

## **Dr.Puya Yazdi**



Dr. Puya Yazdi is hoping to pursue a career in academic medicine focusing on basic science and translational research as it relates to current diseases in internal medicine. He is currently pursuing an internal medicine residency that combines clinical training with devoted research years in the laboratory. Currently he works in the laboratory of Dr. Nosratola Vaziri. His current research interests include the role that Mitochondria play in Chronic Kidney Failure, Hypertension, and Lipid Disorders. He graduated with a degree in Biological Sciences from The University of California at Irvine before completing his medical doctorate at The University of Southern California. In addition, he has been a resident at Stanford University and had extensive work in the health care management sector. His outside interests include creative writing and the cinema