



## CARLOS A. PELLEGRINI

### VISITING STUDENT INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

#### About the Program

The Carlos A. Pellegrini Visiting Student Internship Program is a funded program designed to provide motivated students from a broad range of backgrounds who demonstrate academic excellence, professionalism, leadership potential, and a strong interest in a surgical career the opportunity to experience the exceptional clinical training and educational environment at the University of Washington. Students will spend four weeks on one of the surgical teams at the University of Washington Medical Center or Harborview Medical Center and care for a variety of patients in our tertiary care centers. Students will participate in all the duties and functions of a medical student intern.

Applicants are expected to be strongly motivated to pursue a career in General Surgery (Acute Care Surgery, Surgical Oncology, Colorectal Surgery), Cardiothoracic Surgery, Plastic Surgery, Vascular Surgery, or Trauma/Burns

Those who apply to the program should be students in good academic standing at an Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME), Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME)-accredited, or American Osteopathic Association Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation (COCA)-accredited U.S. medical school and must have completed their third year of medical school. Clerkships are four weeks in duration.

**Application Deadline  
April 10, 2026**

#### Eligibility

- Completed third year of medical school
- In good standing at an ACGME, LCME, or COCA accredited U.S. medical school
- Strong interest in General Surgery (Acute Care Surgery, Surgical Oncology, Colorectal Surgery), Cardiothoracic Surgery, Plastic Surgery, Vascular Surgery, or Trauma/Burns
- VSLO application required

#### Stipend

Selected students receive up to \$3,000 to offset travel and living costs after completion of the sub internship

#### Required Materials

- Curriculum Vitae
- One letter of recommendation
- Medical school transcript (unofficial accepted)
- USMLE Step 1 (and Step 2 if available)
- VSLO application required

Email all required materials to  
**China Hardison china7@uw.edu**

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### FAQ'S

#### Are international student eligible to apply?

International students are **NOT ELIGIBLE** for this opportunity. The University of Washington Department of Surgery has a program for international medical graduate Please review the "how to apply" section here [inked here International Visiting Medical Students \(Non-U.S. and Non-Canadian\) | UW Medicine](#) . for more information about SURG CP688 P-Subinternship in General Surgery for International Physicians"

#### Is there a stipend for this visiting internship?

Medical students selected for this competitive and prestigious internship will receive a stipend up to \$3000 after successfully completing the visiting subinternship to offset the cost of travel and living costs.

#### Do I have to apply to VSLO?

YES. This internship requires a application to the Visiting Student Learning Opportunities (VSLO) process linked here [Visiting Student Learning Opportunities™ \(VSLO®\) | Students & Residents](#) in addition to the required application and required materials.

#### Is housing provided for this internship?

Students selected for this visiting internship are required to secure their own housing for the 4 weeks of the rotation.

#### What dates will the internship occur?

We work with the University of Washington School of Medicine academic schedule. This academic calendar can at times conflict with the academic calendar of other academic institutions. We will work to facilitate scheduling the internship between May-August with placement on one of the following clinical services based on medical students preference: General Surgery, Cardiothoracic Surgery, Vascular Surgery, Plastic Surgery or Trauma Burns.

#### Who do I submit my application materials to?

In addition to filling out the Microsoft forms application please send the following REQUIRED application materials to China Hardison [china7@uw.edu](mailto:china7@uw.edu).

- Current Curriculum Vitae
- One letter of recommendation from a clinical faculty member
- Medical School transcript (unofficial transcript accepted)
- USMLE Step 1 score report (if already taken, please also submit Step 2 score report)

**Any additional questions please reach out to Dr. Elina Quiroga [elinaq@uw.edu](mailto:elinaq@uw.edu).**

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