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Short bio:

My name is Yu Liu, a 4th year Ph.D. student at Boston University, department of orthopedic surgery. Prior to entering the graduate school, I was a dentist in China with six years of training. To fulfill my dream as becoming a dentist-scientist, I decided to pursue my Ph.D. in the US. My research focuses on exploring the biology of skeletal stem cells in combination with novel scaffolds for bone regeneration. Ultimately, I hope to define and understand the key factors that regulate stem cell fate decision and improve the clinical approach to bone reconstruction.

What do you expect from this training?

Through this masterclass, I hope to learn not only the foundations of skeletal biology, but more aspects that have not been addressed by my current training. Moreover, I look forward to meeting and learning from peers who share the same passion for bone research.

Bonus question: What motivates you to get out of bed in the morning?

A home-cooked, hearty breakfast
Morning barre or yoga
Deadline :)