Recipient of HTRS/Novo Nordisk 2019 Clinical Fellowship Award in Hemophilia and Rare Bleeding Disorders

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Dr. Cafuir is completing her final year of fellowship in Hematology and Medical Oncology at Emory University. After earning her Bachelor of Science from the University of Virginia, she obtained her medical degree from the Medical College of Virginia. She then joined Emory University where she completed her residency training in Internal Medicine and then continued her training in Hematology and Medical Oncology fellowship. She continued to pursue her interest in hemostasis and thrombosis during fellowship by publishing a narrative review on current and emerging factor VIII treatments of hemophilia A and evaluating the outcomes of DOAC-associated bleeding. Following completion of her fellowship in June, she joined the Hemophilia of Georgia Center for Bleeding & Clotting Disorders of Emory University as an instructor while completing an intensive one-year advanced training in hemostasis and thrombosis. During her CFA fellowship year, she will actively care for patients with bleeding disorders in the hemophilia treatment center, learning the application of point-of-care ultrasound in the evaluation of hemophilic joint disease and continuing her research to determine the optimal immunosuppressive therapy for eradication of anti-factor VIII autoantibodies in acquired hemophilia.