

## **FSP Member Spotlight Questionnaire**



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### **What is your current role?**

I am a Breast and Gynecology Fellow at the University of Miami/ Jackson Memorial Hospital.

### **What is the best part of your occupation?**

I enjoy the complexity of my cases and the amazing working environment. I am in love with pathology, especially breast and gynecology. If I have to do it all over again, I will still choose pathology.

### **How did you become interested in pathology?**

While in medical school, I was not a fan of clinical medicine. I was always interested in pathophysiology and the pathogenesis of disease. I knew I would be a pathologist; it was just a matter of when and where.

### **How did you become involved with the FSP?**

FSP is a big part of the pathology department here at the University of Miami/ Jackson Memorial Hospital. Residents and fellows are always encouraged to participate actively in it.

### **Explain how you benefit from being a member of FSP.**

It's an excellent opportunity to network, grow and develop.

### **What would you like to see occur in the field of pathology (i.e., scientific advances, greater awareness of the field, etc.) during your career?**

I am a huge fan of digital pathology, artificial intelligence, and technology. I cannot wait to see what the future holds. And yes, it will NOT take over our jobs; it will make us more productive and flexible and reduce errors.

### **What are your hobbies outside of the office?**

I am into soccer (football)—I play soccer and am a professional US soccer referee. I enjoy most outdoor activities, music, and actively collecting comic books.

### **What is something surprising that most people do not know about you?**

I really enjoy pathology. It's a blessing to practice what you enjoy every day.