



GPHAP News – November 16, 2020

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Student Spotlight – Katie Powell



Meet Katie Powell, GPHAP student and Erikson Fellow. This past summer Katie interned with C4P (Comprehensive Care, Community, and Culture Program), a research project out of UChicago Medicine that seeks to achieve better health outcomes for low-income individuals at high risk of hospitalization. One of the elements that C4P uses to achieve these improved health outcomes is offering patients access to social workers and a community health worker, in addition to access to a single doctor that provides them with both inpatient and outpatient treatment. During her time with C4P, she created a dashboard that brought data from different elements of the program's social services work into one centralized location. In theory, the dashboard she worked on will help to inform programmatic changes and staffing decisions. She loved being able to translate some of the on-the-ground work that the social services team was engaging in into metrics that could help inform future decisions.

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Opportunities

GPHAP Squads

Look out for more on upcoming squad events and how to get involved from the following squad leaders:

Sara Bovat, SSA
 Molly Gibson, SSA
 Beverly Kyalwazi, Pritzker
 Ellen Lesser, Booth
 Nicole Shen, Harris
 Nicole Villarreal, Booth
 Alexandria Wilson, SSA

GPHAP Calendar



Subscribe to the [GPHAP iCal](#) to keep up-to-date with all the latest seminars and opportunities available to students!

Chicago Schweitzer Fellows Program Info Sessions

Multiple Dates | Virtual

The Schweitzer Fellowship is a yearlong service learning program for graduate students in health-related professions who design and implement innovative direct service projects aimed at improving the health and wellbeing of underserved Chicago area communities. [Learn more about the process and attend an upcoming info session.](#) Application deadline for the 2021-22 Fellowship year is Friday, February 1st, 2021

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Upcoming Events

Becker Brown Bag: **The Great Lockdown and the Big Stimulus: Tracing the Pandemic Possibility Frontier for the US**

Featuring Greg Kaplan, Professor in the Kenneth C. Griffin Department of Economics and the College, Co-Director of BFI's Macroeconomic Research Initiative

BFI's Becker Brown Bag Series invites prominent economists to present cutting-edge research and engage MBA students, undergraduates, and faculty in discussion. The talks highlight the practical use of economics for answering real-world questions pertinent to businesses and policy makers.

Thursday, November 19 at 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm CST

[Register Here](#)

The Dr. Lawrence H. and Roberta Cohn Forums **RACE FOR THE COVID-19 VACCINE: Latest Updates**

Presented jointly by The Forum at the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health and NPR

As 2020 approaches its end, the world awaits a COVID-19 vaccine to help prevent further spread of the virus that has gripped the globe. In this Forum discussion, experts will explore various vaccine candidates and unpack all that's at stake- safety, efficacy, distribution, affordability, priority of recipients, and more. With cases surging in numerous parts of the world, the need for a COVID-19 vaccine is more urgent than ever and pressing questions remain. Join us for this timely discussion on what we can expect in the next few months in this critical race for a vaccine.

Friday, November 20, 2020 11:00 - 12:00 PM CST

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Opportunities

Back to school: How children's health in Dallas is integrating virtual care to help support students, parents & faculty

Sponsored by Becker's Hospital Review

*Watch this webinar to learn how Children's Health in Dallas is committed to supporting "back to school" initiatives in Texas. The health system has developed strategies to not only care for children, but also parents, teachers, and faculty. **This webinar is on demand and can be viewed at your convenience***

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Previously Listed Events

Booth Healthcare Initiative is hosting "**Leadership in Healthcare**"

The pandemic has impacted nearly every aspect of our economy and society, and nowhere is that more true than in health care. From emergency preparedness, and sustaining morale, to collaborating with a wide range of partners on complex issues, health care providers have adapted to the extraordinary challenges they have faced.

Join us for a conversation between Omar B. Lateef, MD, President and CEO for Rush University Medical Center, and Daniel Adelman, Charles I. Clough, Jr. Professor of Operations Management at Chicago Booth, to discuss how hospitals have continued to fulfill their mission to provide care during the pandemic and what the future may hold for the industry.

Wednesday November 18th 5:00PM – 6:00PM

[Register Here](#)

The Role of Business in Advancing a Thriving and Just Nation – **A Conversation with the Surgeon General**

WIN (Well Being In the Nation) Network is convening November 16th–20th to build **Resilience, Renewal, and Racial Justice**.

"WIN with Business: The Role of Business in Advancing a Thriving and Just Nation – A Conversation with the Surgeon General"

Friday, November 20th 12:00PM–3:00PM ET

[Register Here](#)

MATTER and Livongo are launching a new program series: "**Insights on Innovation for Self-insured Employers.**"

This series will bring together employers, market disruptors and other experts in the field to discuss strategies for innovative cost containment and health improvement, as well as the technologies and processes being implemented to enable these advances.

Discussion with leaders from Aon Hewitt, Boeing and Livongo around each organization's current proactive and reactive strategies amidst COVID-19 and the innovative solutions they plan to adopt.

Wednesday November 18th 12:30PM – 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/BYMEUqshxH1K6xpID5OmAk>

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