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Alanoud Alsulaiman is a first year Harris student. She did her undergraduate studies in Saudi Arabia in law. Alanoud primarily practiced administrative, commercial, and contract law, but always had an interest in health. After graduating, she was enrolled at Georgetown LL.M. (Master’s of Law) program where she focused on national and global health law. While working on her first master’s, Alanoud worked on multiple projects at the O’Neill Institute for National and Global Health Law. The projects ranged from the COVID Law Lab, the HIV Policy Lab, and even a project where she worked on a legal brief for the Department of Justice pertaining to substance withdrawals within jails.

Alanoud felt there was a gap in her knowledge and wanted to understand how to analyze data that she often worked on in her previous legal experience. With GPHAP’s diverse and interdisciplinary cohort of students, Alanoud believes she will learn and contribute to her colleagues in a collaborative working environment where she can further focus on her goals of achieving health equity through social determinants of health.

Upcoming Events

You can always find Job Postings at the GPHAP LinkedIn Group. Colleen and Laura post job opportunities there, and GPHAP Alumni also do. Many new job postings were added this week. The link to the GPHAP Alumni & Student LinkedIn Group appears at the bottom of every issue of the Weekly Digest so you can always find it easily.

See the email sent to All GPHAP Students for details on how to participate in this year’s Alumni Mentorship Program. The Mentorship Program involves having one conversation with one or more GPHAP Alumni of your choice. Over 30 Alumni have signed up to be mentors this year.

The President of UChicago Medicine and and the EVP for Medical Affairs have emailed their direct reports to put out a call for Erikson Fellowship opportunities. These are the 10-week paid internship opportunities for GPHAP students for this Summer. We will be receiving the opportunities by February 16. Around that time we will hold an information session about
Recorded Lectures

Many of the lectures listed in the GPHAP Weekly Digest are recorded and archived for later listening. You can look back to see if there are recent lectures that interest you, and they can count as GPHAP co-curriculars. Here are links to archived lectures.

CHAS Michael Davis Lectures
https://chas.uchicago.edu/events/mdl/

MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics lectures
https://www.youtube.com/user/MacLeanCenter

Harvard School of Public Health Forum lectures
https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/

Bowman Society Lectures
https://pritzker.uchicago.edu/resources/bowman-society

MATTER Health Events
https://matter.health/events

Health Affairs Podcasts - an hour's worth of content
https://www.healthaffairs.org/podcasts

KHN's "What the Health"? - an hour's worth of content

COVID-19, Women and Health
https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/covid-19-women-and-health/

The Pandemic’s Toll on Children’s Mental Health
https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/the-pandemics-toll-on-childrens-mental-health/

GPHAP Social Media

GPHAP has a Facebook Group for Current Students and Alumni. Go to Facebook and search for The UChicago Graduate Program in Health Administration & Policy or click on: https://www.facebook.com/groups/gphap/

There is a LinkedIn Group for GPHAP Alumni, and current students are welcome to join. Click on this link or go to LinkedIn and search for “GPHAP” and Request to Join. The site is a great source for updates on GPHAP Alumni. Job Opportunities also are posted there by the GPHAP Office and by GPHAP Alumni.

GPHAP has a Twitter Page. Please follow @UCgphap.

GPHAP’s Website is: https://gphap.uchicago.edu

Join the WhatsApp GPHAP Social Group. Students can reach out to see who is going to GPHAP events or to provide info about other activities. WhatsApp Social Group: https://chat.whatsapp.com/invite/BYMEUqshxH1K6xpID5OmAk

the Erikson and Quern Fellowships and we will send out the internship descriptions.