



University of Virginia

2022 Summer Health Humanities and Ethics Internship

Center for Health Humanities and Ethics School of Medicine

The Center for Health Humanities and Ethics (CHHE) in the UVA School of Medicine invites applications for the 2022 Health Humanities and Ethics Summer Internship Program. Interns will have the opportunity to work closely with CHHE's multidisciplinary faculty on a wide range of topics in the health humanities and clinical, research, and health policy ethics. These include, but are not limited to interprofessional health humanities and ethics education, health equity education, representations of health disparities in art and literature, narrative medicine, primary care health policy, home-based medical care, reproductive ethics, clinical ethics consultation, ethical issues in adolescence, and end-of-life decision making. Interns will work directly with faculty mentors on projects of mutual interest or pre-established projects. Additional opportunities include weekly health humanities and ethics seminars and participation in weekly Ethics/Moral Distress Consult Service meetings. The internship lasts for eight weeks, beginning Monday, June 6 and ending Friday, July 29.

Stipends

The Summer Internship can provide stipends of \$2,800 apiece for two students. Students who do not need financial support are also invited to apply. Housing, health care and transportation are not included in the internship.

Requirements

Applicants should be rising 3rd or 4th year undergraduates, or recently-graduated students with course work or related experience in health humanities and ethics. Applicants should demonstrate interest in health humanities and biomedical ethics through coursework, independent study, scholarship or clinical experience and should have concrete career goals to which the study of health humanities and ethics applies.

Applicants must submit: an application form, a letter of intent outlining their interest in the field of bioethics, a resume/curriculum vitae, a writing sample (e.g., a paper written for a course), a letter of recommendation from a former professor/mentor, and a current transcript. The letter of recommendation should be sent directly from the professor/mentor to Ms. Charlene Kaufman (CMK2B@hscmail.mcc.virginia.edu). **The deadline for applications for the 2022 summer program is midnight, March 31, 2022.** Applicants will be chosen based on demonstrated interest in the fields of health humanities and ethics; scholarly aptitude based on course work and writing samples; recommendations by mentors/professors; and their ability to contribute to the intellectual community of the Center for Health Humanities and Ethics. Please specify in your application whether or not you would need a stipend.

Completed applications (see form below)/documents should be sent to Charlene Kaufman at CMK2B@hscmail.mcc.virginia.edu

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Application Form

Instructions: Return the completed application to Ms. Charlene Kaufman at CMK2B@hscmail.mcc.virginia.edu by email attachment no later than: **midnight, March 31, 2022.**

Name (last, first, middle): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone: _____

Birth Date: _____ Citizenship: _____

Major(s): _____ Minor: _____

Concentration: _____ GPA: _____

Academic year (circle one): Third Year Fourth Year

Reference:

Name of Reference _____ Title _____

Email Address of Reference _____ Telephone _____