## Interventional Cardiology Fellowship Faculty



# Ankur Gupta, MD, PhD, FACC Program Director

Dr. Gupta received his MD from All India Institute of Medical Sciences. He received his PhD in Interdisciplinary Engineering from the University of Alabama and a Master of Science degree in Health Policy and Management from Harvard School of Public Health. He completed his internal medicine residency at Temple University and his cardiovascular disease fellowship at the University of Alabama. Dr. Gupta then completed his interventional cardiology fellowship at UT Southwestern. He is a board-certified Interventional Cardiologist and has been practicing at HonorHealth since January 2022. His areas of focus include complex high risk indicated PCI (CHIP), chronic total occlusion (CTO), CHIP to CTO interventions, complex coronary interventions, and second opinion coronary examinations. For women's heart, Dr. Gupta has special interest in coronary microvascular disease (CMD) and coronary physiology.



### Kush Agrawal, MD, FACC, RPVI

Dr. Kush Agrawal is a board-certified Interventional Cardiologist who has been practicing in the Valley since 2016. He joined Atria Heart in collaboration with HonorHealth in March of 2020. Dr. Agrawal completed medical school at the University of Mississippi and internship and residency at Emory University and Grady hospital in Atlanta. Dr. Agrawal then completed his cardiology and interventional cardiology training at Boston University Medical Center, with combined training at Brigham and Women's (Harvard) Medical Center and the Boston VA. He then was awarded the prestigious Vascular Interventional Advances (VIVA) fellowship. He has numerous high-impact journal as well as textbook chapter publications. He has been a sub-investigator in the CREST-2 Carotid Stent and the ABSORB IV Bioabsorbable Stent Trials. He was awarded the prestigious Fellow of the American College of Cardiology (FACC) designation in 2018.

Dr. Agrawal has successfully performed numerous high-risk heart and vascular procedures. Influenced greatly by his childhood exposure to medicine and a compassion-focused upbringing, Dr. Agrawal has the utmost respect for the patient-physician bond. Among his core ambitions is to be able to provide truly comprehensive and compassionate care to his patients.





#### Taral Patel, MD

Dr. Patel is an interventional cardiologist specializing in interventional cardiology, nuclear cardiology and adult cardiology. He graduated from Mount Sinai School of Medicine and completed his internal medicine residency training at Duke University Medical Center. He then completed fellowship training in cardiovascular disease at Cleveland Clinic and interventional cardiology at St. Luke's Hospital.



#### Venkataramanan Gangadharan, MD

Dr. Gangadharan is well versed in the field of general cardiology and interventional cardiology. He received his MBBS from Sri Ramachandra Medical University and completed his internal medicine training and cardiovascular disease fellowship at East Tennessee State University. He completed his interventional cardiology fellowship at Virginia Commonwealth University.



#### Andrew Cluckey, MD

Dr. Cluckey is an interventional cardiologist with special interests in coronary artery disease, valvular heart disease and heart failure. He received his MD from Case Western Reserve University and completed his internal medicine residency at Stanford. He then completed his cardiovascular disease and interventional cardiology fellowships at Vanderbilt University.