.html">http://www.stat.tamu.edu/~carroll/carroll-conference-2009/Dr-Raymond-Carroll.html</a>	979-845-3141	<a href="mailto:carroll@stat.tamu.edu">carroll@stat.tamu.edu</a>	Statistical methodology and practice, such as measurement error models, nonparametric and semiparametric regression, nutritional and genetic epidemiology
14	Valen Johnson, Ph.D.	Professor, Department Head	Statistics	<a href="https://www.stat.tamu.edu/~vjohnson/">https://www.stat.tamu.edu/~vjohnson/</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:vjohnson@stat.tamu.edu">vjohnson@stat.tamu.edu</a> <a href="mailto:vejohnson@exchange.tamu.edu">vejohnson@exchange.tamu.edu</a>	Bayesian hypothesis testing and its connections to classical testing procedures, Bayesian variable selection, Markov chain Monte Carlo model diagnostics, and latent variable modeling
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2	Tasneem Bawa-Khalfe, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Biology and Biochemistry	<a href="https://uh.edu/nsm/biology-biochemistry/people/profiles/tasneem-bawa-khalfe/">https://uh.edu/nsm/biology-biochemistry/people/profiles/tasneem-bawa-khalfe/</a>	713-743-4288	<a href="mailto:tbawa-khalfe@uh.edu">tbawa-khalfe@uh.edu</a>	Ubiquitin and SUMO directed carcinogenesis, early life exposure and later life carcinogenesis, SUMO-directed epigenetics
3	Sanghyuk Chung, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Biology and Biochemistry	<a href="http://www.uh.edu/nsm/cnrcs/people/core-faculty/chung-lab/index">http://www.uh.edu/nsm/cnrcs/people/core-faculty/chung-lab/index</a>	832-842-8181	<a href="mailto:schung2@Central.UH.EDU">schung2@Central.UH.EDU</a>	Identify antiviral target and develop small molecules to treat human papillomavirus (HPV) infections, which will prevent HPV-induced cancers (cervical, vaginal, penile, oropharyngeal, anal, and vulval)
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7	Navin Varadarajan, Ph.D., M.S.	Professor	Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering	<a href="http://www.chee.uh.edu/faculty/varadarajan">http://www.chee.uh.edu/faculty/varadarajan</a>	713-743-1691	<a href="mailto:nvaradarajan@uh.edu">nvaradarajan@uh.edu</a>	Single cell imaging, immunotherapy and vaccines
8	Stephen J. Spann, M.D., M.B.A.	Clinical Professor; Vice President, Medical Affairs	College of Medicine	<a href="https://uh.edu/medicine/about/faculty/stephen-j-spann/">https://uh.edu/medicine/about/faculty/stephen-j-spann/</a>	713-201-2092	<a href="mailto:sjspannmd@gmail.com">sjspannmd@gmail.com</a>	Medical decision making, cancer screening, and chronic disease management
9	Carla Sharp, Ph.D.	Professor, Director of Clinical Training, Psychology	Developmental Psychopathology Lab, Clinical Psychology	<a href="https://uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/carla-sharp/">https://uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/carla-sharp/</a>	713-743-8612	<a href="mailto:csharp2@Central.UH.EDU">csharp2@Central.UH.EDU</a>	Developmental Psychopathology and social cognition, Personality pathology, Interventions targeting social-cognitive function, Measure development of diagnostic tools
10	Chiara Acquati, Ph.D., LMSW	Assistant Professor	Graduate College of Social Work	<a href="https://uh.edu/socialwork/about/faculty-directory/c-acquati/">https://uh.edu/socialwork/about/faculty-directory/c-acquati/</a>	713-743-4343	<a href="mailto:cacquati@uh.edu">cacquati@uh.edu</a>	Stress and Coping, Close Relationships and Caregiving, Oncology Social Work, Dyadic Coping, Intervention Research, Couple-based Interventions, Methods: Dyadic Data Analysis, Mixed Methods
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12	Tracey A. Ledoux, Ph.D., R.D., F.A.N.D.	Associate Professor	Health and Human Performance	<a href="https://uh.edu/class/hhp/people/index.php?id=39&amp;name=Dr.%20Tracey%20Ledoux">https://uh.edu/class/hhp/people/index.php?id=39&amp;name=Dr.%20Tracey%20Ledoux</a>	713-743-1870	<a href="mailto:TALedoux@uh.edu">TALedoux@uh.edu</a>	Eating behaviors, overeating, pregnancy, early childhood, obesity prevention
13	Chakema C. Carmack, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Psychological, Health, and Learning Sciences	<a href="http://voyager.coe.uh.edu/%20dir/faculty_template.cfm?id=645">http://voyager.coe.uh.edu/%20dir/faculty_template.cfm?id=645</a>	713-743-6448	<a href="mailto:CCarmack@central.uh.edu">CCarmack@central.uh.edu</a>	Cervical Cancer; Health Disparities; Minority Women's Health
14	Virmarie Correa- Fernandez, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Psychological, Health, and Learning Sciences	<a href="https://www.uh.edu/education/about/directory/employee-profile/index.php?id=753">https://www.uh.edu/education/about/directory/employee-profile/index.php?id=753</a>	713-743-0334	<a href="mailto:vcorrea@central.uh.edu">vcorrea@central.uh.edu</a>	Health disparities, tobacco dependence, smoking cessation, Latinx health, intervention research
15	Nathan Grant Smith, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Psychological, Health, and Learning Sciences	<a href="https://www.uh.edu/education/about/directory/employee-profile/index.php?id=641">https://www.uh.edu/education/about/directory/employee-profile/index.php?id=641</a>	713-743-7648	<a href="mailto:ngsmith@central.uh.edu">ngsmith@central.uh.edu</a>	Sexual and gender minorities, RCTs, sexual health, tobacco, substance use
16	Rosenda Murillo, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Psychological, Health, and Learning Sciences	<a href="http://voyager.coe.uh.edu/dir/faculty_template.cfm?id=698">http://voyager.coe.uh.edu/dir/faculty_template.cfm?id=698</a>	713-743-6315	<a href="mailto:rmurillo3@uh.edu">rmurillo3@uh.edu</a>	Physical activity, chronic disease prevention, health disparities, Latino health

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17	Lorraine R. Reitzel, Ph.D., FAAHB, FSRNT	Professor	Psychological, Health, and Learning Sciences	<a href="https://hri.uh.edu/faculty-members/lorraine-reitzel">https://hri.uh.edu/faculty-members/lorraine-reitzel</a> ; <a href="http://voyager.coe.uh.edu/dir/faculty_template.cfm?id=639">http://voyager.coe.uh.edu/dir/faculty_template.cfm?id=639</a> ; <a href="http://www.lorrainereitzel.com">www.lorrainereitzel.com</a> ; <a href="https://hri.uh.edu/">https://hri.uh.edu/</a> ; <a href="http://www.takingtexas tobaccofree.com/">www.takingtexas tobaccofree.com/</a> ; <a href="http://www.UHANDPartnership.com/">www.UHANDPartnership.com/</a> ;	713-743-6679	<a href="mailto:lreitze@Central.UH.EDU">lreitze@Central.UH.EDU</a>	Tobacco control; health equity; dissemination and implementation science; behavioral health; cancer prevention; cancer-related risk behaviors, tobacco/nicotine use And cessation, social determinants of health, cancer disparities, homeless, African American, neighborhood/contextual effects
18	Kayce D. Solari Williams, Ph.D., M.P.H, M.S	Clinical Assistant Professor	Psychological, Health, and Learning Sciences	<a href="https://www.uh.edu/education/about/directory/employee-profile/index.php?ID=752">https://www.uh.edu/education/about/directory/employee-profile/index.php?ID=752</a>	713-743-0311	<a href="mailto:kdsolari@central.uh.edu">kdsolari@central.uh.edu</a>	Health promoting behaviors and the inclusion of recreational and structured physical activity outlets which facilitate healthy behaviors as well as prevent health risk behaviors such as unhealthy diets, alcohol and other drug use, tobacco use, and/or violence; Prevention of obesity and obesity-related chronic diseases among African American/Black females and adolescents through physical activity and positive body image promotion
19	Jaye L. Derrick, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Psychology	<a href="https://www.uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/jaye-derrick/">https://www.uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/jaye-derrick/</a>	713-743-0485	<a href="mailto:jderrick@uh.edu">jderrick@uh.edu</a>	Cigarettes, alcohol, health behaviors, support, couples, multilevel modeling, daily diary, ecological momentary assessment
20	Matthew Gallagher, Ph.D	Associate Professor	Psychology	<a href="https://www.uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/matthew-gallagher/">https://www.uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/matthew-gallagher/</a>	n/a	<a href="mailto:mwgallagher@uh.edu">mwgallagher@uh.edu</a>	Smoking cessation, health disparities, anxiety and PTSD, resilience, well-being, latent variable modeling, and longitudinal data analysis
21	Michael J. Zvolensky, Ph.D.	Hugh Roy and Lillie Cranz Cullen Distinguished Professor	Psychology	<a href="https://www.uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/michael-zvolensky/">https://www.uh.edu/class/psychology/about/people/michael-zvolensky/</a>	713-743-8500	<a href="mailto:mjzvolen@central.uh.edu">mjzvolen@central.uh.edu</a>	Smoking cessation, drug addiction, health disparities, anxiety disorders, health behavior, fatigue, chronic pain, comorbidity, and HIV/AIDs
<b>UT HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT HOUSTON - UTHEALTH (n =14)</b>							
1	Daphne Hernandez, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Cizik School of Nursing	<a href="https://uh.edu/class/hhp/people/?id=66">https://uh.edu/class/hhp/people/?id=66</a>	713-743-9058	<a href="mailto:Daphne.Hernandez@uth.tmc.edu">Daphne.Hernandez@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Psychological services, developmental psychology, poverty, and public policy with mentors whose backgrounds were in psychology, sociology, and economics; stress, social support, depression, and cardiovascular health
2	Stacey Crane, Ph.D., RN, CPON	Assistant Professor	Research, Cizik School of Nursing	<a href="https://nursing.uth.edu/directory/profile/index.htm?profileinode=4c9b1bb5-c1de-452c-997b-42182d142973">https://nursing.uth.edu/directory/profile/index.htm?profileinode=4c9b1bb5-c1de-452c-997b-42182d142973</a>	713-500-2089	<a href="mailto:Stacey.Crane@uth.tmc.edu">Stacey.Crane@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Pediatric Oncology, Patient-Reported Outcomes, Symptom Assessment and Tracking, Consumer Health Informatics, Research Ethics
3	Leng Han, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Biochemistry and Molecular Biology; McGovern Medical School	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/bmb/faculty/leng-han-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/bmb/faculty/leng-han-phd/</a>	713-500-6039	<a href="mailto:leng.han@uth.tmc.edu">leng.han@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Computational Biology, Cancer Genomics, Cancer therapy, Noncoding RNAs, posttranscriptional regulation
4	Syed Hashmi M.D., MPH, Ph.D.	Associate Professor	Pediatrics; McGovern Medical School	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/pediatrics/faculty/syed-s-hashmi-md-mp-h-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/pediatrics/faculty/syed-s-hashmi-md-mp-h-phd/</a>	713-500-5709	<a href="mailto:Syed.S.Hashmi.1@uth.tmc.edu">Syed.S.Hashmi.1@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Medical Genetics, Neurology
5	Marie Latortue, DDS, MS	Assistant Professor	Dentistry	<a href="https://dentistry.uth.edu/directory/profile.htm?id=bc9c2f16-0c5e-4e70-a4d5-84bea1aaa128">https://dentistry.uth.edu/directory/profile.htm?id=bc9c2f16-0c5e-4e70-a4d5-84bea1aaa128</a>	713-486-4489	<a href="mailto:Marie.C.Latortue@uth.tmc.edu">Marie.C.Latortue@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Dental Public Health (Clinical Interests: Preventive oral health care and maintenance for patients previously treated with head and neck cancer; pre-dental assessment of patients diagnosed with head and neck cancer)
6	Wenbo Li, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/bmb/faculty/wenbo-li-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/bmb/faculty/wenbo-li-phd/</a>	713-500-6103	<a href="mailto:Wenbo.Li@uth.tmc.edu">Wenbo.Li@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Genomics, epigenomics, bioinformatics, long noncoding RNAs, enhancer RNAs (eRNAs), enhancers, three-dimensional genome architecture, cohesin and condensin, genomic variations/mutations, RNA binding proteins
7	Kuang-Lei Tsai, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/bmb/faculty/kuang-lei-tsai-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/bmb/faculty/kuang-lei-tsai-phd/</a>	713-500-6025	<a href="mailto:Kuang-Lei.Tsai@uth.tmc.edu">Kuang-Lei.Tsai@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Transcription control, regulation of gene expression, structures and dynamics of macromolecular complexes, RNA binding proteins, cryo-electron microscopy, single-particle EM, 3D chromatin architecture, and cancer mutations on large protein complexes
8	Eva Sevick-Muraca, Ph.D.	Professor	Cardiovascular Disease Research; McGovern Medical School	<a href="https://www.uth.edu/imm/faculty/profile?id=96c1f10f-1346-45ca-900d-5131fc612bb">https://www.uth.edu/imm/faculty/profile?id=96c1f10f-1346-45ca-900d-5131fc612bb</a>	713-500-3560	<a href="mailto:Eva.Sevick@uth.tmc.edu">Eva.Sevick@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Lymphatics, Complementary Medicine, Physiotherapy, Imaging
9	Jeffrey A. Frost, Ph.D.	Professor	Integrative Biology and Pharmacology	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/ibp/faculty/jeffrey-a-frost-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/ibp/faculty/jeffrey-a-frost-phd/</a>	713-500-6319	<a href="mailto:Jeffrey.A.Frost@uth.tmc.edu">Jeffrey.A.Frost@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Breast cancer, neuroendocrine tumors, metastasis, cell signaling, tumor imaging
10	Dung-Fang Lee, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor	Integrative Biology and Pharmacology	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/ibp/faculty/dung-fang-lee-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/ibp/faculty/dung-fang-lee-phd/</a>	713-500-6132	<a href="mailto:Dung-Fang.Lee@uth.tmc.edu">Dung-Fang.Lee@uth.tmc.edu</a>	iPSC Disease Modelling, Cancer Pathological Mechanisms
11	Jun Wang, Pa.D., J.S.N.	Assistant Professor	Pediatrics	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/pediatrics/faculty/jun-wang-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/pediatrics/faculty/jun-wang-phd/</a>	713-500-5723	<a href="mailto:Jun.Wang@uth.tmc.edu">Jun.Wang@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Investigating molecular signals regulating craniofacial and cardiac development, diseases and regeneration, particularly the roles of Hippo signaling, a pivotal organ size regulator
12	Consuelo Walss-Bass, Pa.D., C.R.N.	Professor	Psychiatry	<a href="https://med.uth.edu/psychiatry/faculty/consuelo-walss-bass-phd/">https://med.uth.edu/psychiatry/faculty/consuelo-walss-bass-phd/</a>	713-486-2718	<a href="mailto:Consuelo.WalssBass@uth.tmc.edu">Consuelo.WalssBass@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Mental Health, Addiction, Genetics, Environment
13	Megan Whisenant, Ph.D., M.S.N.	Assistant Professor	Research	n/a	n/a	<a href="mailto:Meagan.Whisenant@uth.tmc.edu">Meagan.Whisenant@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Cancer prevention, cancer screening, cancer risk reduction, symptoms, supportive care, palliative care, survivorship, fatigue, sleep disturbance, pain, symptom monitoring, symptom management, cancer-related symptoms, health disparities, behavioral interventions, cancer
14	Johnny M. Wilkerson, PhD, MCHES®.	Assistant Professor	Public Health	<a href="https://sph.uth.edu/faculty/#tWeRrKS/ColpHOGvysPPWFQnL1Gplzqnt//HhWIPWuE8=">https://sph.uth.edu/faculty/#tWeRrKS/ColpHOGvysPPWFQnL1Gplzqnt//HhWIPWuE8=</a>	713-500-9974	<a href="mailto:johnny.m.wilkerson@uth.tmc.edu">johnny.m.wilkerson@uth.tmc.edu</a>	Health Promotion & Behavioral Sciences, Health Equity, Sexual Health, Social Determinants of Health, Substance Use, Program Evaluation, Cancer