

- *Name:* **Anar Dossa**
- *Current Position on Council:* **College of Pharmacists of BC Representative**



- *Reason(s) for becoming involved with CSHP:*
 - To be part of a group of pharmacists, who are passionate about moving the profession forward.
 - To bring our collective ideas to key stakeholders
- *Current employment position(s) & place of employment:*
 - Drug Distribution Coordinator, Vancouver General Hospital
 - Outpatient Diabetes and Kidney Clinic Pharmacist, Vancouver General Hospital
- *Most memorable time in pharmacy: Lots!*
 - Patient care experience: patients who call me before taking any new medications, wanting to make sure that the doctor did the right thing!
 - Diabetes group education sessions.
 - Teaching: being introduced at a recent UBC pharmacy alumni event: "We have invited Anar back by popular demand!"
 - Research: winning a BC Pharmacy Practice Residency Award.
 - Administration: working with the pharmacy team at VGH to enable everyone to practice to their scope, deploying distribution pharmacists to the unit to improve patient care, enabling technicians to do order entry on the unit, reworking the schedule to allow pharmacists to work in the emergency department, working with the clinical coordinator looking at opportunities to allow clinical pharmacists to get involved in new areas.
- *Alternative profession, if hadn't chosen pharmacy & if money wasn't an issue:*
 - I would probably be travelling the world playing Field Hockey in Australia, Europe and North America.