

**Visiting Scholars Program (VSP) – 2025 Application**

**PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED PRIOR TO MAY 1st 2025**

**Please submit the following materials:**

[ ]  Completed VSP Application

[ ]  Record Step 1 score, Step 2 CK score (if available) and Medicine Clerkship Grades

[ ]  Personal Statement (contained within the VSP application)

[ ]  Current Curriculum Vitae (CV)

[ ]  Copy of medical school academic transcript

[ ]  Letter of Recommendation from a faculty member who can speak to your Internal Medicine clinical skills

**PDF format for all submitted materials is preferred**

**VSP applicants do not need to complete a general Visiting Student Application Service (VSAS) prior to applying to the VSP. If students are accepted to the VSP program, they will then be asked to register and upload UWSOM credentialing paperwork that any visiting student is expected to complete. At this time the UWSOM is not offering visiting electives for students from other medical schools. So those not selected to the VSP will not be able to apply for a regular visiting elective.**

**Info:** [**https://www.uwmedicine.org/school-of-medicine/visiting-students-program**](https://www.uwmedicine.org/school-of-medicine/visiting-students-program)

Dates for 2025 clerkships are listed below. Unfortunately, we are unable to change the UW School of Medicine’s 4-week blocks if they are not aligned with your school’s calendar. Clerkship selection and scheduling will be handled after a student is selected to the VSP.

*Summer A: June 30 – July 25*

*Summer B: July 28 – August 22*

*Summer C: August 25 – September 19*

*Autumn A: September 22 – October 17*

*Autmn B: October 20 – November 14*

**Email VSP application, personal statement, transcript and LOR to:**

University of Washington Department of Medicine Visiting Scholars Program

Visiting Student Program

UW School of Medicine

HSC-A300, Box 356340

1959 NE Pacific St.

Seattle WA 98195 email: domvsp@u.washington.edu

If there are any questions or concerns, please contact the program email listed above

**VSP APPLICATION FORM**

*In accord with the University of Washington’s expressed commitment to excellence and equity, the UW Department of Medicine is committed to building a diverse pipeline of*

*residents and future faculty.*

*Demographic data collected is kept private and only used to ensure that we are being inclusive and equitable. To type your information on this page, use your mouse to go to grey box on the form. Enter text or use your mouse to click the appropriate check box.*

**Applicant Info:**

Last Name First Name

School Email Alternate Email

Mobile Phone Number Another Phone Number

Current address City State Zip

Permanent address City State Zip

**Place of Birth:**

**Hometown:**

**Citizenship:**

**[ ]** U.S. Citizen **[ ]** U.S. Noncitizen National **[ ]** Permanent Resident of U.S.

**What is your Gender?** Check as many as you like.

[ ]  Female [ ]  Male[ ]  Transgender [ ]  Non-binary [ ]  Intersex

[ ]  “Let me type”:       [ ]  Prefer not to say

**What are your Pronouns?**

**Your Current Medical School:**

**Current Year at your Medical School** (*please check one*)

**[ ]** 3 **[ ]** 4 **[ ]** Other: please specify:       Expected Date of Graduation:

**Have you ever been subject to review, challenges, and/or disciplinary action, formal or informal, by an ethics committee, medical disciplinary board, or education/training institution?**

No

Yes.

Please explain

**Racial and Ethnic Background: How do you identify?** *(Check all that apply)*

African American/Black

[ ]  US-born Black American

[ ]  African (origin in black racial group)

**[ ]** Other Black identity not listed, specify

Latinx

**[ ]** Central American **[ ]** Mexican

**[ ]** Cuban [ ]  South American, specify

[ ]  Puerto Rican **[ ]** Other Latinx identity not listed, specify

Native American

[ ]  American Indian Enrolled or Principal Tribe

[ ]  Native Alaskan

[ ]  Native Hawaiian

Pacific Islander

 **[ ]** Fijian **[ ]** Polynesian

**[ ]** Guamanian **[ ]** Samoan

**[ ]**  Marshallese **[ ]** Tahitian

 **[ ]** Melanesian **[ ]** Tongan

**[ ]** Micronesian **[ ]** Other Pacific Islander not listed, specify

Asian

**[ ]** Bangladeshi **[ ]** Laotian

**[ ]** Burmese/Myanmarese **[ ]** Malaysian

**[ ]** Thai **[ ]** Filipino

**[ ]** Sri Lankan **[ ]** Indonesian

**[ ]** Vietnamese [ ]  Nepali

**[ ]** Other Asian identity not listed, specify

**[ ]** White

**[ ]** European

**[ ]** North African

[ ]  Middle East

**[ ]** Group not mentioned above:

**Disadvantaged Background: [ ]** Yes **[ ]** No

 ***IF YES,*** please explain

**First Generation in Family to Attend College**: [ ]  Yes [ ]  No

**Is there anything else you would like us to know about your background and upbringing?**

**How did you learn about this program?**

**Board Scores –** *please indicate if there were any Fails*

**Step 1 Number of Attempts**

**Step 2 CK** (if available)

**Medicine Clerkship Grades**

Please report all medicine clerkship grades and designate the clerkship as Inpatient, Outpatient or Combined Inpatient-Outpatient. Also indicate the grading scale of your school’s clerkships.

*i.e. High Pass (graded as Pass, High Pass or Honors)*

Inpatient

Outpatient

Combined

Sub-Internship

**Letter of Recommendation**

Please share with us who is writing your letter of recommendation and how they are familiar with your medicine clinical skills.

**Personal Statement**

Tell us what has driven you to the field of Internal Medicine. Also indicate why you are interested in participating in a clinical elective at the University of Washington and what types of clerkships would most interest you.

Either cut and paste or type directly into the grey box below.*1500 word limit*