

## Department of Emergency Medicine

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Dear Prospective Students,

The Department of Emergency Medicine at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine is pleased to accept applications for our Underrepresented Minority Scholarship for Visiting Students. Johns Hopkins Emergency Medicine is committed to cultivating and sustaining an environment that fosters the development of physician leaders who are committed to eliminating the nation's health inequities through patient care, education, advocacy and research. Diversity, equity and inclusion are core values of our education program, and we are thrilled to welcome all students regardless of race or ethnicity.

Our scholarship provides financial assistance for senior medical students planning careers in emergency medicine who are members of groups underrepresented in medicine or those who have faced significant socioeconomic disadvantage. The scholarship provides a stipend of \$2,000 to offset the cost of registration, housing and other expenses related to the visiting clerkship. In addition to an outstanding clinical experience in one of the nation's top Emergency Medicine programs, students will be given opportunities for mentorship from our esteemed faculty with wide ranging interests including medical education, hospital administration, global health, the health humanities and social emergency medicine.

All students applying for the scholarship must meet these criteria:

1. Senior medical student in good standing at an accredited U.S. medical school
2. Eligible for acceptance into the Johns Hopkins Advanced Clerkship in Emergency Medicine (satisfactory completion of core clerkships in medicine, surgery and emergency medicine)
3. Self-identification as URM or disadvantaged status by these criteria:
  - a. Member of a traditionally underrepresented racial/ethnic minority group (e.g., Black, Latinx, Hispanic, Native American, Pacific Islander)
  - b. Member of a gender or sexual orientation minority group (LGBTQIA+)
  - c. Member of an economically disadvantaged group (e.g., first family member to obtain higher education, significant economic hardship interfering with pursuit of educational goals)

Please note that due to the level of autonomy and responsibility afforded our advanced clerkship students, we require that students have already completed a prior clerkship in Emergency Medicine. We understand that some students may not have completed a clerkship at the time of application, and we are happy to offer provisional acceptance to the program pending the satisfactory completion of this prerequisite. Students should *not* be discouraged from applying based on this requirement!

Available dates are listed below and correspond with the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine academic calendar. Please note that we are unable to accept students for off-cycle start dates, though early departures can typically be accommodated.

- Summer 2: June 20 – July 14, 2023
- Summer 3: July 17 – Aug 11, 2023
- Quarter 1, First Half: Aug 14 – Sept 13, 2023
- Quarter 1, Second Half: Sept 14 – Oct 13, 2023
- Quarter 2, First Half: Oct 16 – Nov 15, 2023

Please complete the application using this link: [JH EM URM Scholarship Application](#)

In addition, please submit your CV to Clerkship Director Dr. Sharon Bord at [sbord1@jhmi.edu](mailto:sbord1@jhmi.edu), and complete a visiting student application via the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine registrar's office. **We cannot accept you to rotate without completion of this process.** Further information about the application process can be found here: [hopkinsmedicine.org/som/students/policies/visitors.html](https://hopkinsmedicine.org/som/students/policies/visitors.html).

We would also like to note that this offer is contingent upon the JHUSOM accepting visiting students, and may be rescinded at any time if there are changes to this decision or if there are changes in CDC or local governing regulations regarding COVID-19 and travel.

The application deadline is **April 28, 2023**.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

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