## Pharmacy Practice fellowship/ MS

I hope you are all staying healthy and safe during this pandemic. We are going to hold a zoom pharmacy practice fellowship/MS on Nov 13 Friday at 6:00 pm.

Join Zoom Meeting Info https://pacific.zoom.us/j/94345295540?pwd=b1JRY1h3eEZmQmx2ZzZHWXZrU1pyQT09

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This fellowship is designed for those with an interest in academia in pharmacy practice, a desire to acquire abundant teaching experiences as well as clinical service and research experience. The training and experience gained through this program equips graduates for other practice settings and industries as well. Although there are many graduate and fellowship programs, this is a unique program that includes both, in one focus area. Fellows will serve as part-time faculty members for required Pharm.D. courses such as Case Based Practice II-IV and Pharmacy Skills I/III. They will also obtain an MS degree in Health Care Outcomes and Clinical Services. The program provides competitive compensation and benefits for the fellowship and covers the tuition of the MS program.

Fellows will obtain formal training to be an independent researcher through didactic courses and thesis completion as well as other various research opportunities. Furthermore, six rotations will be offered, and fellows will choose their rotations based on individual interest and site availability. The rotation options include, but are not limited to, Long Term Care Facility, Medicare D/Geriatric outreach, Intermediate Care/Long Term Care Facility, Managed Care, Acute Inpatient Medicine, Infectious Diseases, Ambulatory Care Practice, and Education Methodology and Assessment. Combining a graduate degree with experiential training puts graduates in a strong position when applying for jobs where pharmacists with advanced training are required. Approximately 70% of former fellows currently service in academia and about 30% of former fellows service in clinical and industry settings.

Candidates must have a Pharm.D. and either be licensed or eligible for licensure in California by August 31, 2021. To complete the MS part of the application, a GRE score (minimum 303) and cumulative GPA (minimum 3.0) are required. The GRE requirement can be waived for those who graduated with a cumulative GPA within top 15% of their graduating classes of the top 500 global universities (<a href="https://www.usnews.com/education/best-global-universities/rankings">https://www.usnews.com/education/best-global-universities/rankings</a>) and University of the Pacific pharmacy school.

Applications will be accepted starting **November 15, 2020 for a September 1, 2021 start**. Review of the applications will begin immediately and continue until the two positions are filled. Applicants will be required to email a letter of intent, CV, copy of Pharm.D. transcript, and a copy of GRE score report (if not waived) to Myo-Kyoung Kim, Pharm.D., BCPS, APP, at <a href="mkim@pacific.edu">mkim@pacific.edu</a>. Applicants are also required to arrange to have three references directly email their letters of recommendation to <a href="mkim@pacific.edu">mkim@pacific.edu</a>. Upon final selection, applicants will need to submit the required documents (e.g., official GRE score (if not waived) and official transcript) through GradCAS and application within the hiring portal, PeopleAdmin (University of the Pacific's hiring process). Unmatched scores between self-report and official documentation will disqualify candidacy.

University of the Pacific is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, or protected veteran status.

For more information, please contact Myo-Kyoung Kim, Pharm.D., BCPS, APh Associate Professor and Fellowship Director at (209) 946-3145, or <a href="mkim@pacific.edu">mkim@pacific.edu</a>. During the COVID-19 pandemic, email is the preferred method of communication. A zoom open house (Q/A session with current and former fellows and director) is scheduled on November 13, 2020 Friday, 6-7pm Pacific Standard Time. Zoom meetings for further information can be offered if requested through email.

I am looking forward to meeting those who are interested in this position. Please forward this information if you know someone who may be interested in this position.

## Many Thanks,

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