

GLOBAL VISITING SCHOLAR GRANT GUIDELINES

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PURPOSE

The Global Public Health Committee is committed to providing and expanding international opportunities for the UI College of Public Health community. The Global Public Health Visiting Scholar Grants are to be used for the express purpose of bringing international and global visitors to campus to enhance the mission and goals of the Global Public Health Initiative and the College of Public Health.

AWARD FUNCTION

The purpose of these awards is to travel funding and logistical support for global visitors to campus for short-term stays (approximately 1-5 days).

EDUCATIONAL COMPONENT

To be eligible to receive a grant, the global visitor should:

- Currently work in public health research, practice, or related discipline.
- Have the ability or willingness to teach or guest lecture as needed
- Demonstrate an ability to contribute to the ongoing academic and community goals of CPH and Global Public Health.
- Live or be traveling from outside the continental U.S.

Preference will be given to visitors who can generate larger institutional partnerships that will be beneficial to the collegiate global public health goals. This could include potential for research collaborations, student opportunities at foreign institutions/organizations, institutional partnerships and MOUs, etc. Additionally, the Global Public Health Committee looks for individuals who are able to participate in interdisciplinary research or teach for multiple departments and with professional and/or field experience, in addition to academic achievement

ELIGIBLE EXPENSES

Expenses that are eligible to be covered are those related to international travel expenses and those necessary for engaging the CPH community during the campus visit. Proposals should include an itemized budget containing all projected costs for the committee to review. Eligible items include, but are not limited to:

- Housing
- Airfare/other transportation
- Daily Living expenses
- Visa expenses
- Food (eg. Spotlight lunch), as needed

AWARD AMOUNT

Visiting Scholar grant awards are for amounts up to but not exceeding \$5000. Award amounts will vary based on the committee's assessment of need and eligible expenses. Award amounts will vary and this funding determination will be made at the discretion of the global health committee.

- Individuals may apply for this award multiple times. However, repeat funding is not guaranteed and will be based on the merits of the application and funding demands.

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TRAVEL CHANGES AND LIMITATIONS

If travel purposes change, the visiting scholar or sponsoring CPH community member must inform the global health committee immediately. The global public health committee reserves the right to reevaluate or withdraw funding in the event that the new travel purpose does not meet the requirements for grant eligibility.

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