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The creator of PBFluids blog since May of 2008. The co-creator of NephMadness, with Matt Sparks. The co-creator of NephJC with Swapnil Hiremath. The program director of the Nephrology Social media Collective Internship. A member of CJASN's Visual Abstract Editorial Team, also contributing visual abstracts to AJKD and American Journal of Nephrology. A co-editor of Nephrology Secrets 4th edition, along with Matt Sparks and Edgar Lerma. The host and the founder of "Channel your Enthusiasm" nephrology textbook recap podcast. Founder of fellow-driven electrolyte case report project *The Skeleton Key Group*. Currently the faculty advisor for the project that now boasts 40-odd active members. Website. An instructor for the Fluid and Electrolyte MedMastery section.