University of Missouri School of Medicine Visiting Student Diversity Program

The University of Missouri School of Medicine has a continued commitment to diversity and inclusion. We recognize the educational benefit of a diverse academic environment and strive to enable our students to care for the growing diversity of our community and beyond. Our Visiting Student Diversity Program provides opportunities for 4th year medical students to do an elective rotation with the University of Missouri School of Medicine and MU Healthcare.

Available Rotations

- Child Health
- Dermatology
- Emergency Medicine
- Family Medicine
- General Surgery
- Internal Medicine
- Neurology
- Orthopedic Surgery
- Pathology
- Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
- Psychiatry
- Radiology

Program Description

Selected students will participate in the clinical activities of the chosen department including conferences and other educational activities. Students will receive up to $950 for housing during their elective which may be accompanied by a stipend provided by the individual department to which the student is assigned. * Electives are available from August through March.

Eligibility

Students must be enrolled as a 4th year student in an LCME accredited institution at the time of the elective.

Students who are members of groups underrepresented in medicine are encouraged to apply.

Application Process

Apply through VSAS for an away rotation AND submit the supplemental application for the Visiting Student Diversity Program to the program administrative assistant, Kate Wessler (wesslerk@missouri.edu).

*Each individual department decides if an additional stipend will be available and the amount of that additional stipend.
School of Medicine
University of Missouri Health System

Visiting Student Diversity Program Supplemental Application Form
2021-2022

Last Name: ______________________________ First Name: __________________________
Address: ______________________________________________________________________
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What City and State do you call home? _____________________________________________
Phone: ____________________________  Email: ______________________________
Medical School: ____________________________ Expected Date of Graduation: ___________
USMLE Step 1 Score: _______

Rank your choices #1-3 for the 4 week rotation:
___Aug 9th - Sep 3rd, 2021(16A)  ___Nov 29th – Dec 24th, 2021(18A)
___Sep 7th -Oct 1st, 2021(16B)  ___Jan 3rd – Jan 28th, 2022(18B)
___Oct 4th -Oct 29th, 2021(17A)  ___Jan 31st – Feb 25th, 2022(19A)
___Nov 1st – Nov 24th, 2021(17B)  ___Feb 28th – Mar 25th, 2022(19B)

Department of interest: ________________________________________________
At the University of Missouri School of Medicine we value the educational benefit that a diverse academic environment provides. Briefly tell us why you are interested in this opportunity and what diversity you can bring to your chosen clinical specialty and the University. (300 words or less)