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Student Spotlight - Shirin Hasan



Shirin Hasan is from Delhi, India, and earned her Master's and Ph.D. in Biochemistry before moving to the United States. Once she moved to the United States, Shirin worked on various research projects. During her time at Loyola University, Shirin researched the efficacy of the FDA-approved drug propranolol in preventing anemia among burn patients. At Northwestern University, Shirin did research in hematology pertaining to bone marrow failure and Fanconi

Downtown Campus Connector Shuttle - Free Shuttle

Starting on Monday, Jan 9 with partial service and **fully operational by Tuesday, January 17**, the Department of Safety & Security (DSS) is launching the Downtown Campus Connector shuttle to provide **free transportation for UChicago students and employees**. The shuttle will run between the Hyde Park campus, the Gleacher Center, downtown UChicago Medicine clinics, the Roosevelt CTA station, and the Metra Electric 51st/53rd Street station. **The shuttle will run Monday to Friday from 6:30 AM to 10:00 PM.** The shuttle will be free for all members of the campus community with a tap of your UChicago ID!

- o This route will begin partial service on Monday, January 9, with possibly extended wait times between shuttles; the route will be fully operational by Tuesday, January 17.
- o Shuttles will run the route continuously Monday through Friday from 6:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., excluding holidays, with approximately 20 minutes between shuttles.
- o A detailed route map is on the [DSS website](#), and real-time shuttle locations and arrival/departure times are available on the [TransLoc](#) app.

Metra – Subsidized for All Riders

The Metra Electric line is [subsidized for all riders](#)

anemia. Currently, Shirin is working at NorthShore University Health System, where she manages clinical trials in the Nephrology Division.

Shirin is pursuing her MBA at the Booth School of Business at UChicago in the Evening MBA Program. She joined GPHAP for many reasons, one being that GPHAP offered an opportunity to learn about both the domestic and international health care systems. Shirin is a first-year student on the US Health track and finds the GPHAP curriculum of 100% applicability to her workplace in the NorthShore hospital setting. Other reasons she joined GPHAP are that she loves the interdisciplinary aspect of the program and the health care events organized by GPHAP.

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Upcoming Events

Wednesday, January 18, 2023 | 12:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

2023 Healthcare Industry Outlook | Avalere

[Avalere Health](#) is a health care consulting firm based in Washington, DC. They are hosting this webinar on the healthcare outlook for 2023. The session will likely in part be a pitch to gain customers, but the content might be of interest to GPHAP students, and you might like to get exposure to this firm and its website. There is much useful information on their [website](#). They promote the session with this description, "*The Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) includes several landmark healthcare provisions that will affect your business strategy while you also navigate changes in value and evidence requirements, the 340B program, the end of the public health emergency, and more. Now is the time to gain clarity on your organization's approach.*"

Wednesday, January 18, 2023 | 1:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

Making Health Care More Affordable: Implementing a State Cost Growth Target |

Peterson-Milbank Memorial Fund

January Angeles, MPP - *Bailit Health*

Thursday, January 19, 2023 | 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

All Eyes on Haiti: Occupations, Migrations, and Reparations | Social Justice Initiative and EqualHealth

Thursday, January 26, 2023 | 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

An Aging Undocumented Population: Implications for Complex Care and Communities | Camden Coalition

Padraic Stanley, MSW, LCSW, Program Manager, Rush University Medical Center

Teresa Berumen, Program Coordinator, Rush University Medical Center

Saturday, February 11, 2023 | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

2023 Chicago Booth Healthcare Conference - Interconnected Health: Redefining Patient-Centricity with Technology

Location - 76 E Monroe, Chicago, IL, 60603

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Previously Listed Events

Monday, January 9, 2023 | 5:15 PM - 7:00 PM CST | [Registration Closed](#)

Dinner + Meet and Greet at the UChicago Center for Global Health

This event is open to all GPHAP global health track students and any other GPHAP students who have an interest in global health or just want to learn more about these activities.

Tuesday, January 10, 2023 | 1:00 PM - 1:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

National Health Care Spending in 2021: Decline in Federal Spending Outweighs Greater Use of Health Care | Health Affairs *Alan Weil*, Editor-in-Chief at Health Affairs

David M. Cutler, the Otto Eckstein Professor of Applied Economics at Harvard University

M. Kate Bundorf, the J. Alexander McMahon Distinguished Professor of Health Policy and Management at Duke University

Tuesday, January 10, 2023 | 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM CST | [Registration Not Required](#)

2022 Kiphart Collegiate Fellowship Capstone Presentation and Reception | International House at the University of Chicago, 1414 East 59th Street.

through 2023 by the Cook County Department of Transportation and Highways, including **half off** one-way and 10-ride fares in the service area that includes Hyde Park.

2023 Summer Research Global Health Fellowship Program

The Summer Research Fellowship

Program organized by the UChicago Center for Global Health is now accepting applications. See details in the Opportunities section of this week's Weekly Digest about Information Sessions being held to learn more about it.

Schweitzer Fellowships

An information session is being held about the

Schweitzer Fellowships. See the Opportunities section for details.

GPHAP Alumni Mentorship Program

The GPHAP Alumni Mentorship Program will be activated in the

Winter and Spring Quarters. GPHAP Alumni will be available to meet with current students to talk about their work and career paths. Details coming in the next few weeks about how we will be matching students with alumni.

The Susan and Richard Kiphart Center for Global Health and Social Development is hosting a capstone presentation and reception for the 2022 inaugural cohort of Kiphart Collegiate Fellowship program. The event will feature Kiphart Fellows poster presentations of their internship experiences, accompanied by a light reception. This open-house style event is free and open to the public.

Wednesday, January 18, 2023 | 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)
Medicaid Expansion Led to Reductions in Postpartum Hospitalizations | Health Affairs
 Maria W. Steenland, Assistant Professor in the Department of Population Studies at Brown University
 Laura W. Wherry, Assistant Professor at New York University's Wagner Graduate School of Public Service

Thursday, January 19, 2023 | 5:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)
Investigating the Multilevel Determinants of Cardiovascular Health in South Asian Americans: The MASALA Study | The Bowman Society Lecture Series
 Dr. Namratha Kandula, MD, MPH, Professor of Medicine at Northwestern Feinberg SOM
 Location - 924 East 57th Street, Room 115

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Opportunities

Cleveland Clinic Case Competition

An opportunity to apply your coursework to real world situations regarding healthcare administration! *If you participate on a team that works on a case for a case competition it can count as two GPHAP co-curriculars.*

Key Dates:

Registration Deadline - Friday, January 13, 2023 at 5:00 PM EST

Case Released - Thursday, February 2, 2023 at 3:00 PM EST

Submit Case Documents - Monday, February 6, 2023 at 8:00 AM EST

In-Person Presentations - Wednesday, March 15, 2023 to Thursday, March 16, 2023

[Register Here](#)

2022-2023 Schweitzer Fellowships

Virtual Info Session - Wednesday, January 11, 2023 at 1:00 PM CST

The Schweitzer Fellowship is a prestigious yearlong service learning program for graduate students in health-related professions who design and implement innovative direct-service projects to improve the health and well-being of underserved Chicago area communities. Annually, they select 28 graduate students from diverse fields for the cohort of Fellows. Included are supportive mentors, monthly meetings, symposia on pertinent public health issues, and service days. Fellows receive a \$2,750 stipend. *The information session does not count as a GPHAP co-curricular.*

[More information here](#)

The Center for Global Health 2023 Summer Research Fellowship Program

Learn about a 10-week summer internship program for studying abroad. Here is the [flyer](#) for the information sessions. Here is the [website](#) with more information.

Informational Session 1 - Tuesday, January 10, 2023 from 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM at Ida Noyes Hall (1212 E 59th St)

Informational Session 2 - Thursday, January 26, 2023 from 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM | Zoom Meeting ID: 638 882 6798 | Password: CGHSRF2023 | [Link](#)

The information session does not count as a GPHAP co-curricular.

Application Deadline : February 6, 2023

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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

<https://play.acast.com/s/khns-what-the-health>

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**. Current students are welcome to join. Go to LinkedIn and search for "GPHAP" and Request to Join.

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>

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