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GLOBAL
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Field Experience Expo
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CFHI & IES Abroad

Explore the opportunities here today to get involved in Global Health Experiences domestically or internationally, whether you are looking to fulfill your Field Experience Requirement, Study Abroad in the health field, join a student organization or gain practical hands on experience. **Get started on your resume building now!**

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Academic Internship Program

The UC San Diego Academic Internship Program provides an opportunity for eligible juniors and seniors to earn course credit for substantive internships related to their academic and career goals. As an academic program, AIP strives to facilitate partnerships that lead to genuine learning opportunities for students, and create value for our community partners. Academic internships practical hands-on experience, research, and reflection to help you: Apply classroom learning in professional settings, explore career interests, build professional networks, engage in research relevant to your potential career field, develop the skills and experience needed to launch your career. AIP serves all majors, and students intern in a wide range of community and industry settings.

Visit aip.ucsd.edu.

Programs Abroad Office

UC San Diego's Programs Abroad Office, serving students, faculty, and staff who wish to study, work, intern, or volunteer abroad,

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assist you in your study abroad endeavors from application to departure. Here at UCSD, you have 3 primary ways to go abroad: UC EAP (UC Education Abroad Program), UC San Diego Global Seminars, and OAP (Opportunities Abroad Program)

Visit: pao.ucsd.edu.

Career Services

UCSD Career Services can assist you in pre-med advising, exploring careers, gaining experience in your field of interests and more. Meet with Emily Loui to see all that Career Services has to offer!

Visit: <http://career.ucsd.edu/>

Study Abroad Opportunities:

Child Family Health International

Child Family Health International (CFHI) provides immersive, community-based Global Health Education Programs for inter-professional undergraduate and graduate students. Our unique model fosters reciprocal partnerships and empowerment in local communities, transforming perspectives about self, healing, and global citizenship. CFHI currently offers over 25 programs in 7 countries (Argentina, Bolivia, Ecuador, India, Mexico, South Africa, Uganda) that focus on a variety of important global health topics, including tropical medicine, end-of-life care, HIV/AIDS, food security, and more. Programs run year-round with applications accepted on a rolling basis. Learn more at www.cfhi.org.

Groundswell Travel

Work directly with Project Wave of Optimism (WOO), a community based organization that leverages surf tourism growth and community efforts to improve the local quality of life.

Conduct health needs assessment for the community in Gigante, Nicaragua. Develop

community outreach and health education strategies, Collect data for ongoing longitudinal health study, Help isolate research needs, Develop a plan for future community health intervention programs, Facilitate an after school surfing program for local youth, Live with a local family for 1 week (second week in a local hostel).

Visit: Groundswelltravel.com

IES Abroad

The Institute for the International Education of Students, or IES Abroad, is a non-profit study *abroad* organization offering programs throughout Asia, Australia, Europe, New Zealand and South America for college-aged students. IES Abroad educates students to become global leaders through premier study abroad and internship programs, which offer students worldwide experiential learning opportunities that meet the highest standards of academic quality. IES Abroad creates a journey—an exhilarating challenge of academics and cultural immersion—an unmatched global educational experience through the use of homestays and field trips to “[promote] the development of interculturally-competent leaders. Our world-class faculty and demanding, relevant courses engage and inspire students as they discover unexpected ways of learning both inside and outside the classroom.

International Studies Abroad

ISA offers a range of options to meet the needs of any student who wants to take their education abroad. We have study abroad, internship, and service-learning programs in Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, England, Fiji, France, Germany, Greece, India, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Morocco, New Zealand, Peru, Scotland, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, and Thailand.

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SIT Study Abroad

A pioneer in experiential, field-based study abroad, SIT (founded as the School for International Training) offers more than 60 semester and summer programs for undergraduate students in Africa, Asia and the Pacific, Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East, as well as comparative programs in multiple locations. SIT offers programs in the field of Global Health in many countries. For more information on SIT Study Abroad, please go to: studyabroad.sit.edu

Student Health Organizations on Campus

CaHPSA

CaHPSA consists of passionate students and health professionals who work to establish a universal, comprehensive, and affordable healthcare system, financed through a non-profit single-payer. CaHPSA strives to educate students about Single-Payer Health Care. CaHPSA holds three events every year - Northern and Southern California Conferences and Lobby Day. Visit cahpsa.org for more information.

CORDUSA UCSD

CORDUSA@UCSD is a non-profit undergraduate service organization that strives to get the UCSD community involved in furthering the vision of an Indian NGO called Chinmaya Organization for Rural Development (CORD) in order to uphold the welfare of the communities it serves. All efforts, initiatives and aspirations of CORD@UCSD are oriented towards one main purpose: funding and developing student-run projects and research in rural India.

Flying Samaritans

The UCSD Flying Samaritans run a general medicine clinic in the Chapultepec region near Ensenada. Throughout the year we

gather donations, fundraise, and coordinate other activities, all revolving around the operation of our clinic. Monthly, we drive down to Ensenada with donations, medicines, health care professionals, and volunteers to open our clinic. A typical trip sees an average of 30 patients. The Flying Samaritans aren't just students. Members also include professionals from many different walks of life interested in helping provide healthcare services at no charge to the people in Baja California, Mexico who otherwise have no access to medical care. We are physicians, nurses, dentists, translators, technicians, social scientists, volunteers, and many other people. We are a non-sectarian organization and our bylaws clearly establish that our purpose is to offer medical assistance and education to the underserved people in rural areas of Mexico. All Flying Samaritan Clinics are operated free of charge to patients. Visit: ucsdflingsams.com, contact: fs.ucsd@gmail.com

Gun Violence Intervention Group

Gun violence is a social and cultural behavior, yet it behaves as if it were a pathogenic illness. It is transmitted like a pathogen and plays into the cycle of American structural violence. The United States may not be beleaguered by Tuberculosis or Malaria, but gun violence has become the epidemic of the American twenty-first century. Through weekly meetings, excursions and outreach, this group aims to bring students together to create an open, multi-disciplinary and informational forum to find meaningful and realistic ways to address the gun violence epidemic in the United States. Find the Group on Facebook.

Health Corps at UCSD

Health Corps is a UCSD student organization dedicated to providing volunteer opportunities relating to health and medicine

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to our members. We're primarily geared toward public health majors. We work with community partners in and around the San Diego and La Jolla area.

Public Health Brigades

Public Health Brigades is an international network of college students and professionals that volunteer to design and implement public health solutions in the developing world. We travel to Central America and develop sustainable health solutions and establish a standard of health quality by emphasizing prevention and education. Prevention and education are achieved by implementing in-home infrastructure projects, providing health education, and engaging community members. Public Health Brigade will work with individual families, local schools, and community leaders with a focus on holistic and preventative health measures on both an individual and community-wide scale.

Contact: ucsdphb@globalbrigades.org

Research Opportunities

Health Frontiers in Tijuana Program (HFiT)

The Health Frontiers in Tijuana Undergraduate Internship Program (HFiT-UIP) is a quarterly internship that affords developmental experiences in public health and healthcare for the underserved, and is especially appropriate for UCSD Global Health Majors and Minors. Students accepted into this program will participate in the HFiT binational student run free clinic project located in Tijuana, Mexico, in conjunction with medical and pharmacy students from the University of California San Diego and Universidad Autonoma de Baja California. Upon completion of the HFiT-UIP, students will have learned about biomedical and social factors associated with communicable and non-communicable diseases seen among

vulnerable populations in the San Diego-Tijuana region, shadowed clinical faculty during consultation, and been involved in ongoing UCSD research projects at the HFiT clinic.

Chile Global Health Field School

The Chile Global Health Field School offers a unique opportunity for UC San Diego global health minors and majors to complete their 100 hours field requirement, as well as for anthropology students to complement their field training. The field school aims for active on site-learning about the theoretical and methodological debates on the study of health and inequalities. We will address important questions concerning cross-national health variations by comparing biomedical and indigenous health systems in developed and under-developed countries.

International Health Collective

This is an internship that provides opportunities to collaborate with the communities of Eastern Tijuana and San Diego by providing accessible, quality health for the underserved. Students accepted into this program will participate in the IHC binational student run free clinic project located in the community of Villa Fontana, Tijuana, Mexico, as well as the local San Diego communities. Undergraduate Students, Medical and Pharmacy Students, health professionals, patients and community members will have the opportunity to learn from one another to increase collaborative solutions to our world's pressing health and community problems. Throughout the year, students will learn about medical, social, economic, and infrastructural factors associated with poverty and health disparity within the populations of Tijuana-San Diego region. This is Field Experience Opportunity for Global Health Majors and Minors Only. Spots for 4 Global Health Students have

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been reserved and will be selected from the pool of GHP applicants.*Earn up to 50 hours/quarter for your FE. **Visit:**
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Mexican Migration Field Research Program (MMFRP)

The MMFRP is a unique opportunity for undergraduate and graduate students who want an in-depth, hands-on research experience focused on international migration. Students involved in MMFRP consistently report that their participation in this program is a life-changing experience, as they gain an understanding of the migration experience that could never have been obtained in a typical classroom environment. Participants will be trained in field research methods and in how to conduct fieldwork in other cultural settings, providing excellent preparation for graduate or professional school, and for a wide range of careers, including research and teaching, global and public health, non-governmental organizations, law and medicine. Students may be able to use the MMFRP to satisfy an international field experience requirement, obtain data for a thesis project, and expand their publications record.

Additional Resources:

Clinton Global Initiative University Network

UC San Diego is part of the CGI University Network, a consortium of colleges and universities that support, mentor, and provide seed funding to leading student innovators and entrepreneurs on their respective campuses. Students and university representatives come together at the CGI U meeting to hear from experts in various fields, brainstorm ideas, share best practices, and form effective partnerships. Students then return to their campuses and communities to

turn their ideas into action, with the support of seed funding and mentorship from their universities.

For more info visit: <http://www.cgiu.org/>

Peace Corps

Since 1961, the Peace Corps has inspired more than 200,000 Americans to public service. With more than 8,000 volunteers serving in more than 70 countries around the world, the Peace Corps continues to make a difference in communities both at home and abroad.

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