

Meet the PULSE

Editorial Board

Editors-in-Chief

Devvrat (Dev) Bhakta is a second-year DO/MPH student from Liberal, KS. In his free time, he enjoys producing music, writing scripts, and playing video games with his friends. You may run into him jamming out on the THRIVE provided drum-set in the new music room or at local board game joints!

Shreaya Patel is a second-year KCU-COM student from Houston, TX. Outside of studying, you'll find her listening to music, playing video games, and sketching anything that comes to mind on the nearest scrap piece of paper. If you're stumped on what to watch for your next movie night, ask her about the most recent movie she won't stop talking about.

Designers

Riya Borwankar is a second-year KCU-COM student from Philadelphia, PA. In her spare time, you'll find her going to concerts, snowboarding, binging horror movies, thrifting, watching Philly sports (Go Birds), and playing with her dog, Baxter.

Natalie Kalpakyan is a first-year KCU-COM student from Glendale, California. She enjoys drawing, attending comedy shows, visiting art museums with friends, and spending time with her Parrotlet, Petunia.

Anvitha Soordelu is a first-year KCU-COM student from San Diego, CA. In her free time, she likes going to shows, watching TV, and wishing she had a cat.

Class Representatives

Tianna Arreguin is a second year KCU-COM student from Topeka, Kansas. Her hobbies include cats, chit-chatting, and Dairy Queen.

Cassandra Hunter is a first-year KCU-PsyD student from Columbia, Missouri. She likes binge watching TV shows (9-1-1, House MD, etc.), going to the movie theater, and visiting museums. She is also currently waiting for BTS to make their return in 2025.

Sanjana Mazumdar is a first year KCU-COM student from Frisco, Texas. When she isn't studying, she likes to go on hot girl walks, travel, thrift, rewatch New Girl, and eat Taco Bell.

Angelina Miley is a second-year KCU-COM student from Denver, Colorado. Her hobbies include playing co-ed soccer, traveling, and reading.

Tristen Williams is a student in the 1-year COB program from Lincoln, Nebraska. In her free time she enjoys running, yoga, watching movies, or reading.

Editors of Fiction

Rhea Bhunia is a first year medical student from Baltimore, Maryland. She loves sitcoms, cats, and anything flavored mango. Outside of her aspirations to be a doctor, she is also interested in creative writing and UI/UX design. In her spare time she enjoys taking her puppy Leo on hikes, playing Sudoku, and cooking.

Faith Franzwa is a first year medical student. Before deciding to pursue her dreams of becoming a doctor, Faith wanted to be a fiction novelist, and still hopes to get a novel published someday. In her spare time, she loves reading, playing chess (poorly), drinking iced lattes, and playing with her amazing dog Mackey.

Editors of Poetry

Kimberly Barga is a graduate student in the KCU Biomedical Sciences program from Clovis, California. When she's outside of the classroom, she enjoys taking inspiration from nature in her journaling and painting. She loves researching all things fragrance and hunting for new additions to her collection of antique perfume bottles!

Rafya Islam is a second-year student at KCU-COM from Austin, Texas. She loves reading (whether that be books or tarot cards), going on long walks, painting, and updating her Letterboxd account.

Micaela Saathoff is a second-year DO/MBA student at KCU-COM from Columbia, MO. She is the oldest of five and loves spending time with her husband and their mini-Aussiedoodle, Tonka. In her free time she enjoys thrifting for vintage 60s-70s clothing, being the bassist for The Notochords, ping-pong, and playing Beatles Rock Band.

Editors of Art & Photography

Arjun Ramesh is a second-year KCU-COM student from Baltimore, Maryland. He enjoys painting, making music with friends, and getting a beer at a brewery. He spends his time learning obscure basketball trivia instead of studying.

Timothy Small is a second-year KCU-COM student from South Portland, Maine. In his spare time, you can find him over caffeinated at his favorite coffee shops, keeping up with the latest trends in fashion, gaming, and binge watching TV shows and movies.

Alex Tann is a second-year KCU-COM student from Orange County, CA. Outside of school, he enjoys going to concerts, traveling, watching movies, playing basketball, and going to the gym. And although he hates running, he is currently training for a half marathon in the coming months!

Clayton Tindell is a second year at KCU-COM from rural Missouri. When Clayton is not learning to save lives, he is lifting dumbbells, building/painting miniatures, mentoring underclassmen, or performing bench research. If you need someone to build a pc, spot you, or perform ELISA work, I am your man.

Editors of Nonfiction

Dean Chien is a first year student at KCU-COM, from Santa Monica, CA. He spends his spare time cooking, taking long walks, and lamenting the slow decline of longform journalism. He is uncomfortable referring to himself in the Third Person.

Hailey Hunter is a first-year KCU-PsyD student, and a nonfiction editor and alt text writer for PULSE. She loves desserts, The Mentalist tv show, and listening to alternative rock music.