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## ***2024-2025 APSA Congressional Fellowship Program Roster***

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### POLITICAL SCIENTIST FELLOWS

Rosa C. Krewson, PhD - Adjunct Faculty at American University and New York University  
Shane Day, PhD - Associate Professor, Portland State University  
Samuel Erkiletian, PhD - University College London  
Kristen Essel, PhD - Brown University  
Josue (Josh) Franco, PhD - Associate Professor of Political Science, Cuyamaca College  
Robert Oldham, PhD - Princeton University

### JOURNALIST FELLOWS

Amber Lin - independent journalist & geopolitical analyst

### FEDERAL EXECUTIVE FELLOWS

Samantha Fein - Interagency Fellow  
Christopher Fortson - Interagency Fellow  
Andrew Pelkey - Interagency Fellow

### THE ASIA FOUNDATION FELLOW

Kawisara Sukumolchan - Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Thailand (on leave)

### SASAKAWA PEACE FOUNDATION FELLOW

Kenta Fukao - Assistant Director, Secretariat of the House of Representatives  
Yuki Tsujimura, PhD - University of Tokyo

### SPIRIT MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY FUND/MARK O. HATFIELD FELLOW

Kwani-Fawn Marcellay - Reed College



## HEALTH & AGING POLICY FELLOWS

Kealohaku'ualohaku'upoki'i (Poki'i) Balaz, DNP, EMBA - Director of Strategic Initiatives, Center for Innovation, Geriatric Nurse Practitioner, Kōkua Kalihi Valley Health Center

Carey Candrian, PhD - Associate Professor and Director of LGBTQ+ Research and Community Engagement, Division of General Internal Medicine, University of Colorado School of Medicine, VP, Lesbian Health Fund

Rebecca S. Crow, DO - Director of Geriatrics, White River Junction VA Medical Center, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth

Darlene J. Curley, EdD, MS - Chair, Utah Governor's Commission on Aging, Advisor, Center for Health Policy, Columbia University School of Nursing

Carol Dufresne, MDiv - Staff Chaplain, Family Support Program, Women's Clinic Hampton Veterans Affairs Healthcare System

Tracy Fasolino, PhD, FNP-BC, ACHPN - Professor and Distinguished Palliative Care Leader, Clemson University School of Nursing

Farhana Ferdous, PhD - Associate Professor, Department of Architecture, Howard University

Lin (Helen) Jiang, PhD, MSSc - Associate Professor, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley School of Social Work

Clifford Y. Ko, MD, MS, MSHS, FACS, FASCRS - Director, Division of Research and Optimal Patient Care, American College of Surgeons, Professor of Surgery and Health Services, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA School of Public Health

Deborah Kaye, MD, MS - Assistant Professor, Department of Urology, Division of Urologic Oncology at Duke University

Julie Lowenthal, MSW, MPH - Caregiver Program Development and Advocacy Specialist, Area Agency on Aging 1-B

Samsun Naher, PhD, MA - Aging and Disability Policy Research Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Rehabilitation Medicine, University of Washington School of Medicine



Priti Patel, MD, MPH - Senior Advisor for Long COVID, U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Adjunct Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine, CAPT, U.S. Public Health Service

Caroline Sloan, MD, MPH - Assistant Professor of Medicine, Duke University

Ilana Stol, MD - Palliative Care Physician, Ralph H. Johnson VA Medical Center, Geriatrics and Extended Care, Affiliate Assistant Professor of Medicine and Psychiatry, Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC)

#### ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON FOUNDATION FELLOWS

Nicolle L. Arthun, B.S.N., R.N., M.S.N., C.N.M., FACNM - Founder, Changing Woman Initiative, Albuquerque, N.M.

Shamie Das, M.D., M.B.A., M.P.H. - Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta

A. Rani Elwy, Ph.D. - Professor of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Providence, R.I.; research career scientist, Center for Healthcare Organization and Implementation Research, VA Bedford Healthcare System, Bedford, Mass.

Tracey L. Henry, M.D., M.P.H., M.S. - Associate Professor of Medicine, Division of General Internal Medicine, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta

Tonya Moore, Ph.D., R.N. - Founder and Chief Executive Officer, MooreNOW, LLC, Brandon, Miss.

Sujith Ramachandran, Ph.D. - Associate Professor of Pharmacy Administration, University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy, University

Michael T. Schmeltz, Dr.P.H., M.S. - Assistant Professor, Department of Public Health, California State University, East Bay, Hayward