GPHAP News – February 22, 2021

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**Upcoming Events**

**MATTER Founders Increasing Representation for Patients and Entrepreneurs [Register Here]**

"Join us to hear two entrepreneurs (Patient Orator CEO and Founder Kisteen Monkhouse and Alerje CEO and Founder Javier Evelyn) from the MATTER startup community share how they’re building both solutions and communities to create a more equitable healthcare experience and a more accessible pathway to entrepreneurship for underrepresented populations."

Tues February 23
2:00 PM CT

**Lessons from Healthcare Entrepreneurs [Register Here]**

"Being a healthcare entrepreneur can be messy — just ask ExplORer Surgical CEO Jennifer Fried and Clearstep CEO Adeel Malik. In an event co-produced with The University of Chicago Polsky Center for Innovation and UChicago Medicine’s Center for Healthcare Delivery Science and Innovation, the seasoned entrepreneurs will join Dr. David Beiser, a practicing emergency physician, mentor to rising health tech entrepreneurs and entrepreneur himself for a conversation about the entrepreneurial journey."

Wed February 24
12:00–1:00 PM CT

**Virtual Coffee Hour with Pritzker Health Policy Interest Group:**

"Join up to 30 people to brainstorm, or listen to op-ed ideas, join someone else to co-write a piece, or develop a brewing article idea. A weekly, 30-min drop-in space for anyone wanting to share, participate, or listen to op-ed ideas.

Zoom Link: [https://uchicago.zoom.us/j/98925113885?pwd=c3JhOHdDazhUNEtHR09Ib0s3anliZz09](https://uchicago.zoom.us/j/98925113885?pwd=c3JhOHdDazhUNEtHR09Ib0s3anliZz09)

Mon. February 22
5:00–5:30 PM CT

**Chicago Health Justice Forum: The Just Cause to Evict Ordinance for Housing and Health Equity [Register Here]**

Join Health & Medicine Policy Research Group (Health & Medicine) and the Chicago Housing Justice League (CHJL) for a virtual forum about Just Cause for Evictions, a proposed ordinance to support housing equity—and public health—in Chicago.

Thurs. February 25
4:00–5:00 PM CT

**Medicare Solvency Projections and Potential Policy Solutions [Register Here]**

This briefing will provide an overview of the Medicare Trust Funds, the nuances of solvency, and the consequences of not resolving funding shortfalls. Panelists will explore short- and long-term policy options to address solvency and offer equitable access, as well as the potential impacts on providers, plans, and most importantly, Medicare beneficiaries.

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**Erikson/Quern Fellowships Info. Session**

Monday, February 22, 2021 12:30 – 1:30 pm

Each summer, GPHAP offers 10-week internships at the medical center (Erikson Fellowships) and stipends for independent 10-week projects of your own design (Quern Fellowships). Information will be provided on how to apply for the Erikson and Quern Fellowships. Laura will provide details about the application and due dates. Several of last summer’s Erikson and Quern Fellows will be in attendance to tell you about their experiences. No RSVP needed. This info session does not count as a GPHAP co-curricular.

Here are the Zoom details:

Topic: Erikson/Quern Information Session
Time: Feb 22, 2021 12:30 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting [https://uchicago.zoom.us/j/9444422293?pwd=SUXxSGoVeXRuTkZRNlU2NjVTVWQzZz09](https://uchicago.zoom.us/j/9444422293?pwd=SUXxSGoVeXRuTkZRNlU2NjVTVWQzZz09)

**New Gift to Support the Study of Global Health and Social Development**

Last week President Zimmer announced a $25 million commitment from the Kiphart Family Foundation to establish the Susan and Richard Kiphart Center for Global Health and Social Development, which will be housed at the Crown Family School of Social Work, Policy, and Practice, and led in partnership with the Biological Sciences Division.

**Recorded Lectures**

Many of the lectures listed in the GPHAP Weekly Digest archive the lectures for later listening. Here are the links to several of the lecture series.

- **A Catalyst for Humanity: A Conversation with Isabel Wilkerson** [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NxXwDiX-qxg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NxXwDiX-qxg)
- **CHAS Michael Davis Lectures**
  [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCC9mIAwSViiK9sKuTZLg](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCC9mIAwSViiK9sKuTZLg)
  [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qO0aQmz0g](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qO0aQmz0g)
- **Harvard School of Public Health Forum lectures**
  [https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/](https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/)
- **Bowman Society Lectures**
  [https://polster.uchicago.edu/resources/bowmanociety](https://polster.uchicago.edu/resources/bowmanociety)
- **Understanding Pathologies of Power in the Age of COVID19** [https://youtu.be/ZFbx8AX2U](https://youtu.be/ZFbx8AX2U)
  PSOM Future of Health Policy Panel sponsored by Pritzker Health Policy Interest Group [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zP3mBU8GnZi_kRucWe9jA1](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zP3mBU8GnZi_kRucWe9jA1)

**GPHAP Calendar**

Subscribe to the GPHAP [calendar](https://calendar.google.com/calendar?tab=wl) to keep up-to-date with all the latest seminars and opportunities available to students!
Racist Patients: Taking Action on Harmful Bias and Discrimination in Clinical Learning Environments Register Here
On Thursday, February 25 at 2:00 p.m. Eastern, the Josiah Macy Jr. Foundation will host a webinar on addressing bias, discrimination, and racism from patients in the clinical learning environment.

Confirmed Speakers include:
Pooja Chandrashekar, AB, Medical Student, Harvard Medical School
Sachin H. Jain, MD, MBA, President and Chief Executive Officer, SCAN Group and SCAN Health Plan, Adjunct Professor, Stanford University School of Medicine
Moderated by Holly Humphrey, MD, MACP, President, Josiah Macy Jr. Foundation
Thurs. February 25
1:00PM CT

Opportunities

Pritzker Health Policy Review now accepting submissions:
The Pritzker Health Policy Interest Group recently launched their new website – check it out and consider submitting for the spring issue!

“If you’re feeling inspired, we’re currently accepting submissions for our Spring 2021 issue! This issue will be Chicago & UChicago themed, though you are always welcome to submit on any health policy topic. We think this theme is a perfect opportunity for students to speak to their own experiences working, living, and serving in the Chicago community—whether they’ve been involved in free clinic leadership, volunteering to mentor high school students, or have thoughts on UChicago’s relationship with the South Side. Please email your submission to phpr.uchicago@gmail.com using our article template by March 12 at 11:59 PM. Our submission guidelines are linked here. Looking forward to reading your articles!”

UChicago Booth Healthcare Group Conference – Feb 25–26
The Booth Healthcare Conference will be held February 25 – 26. Learn more and register at the conference website.

NOTE: GPHAP has a limited number of free tickets to the conference. Reach out to Laura if you would like one! Booth students who are members of the Booth Health Care Group can register for free, so please register using your free ticket and not go through the GPHAP lottery.

Tickets are free for Chicago Booth HCG members, $5 for current UChicago students, and $10 for general admission attendees.
The event will feature 3 keynote talks from Lee Shapiro, Managing Partner at 7wireVentures and former CFO at Livongo Health; Griffin Myers, Chief Medical Officer at Oak Street Health; and Bruce Broussard, President and CEO at Humana. The panels will also discuss healthcare policy, investing, entrepreneurship, and digital healthcare.

Preferably Listed Events

Northwestern’s Kellogg School of Management Healthcare Conference – Feb 24–27
Kellogg’s 21st Annual Business of Healthcare Conference Saturday, February 27th with pre-conference events starting on Wednesday, February 24th. The ticket cost is $25.

See https://www.kelloggblhc.com
Diversity Dialogues with John Schneider "COVID-19 Prevention and Vaccination Hesitancy in the United States" Register Here

Diversity Dialogues are designed to bring together individuals from the University to learn about and act upon issues related to diversity and inclusion. This session, titled COVID-19 Prevention and Vaccination Hesitancy in the United States, will feature John Schneider MD, MPH, Professor of Medicine, Epidemiology, and Social Work. Dr. Schneider will share results from a population-based survey of COVID-19 prevention and vaccination among US adults with a specific focus on disenfranchised communities like those who are criminal justice involved. In addition, he will share insights from instituting the largest community contact tracing program in the Midwest that aims to engage communities most impacted with important resources and services. He will close with public health network interventions that may help us move towards COVID-19 elimination.

Mon. February 22nd 1:00-2:00PM

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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 calendar: GPHAP iCal

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/BYMEUgshxH1K6xplD5Omk