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Office of Medical Student Research

2017-18 Yearlong Research Program Guidelines

The yearlong research program (YRP) is available to all medical students, typically after 2nd or 3rd years.

The length of the program is one year (10-12 months).

All research must be conducted under the direction of a full-time faculty member of the Medical School. Research conducted elsewhere will be under LOA.

SPECIFICS:

1) Find a YRP faculty mentor and project:

Discuss your research interests with Dean Chung: omsr@wustl.edu

Dean Chung will give you lists of research faculty mentors.

Look up research interests online at: <http://dbbs.wustl.edu/>

Check research departments at Washington University School of Medicine:
<http://MDstudentresearch.wustl.edu/departments>

Check past student projects on the OMSR website:
<http://MDstudentresearch.wustl.edu/student-projects>

Email several researchers your short resume and a paragraph describing your research interests. (Tell them that you're interested in their work.)

Meet with researchers, select a research mentor and define your research project.

2) Choose a YRP degree program:

Submit applications to the individual degree programs:

- MA/MD
- MPHS
- MSCI
- MD5
- MPH



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3) Apply for YRP funding:

Submit applications for NIH training grants, external fellowships, and Medical School fellowships.

You must work fulltime on your research project for 10-12 months. No moonlighting.

4) YRP OMSR administrative requirements:

Discuss yearlong research plans with Dean Chung.

Submit the completed OMSR Application form. Fellowship Application forms will be sent by email, and are available from Roz Robinson, Program Coordinator (contact information below).

Dean Chung must approve the start and end dates.

Notify Dean Lisa Moscoso, Dean Tom Evola, Dean Bridget O'Neal, Ms. Julie Jobe, and Ms. Chris Mossinghoff, to change your student status.

Submit copies of stipend papers to Dean Chung.

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