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[Canadian Rheumatology Association Summer Studentship Programs](#)

Deadline: March 6, 2020

The Canadian Rheumatology Association offers two Summer Studentship Programs for **medical students**. The length of the studentship will be between 4-12 weeks from May to August. Both programs offer successful applicants \$6,300 for a maximum of 12 weeks of full-time work. **Note that students applying must be a Canadian citizen/permanent resident and submit a Proof of Canadian University Medical School enrolment.**

The **Clinical Studentship** offers the opportunity to shadow a rheumatologist in a clinical setting. Applicants must submit only one application from each centre of research. The **Research Studentship** is designed for medical students interested in the sub-specialty of rheumatology. The program connects a student with a CRA member for a rheumatology-based research project. Applicants must submit only one application per mentor. **Please visit the website via the hyperlink above for more information.**

[UBC Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine Summer Student Fellowship Program](#)

Deadline: March 13, 2020 at 4:00pm

UBC's Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine offers summer student fellowships for **MD and non-MD undergraduate students** to gain clinical or research experience in laboratory medicine under the supervision of the department's faculty. Successful applicants will receive an award of \$3,200 for two months of full-time work during the summer (May – August). As students must apply with a prospective supervisor already identified, a Permission-to-Contact list of faculty members will be posted on the website on February 17th. **Please visit the website for more information.**

Funding Reminders

[American Society of Hematology \(ASH\) Hematology Opportunities for the Next Generation of Research Scientists](#) – Feb 14, 2020

[Canadian Celiac Association Dr. J.A. Campbell Young Investigator Award](#) – Feb 14, 2020

[Health Innovations Scholars Program](#) – Feb 15, 2020

[UBC Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences Summer Student Research Program](#) – Feb 17, 2020, 12:00PM

[UBC FoM Summer Student Research Program](#) – Feb 18, 2020

[Canadian Liver Foundation Summer Studentship](#) – Feb 24, 2020

[The FoM Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada Undergraduate Student Research Award \(NSERC USRA\)](#) – Feb 27, 2020

[BC Children's Hospital Research Institute Summer Studentships](#) – Feb 28, 2020

[American Osler Society William B. Bean Student Research Award](#) – Mar 1, 2020

For additional funding opportunities visit: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/funding/>.

Upcoming Events

[CGSHE Speaker Series: Creating Trans-Inclusive Reproductive and Sexual Health Care](#)

Date: February 20, 12:00-1:00pm

Location: Hurlburt Auditorium, Rm 2200, St. Paul's Hospital

This installment of the Centre for Gender and Sexual Health Equity (CGSHE) Speaker Series will feature speaker A.J. Lowik. Lowik is a SSHRC-funded PhD Candidate with the Institute for Gender, Race, Sexuality and Social Justice at UBC, whose research focuses on trans people's reproductive lives, health, and decision-making processes. They are passionate about trans-inclusive reproductive justice, focusing on abortion care, birthing and nursing practices, both within and beyond the health sector. **To RSVP for this session, visit the hyperlink above.**

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[Departmental Seminar: “The origins of the PhD degree: An archeological dig to Ancient Greece”](#)

Date: February 26, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Location: IRC, Woodward, 2194 Health Sciences Mall, Room WOOD 4

The Department of Anesthesiology, Pharmacology & Therapeutics presents a seminar with Dr. Michael Griffin, Associate Professor of Classics and Philosophy at UBC. This seminar will investigate the roots of the modern PhD degree and explore the values that motivated education. All are welcome to attend. **Further information is available via the hyperlink above.**

[What’s New in Addition Medicine?: Unlocking The Realities of Substance Use During Incarceration](#)

Date: March 3, 12:00 – 1:00 pm

Location: Hurlburt Auditorium, St. Paul’s Hospital

This free series features local and international experts, clinicians, and researchers delivering the latest research and information on novel, evidence-based addiction medicine topics, and is geared towards the needs and interests of individuals operating in a healthcare or research setting. The speaker for this session will be Dr. Allison Marmel, an Addiction Medicine Fellow from BC Centre on Substance Use at St. Paul’s Hospital. A light lunch will be provided. **Please RSVP via the hyperlink above.**

Event Reminders

For additional event listing visit: <http://www.med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/stay-connected/>.

Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

[Call for abstracts: “Changing Practice, Changing Policy” BC Substance Use Conference 2020](#)

Abstract Deadline: February 28, 11:59 pm; Event Date: June 4-6, 2020

The British Columbia Centre on Substance Use is currently accepting abstracts for consideration to present at the BC Substance Use Conference 2020. Come share ideas, learn from others, build new paradigms for practice, and contribute to the ongoing improvement of the public health and health care systems. All are welcome to apply. An individual/group may submit more than one proposal and submissions from consumers and family members are encouraged. There are two presentation formats: a 10-20 minute oral presentation or a poster presentation. **For more information, visit the website via the hyperlink above.**

[Biospecimen Research Methods](#)

This UBC Ed-X biology and life sciences course will enable you to collect, recognize and utilize a quality human biospecimen; the success of your research depends on the quality of the biospecimens you use. Topics include planning a successful research study using biospecimens; properly storing and managing biospecimen data, and understand the ethical and privacy issues related to biobanking. This 6-week course is available online. **To enroll, visit the website via the hyperlink above.**

[UBCMJ Call for Submissions – DEADLINE EXTENDED](#)

Deadline: March 1, 2020

To celebrate the 10 year anniversary of the UBC Medical Journal (UBCMJ), the journal is inviting authors to share their research in the upcoming Fall 2020 Fringe issue. Fringe refers to topics outside of the mainstream discourse that are thought-provoking, uncommon, and innovative. For this issue anything goes – the quirkier the better. If you have a great article that doesn’t fit the theme, feel free to still submit! The journal anticipates including articles on a range of topics and submissions on all topics are welcome. **For more information, visit the Guide to Authors page via the hyperlink above.**

Reminders

[Canadian Anesthesiologists’ Society Medical Student Essay Contest](#) – Feb 14, 2020, 4:00PM

[Dalhousie Department of Psychiatry Annual Student Writing Competition](#) – May 1, 2020

[Letter of Intent for UBC/AWS Community Health and Wellbeing Cloud Innovation Centre Project](#) – Deadline TBD

[Introducing the Patient-oriented Research Repository \(PoRR\)](#)

Find additional information and resources on the Student Research website: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/>.
